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1 John 4:15, KJV

LAST CHANCE!

Best of Newton Ballot inside for final time, See A12

Covington teen charged in October murder case

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COVINGTON, Ga.
— The Newton County Sheriff’s Office has charged a Covington teen in connection with an Oct. 19 murder near Spring Street. The Sheriff’s Office arrested Amorieyan Weaver, 17, of Covington, on charges of aggravated assault,



Amorieyan Weaver

murder, malice murder and possession of a firearm or knife during the commission of or attempt to commit certain crimes, a news release stated Wednesday. He is a suspect in the murder of Quindarius Russell, 19, of Covington, on Oct. 19 at a residence off Spring Road in Covington. Weaver was arrested, without incident, during the execution of a search warrant. He was booked into the Newton County Jail and is being held without bond.

Bailey-Butts hopes for smooth transition after ending Davis’ 12-year stint as Newton’s coroner

By TOM SPIGOLON
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COVINGTON, Ga.
— Newton County has elected a new coroner for the first time in 12 years after voters chose registered nurse Dorothea Bailey-Butts to lead the state-mandated office. Voters chose Bailey-Butts with 53% of the vote to incumbent Tommy Davis’ 47% Tuesday in the Nov. 3 General Election in Newton County. The coroner-elect said she is already working with Davis to

prepare for her new position. “We only have Newton County in our best interest and it won’t be a concern once we start transitioning to the office,” Bailey-Butts said. “We are really hoping for a smooth transition,” she said. Davis did not return phone calls or emails



Dorothea Bailey-Butts

from *The Covington News* for comment. The coroner position is mandated in the Georgia Constitution. It is required to investigate any death in a county that meets criteria specified in state law, including suspicious or unexpected deaths and those caused by violence or suicide. Bailey-Butts, who is a registered nurse, said she was “also talking to other coroners in other counties to help mentor me and give me some support in

this new role that I am going to take.” “I said in my campaign videos that if I’m elected, the office will have transparency. We will make sure that every case is handled properly and with due process to ensure that everything is taken into account. “I will also use my medical knowledge to fully understand the situation and details of every case we will be handling in the future,” she said.

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U.S. Senate races headed to runoff

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As votes continued to be counted Friday, results appeared to signal January runoffs for two open U.S. Senate seats in Georgia. The 21-candidate race for the Senate seat previously vacated by retired Sen. Johnny Isakson has been cut down to Republican incumbent Kelly Loeffler and Democratic candidate Rev. Raphael Warnock. As of Friday afternoon, Warnock led with 32.87% of the vote. Loeffler had 25.97% and fellow Republican Doug Collins had 20%.

In what initially looked like an easy win for incumbent Republican Sen. David Perdue, Democratic opponent Jon Ossoff will likely force a runoff after Perdue dropped below the 50% threshold. Results Friday showed Perdue with 49.84% of votes and Ossoff with 47.85%. Shane Hazel (L) had 2.32%.

Kelly Loeffler

David Perdue

Raphael Warnock

Jon Ossoff

NEWTON:

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registered voters assigned to a precinct who cast ballots during an election is the voter turnout. Highest voter turnout for the General Election was seen at nine of the 10 voting precincts where Republican incumbent Donald Trump was the top choice, according to information from the Secretary of State’s office. The highest percentage of voters, 82%, cast ballots at the Hub pre-

cinct that covers northeast Newton County; followed by Mansfield, 80%; Newborn, 79%; Brick Store and Gum Creek, 78% each; Leguinn, 76%; Oxford, 75%; Alcovy, 74%; and Brewers, 72%. All were precincts where Trump was the top vote-getter. “East Newton had tremendous turnout,” Johnson said. Downs, a precinct that covers part of western Newton, and Almon, which covers part of northwestern Newton, were the only precincts that exceeded 70% turnout with a majority voting for Democrat Joe Biden. Lowest turnout was 58% at the City Pond precinct and 59% at the Town precinct, both of which include parts of the city of Oxford. Unofficial vote totals in the presidential election also showed: • Most Newton County voters for Trump cast ballots in-person either on Election Day at their assigned precincts or during the three-week advance voting period. About 45% of Trump

voters cast ballots on Election Day; 34% voted during the advance voting period; and 21% voted absentee. • The majority of Biden voters cast ballots in-person during the advance voting period. About 42% voted in-person in advance, followed by 35% who voted absentee, and 23% who voted in-person on Election Day. • Libertarian presidential candidate Jo Jorgensen received 576 Newton County votes, with top support coming in the Alcovy precinct which gave her 51 votes. He said he was happy with the way the elections staff planned and managed the tallying of ballots, which allowed Newton County to complete all counting and have a report of total votes by 11 p.m. “We had a great team,” he said. “They stayed focused.” The elections board is scheduled to meet Monday, Nov. 9, to certify the election, Johnson said.

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BIDEN:

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• Biden won 12 precincts covering most of the city of Covington and suburban western Newton County, including the City Pond, Town, Almon, Covington Mills, Cedar Shoals, Livingston, Downs, Beaverdam, Buck Creek, Stansell, Fairview and Crowell precincts.

His top winning percentages came in the Crowell and Fairview precincts in northwestern Newton where the former vice president received 87% of the vote in each location.

• Trump won 10 precincts covering the rural north, east and south, including Alcovy, Brewers, Brick Store, Gum Creek, Leguinn, Mansfield, Newborn, Oxford, Rocky Plains and Hub precincts.

He won his top Newton County percentages in Mansfield with 88% of the vote; and the Hub precinct in northeastern Newton County where he received 82%.

• Biden received 29,754 Newton County votes and Trump 23,847. Jorgensen won 576 votes out of the total of 54,177 cast.

Barbara Robertson, senior

lecturer in political science at Georgia State University's Newton campus, said the county's voting choices follow the trend of a rural-urban split along party lines seen in Georgia for about four years.

One likely factor in suburban and urban Georgia voters agreeing politically in recent years is minority residents who lived in urban areas began moving to suburban areas.

Republicans who tend to be white make up the vast majority of rural voters, she said.

"The prediction was the suburbs would tilt toward Biden," Robertson said.

She said the two congressmen who represent Newton County reflect the county's political split.

U.S. Rep. Hank Johnson, D-Lithonia, is a liberal and represents western Newton in Georgia's 4th Congressional District. Staunchly conservative U.S. Rep. Jody Hice, R-Greensboro, represents eastern Newton in the 10th Congressional District, she said.

Robertson noted the percent-

age of Democratic Georgia voters also has risen in recent years.

Republican Mitt Romney won Georgia with about 53% of the vote in the 2012 presidential election.

While the statewide vote barely topped 50% for unconventional Republican candidate Donald Trump in 2016, the trend continued in the 2018 gubernatorial election for Brian Kemp and this year for other statewide Republican candidates in close races with Democrats, Robertson said.

"It doesn't seem to be a Trump thing," she said.

She noted suburban Gwinnett County formerly had a large Republican majority and a congressman, U.S. Rep. Rob Woodall, who easily won election as a supporter of the far right Tea Party movement in 2010.

This year, Gwinnett voters elected Democrats to county-wide offices long held by the GOP, while Democrat Carolyn Bordeaux will replace Woodall in 2021.

SHERIFF:

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Republican Ken Malcom for a fourth term as sheriff.

He said late Tuesday he wanted to give "thanks to the voters of Newton County for the vote of confidence in proven leadership."

"We are now ready to continue the work together which includes making Newton County safe for all," Brown said, adding he would make a more detailed statement later.

Brown has worked in law enforcement in Newton County for 47 years, including 43 years with the sheriff's office.

The two candidates had spent almost \$113,000 from the start of their campaigns until Sept. 30 — with Malcom spending \$86,000 and Brown \$26,000, according to their latest campaign finance reports.

The Newton County sheriff is the county's chief law enforcement officer and jailer. The position is chiefly responsible for providing law enforcement service in Newton County's unincorporated area; maintaining and operating the county jail; providing courthouse security; and serving civil papers and arrest warrants.

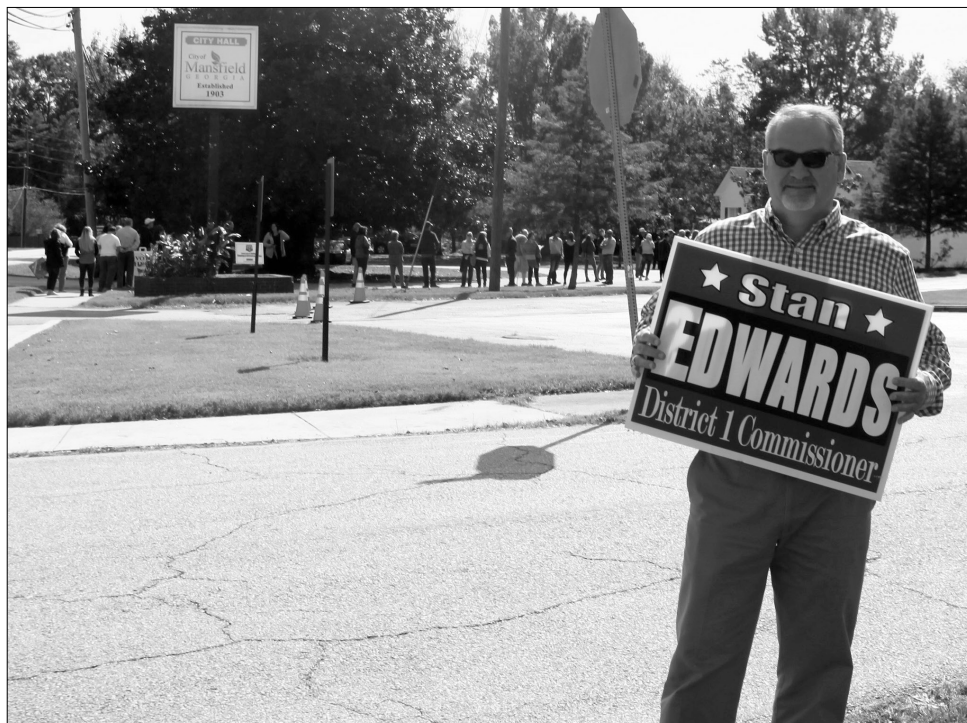
Newton County Sheriff Results:
Ken Malcom (R), 223,497 votes, or 44%
Ezell Brown (D) (i), 130,102 votes, or 56%.

Countywide races for coroner and tax commissioner and two contested county commission seats also were on Tuesday's ballot.

TAX COMMISSIONER
Democrat Marcus Jordan ousted Republican incumbent Dana Darby for the job of chief tax collector for the county.

The tax commissioner oversees billing, collecting, processing and distributing property taxes and serves as an agent of the state Revenue Commissioner for the registration of motor vehicles, according to information on the county website.

Darby was seeking



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District 1 County Commissioner Stan Edwards holds a sign near his home voting precinct at Mansfield Community House on Tuesday, Nov. 3. He won with 71% of the vote.

a full four-year term after being sworn in as tax commissioner in September 2019 to complete the term of Barbara Dinger, who retired after 34 years in the office.

Jordan has served as chief appraiser in the county tax appraiser's office since 2014. He has worked in the tax appraiser's office for 21 years, including 12 years as the assistant chief appraiser.

Darby worked in the office for 20 years and served as chief deputy tax commissioner before her appointment.

Tax Commissioner Results:

Dana Darby (R) (i), 24,863 votes, or 47%
Marcus Jordan (D), 28,436 votes, or 53%.

CORONER

Incumbent Republican Tommy Davis lost a bid for a fourth term to Democrat Dorothea Bailey-Butts for the job Davis has held since 2008.

The county coroner is required to be notified and investigate deaths that meet criteria specified in state law, including suspicious or unexpected deaths and those caused by violence or suicide.

Bailey-Butts is a registered nurse and businesswoman. She publicly cited her experience in the medical field as a reason for supporting her candidacy.

Davis, who also is a

funeral director, served as a deputy coroner for five years before succeeding Bob Wheeler in 2008. He cited his experience in doing the work of coroner as a main reason for reelecting him.

Coroner Results:

Tommy Davis (R) (i), 25,253 votes, or 47%
Dorothea Bailey-Butts (D), 27,995 votes, or 53%.

DISTRICT 1 COMMISSIONER

Incumbent Republican Stan Edwards defeated Democratic challenger Catalata Hardeman for a second term in the seat representing southeastern, southern and part of southwestern Newton County on the board of commissioners.

Edwards was first elected in 2016 after serving two years on the Newton County School Board.

Results (seven of seven precincts reporting):
Stan Edwards (R) (i), 7,884 votes, or 71%.

Catalata Hardeman (D), 3,190 votes, or 39%.

DISTRICT 5 COMMISSIONER

Incumbent Republican Ronnie Cowan defeated Democratic challenger Dorothy Piedrahita for the seat representing northeastern and central Newton County on the board of commissioners.

Cowan was seeking a second term. He is an attorney who also

has served as a police officer, human resources director and administrative services director with the city of Covington.

Piedrahita has worked in business and in several roles in government in two states, including with the city of Atlanta and the state of Alabama.

Results (11 of 11 precincts reporting):
Ronnie Cowan (R) (i), 6,710 votes, or 60%.

Dorothy Piedrahita (D), 4,479 votes, or 40%.

UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES

Candidates on the Nov. 3 ballot who were unopposed included incumbent Clerk of Superior Court Linda D. Hays, who has served 37 years in the position; and County Chairman Marcello Banes and Probate Court Judge Melanie Bell, who were each elected to second terms.

Others included District 2 county school board member Eddie Johnson, who was unopposed for a fourth term; District 4 school board member Anderson Bailey, who recently was appointed to the board and was unopposed for his first full term; and Alana Sanders, who was unopposed for her first term in the county commission District 3 seat.

Community Calendar

SATURDAY, NOV. 7

• Fall yard sale barbecue, located at 215 East Soule St. in Oxford (below Palmer Stone Gym), from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. There will be fall and winter clothes sizes 2 petite through 3XL. Boots, shoes, coats, designer purses, toys and more. Everyone is welcome. Masks are encouraged.

TUESDAY, NOV. 17

• Newton County Democratic Committee will hold elections for county committee post seat holders at 7 p.m. via Zoom. Interested parties should visit rebrand.ly/NewtonDemsVOTE for specific details on how to register to vote and for details on how to register to be a candidate.

THROUGH NOV. 30

• Virtual Vampire Run from Oct. 1 through Nov. 30. All net proceeds from the race will go toward the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Prospective racers can register for the virtual run at runsignup.com/Race/GA/MysticFallsCovington/VirtualVampireRun and help "take a bite out of blood cancers."

THURSDAY, DEC. 10

• The Newton County Democratic Committee will hold its Bi-Annual Executive Committee/Officer Elections via Zoom at 7 p.m. Interested parties should visit rebrand.ly/NewtonDemsVOTE for specific details on how to register to vote and for details on how to register to be a candidate.

ONGOING

• Everyone is invited to join Covington Christian Church on the Round on Sunday mornings at 11 a.m. for worship. The church is located at 141 Highway 142 in Covington.

• Paint Party at Southern Heartland Visual Art Center has resumed! Hosted by professional gallery artists, this weekly get-together for those in our community interested in painting with others is free and open to the public each Friday from 10-2. Both classrooms will be utilized to insure participants have enough space to social distance from other participants.

• The food pantry at the Covington First United Methodist Church is in dire need of more volunteers now that students and teachers are back in school and unavailable to help with this ongoing and much-needed project. If available to help, email Megan Hulan at foodpantry@covingtonfirst.org to sign up.

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OPINIONS

The Covington News

Our View on the Issue

Our elections office delivered

In weeks leading up to Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 3, Newton County Board of Elections and Registration Chairman Philip Johnson was confident in the staff’s ability to make sure the county would have same-day results. And they delivered.

While many across the state and nation had delays in tallying Election Day returns, Newton County was finished counting the 54,000-plus ballots before 11 p.m.

Holding an election is a much more difficult task than people may realize. Many people and

many hours of preparation and training are involved, and it takes a complete team effort to pull off what Newton County did on election night.

The Covington News tips its hat to the hard working poll workers and elections office staff who worked tirelessly to make sure the election process was a smooth one for Newton County residents.

It also congratulates each candidate elected Tuesday. The newspaper hopes for a peaceful transition for newcomers and offers its full support to all for the next four years. And

all Newton County residents, regardless of party affiliation, race, color or creed, are encouraged to do the same.

After all, if we are to truly be “One Newton,” we must always stand together, work together and never be afraid to lean on each other. That’s the only way the place we call home can continue to flourish and prosper.

Our View on the Issue is an opinion of The Covington News editorial board, which includes Owner Patrick Graham and Editor and Publisher Taylor Beck.

Taylor Beck editor and publisher

Historic, questionable ballot measures passed across US

This week has been a long one, which is saying a lot considering we’re in the middle of a pandemic.

While voters across the U.S. answered the question of who should be our president Tuesday, Nov. 3, ballot counters across the country have been trying to figure out what exactly their answer was, and at the time of this writing, it remains a toss-up and could stay that way for quite some time.

Since the presidential results were delayed, I was given a chance to do something I enjoy, which is taking a look at different ballot measures across the country. Folks, let me just say, while there were some great things passed, there was a few questionable measures passed, too — I’m looking at you, Oregon.

• In Mississippi, voters approved a new state flag. The state will drop its decades-old design that included the Confederate battle emblem for a new flag that features a magnolia blossom surrounded by 20 stars and the phrase “In God

We Trust.” The 20 stars signifies the fact that Mississippi was the 20th state to join the union. With the stars is also a gold star to honor the state’s indigenous Native American tribes.

This was a great move by Mississippi and something that should have been done years ago. Sure, people with Confederate heritage may be upset, but I think giving honor to God with our nation’s official motto is brilliant.

• Five more states passed marijuana legalization measures. In New Jersey, Arizona and South Dakota, residents voted to make recreational marijuana legal. South Dakota voters also approved legalizing marijuana for medical use.

Mississippi passed an initiative to establish a medical marijuana program for patients with debilitating conditions.

Voters in Montana voted for two initiatives to legalize, regulate and tax recreational marijuana for adults 21 and older.

Before Election Day, only 11 other states and the District of Columbia allowed legal marijuana use.

The only surprise here was the number of states taking action this election cycle. I ex-

pected more. Though I disagree with recreational use of marijuana, I think it’s only a matter of time before all states legalize marijuana use in some shape or form. Maybe not within the next four years, but likely before the new decade ends.

• Florida voters elected to raise the state’s minimum wage to \$15 per hour. The plan is to gradually increase the wage over the next five years, eventually reaching \$15 per hour in 2026. The Sunshine State is the eighth state to approve a minimum wage of \$15 per hour.

Smart or not? The verdict is still out. The Congressional Budget Office reported in 2019 — a pre-COVID world — such an increase could help bring 1.3 million workers out of poverty, but also projected a loss of 1.3 million jobs.

• Oregon voted to decriminalize possession of hard drugs — the first state to do so.

The measure will “reclassify personal drug possession to a Class E violation with a maximum \$100 fine,” according to KOIN 6 in Portland. People who are caught with user-amounts of drugs could get the fine waived by completing a health assessment, during which they could be connected with treatment, recovery and housing options.

This includes possession of small amounts of heroin, cocaine, LSD, oxycodone and some other drugs, according to the Associated Press.

People who sell or manufacture illegal drugs are not affected by the measure.

Personally, I found this insane. Yes, it’s a great idea to try and help people with substance abuse. But I don’t think decriminalizing such drugs and reducing fine amounts is helpful at all. In fact, I believe this sends the wrong message. Possessing and consuming hard drugs is not OK, but

this legislation makes it appear as though it is, as long as you don’t have too much, of course. For proponents saying this is about saving lives, why not pass legislation to provide funding for more treatment options? Instead, they’ve just made it more affordable to be a drug addict.

• Oregon also elected to legalize “magic” mushrooms for therapeutic use — again, the first state to do so. The measure passed creates a program for administering psilocybin to people over the age of 21. Clients will only be able to buy and consume psilocybin at specific facilities, under the supervision of a licensed facilitator. Psilocybin is the compound found in “magic” mushrooms. Though it isn’t legal in other states, cities like Denver and Oakland have decriminalized it.

Research, including from Johns Hopkins University, “has demonstrated therapeutic effects in people suffering from a range of conditions including addiction, anxiety and depression,” according to KOIN 6 in Portland.

Federal law classifies psilocybin as a Schedule I drug, like LSD and marijuana, and the Federal Drug Enforcement Agency (FDA) says it may cause temporary physical or mental harm in some cases. Federal officials also say it isn’t addictive.

I honestly don’t know what to think about this. Like marijuana, I would oppose if it were for recreational use. But with this being labeled as for “therapeutic” use, maybe it isn’t such a bad thing. However, the fact that it still poses a threat to harm your body doesn’t rest well with me. Officials must ensure it doesn’t fall into the wrong hands.

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Tom Branch guest columnist



Opioids are substances that produce morphine-like effects and are medically used for pain relief, though dangerous when misused.

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Working together, we can stop the opioid crisis

Opioid abuse has affected so many citizens across our great county, state and country. This crisis has claimed hundreds of lives in Georgia. Through this heartache, one thing is constant: everyone recognizes that immediate attention is needed, right now!

Opioids are substances that produce morphine-like effects and are medically used for pain relief. However, they are extremely dangerous when misused or prescribed inappropriately. Local and statewide hospital emergency rooms continue to see an increase in the misuse of opioids.

Between January 2014 and March 2017, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) found patients in rural counties — compared to patients in metropolitan areas — had an 87% greater chance of receiving an opioid prescription from their primary care provider. Prescribing rates decreased across all rural and urban categories after the CDC released its guidelines for prescribing opioids for chronic pain back in March 2016. Physicians have rallied around protecting their patients from addiction and overdoses. Across the nation doctors are providing more education on alternative pain management methods as well as prescribing less medication quantity and taking time to ensure patients understand when it is appropriate to take these medications.

The Georgia Department of Public Health (DPH) has rolled out a statewide Opioid and Substance Use Response Plan. Various stakeholders around the state, including the Department of Community Health, the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities, the Attorney General’s Office, the Department of Education, the Department of Human Services, and various law enforcement agencies provided input. This plan compiles the goals and objectives for six different workgroups. As this plan moves forward, there’s much we still have to do. The Health Department will continue working closely with

DPH, DEA, HIDTA, local sheriffs, police chiefs, county commissioners, mayors and city council members along with our local legislators to address opioid abuse.

While these agencies continue to work on plans and programs to address this crisis, there are also steps residents in our communities can take to help with the opioid crisis:

• Talk about how to prevent opioid misuse and overdose with your family & friends.

• Only take opioid medications as prescribed. Before taking opioids, ask your healthcare provider about non-opioid treatments for managing pain.

• Store your medication in a locked box. If you no longer need the medication, properly dispose the remaining doses. Some pharmacies offer a takeback program or instructions on how to properly dispose. Some law enforcement agencies have drop boxes to help with disposal.

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• Recognize that addiction is a chronic disease. With appropriate treatment and support, people can recover. These services can be found through:

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3. SAMHSA web site to locate a treatment facility findtreatment.samhsa.gov/locator

Funding for these programs is paramount. The creation of grants and new legislation will help our health department, public safety, hospitals, physicians, local community groups and other healthcare providers continue to address and end the abuse and misuse of opioids.

For more information, visit the Newton County Family Connection website at www.nwtn-familyconnection.org/.

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NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an
application has been made to the
Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to
sell alcoholic beverages for off-
premises consumption only for:

ALDI INC. (Georgia)
DBA ALDI # 48
11152 HWY 142 N

APPLICANT: TODD Gonzales

THE APPLICATION will be heard
on December 7, 2020 at 6:30
PM at City of Covington Council
Room, 2116 Stallings Street,
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ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING
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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

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POSITION AVAILABLE:
ASSOCIATE CLERK

The City of Oxford is accepting applications for the position of Associate Clerk. This position is responsible for receiving and processing utility bill payments and performing clerical and administrative duties in support of needs and demands. In addition, this position is responsible for managing the city's web content, collecting building permit applications and fees, and planning and carrying out events. Minimum qualifications include ability to read, write and perform basic mathematical calculations and at least two years of previous experience in a similar position. Other requirements and salary information are listed in the job description available at www.oxfordgeorgia.org. A background investigation including criminal history check will be conducted on all applicants. Applications will be accepted through Monday, November 16, 2020 at Oxford City Hall, 110 W. Clark St., Oxford, Georgia 30054. The City of Oxford is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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application has been made to the
Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to
sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises
consumption only for:

COVINGTON PACKAGE LLC
DBA COVINGTON Package Store
6138 JACKSON Hwy

APPLICANT: YUXIA Zhang

THE APPLICATION will be heard on
November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at
City of Covington Council Room, 2116
Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA.
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ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND
LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117545

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

11/8

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application has been made to the
Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to
sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises
consumption only for:

DEEPA ENTERPRISE Inc
DBA HESTER Package Store
5148 WASHINGTON Street

APPLICANT: PURVIBEN Patel

THE APPLICATION will be heard on
November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at
City of Covington Council Room, 2116
Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA.
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ATTEST:
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LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117536
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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application has been made to the
Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to sell
alcoholic beverages for off-premises
consumption only for:

DOLGENCORP LLC
DBA DOLLAR General Store # 7057
7118 HWY 278 NE

DBA DOLLAR General Store # 85
6185 HWY 278 NW

DBA DOLLAR General Store # 11417
10734 HWY 36

APPLICANT: TRENTON Homiller

THE APPLICATION will be heard on
December 7, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City
of Covington Council Room, 2116

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Alcovy Judicial Circuit are seeking qualified applicants for the position
of full time Juvenile Court Judge for the Alcovy Judicial Circuit which
includes the following counties: Newton and Walton. Two (2) applicants
will be appointed as full time Juvenile Court Judges, one (1) of whom will
have an office in Newton County and the other will have an office in
Walton County.

These will be four year appointments by a majority vote of the
Superior Court Judges in the circuit. Each full time position will become
effective January 1, 2021. Qualified applicants must be at least thirty
(30) years of age, must have been a citizen of the state of Georgia for
three (3) years, must have practiced law for five (5) years, and must be
a member of the State Bar in good standing. A Juvenile Court Judge
shall be eligible for reappointment.

Travel throughout the circuit and some limited state travel will be
required. It shall be unlawful for a full time judge to engage in any
practice of law outside his or her role as a Juvenile Court Judge. Salary
and benefits will be provided consistent with O.C.G.A. §15-11-52.

Those persons interested may apply by sending a resume with cover
letter to the Hon. John M. Ott, Chief Judge, Alcovy Judicial Circuit,
303 South Hammond Drive, Suite 221, Monroe, Georgia 30655. Only
applications received by December 4th, 2020, will be considered.

Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA.
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the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C),
Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND
LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117544
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
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Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to sell
alcoholic beverages for off-premises
consumption only for:

GEORGIA CVS Pharmacy, LLC
DBA CVS/PHARMACY # 4695
4183 HWY 278 NE

APPLICANT: KEVIN Kinzalow

THE APPLICATION will be heard on
December 7, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City
of Covington Council Room, 2116
Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA.
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Covington Municipal Code.

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LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117550
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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Mayor and Council of the City of
Covington to obtain a license to sell
alcoholic beverages for off-premises
consumption only for:

FIRST ZHANG Corporation
DBA FOOD Mart
6155 HWY 36

APPLICANT: STEVEN Zhang

THE APPLICATION will be heard on
November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at
City of Covington Council Room, 2116
Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA.
This notice is published pursuant to

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THE PROVISIONS of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117581
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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INGLES MARKETS, Inc.
DBA INGLES Markets # 452
7173 TURNER Lake Road

APPLICANT: **KEITH** Morrison

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117542
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises consumption only for:

SAIF FAMILY LLC
DBA COVINGTON Food Mart
9123 HWY 278

APPLICANT: **PARTH** Patel

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117546
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises consumption only for:

SVJZ GROUP LLC
DBA TURNER Lake Marathon
6206 TURNER Lake Road

APPLICANT: **ZINALKUMARE B.** Patel

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117541
11/5

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises consumption only for:

VIDHI ENTERPRISE Inc.
DBA COVINGTON Raceway
5148 HWY 278 NW

APPLICANT: **NUYAN** Rajyagum

THE APPLICATION will be heard on December 7, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117549
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only for:

4122 TIFFANY Enterprise LLC
DBA THE Depot Sports Bar & Grill
4122 EMORY Street, NW

APPLICANT'S NAME: Tiffany Park

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

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AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117528
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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A & K Bangkok LLC
DBA BANGKOK Grill
5135 HWY 278

APPLICANT'S NAME: Kanteera Athakorn

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117523
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only for:

AMICI COVINGTON, LLC
DBA AMICI Italian Café
1116 COLLEGE Ave SE

APPLICANT'S NAME: Chris Torino

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117531
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only for:

BOURLAND & Rogers LLC
DBA FIVE O'Clock Sports Bar & Grill
7191 TURNER Lake Rd

APPLICANT'S NAME: Thomas South

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117532
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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C.K.S. ENTERPRISES
DBA JOHNNY'S New York Style Pizza
10176 CARLIN Drive

APPLICANT'S NAME: Kimberly Shirah

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117533
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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CITY CONCEPT Group LTD CO
DBA CITY Pharmacy
1105 CHURCH Street

APPLICANT'S NAME: Edward T. Stone

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117548
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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EL CHAPARRO Tex Mex Cantina
DBA EL Chaparro
6193 HWY 278

APPLICANT'S NAME: Daryl Hughes

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117547
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only for:

MS. TONYA'S Soul Food, LLC
DBA MS. Tonya's Soul Food
8105 WASHINGTON Street

APPLICANT'S NAME: Tonya M. Reddings

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117525
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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MYSTIC GRILL LLC
DBA MYSTIC Grill
1116 CLARK Street

APPLICANT'S NAME: Angela Beszborn

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117526
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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POCKETS BILLIARDS LLC
DBA POCKETS Billiards
6185 HWY 278

APPLICANT'S NAME: Clent McCullough

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117522
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only for:

RL'S OFF the Square LLC
DBA RL'S Off the Square
1113 FLOYD Street

APPLICANT'S NAME: Robert L. Holmes Sr.

THE APPLICATION will be heard on November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
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CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117524
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

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- Upright post on a boat
- Sentimental person
- Native American tribe
- Wear away
- Where you're going
- Doctor
- Popular Chinese dialect
- One point east of due south
- Northern sea duck
- Note
- Wives (law)
- Trigonometric function
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- Swiss river
- No (Scottish)
- Commercials
- Large instrument
- ___ Chantilly, ___ de Menthe
- Small, saclike cavities
- High and thin in tone
- Treat extremely well
- Famed track star Usain
- Secure web connection (abbr.)
- Rob of energy
- Paving material
- Cool!
- Tip of Aleutian Islands
- Indicates silence
- Water in the solid state
- Security interests
- Popular hoopster Jeremy
- Shed tears
- Low frequency
- Harmful bacterium
- Common language: lingua

CLUES DOWN

- More (Spanish)
- A subdivision of a play
- Japanese title
- More jittery

CROSSWORD

premises consumption only for:

SIRLOIN SALOON Inc.
DBA JIM Stalvey's Restaurant & Lounge
3132 HWY 278, NE

APPLICANT'S NAME: Sharon W. Stalvey

THE APPLICATION will be heard on December 7, 2020 at 6:30 PM at City of Covington Council Room, 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117551
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been submitted to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license for alcoholic beverages for Personal Service Beer and/or Wine License only for:

FENICE DRY Bar and Salon
1123 CHURCH Street, Ste 102

APPLICANT'S NAME: Amanda Hauptman

THE APPLICATION will come before the Mayor and Council, City of Covington, Georgia, for consideration November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM Council Room located 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117534
11/8

NOTICE – APPLICATION
ALCOHOL LICENSE

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been submitted to the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington to obtain a license for alcoholic beverages for Personal Service Beer and/or Wine License only for:

BEAUTY BAR Restoration Med Spa/ Beauty Bar
1109 FLOYD Street

APPLICANT'S NAME: Amanda Hauptman

THE APPLICATION will come before the Mayor and Council, City of Covington, Georgia, for consideration November 16, 2020 at 6:30 PM Council Room located 2116 Stallings Street, NW, Covington, GA. This notice is published pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.12.080(C), Covington Municipal Code.

ATTEST:
JENNIFER HISE, PERMITTING AND LICENSE SPECIALIST
CITY OF Covington, Georgia

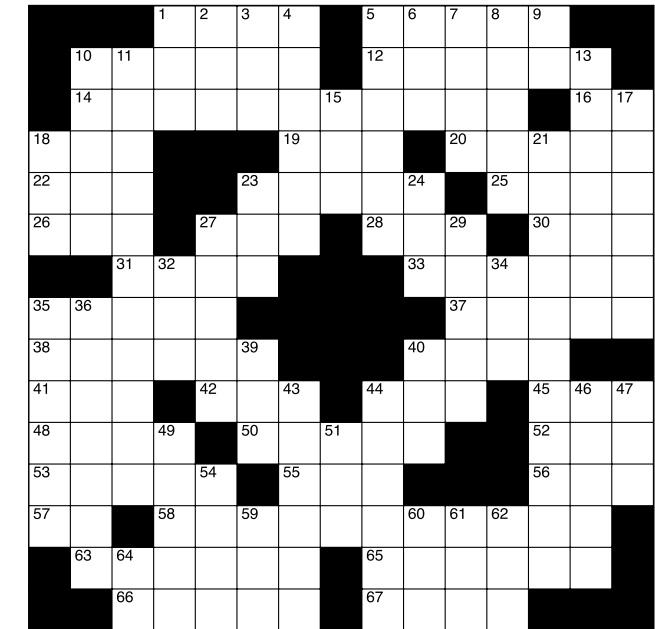
PUBLIC NOTICE #117535
11/8

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Newton County Board of Commissioners to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages (beer & wine) for off premises consumption by:

FSD ENTERPRISE LLC
DBA HUB MARATHON
ROSHAN ALI DOSANI
12752 HIGHWAY 278
SOCIAL CIRCLE, GA 30025

OCCUPATION TAX/BUSINESS
License Contact:
TINA WATERS
BUSINESS LICENSE Clerk
TWATERS@CO.NEWTON.GA.US

PUBLIC NOTICE #117501
11/1,8



- Fabric
- Luke's mentor ___-Wan
- Cleaving tool
- Ancient city of Egypt
- 36 inches
- Farewell
- Second to last
- Improved by critical editing
- Defensive weapon (abbr.)
- Fancy attire
- ___ Farrow, actress
- Completely opposed
- Supervises flying
- Pouch
- True fir
- Mistake
- Computing platform (abbr.)
- Snakelike fish
- Greatly horrify
- Despicable person
- Tell on
- Ballplayer's tool
- Central Brazilian town
- Court game
- Land

NOTICE IS hereby given that an application has been made to the Newton County Board of Commissioners to obtain a license to sell alcoholic beverages (beer & wine) for off premises consumption by:

JK INVESTMENTS, LLC
DBA MAVERICK FOOD MART
ROSHAN ALI DOSANI
12708 HIGHWAY 278
COVINGTON, GA 30014

OCCUPATION TAX/BUSINESS
License Contact:
TINA WATERS
BUSINESS LICENSE Clerk
TWATERS@CO.NEWTON.GA.US

PUBLIC NOTICE #117502
11/1,8

Citations

CITATION

ADDIE JO WHITE has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of CASSANDRA MITCHELL**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117568
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

ANGELA SIMS-DAVIS has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of JACQUELYN B. SIMS**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117569
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

BRANDON LAMONT EPPS has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of CHARLIE EPPS, JR.**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117562
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

BRUCE WAYNE NEELY AND **STEVEN** BRUCE NEELY has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of BETTY ELIZABETH NEELY**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

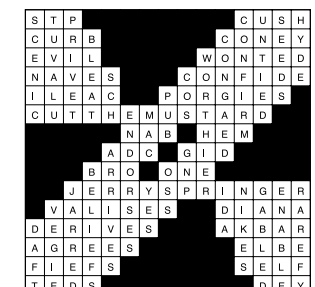
MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117564
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

- "The Partridge Family" actress Susan
- Retract a statement
- Data executive
- Capital of Yemen
- Portable computer screen material
- Electronic data processing
- "Matt Houston" actor Horsley
- Resinous substance
- Rural delivery

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:



2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117557
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

CARL ANTHONY CRANE, JR. has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of JENNIFER LYNN CRANE**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK,

LEGALS:

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OR BEFORE December 7, 2020, at ten o'clock a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne, Clerk
PROBATE COURT
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117582
11/8,

CITATION

ROBERT DAVID CASE has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of TERRY CLYDE KING**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117565
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

ROBERT L. KITCHENS has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of HARRIETT EUGENIA KITCHENS**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117558
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

ROSE MARIE CONYERS has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of PHILLIP CONYERS, JR.**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117560
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

TATYANA YALOVEGA has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of OLGA NIKITOVNA BOBIK**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117563
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

THE PETITION of JOHN LARRY DEAN, widow/widower of **FRANCES JOAN DEAN**, deceased, for Twelve Month's Support for having been duly filed, all interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said petition should not be granted. All objections must be in writing and filed with this Court on or before December 7, 2020, next at ten o'clock a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne, Clerk
PROBATE COURT
NEWTON COUNTY, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117580
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

WALTER LEE KINES, JR. has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of WALTER LEE KINES, SR.**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117566
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

WILLIE LEE MILLIGAN has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of GARY EDWARD MILLIGAN**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at

ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117556
11/8,15,22,29

CITATION

WILLIE LEE MILLIGAN has petitioned to be appointed Administrator of the **Estate of REBA RUNEA MILLIGAN**, deceased. (The applicant has also applied for waiver of bond and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. §53-12-232). All interested parties are hereby notified to show cause why said application should not be granted. All objections must be in writing, and filed with this Court on or before DECEMBER 7, 2020, next, at ten o'clock, a.m.

MELANIE M. Bell, Judge
BY: MARCIA Wynne
CLERK, PROBATE Court
NEWTON COUNTY, GA

PUBLIC NOTICE #117555
11/8,15,22,29

Corporations

NOTICE IS given that articles of incorporation that will incorporate Strong Trucking Inc have been delivered to the Secretary of State for filing in accordance with the Georgia Business Corporation Code. The initial registered office of the corporation is located at 134 Jack Neely Road, Covington, GA, 30016 and its initial registered agent at such address is Rodney Strong.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117554
11/8,15

Debtors Creditors

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of ALLESANDRA ANN-MARIE PORTEOUS**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 22nd** day of **SEPTEMBER, 2020.**

DERWIN BRYAN Davis, Esquire, CFP
P.O. BOX 82870
CONYERS, GEORGIA 30013

PUBLIC NOTICE #117446
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of BETTY JEWEL POWELL**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 4TH** day of **November, 2020.**

DALE L. DAHMAN
6901 HIGHWAY 212
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117575
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of BOBBY GENE QUINTON, JR.**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 14th** day of **October, 2020.**

SARAH L. QUINTON
35 PAPAS TALK
SOCIAL CIRCLE, GA 30025

PUBLIC NOTICE #117475
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of BONNIE RUTH BRUBAKER DAVIS**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 2nd** day of **November, 2020.**

TAMMY DENSON
2181 DAVIS ACADEMY ROAD
RUTLEDGE, GA 30063

PUBLIC NOTICE #117570
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of DENA MARIE MOOTZ WELCH**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 6th** day of **October, 2020.**

RICHARD WELCH
100 RIVER COVE ROAD
SOCIAL CIRCLE, GA 30025

PUBLIC NOTICE #117480
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of DIANNE ELOISE HUGHES**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 19th** day of

October, 2020.

WAYNE HUGHES
130 BELMONT CIRCLE
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117478
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of ELIZABETH MCCLENDON OZBURN**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 4th** day of **November, 2020.**

KELVIN G. OZBURN, JR.
916 CHAMPIONS WAY
MCDONOUGH, GA 30252

PUBLIC NOTICE #117573
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of ERIK M. MORITZ**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 14th** day of **October, 2020.**

EDWIN MORITZ
1509 SOUTH PROCTOR COURT
SUPERIOR, CO 80027

PUBLIC NOTICE #117477
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of FELICIA YVONNE CHANCEY**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 21ST** day of **OCTOBER, 2020.**

TED CHANCEY, JR.
349 JUDY DR.
MCDONOUGH, GA 30253

PUBLIC NOTICE #117571
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of HAZEL LEE BOWEN**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 2nd** day of **November, 2020.**

GARY SATTERFIELD
96 LOVERS LANE RD
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117579
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of HELEN SANDRA HICKS**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 3rd** day of **November, 2020.**

DERWIN DAVIS
P.O. BOX 82870
CONYERS, GA 30013

PUBLIC NOTICE #117577
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of JAMES E. PASCHALL SR.**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 20th** day of **October, 2020.**

ROBBIN M. PASCHALL
35 IVY WAY
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117483
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of JEROME SMITH**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 20th** day of **October, 2020.**

JACQUELINE DUPONT
408 AFTER GLOW SUMMIT
CANTON, GA 30114

PUBLIC NOTICE #117481
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of JOHN LEE SORROW**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 2nd** day of **OCTOBER, 2020.**

LYNNE SWANEY
4433 HWY 212
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117572
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the

debtors and creditors of the **Estate of MARIAN PATRICIA DOYLE a/k/a PATRICIA LUCAS DOYLE**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 3rd** day of **November, 2020.**

CLYDE H. DOYLE
737 OAK HILL RD
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117576
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of MARY KATHRYN HONAKER COX**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 21st** day of **October, 2020.**

MARY KATHERINE HOOD
C/O WATSON SPENCE, LLP
P.O. BOX 2008
ALBANY, GA 31702-2008

PUBLIC NOTICE #117479
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of MARY LILLIAN THOMAS**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 14th** day of **October, 2020.**

GERALDINE THOMAS
1007 HULL ST.
OXFORD, GA 30054

PUBLIC NOTICE #117476
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of ROBERT WAYNE ELLIS**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 30th** day of **October, 2020.**

MARTHA J. ELLIS
303 ELLIS RD.
OXFORD, GA 30054

PUBLIC NOTICE #117574
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of TONYA L. ALLEN**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 20th** day of **October, 2020.**

TERESA G. ALLEN
8136 CLAIRE ANN DRIVE
#106
ORLANDO, FL 32825

PUBLIC NOTICE #117482
10/25,11/1,8,15

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of VERONICA LARMAN**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 30th** day of **October, 2020.**

CAH'VONNIE LARMAN
4350 JIMMY CARTER BLVD
APT 2009
NORCROSS, GA 30093

PUBLIC NOTICE #117578
11/8,15,22,29

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE IS hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the **Estate of WILMA JEAN JOHNSON**, deceased, late of Newton County, Georgia. You are required to render your demands and/or make payments to the undersigned estate representative according to law. **THIS THE 14th** day of **October, 2020.**

CAROLYN SMITH
130 DIANNE TRAIL
COVINGTON, GA 30016

PUBLIC NOTICE #117484
10/25,11/1,8,15

Foreclosures

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER POWER
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

BY VIRTUE of a Power of Sale contained in that certain Security Deed from **BARBARA M SAMPLES, ROBERT E SAMPLES** to **GENERATION MORTGAGE COMPANY**, dated August 24, 2009, recorded September 4, 2009, in Deed Book 2753, Page 359-378 , Newton County, Georgia Records, said Security Deed having been given to secure a Note of even date in the original principal amount of Four Hundred Fifty-Three Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty and 00/100 dollars (\$453,750.00), with interest thereon as provided for therein, said Security Deed having been last sold, assigned and transferred to Kondaur Capital Corporation, not in its individual capacity but solely in its capacity as Separate Trustee of Matawin Ventures Trust Series 2020-1, there will be sold at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the Newton County Courthouse, within the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in December, 2020, all property described in said Security

Deed including but not limited to the following described property:

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LYING AND BEING IN LAND LOT 247 OF THE 1ST LAND DISTRICT , NEWTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND BEING DESIGNATED AS 2.555 ACRE TRACT ACCORDING TO THE PLAT OF SURVEY PREPARED FOR ROBERT E. SAMPLES AND BARBAR M. SAMPLES BY JOHN ELWIN KNIGHT, GA RLS #1945, DATED SEPTEMBER 28, 2001 AND RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 36, PAGE 252. CLERKS OFFICE, NEWTON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT, WHICH PLAT IS INCORPORATED HEREIN AND MADE PART HEREOF BY THE REFERENCE THERETO FOR A MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY BEING DESCRIBED HEREIN. KNOWN AS 2178 ELKS CLUB ROAD. COVINGTON GEORGIA ACCORDING TO THE CURRENT SYSTEM OF NUMBERING HOUSES IN NEWTON COUNTY, GEORGIA.

SAID LEGAL description being controlling, however the property is more commonly known as **2178 ELKS CLUB ROAD, COVINGTON, GA 30014.**

THE INDEBTEDNESS secured by said Security Deed has been and is hereby declared due because of default under the terms of said Security Deed. The indebtedness remaining in default, this sale will be made for the purpose of paying the same, all expenses of the sale, including attorneys' fees (notice to collect same having been given) and all other payments provided for under the terms of the Security Deed.

SAID PROPERTY will be sold on an "as-is" basis without any representation, warranty or recourse against the above-named or the undersigned. The sale will also be subject to the following items which may affect the title: any outstanding ad valorem taxes (including taxes which are a lien, whether or not now due and payable); the right of redemption of any taxing authority; matters which would be disclosed by an accurate survey or by an inspection of the property; all zoning ordinances; assessments; liens; encumbrances; restrictions; covenants, and any other matters of record superior to said Security Deed.

TO THE best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the owner and party in possession of the property is BARBARA M SAMPLES, ROBERT E SAMPLES, ESTATE AND/OR HEIRS AT LAW OF BARBARA M SAMPLES , ESTATE AND/OR HEIRS AT LAW OF ROBERT E SAMPLES , or tenants(s).

THE SALE will be conducted subject (1) to confirmation that the sale is not prohibited under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code and (2) to final confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the holder of the Security Deed.

PLEASE NOTE that, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 44-14-162.2, you are not entitled by law to an amendment or modification of the terms of your loan. The entity having full authority to negotiate, amend or modify all terms of the loan (although not required by law to do so) is: Kondaur Capital Corp., Loss Mitigation Dept., 333 South Anita Drive, Suite 400, Orange, CA 92868, Telephone Number: 888-566-3287.

KONDAUR CAPITAL CORPORATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY IN ITS CAPACITY AS SEPARATE TRUSTEE OF MATAWIN VENTURES TRUST SERIES 2020-1 **AS ATTORNEY IN Fact** for **BARBARA M SAMPLES, ROBERT E SAMPLES**

THE BELOW LAW FIRM MAY BE HELD TO BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, UNDER FEDERAL LAW. IF SO, ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

ATTORNEY CONTACT: Rubin Lublin, LLC, 3145 Avalon Ridge Place, Suite 100, Peachtree Corners, GA 30071

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (877) 813-0992 Case No. KCP-20-03005-2 **AD RUN** Dates 11/01/2020, 11/08/2020, 11/15/2020, 11/22/2020 **RLSELAW.COM/PROPERTY-LISTING**

PUBLIC NOTICE #117391
11/1,8,15,22</

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USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.
NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
D/B/A MR. COOPER, as Attorney-in-Fact for ANTOINE C TUCKER
ROBERTSON, ANSCHUTZ,
Schneid & Crane LLC 10700 Abbott's Bridge Road Suite 170 Duluth, GA 30097 Phone: 470.321.7112 Firm File No. 20-058849 - AmE
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PUBLIC NOTICE #117485
10/25,11/1,8,15,22,29

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF NEWTON
NOTICE OF SALE UNDER POWER

A DEFAULT having occurred under the terms of the Promissory Note from **NANCY W. WILSON** to **NEWTON FEDERAL BANK** (in the original principal sum of \$142,000.00) dated June 15, 2005 secured by a Deed to Secure Debt of even date therewith recorded in Deed Book 1935, pages 276-280, Newton County Records; and the entire indebtedness having been declared due and payable as therein provided, under the powers contained in said deed and in accordance with the terms thereof, there will be sold on the courthouse steps in said county at public outcry, during the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in December, 2020, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to wit: **TRACT ONE:**
ALL THAT tract or parcel of land lying and being in **Almon District, Newton County, Georgia, on the road leading from Almon to Salem Camp Ground, containing three-quarters (3/4) of an acre, more or less, and measured on the easterly side along said road 170 feet to an iron stake, on the southerly side 160 feet to an iron stake, on the westerly side 243 feet to an iron stake, on the northerly side 220.5 feet to an iron stake and the POINT OF BEGINNING, bounded and described as follows:**
ON THE East by **Salem Camp Groung Road, on the South by the lands of J.B. Flanigan, on the West by the land of S.P. Owens, on the North by Edgar Wallace, being the same property as conveyed in Deed Book 46, page 247, and Deed Book 38, page 259, Newton County, Georgia records.**
TRACT TWO:
ALL THAT tract or parcel of land lying and being in **Land Lot 220 of the Tenth Land District of Newton County, Georgia, and being shown on plat of survey for Nancy Elaine Wallace dated May 12, 1983, prepared by Richard E. Nutt, R.S., and recorded in Plat Book 18, page 88, in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Newton County, Georgia, and being more particularly described as follows:**
BEGIN AT an iron pin located on the **northwestern right-of-way line of Neely-Hammond Road, which iron pin may be located by measuring in a southerly direction along said right-of-way line a distance of 125.05 feet from its intersection with the southerly line of the right-of-way of the Georgia Railroad; thence South 34 degrees 32 minutes West 112.47 feet to an iron pin; thence North 40 degrees 35 minutes West 139 feet to an iron pin; thence North 33 degrees 16 minutes East 73 feet to an iron pin; thence South 57 degrees 04 minutes East 136.0 feet to the iron pin marking the POINT OF BEGINNING.**

NOTICE OF the initiation of this proceeding has been given to **NANCY W. WILSON**, as required by Georgia Laws 1981, p. 834 (O.C.G.A. Section 44-14-162.1 et. seq.).
THIS PROPERTY is being sold as the property of **NANCY W. WILSON** subject to unpaid ad valorem taxes. The proceeds of said sale shall be distributed in accordance with the terms of said Deed to Secure Debt.
NEWTON FEDERAL BANK, AS ATTORNEY-IN-FACT FOR, NANCY W. WILSON
EDGAR LAW Firm
1132 FLOYD Street
COVINGTON, GA 30014

PUBLIC NOTICE #117499
11/8,15,22,29

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF NEWTON
NOTICE OF SALE UNDER POWER

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in that certain Purchase Money First Security Deed from **Eddie L. Embry and Alice L. Embry** to Gadette Company, Inc., recorded in Deed Book 1840, Page 106, Newton County, Georgia Records (hereinafter to as "Security Deed"), as modified and as last assigned to CL45 MW Loan 1, LLC c/o Midwest Properties, LLC, by Assignment of Security Instruments, recorded in Deed Book 3836, Page 288, Newton County, Georgia Records, there will be sold by the undersigned at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse at Newton County, Georgia, within the legal hours of sale on Tuesday, December 1, 2020, the property described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The debts secured by said Security Deed have been and are hereby declared due and payable because of, among other possible events of default, failure to make payments. The debts remaining in default, this sale will be made for the purpose of paying the same and all expenses of this sale, including attorneys' fees.
SAID PROPERTY will be sold subject to any outstanding ad valorem taxes (including taxes which are a lien, but not yet due and payable), any matters which might be disclosed by an accurate survey and inspection of the property, any assessments, liens, encumbrances, zoning ordinances, restrictions, easements, covenants, and matters of record superior to the Security Deed first set out above, including, but not necessarily limited to, senior encumbrances that will not be extinguished by the foreclosure sale contemplated by this Notice.
PLEASE NOTE that CL45 MW Loan 1, LLC is the entity that has full authority to negotiate, amend, and modify all terms of the mortgage,

and that CL45 MW Loan 1, LLC can be contacted through the following representative:

BRENDAN H. Parnell, Esq.
3 0 0
CENTURY Springs West
6000 LAKE Forrest Drive, NW
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30328
4 0 4 - 2 5 2 - 1425

TO THE best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the Party in possession of the property is **Eddie L. Embry and Alice L. Embry** and said property is more commonly known as **35 MATTHEW COURT, COVINGTON, GEORGIA 30016**. However, please rely only on the legal description contained in this notice for the location of the property. The undersigned reserves the right to sell the property, or any part thereof, together in its entirety or in one or more parcels as determined by the undersigned in its sole discretion.
EDDIE L. Embry and Alice L. Embry ATTORNEY IN Fact for CL45 MW Loan 1, LLC
BRENDAN H. Parnell, Esq. QUIRK & Quirk, LLC
300 CENTURY Springs West
6000 LAKE Forrest Drive, NW
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30328 (404) 252-1425

EXHIBIT "A"
LEGAL DESCRIPTION

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LYING AND BEING IN LAND LOTS 19 AND 14 OF THE 10TH DISTRICT OF NEWTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, BEING SHOWN AS LOT 28F OF THE FALLS AT BUTLER BRIDGE, PHASE SIX, ON THAT PLAT OF SURVEY PREPARED BY MARK D. PATRICK, GA RLS #2791, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 37, PAGES 200-206, CLERK'S OFFICE, NEWTON SUPERIOR COURT, WHICH PLAT IS INCORPORATED HEREIN AND MADE A PART HEREOF BY REFERENCE THERETO FOR A MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117506
11/1,8,15,22

Juvenile Court
CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT
NEWTON COUNTY

CIVIL ACTION# SUCV2020000931

JOHANNA ELIZABETH
SALMERON AVALOS PLAINTIFF vs
RAFAEL MORENO LOPEZ NOTICE OF PUBLICATION BY ORDER of the Court service for service by publication dated October 2, 2020, You are hereby notified that on May 4, 2020, the above-named Plaintiff filed suit against you for DECLARATION OF SOLE CUSTODY.

YOU ARE required to file with the Clerk of the Superior Court, and to serve an Answer in writing with 60 days upon the Plaintiff's attorney whose name and address is:

WILLIAM A. Matos
ATTORNEY AT Law
797 MILLER Run
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30349

WITNESS THE Honorable Layla H. Zon, Judge of the Newton County Superior Court. This the **2ND DAY** of October 2, 2020

LINDA D. Hays
CLERK OF Newton County Superior Court

PUBLIC NOTICE #117453
10/25,11/1,8,15

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF MORGAN COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE INTEREST OF:
B.C. SEX: M AGE: 3
DOB: 11/30/2016
CASE#: 2020-104J-071
CHILD UNDER 18 Years of Age

NOTICE OF SUMMONS & EFFECT OF TERMINATION JUDGMENT

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN and Lyndy Clark: **GEORGIA LAW**

provides that you can permanently lose your rights as a parent. A petition to terminate parental rights has been filed requesting the court to terminate your parental rights to your child. A court hearing for your case has been scheduled for the 7th day of December, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., at the Putnam County Courthouse, Eatonton, Georgia. A copy of the petition may be obtained by the parents from the Clerk of the Juvenile Court at Morgan County Courthouse, Monroe, Georgia, during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 9:00 o'clock am until 5:00 o'clock p.m., exclusive of holidays. A free copy shall be available to the parent. Upon request, the copy will be mailed to the requester – parents or alleged parents only. The allegations concern your failure to comply with your reunification case plan, abandonment, and failure to address dependency issues affecting your child.
IF YOU fail to appear, the court can terminate your rights in your absence. If the court at the trial finds that the facts set out in the petition to terminate parental rights are true and that termination of your rights will serve the best interest of your child, the court can enter a judgment ending the rights to your child. If the judgment terminates your parental rights, you will no longer have any rights to your child. This means that you will not have the right to visit, contact, or have custody of your child or make any decisions affecting your child or your child's earnings of property. Your child will be legally freed to be adopted by someone else. Even if your parental rights are terminated: (1) You will still be responsible for providing financial support (child support payments) for your child's care unless and until your child is adopted; and (2) Your child can still inherit from you unless and until your child is adopted.
THIS IS a very serious matter. You should contact an attorney immediately so that you can be prepared for the court hearing. You have the right to hire an attorney and have him or her represent you. If you

cannot afford to hire and attorney, the court will appoint an attorney if the court finds that you are an indigent person. Whether or not you decide to hire an attorney, you have the right to attend the hearing in your case, to call witnesses on your behalf, and to question those witnesses brought against you.
IF YOU have any questions concerning this notice, you may call the telephone of the clerk's office which is (706) 342-3605.
WITNESS THE HONORABLE KELLI C. RUTHERFORD, Judge of said Juvenile Court.

THIS 14TH day of October, 2020.
/S/ JODY M. Higdon CLERK,
JUVENILE COURT OF MORGAN COUNTY, GEORGIA
PREPARED BY:
LEE R. Moss
SPECIAL ASSISTANT Attorney General
288 SOUTH Main Street
MADISON, Georgia 30650
TEL: (706) 707-8500
FAX: (706) 342-0447

PUBLIC NOTICE #117460
10/25,11/1,8,15

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF NEWTON COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE INTEREST OF:
J.S. SEX: Male
CHILD(REN) UNDER 18 Years of Age

DOB: 04/13/2018 CASE #107-20J-0415

SUMMONS

TO: JENNY STEWART, mother; **RICK CLARK,** putative-father; **HENRY DRISCOLL,** putative father; **JOHN DOE,** and any unknown, unnamed biological father or other persons claiming to have a parental interest in the minor child named above born to **JENNY STEWART** on the date above-listed.

A PETITION to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed in this Court on October 26, 2020, by the Georgia Department of Human Services, by and through the Newton County Department of Family and Children Services, concerning the above child(ren). In accordance with O.C.G.A.
\$15-11-281, YOU are hereby notified that this proceeding and the hearing(s) specified herein is/ are for the purpose of terminating your parental rights and to place permanent custody of said child(ren) with the Georgia Department of Human Services, by and through the Newton County Department of Family and Children Services, pending adoption. The Court shall mail a copy of said Petition to the last known address of the above-named parent(s) within fifteen (15) days of filing the Order of Service by Publication. This is a summons requiring you to be in Court. If you fail to come to court as required, you may be held in contempt of court and punished accordingly.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, the party(ies) named above, are commanded to be and appear on the date and time stated below, and to remain in attendance from hour to hour, day to day, month to month, year to year, and time to time, as said case may be continued, and until discharged from the Court, and you are commanded to lay any and all business aside and to be and appear in said Court at the time and place below stated, each of you then and there to make defense thereto and to show cause why the said child(ren) and all parties named herein should not be dealt with according to the provisions of the law.

NOTICE OF EFFECT OF TERMINATION JUDGMENT

GEORGIA LAW provides that you can permanently lose your rights as a parent. A Petition to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed requesting the Court to terminate your parental rights to your child(ren). A copy of said Petition to Terminate Parental Rights can be obtained from the Clerk of the Newton County Juvenile Court. A Court hearing of your case has been scheduled for the 21st day of January, 2021, at 2:00 p.m., at the Newton County Juvenile Court, Newton County Judicial Center, 1132 Usher Street, NW, Covington, Georgia 30014.

IF YOU fail to appear, the Court can terminate your rights in your absence.

IF THE Court at the trial finds that the facts set out in the Petition to Terminate Parental Rights are true and that termination of your rights will serve the best interests of your child(ren), the Court can enter a judgment ending your rights to your child(ren).

IF THE judgment terminates your parental rights, you will no longer have any rights to your child(ren). This means that you will not have the right to visit, contact, or have custody of your child or make any decisions affecting your child or your child's earnings or property. Your child(ren) will be legally freed to be adopted by someone else.

EVEN IF your parental rights are terminated:

- (1) **YOU** will still be responsible for providing financial support (child support payments) for your child(ren)'s care unless and until your child(ren) is/are adopted; and
- (2) **YOUR** child(ren) can still inherit from you unless and until your child(ren) is/are adopted.

PURSUANT TO statute, you are put on notice that as a biological father you may lose all rights to your child(ren) named above and will not be entitled to object to the termination of your rights to such child(ren) unless, within 30 days of receipt of notice, you file:

(1) **A** petition to legitimate such child(ren); and

(2) **NOTICE** of the filing of the petition to legitimate with the Court in which the termination of parental

rights proceedings is pending.

THIS IS a very serious matter. A party is entitled to an attorney in the proceedings. You should contact an attorney immediately so that you can be prepared for the court hearing. You have the right to hire an attorney and to have him or her represent you. If you cannot afford to hire an attorney, the Court will appoint an attorney if the Court finds that you are an indigent person. Whether or not you decide to hire an attorney, you have the right to attend the hearing of your case, to call witnesses on your behalf, and to question those witnesses brought against you.

IF YOU have any questions concerning this notice, you may call the telephone number of the clerk's office which is 770-784-2060.

THIS IS a summons requiring you to be in Court. If you fail to come to court as required, you may be held in contempt of court and punished accordingly.

WITNESS THE Honorable Jenny S. Carter, Judge of said Court, this 29th day of October, 2020.

JANELL GAINES, Clerk
JUVENILE COURT of Newton County, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117530
11/8,15,22,29

Name Changes
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NEWTON, STATE OF GEORGIA

IN RE:
PETITION OF
BENNE JEAN GILKEY
CIVIL ACTION FILE NUMBER:
2020-CV-1900-4

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

TO ANY AND ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

GREETINGS:

NOTICE IS hereby given that, **BENNE JEAN GILKEY** filed his Petition in the Superior Court of Newton County, Georgia on the **SEPTEMBER 18, 2020** requesting to change his name from **BENNE JEAN GILKEY** to **BENNA LAJEAN GILKEY**. Notice is hereby given pursuant to law to any interested or affected party to appear in the Superior Court of Newton County and to file objections to said name change. Objections must be in writing and filed with the Clerk, Newton Superior Court within thirty (30) days of the filing of said Petition.

THIS 25TH day of September, 2020 **RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,**
SHARON L. Barksdale
ATTORNEY FOR Petitioner
GEORGIA BAR No. 037981
P.O. BOX 81084
CONYERS, GA 30013
PHONE: (770) 760-9383
FAX: (770) 760-1629
EMAIL: SLBATTY@BELLSOUTH.NET

PUBLIC NOTICE #117390
10/14,21,28,11/5

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEWTON COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

IN RE the Name Change of: **ALVIAN G. MANNING**
PETITIONER
CIVIL ACTION File Number:
2020-CV-2144-4

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME OF ADULT

ALVIAN GARY MANNING filed a petition in the Newton County Superior Court on **October 21, 2020** to change the name from **ALVIAN GARY MANNING** to **ALBERT GARY MADDOX**. Any interested party has the right to appear in this case and file objections within 30 days after Petition was filed.

DATED OCTOBER 21, 2020

ALVIAN GARY MANNING
3400 SALAM ROAD 151-A
COVINGTON, GA 30016

NOTICE #117498
11/1,8

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEWTON COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

IN RE the Name Change of: **JAN DELORES BLANCHARD**
PETITIONER
CIVIL ACTION File Number:
2020-CV-2020-2

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME OF ADULT

JAN DELORES BLANCHARD filed a petition in the Newton County Superior Court on **October 6, 2020** to change the name from **JAN DELORES BLANCHARD** to **ALEXANDRIA GEORGIA BLANCHARD**. Any interested party has the right to appear in this case and file objections within 30 days after Petition was filed.

DATED OCTOBER 6, 2020

JAN DELORES Blanchard
70 MOORES Lane
OXFORD, GA 30054

NOTICE #117429
10/18,25,11/1,8

Notice of Proceedings
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEWTON COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA

MARY MOUAMMAR, PLAINTIFF
V.
AMANDA BROOKE CLARK, DEFENDANT

CIVIL ACTION File #
SUCV2020001315

NOTICE OF SUMMONS- SERVICE

BY PUBLICATION

TO: AMANDA BROOKE CLARK,
Defendant Named Above.

YOU ARE hereby notified that the above-styled action seeking monetary damages was filed against you in said Court on July 7, 2020, and that by reason of an Order for Service by Publication entered by the Court on October 13, 2020, you are hereby commanded and required to file with the Clerk of said Court and serve upon counsel for the Plaintiff, whose address is 1820 The Exchange SE, Suite 300, Atlanta, Georgia 30339, an Answer to the Complaint within sixty (60) days of the date of the Order for Service by Publication. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

WITNESS THE Honorable W. Kendall Wynne, Jr., Judge of said Court. This the 14th day of October, 2020.

CLERK OF Superior Court
NEWTON COUNTY, Georgia

PUBLIC NOTICE #117469
10/25,11/1,8,15

Public Notice

NOTICE IS hereby given that at 6:30 p.m. on November 2, 2020 at 2116 Stallings Street, Covington, Georgia the Mayor and Council of the City of Covington, Georgia, shall provide for a hearing on the passage of an ordinance entitled:

“AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON, GEORGIA, TO AMEND THE COVINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE, ENACTED AND ADOPTED ON THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2001, AS AMENDED BY PREVIOUS AMENDMENTS, TO ALTER CERTAIN PROVISION OF TITLE 5 OF THE SAID CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADOPTING CHAPTER 5.44 (MOBILE FOOD VENDORS) THERETO, TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”
A COPY of said proposed ordinance is posted on the bulletin board at the City Hall, 2194 Emory Street, Covington, Georgia.
THIS 3RD day of November, 2020.

THE CITY OF COVINGTON
AUDRA M. Gutierrez
CITY CLERK

PUBLIC NOTICE #117553
11/8

Public Sales Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION
NOTICE OF SALE

BUDGET SELF Storage of Covington, pursuant to the Georgia Self Storage Act, 10-4-213, shall conduct a public sale of the following units at 6217 Highway 278 NE, Covington, GA 30014; 770-787-0900; after 1 p.m. on Tuesday, August 25th, 2020. All bids will be accepted online through www.storageauctions.com. Budget Self Storage of Covington reserves the right to withdraw units from such sale and reject any bid. Terms of sale are cash or money order only. The following unit will be sold:

- **F39** Amos Camp: The unit appears to contain couch, boxes, stereo, clothing, shoes, table, TV, and bedding
- **G42** Thadeus Richardson: This unit appears to contain spare tire, toys, and book bags.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117514
11/1,8

THE CITY of Covington will be putting up for auction to the highest responsible bidder the following...
39 – Pistols, 11- Revolvers, 1-Rifle, 2-Shotguns

THESE are seized weapons NOT law enforcement duty weapons. As is, No warranty

ONLY FFL LICENSED DEALERS ARE PERMITTED TO BID
ALL QUESTIONS CONTACT **JOE MOBLEY** AT 678-625-5559 OR joe.mobley@covingtonpolice.com

THE AUCTION will end on **Monday, November 23, 2020**. All FFL Licensed Dealers may place a bid at any time through the end of the auction by accessing GovDeals auction website at www.govdeals.com.

TERMS AND Conditions

GUARANTY WAIVER. All assets are offered for sale "AS IS, WHERE IS." City of Covington (Seller) makes no warranty, guaranty or representation of any kind, expressed or implied, as to the merchantability or fitness for any purpose of the property offered for sale. The Buyer is not entitled to any payment from the seller for loss of profit or any other money damages – special, direct, indirect or consequential.

DESCRIPTION WARRANTY. Seller warrants to the Buyer the property offered for sale will conform to its description. Any claim for misdescription must be made prior to removal of the property. If Seller confirms the property does not conform to the description, Seller will keep the property and refund any money paid. The liability of the Seller shall not exceed the actual purchase price of the property. Please note upon removal of the property, all sales are final.
PERSONAL AND property risk. Persons attending during exhibition, sale or removal of goods assume all risks of damage of or loss to person and property and specifically release the seller and GovDeals from liability therefore.
INSPECTION. DUE to COVID-19 and security reasons, we will not be allowing inspections of the firearms
CONSIDERATION OF Bid. City of Covington (Seller) reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to withdraw from sale any of the assets listed, and to waive formalities for any bids.

BUYER'S CERTIFICATE. Successful bidders will receive a Buyer's Certificate by email from GovDeals.
***PAYMENT. PAYMENT** in full is due not later than 5 business days from

the time and date of the Buyer's Certificate. Acceptable forms of payment are:

- **U. S. Currency**
- **CERTIFIED** Cashiers Check
- **MONEY** Order
- **CONFIRMED** Wire Transfer
- **COMPANY** Check (with Bank Letter guaranteeing funds – mandatory)

CHECKS SHALL be made payable to: City of Covington. Payments shall be made at the location listed in the Buyer's Certificate.

REMOVAL. ALL assets must be removed within ten (10) business days from the time and date of issuance of the Buyer's Certificate. Purchases will be released only upon receipt of payment as specified. Successful bidders are responsible for loading and removal of any and all property awarded to them from the place where the property is located as indicated on the website and in the Buyer's Certificate. The Buyer will make all arrangements and perform all work necessary, including packing, loading and transportation of the property. Under no circumstances will Seller assume responsibility for packing, loading or shipping. See instructions on each asset page for removal details. A daily storage fee of \$10.00 may be charged for any item not removed within the ten (10) business days allowed and stated on the Buyer's Certificate.

VEHICLE TITLES. Seller will issue a title or certificate upon receipt of payment. Titles may be subject to restrictions as indicated in the asset description on the website.

DEFAULT. DEFAULT shall include: (1) failure to observe these terms and conditions; (2) failure to make good and timely payment; or (3) failure to remove all assets within the specified time. Default may result in termination of the contract and suspension from participation in all future sales until the default has been cured. If the Buyer fails in the performance of their obligations, Seller may exercise such rights and may pursue such remedies as are provided by law. Seller reserves the right to reclaim and resell all items not removed by the specified removal date.

ACCEPTANCE OF Terms and Conditions. By submitting a bid, the bidder agrees they have read, fully understand and accept these Terms and Conditions, and agree to pay for and remove the property, by the dates and times specified. These Terms and Conditions are displayed at the top of each page of each asset listed on GovDeals. Special Instructions appearing on the asset page will override certain sections of the terms and conditions.

STATE/LOCAL SALES and/or Use Tax. Buyers may be subject to payment of State and/or local sales and/or use tax. Buyers are responsible for contacting seller or the appropriate tax office, completing any forms and

ALCOVY:

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Walton County until Wednesday, Bryant chose to concede as McGinley's lead was determined insurmountable.

"I am proud of the campaign I ran, and I know I represented a strong base in the community who are truly ready for change," Bryant told *The Covington News* after the unofficial results were tallied. "Congratulations to Mr. McGinley."

McGinley came away with 19,655 Election Day votes, 11,107 absentee-by-mail votes and 30,546 early votes. Bryant received 8,984 Election Day votes, 14,114 absentee-by-mail votes and 18,457 early votes.

In Newton County, Bryant carried 12 of 222 precincts, including City Pond, Town, Almon, Covington Mills, Cedar Shoals, Livingston, Downs, Beaverdam, Buck Creek, Stansells, Fairview and Crowell.

"I want to thank all those that supported our campaign in both Newton and Walton counties," McGinley said. "We worked so hard to not only get the word out about our campaign, but also to keep two wonderful offices running during a pandemic and a judicial emergency. I look forward to continuing to serve all those in our communities in the future. I also want to commend Mrs. Bryant on the campaign she ran in both counties."

McGinley is currently the interim district attorney for the Alcovy Judicial Circuit. He worked as a real estate appraiser before entering law school at Mercer University in 2008.



Mason Wittner | The Covington News
Destiny Bryant speaks at the Newton County Democrats' "victory party" on election night. She came up short in the race for Alcovy Judicial Circuit District Attorney.

McGinley is currently the interim district attorney for the Alcovy Judicial Circuit. He worked as a real estate appraiser before entering law school at Mercer University in 2008.

He joined the Newton County District Attorney's Office in 2011 and has since served in the Walton County office.

McGinley was appointed chief assistant district attorney by former District Attorney Layla Zon in 2017 after Melanie Bell was elected Newton County Probate Court Judge.

Other state level race results included:

State Senate, 17th District

Brian Strickland (R) (i) had 50.97% of the total vote.

Kelly Rose (D) had 49.03% of the total vote.

State Senate, 43rd District

Melanie Williams (R) had 22.52% of the total vote.

Tonya P. Anderson (D) (i) had 77.48% of the total vote.

State Representative in the General Assembly,

109th District

Dale Rutledge (R) (i) had 48.2% of the total vote.

Regina Lewis-Ward (D) had 51.8% of the total vote.

State Representative in the General Assembly, 110th District

Clint Crowe (R) had 55.85% of the total vote.

Ebony Carter (D) had 44.15% of the total vote.

State Representative in the General Assembly, 112th District

Dave Belton (R) (i) ran unopposed. He received 26,069 total votes from Newton and Morgan County.

State Representative in the General Assembly, 113th District

Sharon Henderson (D) ran unopposed. She received 23,716 total votes from Newton and

Rockdale counties.

Public Service Commission District 1

Jason Shaw (R) (i) had 50.22% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Robert G. Bryant (D) had 46.13% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Elizabeth Melton (L) had 3.65% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Public Service Commission District 4

Lauren Bubba McDonald Jr. (R) (i) had 50.01% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Daniel Blackman (D) had 46.87% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Nathan Wilson (L) had 3.11% of votes from across the state of Georgia.

Results are unofficial and may not include all absentee ballots and provisional ballots.

LEGALS:

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2020.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117538
11/8,15

TRADE NAME REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

TO WHOM It may Concern:
PLEASE BE advised that **PORTIA LEA RILEY**, whose address is 55 S. GREENFIELD CIRCLE, COVINGTON, GA 30016 is the owner(s) of the certain business now being carried on at 55 S. GREENFIELD CIRCLE, COVINGTON, GA 30016 in the following trade name, to-wit: **P.L. RILEY VOICEOVER**; and that the nature of said business is: VOICEOVER/VOICE ACTING.

THIS STATEMENT is made in conformity with O.C.G.A. §10-1-490 et seq. requiring the filing of such statement with the Clerk of Superior Court of this county.

THIS THE 27th day of October, 2020.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117500
11/1,8

TRADE NAME REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

TO WHOM It may Concern:
PLEASE BE advised that **RCM MEDIA PRODUCTIONS**, whose address is 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 is the owner(s) of the certain business now being carried on at 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 in the following trade name, to-wit: "THE MIC" MUSIC'S INSPIRATION CELEBRATION; and that the nature of said business is: CONCERT.

THIS STATEMENT is made in conformity with O.C.G.A. §10-1-490 et seq. requiring the filing of such statement with the Clerk of Superior Court of this county.

THIS THE 28th day of October, 2020.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117517
11/1,8

TRADE NAME REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

TO WHOM It may Concern:
PLEASE BE advised that **RCM MEDIA PRODUCTIONS**, whose address is 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 is the owner(s) of the certain business now being carried on at 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 in the following trade name, to-wit: ALL-STAR FAITH AWARDS; and that the nature of said business is: CONCERT.

THIS STATEMENT is made in conformity with O.C.G.A. §10-1-490 et seq. requiring the filing of such statement with the Clerk of Superior Court of this county.

THIS THE 28th day of October, 2020.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117516
11/1,8

TRADE NAME REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

TO WHOM It may Concern:
PLEASE BE advised that **RCM MEDIA PRODUCTIONS**, whose address is 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 is the owner(s) of the certain business now

being carried on at 290 WISTERIA BLVD, COVINGTON, GA 30016 in the following trade name, to-wit: ALL-STAR GOSPEL CELEBRATION; and that the nature of said business is: CONCERT.

THIS STATEMENT is made in conformity with O.C.G.A. §10-1-490 et seq. requiring the filing of such statement with the Clerk of Superior Court of this county.

THIS THE 28th day of October, 2020.

PUBLIC NOTICE #117520
11/1,8

TRADE NAME REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
GEORGIA, NEWTON COUNTY

TO WHOM It may Concern:
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In conjunction with the city manager and department directors, City of Covington Human Resources helped host a “Work Glove Lunch” on Tuesday, Oct. 20, to serve lunch to crews in the Utilities and Public Works departments. The “Work Glove Lunch” was held to show appreciation to a group of employees with tough jobs and long hours.

Covington YMCA to offer flag football, other sports soon

City commits \$25,000 to concert series with Newton County Arts Association

By TAYLOR BECK
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COVINGTON, Ga. — There will be more to do in Covington after the city council recently agreed to partnerships with the YMCA and Newton County Arts Association for new sports programs and a concert series for 2021.

MORE SPORTS AT THE Y

During its regular meeting Monday, the council unanimously approved an agreement to partner with the Covington Family YMCA, allowing the organization to use Legion Field, Central Park and other city property for new recreational activities.

In a letter to the city, Covington Family YMCA Executive Director Louly Hay-Kapp said the plan was to introduce flag football, whiffle ball, kickball and volleyball to the Newton County area — all currently nonexistent programs — in the coming months.

“One, it would be great for the community,” Covington Community Devel-

opment Director Trey Sanders said during the meeting, “which is something we hear often that we need — which is things for (young) adults to do. Two, it’s an economic development driver, because now we can pull folks from neighboring areas to Covington to participate in. Flag football is a great example because it’s not offered close to here.”

As part of the agreement, Hay-Kapp said the Y would operate and manage all programs, provide necessary equipment, officials and CPR/First Aid trained staff for practices and games. It would also offer childcare during the proposed adult sporting activities and offer financial assistance to make program participation available for everyone.

The only expense the city would incur is maintaining the parks or making upgrades to the parks — if the city elected to do so, Sanders said.

The Y also requested assistance from the city in marketing its programs, and “in return” would help pro-

mote city events through the Y’s social media and other outlets.

The Covington Family YMCA was established in 1982, offering youth sports, reading programs and adult fitness for decades. Its facility, built in 2000 through partnership with the city, is located at 2140 Newton Drive in Covington.

CITY HELPS FUND 2021 CONCERT SERIES

The council unanimously pledged \$25,000 from the Economic Development Budget to the Newton County Arts Association for a concert series in 2021, including eight “lunch concerts” at the Covington Square in May and October, and four concerts at Legion Field in June, August, September and October. The estimated total cost of the concerts is \$48,720.

As part of the agreement, the Arts Association will not only receive \$25,000 to help fund the series but also have access to city properties for concerts, be provided necessary staffing to host the concerts and be provided

marketing assistance.

The Arts Association’s proposed 2021 concert schedule is as follows:

- March – Jazz on the Square, featuring Newton High Jazz Band and Motion Dance Ensemble
 - May – Each Thursday at noon in May, the Arts Association will host an hour-long family-friendly concert at the Square.
 - June – Second Friday night concert at Legion Field
 - August – Second Friday night concert at Legion Field
 - September – Second Friday night concert at Legion Field
 - October – Second Friday night concert at Legion Field
 - October – Each Thursday at noon in May, the Arts Association will host an hour-long family-friendly concert at the Square.
- By partnering with the Arts Association, Sanders said the city would have a say in which acts are chosen for each concert.

Newton BOC votes against backing \$16M for new industrial park

By TOM SPIGOLON
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COVINGTON, Ga. — County commissioners on Wednesday, Nov. 4, voted against backing more than \$16 million in bonds for purchase and development of an industrial park near a rapidly developing area in the county’s northeast corner.

Commissioners said they could not support the county government guaranteeing repayment of \$16.1 million in bonds for what some said was a speculative venture.

The bonds would have allowed the Newton County Industrial Development Authority to buy and develop a 305-acre site at I-20 and U.S. Hwy. 278 for a new industrial park called Stanton Grove.

The commissioners’ 4-1 vote to deny an intergovernmental contract with the Industrial Development Authority came after the Authority voted earlier Wednesday to approve issuing non-taxable revenue

bonds which a bank requested they ask the county government to guarantee repayment.

Serra Hall, vice president of project development for the Authority, told commissioners the agency’s purchase of the site would allow it to control the type and quality of development in the park, which fronts the north side of I-20 at Exit 101.

She said the agency works to recruit certain types of manufacturing and non-polluting companies and does not actively seek such projects as distribution centers. Another owner would be free to bring any type of development it wanted to the site, she said.

Hall said Stanton Grove was planned to complement the type of development now in nearby Stanton Springs, which has attracted companies like Facebook and emphasizes such features as its appearance and infrastructure to recruit biomedical and data-driven

companies.

Commissioner Demond Mason said the county needed to encourage economic development if it wanted to recruit companies that would help take the tax burden off residential property owners to fund services.

However, other commissioners said the land was overpriced and was too much of a risk to take on in a currently uncertain economic climate.

Commissioner Nancy Schulz said she agreed with Mason about the need for economic development but saw the county government “co-signing the loan” as being a risk she did not favor for taxpayers.

“This is a very vulnerable time,” Schulz said. “We don’t know what’s going to happen in the next three months.”

A separate agreement would have required the Authority to use funds it now has in reserve and money from future property sales in

Stanton Grove to pay back the bonds, officials said.

The agreement stated the county would begin repaying the bonds only if the Authority’s cash reserves dwindle to \$100,000, said attorney Frank Turner Jr.

The Authority has held a purchase option on the site for about three years. Turner told commissioners it is set to expire in December.

An entity separate from the Industrial Development Authority — called the Joint Development Authority of Jasper, Morgan, Newton and Walton Counties — owns, manages and markets the 1,600-acre Stanton Springs park that includes Takeida Pharmaceutical Co. and a Facebook data center slated for completion in 2021.

Facebook is planning three additional buildings for the data center by 2023 to bring its investment in Stanton Springs to about \$1.5 billion.

CORONER:

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Bailey-Butts said she would be the county’s first Black coroner when she takes office Jan. 1.

She is a registered nurse and businesswoman and publicly cited her experience in the medical field as a reason for supporting her candidacy.

Soon after her Tuesday victory, she said on her Facebook page, “What a journey!”

“Today we made history. Today we made a change. I am grateful to all the people who supported and believed in me all the way.

“To my husband, thank you for all the support. To my children, thank you for inspiring me to be the best person I can be. To my mother, thank you for making me who I am today.

“To all my friends who supported, shared, and helped me in this journey, thank you! To all the people who believed and voted for me, thank you very much from the bottom of my heart! I cannot thank each and every one of you but know that I am very grateful. God bless Newton County!”

Davis, a Republican, was seeking a fourth term in the job after his first election in 2008.

Bailey-Butts, a Democrat who lost a bid for the office to Davis in 2016, won this time with majorities in half of the county’s 22 precincts. She earned 27,995 votes and Davis received 25,253.

Davis earned substantially more Election Day in-person votes than his opponent, but Bailey-Butts won many more absentee and advance votes in the race.

She also won in all the Newton County precincts carried by Democratic presidential candidate Joe Biden except for Covington Mills.

Davis received 52% of votes cast at Covington Mills to win a precinct Biden carried with 53%.

The loss likely will end Davis’ 17 years of service in the Newton County coroner’s office.

Davis, who also is a Covington funeral director, served as a deputy coroner for five years before his election in 2008.

He said on his Facebook page, “I would like to thank everyone who voted for me and supported me during this election and throughout my career with the coroner’s office.

“I have made more friends than I could have ever imagined and for that I am truly blessed.

“We have fallen a little short in this election and this will be my last year as your coroner but I am forever grateful to so many people that it would be impossible to begin to list them here.

“God is in control and has blessed me my entire life and for that I am grateful.

“I have been in the funeral business for 37 years and have owned J.C. Harwell and Son Funeral Home for almost 10 years now. I will continue to serve those in need through my business. J.C. Harwell has always had a motto, ‘Dependable Friends in Time of Need’ and that’s exactly the motto we will continue on with.

“Thank you again to all my friends, supporters, and most importantly my family for standing with me during my 17 years with the coroner’s office.”



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Mill Creek Hawks 31, Newton Rams 0

Rams struggle in shutout at Mill Creek

By MASON WITTNER
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HOSCHTON, Ga. — Sometimes it’s just not your night. That proved to be the case for Newton on Friday when it went on the road to face Mill Creek in a non-region contest at Markham Field. Despite being granted numerous opportunities to cash in points, the Rams failed to capitalize as the offense was blanked in a 31-0 defeat.

The Hawks out-gained Newton 240 yards to 117 yards in total offense. The Rams’ defense settled in late, surrendering just 84 yards in the second half, but the club was unable to provide enough offense to make up ground after carrying a 24-0 deficit into the locker room.

Newton head coach Camiel Grant Jr. was visibly upset following the loss. Asked about his message to his team, he didn’t pull any punches.

“The first thing they’re going to have to understand is how upset I am with their effort,” Grant said. “That’s not the brand of football that we’re trying to play here at Newton. That was just poor. I’m extremely disappointed in that.”

Grant praised his defense for rebounding after a rocky opening quarter but pleaded for a quicker wake-up call. As for his offense, he didn’t mince words when lamenting the production of the unit.

“We played poorly on offense from every position. They had a better effort than us,” Grant said. “They got off the ball, they pushed us around. We made poor reads. We made poor decisions with the football. They completely outplayed us on that side of the ball. No questions about it.”

Newton’s offensive woes began less than



Anthony Banks | The News
Newton’s Romeo Carson (4) runs for yardage against the Mill Creek defense.

two minutes into regulation.

On the Rams’ first drive of the night, junior quarterback Jevarra Martin Jr. lobbed a pass into coverage in a third-and-long situation. Mill Creek sophomore Caleb Downs pulled it down for an interception and raced up the right side of the field for 29-yard touchdown, putting the Hawks up 7-0.

After promptly forcing a punt, Mill Creek’s offense went straight to work. The Hawks’ first possession ended with points as sophomore quarterback Hayden Clark connected with fullback Christian McIntyre, who trucked defends on his way to a 21-yard touchdown. Mill Creek held a 14-0 lead at the 4:50 mark.

A 30-yard field goal off the foot of senior Brock Pellegrino stretched the Hawks’ advantage out to 17-0 with less than a minute remaining in the first quarter. On Mill Creek’s first play from scrimmage in the second quarter, senior running back Joshua Battle tightroped the left sideline for a 17-yard touchdown.

Newton would take the 24-0 deficit into halftime.

Mill Creek’s final points of the night came with 5:25 left in the fourth quarter, when junior Donavan Journey scored with easy on a 9-yard rush.

Alcovy Homecoming King and Queen



Taylor Beck | The Covington News

Courtney Hood (left) and Caedan Sanders (right) were named Alcovy High School’s Homecoming Queen and King, respectively, during tonight’s football game against Lakeside.

Eastside Eagles 27, Jackson County Panthers 0

Eagles pitch shutout against Panthers

By MASON WITTNER
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COVINGTON, Ga. — Thursday night continues to be kind to Eastside.

The Eagles dominated every phase of the game against visiting Jackson County at Sharp Stadium, rolling to a 27-0 victory. They’re now 2-0 this season when playing on Thursday night and have won six straight Thursday games dating back to the start of the 2018 campaign.

With the win, Eastside improved to 6-2 on the year and 4-1 in Region 8-AAAAA.

The offense bounced back tremendously from a sluggish, seven-point showing against Loganville two weeks ago. However, it was the defensive unit who ultimately stole the show as the team pitched its first shutout since collecting a 42-0 win over Druid Hills on Oct. 25, 2019.

“Shutting somebody out is tough. It doesn’t happen a lot, so anytime you do, it’s a great job,” Eastside head coach Troy Hoff said. “The way our defense finished two weeks ago, and then came out tonight, they’re dialed in. The defensive coaching staff did a great job and the kids are playing hard out there.

“They’re running to the ball, they’re playing physical and they’re having fun as a unit.”

Eastside’s fun began early in opening quarter. The game’s first points came on a red zone touchdown connection between senior quarterback Jaylen Woods and junior tight end Cole Shannon. The score gave the Eagles a 7-0 lead at the 5:40 mark.

Early in the second quarter, Eastside elected to go for it on fourth and goal inside the 1-yard line. Senior running back Sincere Johnson took a direct snap in the backfield and powered his way into the end zone for a touchdown, doubling the lead to



Mason Wittner | The Covington News

Junior running back Dallas Johnson (3) and the Eastside Eagles retained the No. 2 spot in Region 8-AAAAA with a blowout victory over Jackson County.

14-0.

Junior Jaydon Fain gave the Eagles more cushion just before the half by drilling a 38-yard field goal to make it 17-0.

Neither team managed to cap off a drive with points in the third quarter. Midway through the fourth, Fain lined up for another field goal and came through successful once more, this time nailing it from 43 yards out.

Eastside’s final score of the night was another passing touchdown from Woods to Shannon. Woods was injured on the play, but later walked off the field under his own power and is expected to make a recovery, according to Hoff.

Woods made his 2020 debut Thursday, having missed the team’s first seven games due to a leg injury he sustained prior to the season opener.

The Eagles were forced to air the ball out more than they might’ve liked — the coaching

staff admittedly hoped to lighten Woods’ load as he eased back into his role — but the senior produced a gutsy performance nonetheless.

“Getting Jaylen back on the field was huge,” Hoff said. “His first action, so the catch 22 is you’re going into a game where you know you have to throw it a lot with a guy who hasn’t played this year. But I thought they handled it pretty well.”

Eastside will play its final home game of the regular season next Friday, Nov. 13, against Walnut Grove. The Eagles will then go back out on the road to close out the year against Greenbrier on Friday, Nov. 20.

“We’ve got to finish,” Hoff said. “There’s definitely a lot we’ve got to get better at. Walnut Grove has been playing better football as the season’s gone along, and then we’ve got a long road trip to end the year. We’ve just got to take care of our business and finish the deal.”

Commerce Tigers 48, Social Circle Redskins 22

Redskins lose region battle against Commerce

By MICHAEL PITTS
Correspondent

SOCIAL CIRCLE, Ga. — The Redskins’ offense had a resurgent second half effort, but it was not enough to topple the Commerce Tigers, losing 48-22.

It was a tale of two halves for Social Circle. The Redskins were plagued by their inability to finish drives early, but their second half performance showed signs of promise going forward.

“That was the best offensive performance we’ve had all year,” Redskin head coach Rob Patton said after the game.

Quarterback Logan Cross went 26-for-36 with 269 yards through the air and one touchdown pass. He distributed the ball to nine different receivers during the game, including four passes to receiving yardage leader K.J. Reid.

But the highlight of the Redskins offense was getting star running back Amarion Russell to return from injury.

“He was a big difference-maker for us,” Patton said. “Getting him back in the lineup is a money-maker for us.”

Russell proved to be the focal point of the Social Circle offensive gameplan and scored all three Redskin touchdowns on the night. He also eclipsed 100 yards rushing on only 16 carries.

Social Circle scored on their



Brett Fowler | The Walton Tribune

A resurgent second half performance wasn’t enough to push the Redskins past region foe Commerce on Friday.

first three possessions of the second half, which ended up being their only three scores of the game.

While the offense had their best game of the 2020 season, the same cannot be said for the struggling defense, which allowed a score on every possession apart from the final drive that ended the game.

Patton took the blame for how the defense performed against the explosive Tiger offense.

“Defensively, we struggled tonight,” Patton said. “We had a

confusing gameplan and that is 100% on me.”

Commerce only saw one fourth down the entire evening, and scored a 34-yard touchdown pass on that fourth down.

The Tigers also notched 14 first downs in the game, 10 of which came in the first half.

The Redskins will look to build off the offensive performance and salvage their 2020 campaign next Friday, Nov. 13, on the road against region foe Towns County.

POUNCE:

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As the momentum began to grow in the third quarter, the Tigers got their third turnover as senior defensive back Malik Goodson intercepted a Lakeside pass.

The Tigers did not slow down. Evans went to the air again and connected with Height on a

44-yard pass to put the Tigers on the one-yard line.

Evans scored his second rushing touchdown of the night later in the series to end the third quarter scoring barrage, but by then the damage was already done as the Tigers were up 35-0.

Alcovy ended the game with

a running clock in the fourth quarter.

After winning back two back games for a 2-0 start in Region 3-AAAAAA play, Alcovy faces nonregion opponent Fellowship Christian on Nov. 13.

BULLDOGS *Extra*

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vs. Tennessee
44-21



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University of Georgia Athletics

Florida Gators running back Dameon Pierce (27) runs with the ball as Georgia Bulldogs linebacker Monty Rice (32) defends during the 2019 meeting.

No. 5 Bulldogs, No. 8 Gators square off in battle for SEC East supremacy

By MARK LONG
The Associated Press

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Florida's Kyle Trask has one of the most impressive streaks in school history going right now.

The fifth-year senior has at least four touchdown passes in four straight games, a feat no other Gators quarterback has accomplished. Not even Tim Tebow, Rex Grossman or Danny Wuerffel.

Trask is the main reason the eighth-ranked Gators (3-1) like their chances against No. 5 and slightly favored Georgia (4-1) on Saturday in the "World's Largest Outdoor Cocktail Party."

"I believe he needs to be in the Heisman race, first in the Heisman race," receiver Trevon Grimes said. "He's breaking records. He's doing everything he needs to do. He's playing phenomenal. ... He's going out there, he's doing his thing and he's playing with a confidence I haven't seen before."

"I'm excited for him and looking forward to seeing what he does next."

Trask and Florida have been nearly unstoppable this season, scoring on 28 of 41 drives and averaging 42 points a game.

Of course, they haven't faced a defense with as much talent and depth as the Bulldogs have.

Georgia is giving up 16.2 points a game, and that number would be even better without a 41-24 loss at No. 2 Alabama last month.

But the Bulldogs, who have won three straight in the series, will be short-handed in Jacksonville. Safety Richard LeCounte, who is recovering from a harrowing motorcycle accident on Halloween night, and defensive tackle Julian Rochester (knee) are out. Nose tackle Jordan Davis (elbow), safety Lewis Cine (ankle) and linebackers Quay Walker (neck) and Monty Rice



vs.



The Matchup

Who: No. 5 Georgia (4-1)

vs. No. 8 Florida (3-1)

When: Saturday, Nov. 7;

3:30 p.m. ET kickoff

Where: TIAA Bank Field,

Jacksonville, Fla.

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Quick Facts

In 2019, for the 14th straight year in the series, the team with the most rushing yards got the victory. No. 8 Georgia outgained No. 6 Florida 119 to 21 in the contest. The Dawgs defeated the Gators 24-17, cutting Florida's all-time series record lead to 53-43-2 (per Georgia). Georgia is 4-3 all-time when both teams are ranked in the top-10.

(foot) also are banged up and could be limited or unavailable.

"It's a laundry list," coach Kirby Smart said.

Added running back Zamir White: "The guys know their role and they know they need to step up this week and do their part."

Nonetheless, Florida's high-scoring offense against Georgia's usually stout defense is the matchup to watch in a rivalry that likely will determine the Southeastern Conference East Division. The winner will have a chokehold on the East, hardly a surprise since the vic-

tor has advanced to the league's showcase event 10 times in the last 14 years.

"It doesn't clinch it or seal anything, but certainly whoever wins this game certainly is putting themselves in the driver's seat to get to Atlanta," Florida coach Dan Mullen said. "You're two games up on this team and you're really two games up on everybody else in the league at that point. So it makes it a big game."

It's probably bigger for the Gators, who have lost six of the last nine and need a victory to get back to Atlanta for the first time in four years and put themselves in the mix for a spot in the College Football Playoff.

"This is the biggest game of the season," Trask said. "It has a lot of implications."

FIGHT FALLOUT

The Gators will be without starting defensive end Zach Carter in the first half against Georgia. Carter and linebacker Antwuan Powell drew automatic half-game suspensions for being ejected for fighting in last week's win against Missouri.

GROUND GAINS

While some Georgia fans may be wishing for a more dynamic passing game with quarterback Stetson Bennett, history shows the team with the most success on the ground will win the game. When Georgia outrushed Florida 119-21 last season, it marked the 14th consecutive year the team with the most rushing yards won the rivalry game.

WELCOME BACK?

The Gators were without 15 players last week against Missouri, many of them because of COVID-19 test results and contact tracing. The list included three secondary starters: cornerback Marco Wilson and safeties Shawn Davis and Donovan Stiner. Backup cornerback Chester Kimbrough also was unavailable.

All of them could return against Georgia.

Georgia without LeCounte, Rochester

By CHARLES ODUM
The Associated Press

Defensive back Richard LeCounte has been moved out of intensive care in an Athens hospital as he recovers from injuries suffered in a motorcycle accident that will keep him out of No. 5 Georgia's game against No. 8 Florida on Saturday.

Coach Kirby Smart said Monday defensive lineman Julian Rochester also will not play against Florida due to a knee injury. Two starters, safety Lewis Cine (ankle) and defensive tackle Jordan Davis (elbow), have not been ruled out.

Smart said he doesn't know if Davis will be able to play with a brace on the injured elbow.

Smart said wide receiver George Pickens and running back Kenny McIntosh could play against Florida after being held out of last week's win at Kentucky with injuries.

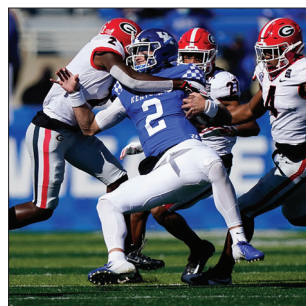
Georgia (4-1) protected its hopes for a fourth straight SEC East title by beating Kentucky 14-3 last week. Injuries during the game, especially on defense, caused concern. The far bigger scare came with LeCounte's accident after the team returned to Athens, Georgia.

LeCounte, a pre-season AP first-team All-America selection, was taken to the trauma center at Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center on Saturday night. Smart said LeCounte was moved from ICU to a regular room.

Smart and players were still shaken by what the coach described as LeCounte's "very serious crash."

"When you get news like that, it's crushing, it's disheartening," Smart said. "It just makes everything flash before you, all of the experiences I've had with him, and it was a scary moment. ... He's very fortunate to have his helmet on and to be where he is now."

Smart said he does not know when LeCounte will be able to play again. Georgia director of sports medicine Ron Courson said in a statement released



Associated Press

Georgia defensive back Richard LeCounte (2) tackles Kentucky quarterback Joey Gatewood (2) during the first half of an NCAA college football game, Oct. 31, 2020, in Lexington, Ky.

Sunday LeCounte is expected to make a full recovery.

"Certainly was scary for our team, for everybody in our family, everybody in our organization," Smart said. "It was scary for him and his family. It makes you hug your kids a little more at night for sure."

The Athens Banner-Herald reported LeCounte's injuries include a concussion. Smart said players sent LeCounte "a bunch of video messages."

"It was shocking," said running back Zamir White of LeCounte's accident.

"At first I couldn't believe it. It was heart-breaking. At first we were all scared. It was rough, man. It was tough."

The accident ends LeCounte's streak of 23 consecutive starts.

"It really hurt my heart because I know Richard loves this team and loves football," said left tackle Jamaree Salyer. "He loves what he does. He loves being a leader and I know it hurts him being in this position, not being able to just be out here with the guys. I know he's going to be sad about the game on Saturday and missing this time."

LeCounte is tied for the SEC lead with three interceptions. He set a career high with 13 tackles and recovered a fumble in the win over the Wildcats and on Monday was named the SEC's defensive player of the week.

Florida's depth also has been challenged by injuries, COVID-19 test results and contact tracing. The Gators were without 15 players for last week's 41-17 win over Missouri.

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Note: Schedule is subject to change.

Atlanta, Denver search for season revival

By CHARLES ODUM
Associated Press

ATLANTA — Drew Lock and Matt Ryan are trying to lead season revivals for the Denver Broncos and Atlanta Falcons, respectively.

The quarterbacks also are shaping their places in their teams’ long-term plans entering Sunday’s game.

Lock, in his second year, is trying to prove he’s the right leader to make the Broncos a playoff contender.

Ryan, 35 and in his 13th season as Atlanta’s starter, wants to disprove the theory that it’s time for the Falcons to rebuild, starting at the top.

Ryan says he wants to finish his career in Atlanta. After general manager Thomas Dimitroff and coach Dan Quinn were fired last month following an 0-5 start, there was speculation the Falcons would consider trade-deadline interest in their biggest stars, including Ryan and wide receiver Julio Jones.

It was no surprise the deadline passed with no Falcons trades. Falcons owner Arthur Blank and president Rich McKay say they want a new GM and coach to make those most important roster



Courtesy of Atlanta Falcons

Atlanta Falcons free safety Ricardo Allen (37) gestures fourth down during the first half against the Detroit Lions on Oct. 25, 2020.

decisions that will shape the team’s future.

Lock threw three fourth-quarter touch-down passes to lead Denver to a 31-30 comeback win over the Los Angeles Chargers last week. It was an important confidence-building performance by Lock after he threw four interceptions with no scoring passes in his previous two games.

Coach Vic Fangio said the comeback win can be a career-boosting game for Lock.

“He definitely needed it,” Fangio said. “Like I said, that’s the only way you’re going to truly have confidence and feel good. Now you’ve got something to build on. ... Hopefully this will spring him

forward through the rest of the season.”

The Broncos (3-4) have won three of their past four games since opening the season with three straight losses. Denver’s only setback since the 0-3 start was a 43-16 blow-out loss to Kansas City on Oct. 25.

The Falcons (2-6) have won two of three under interim coach Raheem Morris, who was promoted from defensive coordinator after Quinn was fired following an 0-5 start.

Morris has talked of the Falcons imposing their will on opponents. It hasn’t been an easy lesson for Atlanta. As part of the 0-5 start, the Falcons became the first team in NFL history to squander

fourth-quarter leads of at least 15 points in back-to-back games.

More heartbreak came in a 23-22 loss to Detroit on Oct. 25 in yet another fourth-quarter meltdown. Todd Gurley fell on the goal line for a touchdown when he was trying to avoid scoring late in the game, leaving the Lions time for their last-second win.

Finally, the Falcons displayed the grit Morris seeks when Blidi Wreh-Wilson’s late interception preserved a 25-17 win over Carolina on Oct. 29.

COVID CONCERNS

The Broncos canceled practice Wednesday after two more players were placed on the NFL’s COVID-19/

reserve list, including DE Shelby Harris. That brings the number of coronavirus infections/exposures to three players, three assistant coaches, two executives and other staffers at team headquarters over the past few weeks. Also out is RG Graham Glasgow, who will miss his second straight game.

The Falcons canceled practice and worked virtually Friday after a member of the football staff tested positive for COVID-19.

NO TAKK

Falcons defensive end Takk McKinley will miss his second straight game with a groin injury. He drew criticism from Morris after using his Twitter account to express his disappointment the team didn’t accommodate his request to be traded. McKinley, a first-round pick in 2017, has struggled with injuries since getting a combined 13 sacks in his first two seasons.

WOES IN THE RED ZONE

The Falcons are averaging 401 yards per game, sixth best in the NFL, but the offense has sputtered too often in the red zone. That was the focus in practice this week.

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