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## Retired School Employees Week

The week of September 22nd through the 27th has been declared Retired School Employees Week in Tucker County. The proclamation was signed by the County Commission during their September 10th session in recognition of the work, both past and present, that retirees of the school system contribute to the Tucker County community. Tucker County Schools retirees continue to volunteer throughout the community each year.

## **Appeal Filed for Ridgeline Air Quality Permit**

By: Lydia Crawley

The Parsons Advocate

The WV Chapter of the Sierra Club, Tucker United and WV Highlands have jointly filed a Notice of Appeal to the WV Department of Environmental Protection over Fundamental Data LLC's Ridgeline Project Air Quality Permit. A notice of appeal was received by the Air Quality Board on September 12th. An Evidentiary Hearing is scheduled for November 5th.

"We're taking the next step in this fight because we believe the WV-DEP wrongfully hid critical information about this facility and incorrectly classified the gas- and diesel-fired power plant as a synthetic minor source of emissions instead of a major source," said Nikki Forrester of the citizens group, Tucker United.

The Notice of Appeal seeks that the Board disprove the issuance the West Virginia Air Pollution Control Act Permit issued August 15th.

One basis for the disapproval is argued in the appeal notice as the lack of transparency shown by the heavy redactions, which makes fact checking and verification difficult.

Another basis listed is, "information and belief, the use of different assumptions or inputs into projected emission calculations would have increased total projected emissions above that which would have allowed the Ridgeline Facility to be permitted as a minor source." The documents also state that there is belief that no other state has permitted a facility of its kind with as high a heat intput as a minor source, synthetic or otherwise, the organizations allege.

"The proposed power plant would be one of the largest in West Virginia, yet WV-DEP wrongly called it a "minor source," said Jim Kotcon, Chair of the WV Chapter of Sierra Club. "That means it can avoid more stringent rules that would otherwise be required for such a large pollution source. And Canaan Valley is one of

the most beautiful, yet most vulnerable, locations in West Virginia. We are concerned that emissions from the power plant would be trapped in the Valley, exacerbating the pollution impact to residents and the environment."

The documents also state that the project was not required to do any modeling, the organizations allege.

"The West Virginia Highlands Conservancy strongly objects to the issuance of this permit for all the reasons listed here," said Marilyn Schoenfeld, President of the WV Highlands Conservancy. "We want to preserve the air quality of Tucker County. We believe that this facility does not qualify as a synthetic minor source, and instead needs to be evaluated as a major source facility. This appeal is one of many steps that will be taken to push back on this poorly conceived project that will bring questionable benefits to the residents of the area."

The specific objections stated include that the DEP inappropriately concluded the following: that redacted information was properly withheld as confidential business information and/or trade secrets; information redacted did not fit the definition of "Types and amounts of air pollutants discharged"; violated code in determining that the application was complete and issuing a draft permit and failing to consider fugitive emissions from sources such as delivery trucks when considering the project as a minor source, among others.

The matter is scheduled for an Evidentiary Hearing on November 5th at 8:30 a.m.

"Tucker County residents deserve to know how the pollutants emitted from this massive power plant are going to directly impact our lives and health," said Forrester of Tucker United. "We deserve to have a facility to be properly classified and subject to the environmental regulations that are designed to keep us safe. We ask that the Air Quality Board live up to its mission of keeping West Virginia's water, air, land, and people healthy."

## ROAD CLOSURES

County Route 219/7 (Brooklyn Heights Road) and County Route 219/12 (Fork Mountain Road) will have road closures from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. beginning Monday, Sept. 22 through Tuesday, Sept. 30 for paving. Work will begin at milepost 5.97 on Brooklyn Heights Road to milepost 1.08 Fork Mountain Road will be paved from milepost .26 back to the intersection of Brooklyn Heights Road. Emergency vehicles, school buses and USPS vehicles will be accommodated, all other motorists are to expect delays or to seek alternate routes.



The drought continues in Tucker County and Joe Parsons, a lifelong resident of Parsons, says this is the lowest he as ever seen the river. Photo and caption courtesy of Teri Cayton.

## **Drought Returns to Tucker County**

By: Lydia Crawley

The Parsons Advocate

It may seem like a repeat of 2024 all over again, but drought has once again returned to Tucker County. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) National Integrated Drought Information System (NIDIS) reports that 100% of Tucker County residents are affected by drought at a D2 classification of Severe Drought.

Director of Tucker County Emergency Management Kevin White reports that all water services in the County are stable currently.

"I do know that people with wells and springs are experiencing some issues and some farmers are having a difficult time with water for their livestock," White said.

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## **WVU President Visits Courthouse**















New West Virginia University President Michael T. Benson toured the Tucker County Courthouse on Tuesday, September 9th, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. as part of his effort to visit all 55 counties in the State. President Benson seemed exceptionally impressed with the effort Tucker County takes to keep its Courthouse in historically accurate condition, its original architecture and maintains its historical records. The President also admired the array of historically relevant displays throughout the building. Among those present for the tour were members of the President's staff as well as Tucker County Prosecuting Attorney Savannah Hull Wilkins and Tucker County Commission President Mike Rosenau. The President toured the entirely of the Courthouse including the offices of Tucker County Sheriff Jake Kopec, the Prosecuting Attorney, the County Commission, the new Courthouse Annex, Vault and the Old Courtroom.





## **News of Record**

The following property transfers have been recorded in the Tucker County Clerk's office:

- Jaqueline Teresa Roy, Black Fork District, Parcel near Parsons to Jenese E. Lansberry,
- Michael Sylva, Davis Corporation, Lot 142 Tuscan Ridge Sub-division, Section 3, Phase 1, 2.71 acres to Tucker County Commission.
- Eric Andrew Macmillan and Abigail Julia Lynch, Dry Fork District, Lot 23, Black Bear Woods, 2.16 acres to Walter A. Brinton and
- Clarissa M. Moore, \$600,000.
- Steven Hincks, Dry Fork district, Quitclaim: .90 acres, Stringtown Community to Jenna Hincks.
- Theodore J. Fries, Dry Fork District, 0.965 acres, Unit A2 Blackwater Center Condo to Jared Decker and Elizabeth C. Decker, \$146,000.
- **Donna D. Patrick,** Licking District, Lot #50 to Matthew J. Rush.
- Matthew J. Rush, Licking District, Lot 48 to Donna Patrick.
- Brittany Collett, Parsons Corporation, Currence
- Addition, Lot #38 and Part of Lot 37 to Caitlin Fladung and Trenton Wilfong, \$139,000.
- Charles A. Ketterman, Jr. and Tracy J. Ketterman, Parsons corporation, Lots 33 and 34, Homewood Addition, Parsons to John Davis and Rosemary Davis, \$25,000.
- James C. Poling and Janice F. Poling, St. George District, Revocable Transfer on Dead Deed .99 acres to Joshua Levi Poling and Stefanie L. Poling.
- **Zachary W. Evans,** Thomas Corporation, 18,084 square feet to Zachary W. Evans and Donna Evans.

## DAR Ring-In Constitution Week



Close to 30 people met in front of the Tucker County Courthouse to celebrate the signing of the Constitution during Constitution Week in Tucker County.

By: Lydia Crawley

The Parsons Advocate

The Blackwater Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution hosted the first "Bells Across America" event in Tucker County on September 17th to commemorate the Constitution.

Close to 30 individuals met in front of the Tucker County Courthouse to ring bells for a minute at 4 p.m. EDT along with DAR Chapters across the Nation to Commemorate when church bells across Philadelphia rang out when the U.S. Constitution was first signed at 4 p.m. on September 17, 1787.

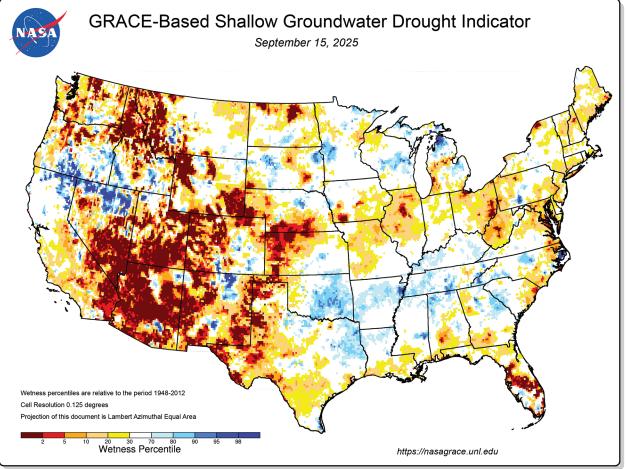
Representatives of the Sons of the American Revolution, Representative Riley Moore's office, Tucker County Prosecuting Attorney Savannah Hull Wilkins, Tucker County Commission President Mike Rosenau, City of Parsons Mayor Bruce Kolsun, local 4-H groups and local residents joined the DAR in ringing bells in front of the Courthouse for one minute and then parading around the block.

The event was part of Constitution Week Proclamations in the City of Parsons and Tucker County and hosted by the Blackwater Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The DAR hopes to make the event an annual part of Constitution Week.

The Blackwater Chapter of the DAR was organized October 26, 1933, according to their website and was named for the Blackwater River.

#### **DROUGHT**

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The NIDIS data shows no change from last week, but a 100% change from last month, according to the site. However, despite the drought conditions, this August was only the 11th driest on record in the past 131 years, NOAA reports.

At its most simplistic, a drought is defined by NOAA as, "a deficiency of precipitation over an extended period of time (usually a season or more), resulting in a water shortage." However, NOAA outlines five distinct types of droughts: meteorological, when dry weather patterns dominate an area; hydrological, when low water supply becomes evident; agricultural, when crops become affected; socioeconomic, when supply and demand of commodities becomes affected and ecological, when natural ecosystems are affected.

Currently, the the hydrological drought map indicates that most of the center of West Virginia is suffering from much below to low water supply conditions of the current streamflow at the surface water level.

Another indicator of drought conditions in the area comes from NASA Grace. Scientists from NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center generate groundwater and soil moisture drought indicator data each week based on terrestrial water storage observations from GRACE-FO satellite date other observations using a model of land surface water and energy processes. Currently, most of Central West Virginia is in the 30th percentile on the scale. The lower the number, the higher the drought indicator.

There is a chance for rain starting next week, however, it does not appear that it will be of much help in the long run. NOAA reports chances of rain from Monday, mostly in the 40 and 50 percentile range, with scattering chances of higher amounts from a stray Thunderstorm or so throughout the week.

"There is a chance of rain starting tomorrow into next week, but at the moment it doesn't look as if its of much relief," White said.

Currently, there are no emergency drought declarations for Tucker County.

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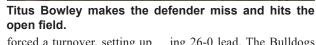
#### Bowley Leads Wildcats to 48-12 Win With 5 Touchdowns

By: Adam Freeman

Eighth-grade running back Titus Bowley led the way for the Tucker Valley football team this past Wednesday in Mill Creek. The Wildcats started the game just as they had in their previous two matchups, with a touchdown drive on their opening possession. Bowley scored from 13 yards out, giving the Wildcats an early 6-0 lead.

Tucker's defense held the Bulldogs and quickly got the ball back. Seventh-grade running back Fletcher Hyre broke off a 39-yard run to set up another score by Bowley, this time via a 6 yard tote. Tucker's defense continued to stifle Tygarts Valley, giving the ball back to their potent offense. Once again, Bowley found the end zone, this time plunging it in from the two yard line. Asher Kisamore added the twopoint conversion, and Tucker extended their lead to 20-0.

The Wildcats' defense then



forced a turnover, setting up the offense in plus territory.

Bowley broke another long run of 22 yards to score, giving Tucker a command-

ing 26-0 lead. The Bulldogs showed signs of life on the ensuing kickoff, returning it for a touchdown to make the score 26-6.



Elijah O'Brien wraps up the ball carrier in the backfield.

The Wildcats had a quick response. On the very next kickoff, Bowley returned it 57 yards for his fifth touchdown of the first half. Tucker took a 34-6 lead into half-

Tucker extended their lead to 40-6 when Asher Kisamore powered his way in for a 23-yard touchdown run.

The Wildcats found the end

Legend Harper for an 11-yard touchdown, pushing the lead to 48-6.

The Bulldogs managed to score on a long touchdown pass a few plays later, after the game's outcome had already been decided, making the final score 48-12.

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the final whistle, as quar-

terback Rylan Sexton con-

nected with his big receiver

Bowley ended the night with 121 rushing yards, four rushing touchdowns, and one kickoff return touchdown. Fletcher Hyre finished with 92 rushing yards. Rylan Sexton added 44 passing yards and one touchdown through the air to Legend Harper, who recorded two catches for 44 yards.

Tucker remains undefeated and improves to 3-0 on the young season. The Wildcats will return home on Thursday, September 25th at 6:00 p.m. as they host the Webster County Highlanders.

### Davis-Thomas Bears Compete on Fishers Mountain



By: Adam Freeman

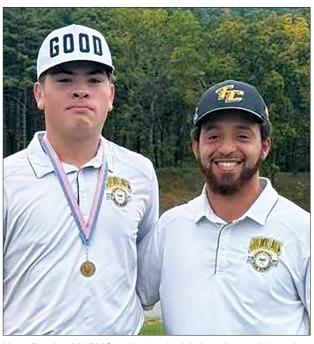
The Davis-Thomas Bears golf team teed off high atop Fishers Mountain in Pendleton County this past week, competing against five other schools in a challenging match filled with scenic views and stiff competition.

Davis-Thomas finished in sixth place overall in the event. Petersburg took home the team victory, followed closely by Pendleton County, Romney, Capon Bridge,

and Frankfort rounding out the standings.

Leading the Bears on the scorecard was Jarrett Dearborn, who posted a team-best round of 55. Briar Arbogast followed with a 62, August Boarman shot a 66, Hunter Lipscomb came in with a 67, and Bryson Mihalko rounded out the team's efforts with a 72.

Davis-Thomas returns to action on Monday, September 22, at Cacapon State Park. The team will then wrap up its season back at Fishers Mountain on October 1.



Nate Davis, All-PVC, pictured with head coach Landon Dillard.

## TCHS Golf Takes Win at Home, Davis Earns All-PVC Honors

By: Adam Freeman

The Tucker County High School Mountain Lions golf team had a strong week on the course, highlighted by a dominant team victory at Canaan Valley and a standout individual showing at the Potomac Valley Conference (PVC) tournament.

On Monday, the Mountain Lions hosted an 18-hole match at Canaan Valley Resort Golf Course, welcoming regional opponents East Hardy, Pocahontas County, and Moorefield High School. The team turned in an impressive showing, claiming the overall team victory by a commanding 20-stroke margin over second-place East Hardy.

The win was powered by strong performances across the board, led by Nate Davis, who earned medalist honors with a stellar round of 75. Drew Simmons also had a notable day, finishing in second place individually with a round of 84.

On Tuesday, Tucker County traveled to The Highlands Golf Course at Fisher Mountain in Pendleton County to compete in the PVC Golf Tournament, another challenging 18-hole event.

While the team didn't have its best collective outing, they still managed to secure a respectable 4th-place finish among the conference's top programs.

The highlight of the day came once again from Nate Davis, who shot well enough to place 4th overall individually, earning him All-PVC honors for the second consecutive year. The top six individual finishers in the tournament received the All-Conference recognition.

With just two regular-season matches remaining over the next two weeks, the Mountain Lions are preparing for the Regional Championship, scheduled for October 6th. All upcoming matches, including regionals, will be held at Canaan Valley Resort Golf Course, giving Tucker County the advantage of home course familiarity as they aim for postseason success.



#### **Mountain Lions Post Strong Times at Bearcat Invitational**

By: Adam Freeman

The Tucker County Cross Country team had an impressive showing at the Bearcat Invitational this past Saturday, with several athletes posting personal and season-best performances in a highly competitive field.

Leading the way for the Lady Mt. Lions was *Estoria Chase*, who ran a personal record of 20:37, earning her a 7th-place finish overall. Chase's time stands as one of the top performances of the season for the girls' team.

Addi Moats also had a strong race, running her seasonbest time of 22:34, which placed her 25th in the field. Lilly Collar rounded out the girls' results, running her own season record of 32:44, finishing 94th out of 98 competitors.

On the boys' side, Tucker County saw standout showings from several runners in a field of 130 finishers.

*Lynk Suesli* led the way with a blazing personal record of 17:18, which earned him 13th place and a medal. *Cam*-

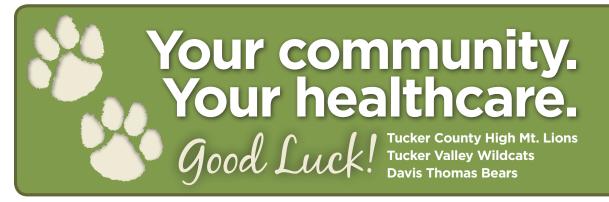
eron Judy also medaled, finishing 25th with a time of 17:59.

Alex Collar was close behind, running his season-best time of 18:01, good for 27th place. Sophomore *Draven Bunnell* continued to improve, running a personal record of 19:52, placing 60th.

With a few runners missing from the lineup, the Mountain Lions were unable to record a team score in the boys' division. However, their presence was still felt on the course, as multiple athletes left their mark with strong individual results.

The Mountain Lions are now gearing up for the annual RUN FOR IT race, set for Saturday, September 27th. Community members are invited to support the team by joining the "Tucker Runners" team in the race.

Come out and show your support for Tucker County Cross Country as they continue their successful season! **SPORTS CONTINUED ON PAGE 11** 





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The Tucker Heritage Art Exhibit is open Saturday and Sunday from 11am-5pm during September. Featuring a collection of almost 40 panels of Tucker County historical signage created by award-winning graphic artist and historian David Vago, this exhibit covers stories and local legends from 1889 - 1950, allowing residents and visitors to experience the entire range of the Friends of Blackwater historical signage in one location—the basement of the Babcock Lumber Boom and Lumber Co. on William Avenue (The Wandering Caravan shop).

Free Friday



baked potato bar, desserts and drinks. Everyone is welcome to come eat and fellowship!

#### **Gospel Sing**

Gospel sing on Saturday, Sept. 27 at 6pm featuring Eddie and Gloria Price at Union Chapel Church, 162 Brushy Fork Rd, off Clover Run Rd, Parsons.

**Fall Festival** 

Flanagan Hill Fall Festival will be held on

Saturday, Sept. 27 in Red Creek at the Community Building. Activities begin at 10 a.m. with kid's games, bake sale, turkey dinners (dine in or carry out) from 1-5 p.m. live music, mystery bingo, and cake walk at 6 p.m. Follow us on Facebook at Flanagan Hill Community Center. Come out and enjoy the fellowship and festivi-

#### Leaf Peepers All You Can Eat Breakfast

The International Order of Odd Fellows are sponsoring a breakfast on Saturday September 27 at their lodge at 5th & Thomas St. in Davis. The menu will include sausage patties, pancakes with maple syrup, scrambled eggs, sausage gravy and biscuits. Coffee, juice, or Tang will be included. The price of breakfast is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 12 years and under, and children under 6 years are free. Breakfast will begin at 7AM and end at noon or until sold

#### **The Tucker County Historical Society**

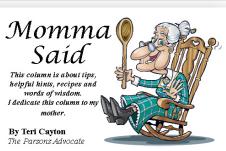
The Tucker County Historical Society is sponsoring a reception and program to introduce our new Model Train Exhibit at the Railroad Depot in Parsons. The date is Sunday, September 28 at 2:00 p.m. The main attraction is music and story-telling by acclaimed troubadour Doug Spears. Refreshments will follow the program.



I am trying really hard to get all my projects for the year done and in the bag. I am procrastinating so badly that it is terrible. That is not like me but the year end is sneaking up on me and I have to kick it in high gear. Momma Said, "Procrastination is a word that means put off what you can do until later and that is just no me."

I seem to get in one of these funks every year and then something clicks and I put it in another gear and away I go. I just have to start one thing and everything else falls into place. I think my next project will be to build a platform step for one of my outbuildings, then trim some bushes and cut down all my flowers for the end of the year.

I have some scrap wood to throw on the burn pile and then it is the usual, wash dishes, fold clothes, sweep up dog



hair and last but not least clean the windows, UGGHHH!!! Momma Said, "I have to clean all the dog nose prints off the windows so I can see out."

Sounds like a big list and that is not all, I will remember more as I get these done. I do have an outbuilding full of Christmas items that I need to have a big yard sale with. Maybe I will get that one chore done before the weather turns for the worse. Wish me luck!!! If you don't hear from me next week you will know that I dropped dead from all

# West Virginia Encyclopedia



Sept. 30, 2010: Facing an economic downturn and foreign competition, Wheeling-La Belle Nail Company closed. The company was founded in 1852 as LaBelle Ironworks. By 1875, Wheeling was known as the Nail City, and La Belle was the city's leading nail producer.

Charleston WV – The following events happened on these dates in West Virginia history. To read more, go to e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia at www.wvencyclopedia.org.

Sept. 24, 1911: Laura Jackson Arnold died in Buckhannon. The sister of Stonewall Jackson, she was a staunch Unionist during the Civil War, opening her home to care for injured Union soldiers.

Sept. 24, 1918: George Spencer "Spanky" Roberts was born in London, Kanawha County. He entered aviation cadet training with the first class of Tuskegee Airmen and became the first Black military pilot from West Virginia.

Sept. 25, 1864: George Smith Patton was killed at the Third Battle of Winchester. Patton, a Charleston lawver, had organized the Kanawha Riflemen, a Virginia militia company. He was the grandfather of Gen. George S. Patton of World War II.

Sept. 25, 1866: Editor and publisher M. T. Whittico was born in Virginia. He moved to Keystone about 1900 and made the McDowell Times the preeminent Black newspaper in West Virginia, with topics ranging from race issues to life in the coalfields. He also played a key role in McDowell County Republican politics.

Sept. 26, 1816: David Hunter Strother was born in Martinsburg. He was an artist and an author who used the pen name "Porte Crayon."

Sept. 26, 1863: The Great Seal of West Virginia was adopted by the legislature. The seal, which has remained unchanged, was designed by Joseph H. Diss Debar.

Sept. 27, 1914: Author Catherine Marshall was born in Johnson City, Tennessee. Her family moved to West Virginia and lived in Keyser during the late 1920s and the 1930s. Her best-loved novel, Christy (1967), was

Sept. 9 - Sept. 16, 2025

**Nursery Bottom** 

**Parsons** 

**Temperature** 

**Precipitation** 

**Snowfall** 

U.S. Forest Service

Max

Min

Week

2025

September

**New Snow** 

Winter Total

Snow on ground

85° F

39° F

0.00"

0.28"

41.22"

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based on her mother's girlhood in the south-

Sept. 28, 1955: Labor activist Sarah "Mother" Blizzard died at age 90. Blizzard was deeply involved in the United Mine Workers of America, from the organization's early beginnings in the late 19th century.

Sept. 28, 1965: The first national recreation area within a U.S. national forest was established when President Lyndon B. Johnson created the Spruce Knob-Seneca Rocks National Recreation Area. Sept. 29, 1861: The Kanawha Valley expe-

rienced severe flooding. The Kanawha River reached 46.87 feet in Charleston, more than 16 feet above flood stage. Sept. 29, 1927: Artist June Kilgore was

born in Huntington. She was an abstract expressionist painter who spent 30 years as an art professor at Marshall University.

Sept. 30, 1832: Social activist Anna Reeves Jarvis was born in Virginia. Years later, in Taylor County, she organized Mother's Day Work Clubs to improve health conditions and to nurse Union and Confederate soldiers during the Civil War. She was the inspiration for Mother's Day, first celebrated in Grafton in

Sept. 30, 1872: Educator Fannie Cobb Carter was born in Charleston. She organized the teacher-training department at what is now West Virginia State University, led the State Industrial Home for Colored Girls in Huntington, and was director of adult education in Kanawha County.

e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia is a project of the West Virginia Humanities Council. For more information contact the West Virginia Humanities Council, 1310 Kanawha Blvd. E., Charleston, WV 25301; (304) 346-8500; or visit e-WV at www.wvencyclopedia.

#### **Baked Dijon Salmon**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard
- 1 tablespoon honey
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon olive oil 2 cloves garlic, minced

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- Preheat oven to 400 degrees Fahrenheit. Grease a baking sheet or line it with parchment
- Whisk together mustard, honey, lemon juice, olive oil, garlic, salt, and pepper in a small bowl.
- Salt and pepper, to taste
- 4 (6-ounce) salmon fillets
- Fresh parsley or dill (optional, for garnish)

#### Place salmon fillets on the baking sheet, skin-side down.

- Spoon glaze on top. Bake for 12-15 minutes until the salmon is cooked and flakes easily with a fork.
- Garnish with parsley or dill. Serve and enjoy

#### **DROP OUT**

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300467 SIMPSON DANIEL	1990 FORD F150 1948 JEEP WILL 2021 FORD F-2 2021 SPAR 16FT 1994 FORD RANG		184 247	CARR DANNY ET UX COLERIDER FAMILY REVOC	LOTS 17 & 19 SUNSET HGTS B800 LIVING TRUST	195.42 49.10		
300541 WAYBRIGHT RAYMOND R 300562 WOODS SAM	1986 88 1986 1470 1986 MH12 1986 812 1995 1270 1995 816 1995 MH12 1995 810	136.36 127.28	411 445	FINCHER JULIAN W POA GOSS SAUNDRA K ET AL	B800 LOTS 3 & 4 BAKER ADD-BRETZ	49.10 402.42		
300570 YELICH NAOMI  02-CLOVER	2005 CHEV MALI Total For 01-BLACK FORK	59.38 <b>3,150.26</b>	527 528 728	HECKLER JASON S HECKLER JASON S LANTZ TIMOTHY & SARAH	.75 ACRE MACKEYVILLE .38 AC (110X150) MACKEYVILLE 1 AC HADDIX CREEK	382.42 47.14 115.52		
300572 ANDREWS CHRISTINA 300584 COLLINS ANGELA	2015 DODG JOUR 2020 CHEV COLO	109.50 258.04	736	LEE KEVIN A	COAL OIL GAS MINERAL RIGHTS IN 59.04 ACRES (MAP 283/11)	54.78		
300587 CRAVEN JARRETT 300591 ENTERPRISE FM TRUST	1980 NOR TRLR 2015 CHEV COLO 2021 CHEV COLO	200.02 291.50	771 833	LONG NORMAN A MMS XTO FEDERAL	NEAR HENDRICKS 7.5 AC HALLER 01 0116160098	473.16 49.10		
04-DAVIS CORPORATION	Total For 02-CLOVER	859.06	926 1015	NESTOR BURLAND JR ET AL C/OJAMES M MORRIS PENNINGTON LENZA	.14 AC W SIDE RT 219 MIN INT IN	138.44 50.18		
300759 BIBLE DWIGHT 300776 CANON DOUGLAS 300813 FAUNCE NORA & DAVID	2017 HYUN SONA 2000 610 2000 1260 2000 812 2000 MH12 2009 HOND CR-V	188.78 127.60 102.50	1140	C/O RUTH OBERENDER	35 ACS NEAR HENDRICKS 65.5 AC WOLFE RUN BECKNER SLIP HILL	539.58		
300822 FRIDLEY DONNA J 300828 GERLACK EMILY M	2016 FORD FIES 2019 SUBA CROS	121.64 289.20	1206 1219	S&W PROPERTY HOLDINGS LLC SCOTT ALLAN A	.16 AC BLACKMAN FLATS 2.2 AC NEAR PARSONS & EASEMENT	123.81 344.10		
300834 GUIDO ROBERT & ROSALIE 300842 HARMON WILLARD ESTATE	2007 SUZU SX4 2017 SUBA OUTB 2005 1260 2005 830 2005 MH12	237.34 160.16	1262		185 AC MINERALS *305-5A*	77.46		
300869 KENNARD EDWIN M 300917 PAUL HEATHER 1976 MH12	2017 SUBA FORE 1976 1470 Total For 04-DAVIS CORPORATION	216.18 131.34 <b>1,574.74</b>	1269 1325	LLC ET AL SIMMONS JEFFREY L SNYDER VIRGIL F	1 AC 1 AC LOC?	100.38 80.94		
05-DRYFORK 301028 BENNETT MICHAEL B	2004 TOYO 4RUN	1,5/4./4	1527	C/O KELLY L SNYDER WRIGHT NATHAN S & LUCINDA F		246.14		
301080 CARVER LAUREN 301085 CHILDERS BONNIE B	2003 FORD F350 2015 NISS MURA	92.36 127.96	1528 1529	WRIGHT NATHAN S & LUCINDA F WV DOH	.01AC AC	60.11 140.96		
301089 CLEMETE BRENDA 301128 DICKMAN DANIEL J	1993 GMC 0000 FF - FURN	74.10 141.14	1530 1532	WV DOH DOT WV DOT	1.3 AC (1) 11882 SF	341.90 49.10		
301136 DUNAWAY DAVID A 301155 FISCHER LANELLE S 301198 HARTMAN AMY	0000 FF - FURN 2008 CHEV SILV 2021 CHEV SILV	86.76 90.86 315.40	<b>02-CLO</b> 1710	VER BOWDEN WILLIAM B	Total For 01-BLACK FORK  1 AC EAST PIFER MT	<b>4,823.26</b> 151.96		
301199 HARVEY FAMILY TRUST 301254 KENNARD JENNIFER	0000 FF - FURN 2016 NISS ALTI	136.76 142.08	1810	SNYDER MELISSA D GODFREY MICHELLE C	31.99 ACRES TRACT 2	316.12		
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301351 PARKS BRAXTON 301371 REECE JAMES K	2014 RAM RAM 0000 FF - FURN	167.38 103.46	2353 2354	WOLFORD RICHARD W WOLFORD RICHARD WAYNE WOLFORD SARAH JANE	3.09 AC INDIAN FORK 1 AC HARPER SCHOOL	381.72 253.06		
301384 ROHRBAUGH DEBORA 301429 TALBOTT KELLY 301473 WAYBRIGHT ROGER	1996 MH12 2009 SUBA FORE 0000 FF	203.06 78.80 103.46	03-DAV	IS DISTRICT	Total For 02-CLOVER	1,102.86		
301501 WORDEN PAULA	2022 HYUN KONA Total For 05-DRYFORK	209.34 <b>2,848.16</b>	2438 2683	CITY SWITCH II-A LLC WEED HAROLD & ANITA	.752 AC PARCEL 30X40 FT PLUS LOT 4X10	109.30 134.56		
06-FAIRFAX 301523 DAVIS KEISHA B	2019 FORD ESCA	188.94	04 DAV	IS CORPORATION	40 FT SQ 30X40 Total For 03-DAVIS DISTRICT	243.86		
301547 LIPSCOMB WILLIAM D 301560 POLING TACOMA 301575 SIMMONS JOSEPH A II	1930 MH12 2003 JEEP 2004 JEEP WRAN	80.88 74.10 77.46	2831	ARNOLD DANIEL G ADKINS JOYETTE N	LOT 14 DAVIS ANNEX .34 AC	777.48		
07-HAMBLETON	Total For 06-FAIRFAX	421.38	2851	BAILEY HOLLY	LOT#106 PHASE 1 .65 AC TUSCAN RIDGE	179.66		
301592 CASSIDAY ROBERT L 301605 GIDLEY BYRON	2015 CHEV CRUZ 2002 SUBA IMPR	118.58 70.90	2852	BAILEY HOLLY	LOT #107 PHASE 1 .55 AC TUSCAN RIDGE	162.82		
301641 PARSONS NEIL LOWELL II	2011 VOLK JETT 2021 CHEV TRAV 2021 BIG 7X 2011 POLA RAZO 2000 GMC SIER		2968 3030	CHEVALIER MAX CHEVALIER NEKEYA CYPHERS RAYMOND R & ANNA C	LOT #114 PHASE 1 .57 ACS TUSCAN RIDGE LT 578 FAIRFAY AVE	164.04 1,274.36		
301658 SMITH CIARA  08-HENDRICKS	2013 FORD FIES 2022 MITS ECLI Total For 07-HAMBLETON	316.62 <b>1,071.12</b>	3065 3066	DETRICK S C DETRICK S C	LT 534 40 X 132.5 LT 535 40 X 132.5	322.22 322.22		
301701 KEPLINGER JOSHUA KEVIN 301733 TURNER ERNEST B	2008 JEEP GRAN 1995 JEEP WRAN 2015 CHEV EQUI	79.34 144.28	3067 3078	DETRICK S C DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN	LT 536 40 X 132.5 PT LOT 241 MOBILE HOME	322.22 474.98		
301740 YOKUM CHRISTINA	2017 GMC ACAD Total For 08-HENDRICKS	300.28 <b>523.90</b>	3079 3080 3081	DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN	LT 240 & PT OF LOT 241 1/2 ACRE LOT 53 LAKEVIEW ADD LT 52 LAKEVIEW CO	514.84 1,394.44 189.86		
09-LICKING 301747 BOURNE RANDI 301748 BOURNE RANDI	2000 832 2000 1016 2000 1020 2000 830	65.14 91.22	3081 3082 3083	DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN	LOT 25A LAKEVIEW CO 1/2 OF LT 28 EASEMENT W 1/2	130.34 190.90		
301756 COSTELLO MARY 301761 DROPPLEMAN JAMIE	2000 2032 2000 832 2000 826	96.68 78.64	3084	DORSEY MICHELLE LYNN	LOT 28 20 X 151.10 LT 29	1,602.14		
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10-PARSONS 301838 ALDERMAN ROBERTA	Total For 09-LICKING 2014 NISS FRON	<b>1,863.16</b> 214.02	3590 3624	POLING STEPHANIE MARIE RANALLI WALTER J & GOSS SAUNDRA K & DONALD	LT 39 44 X 132.5 LT 31 40 X 132.5	641.06 2,324.10		
301854 AUBREY LESA 301896 CANFIELD GROUP LLC	1996 OLDS CIER 2022 COST AS O 0000 FF - FURN 0000 CE - COM	48.38	3743 3814	THOMAS ROBERT A ETAL WHITE DANA L	LOT 197 WILLIAM AVE LT 6 WILLIAM AVE	1,105.98 596.30		
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301932 DAVIS PATRICK S LOULIS NICOLE	2014 CHEV SONI	126.16	<b>05-DRY</b> 3942 3956	FORK 28 VISTA LLC AGHILI NADER	LOT 28 CANAAN VISTAS LOT 92 WINTERHAVEN	4,295.52 1,831.38		
301986 GRAY PATRICK & LYNDA 302001 HARPER DAWN 302008 HEBB ROBERT D & JENNIFER E	2016 FORD F-35 2019 FORD EXPE 2018 NISS ROGU 2003 TOYO SOLE 2007 CHEV SILV 2007 IEEP GRAN	788.76 224.20 125.16	4233	BLANKENSHIP ROBERT &	PHASE II .515 AC LOT 24 CABIN MT 5.10 AC	2,195.80		
302015 HELMICK WAYNE 302016 HESS JOSEPH II	2008 JEEP LIBE 2006 SATU ION	100.12 85.50	4357	BLANKENSHIP DIANA L CABALLERO PABLO	1.179 AC COMMON ELEMENTS	101.08		
302079 LEARY ROBERT HYMES CARRIE	2004 TOYO TUND	96.02	4359 4420	CABLE OF CAROLINAS INC	CANAAN VISTAS .123 AC .08 AC (3600 SQ FT)	1,170.72 84.24		
302091 LYNN TERRY 302092 MARICLE RANDY 302103 MAXSON ARVITA	2000 PONT GRAN 1989 812 1989 1262 1989 MH12 1989 88 1991 816 1991 1265 1991 MH12	50.14 118.14 127.22	4429 4430	CAROLINA CABLE INC CARR DANNY R & PHYLLIS A CARR DANNY R & PHYLLIS A	46.07 MILL RUN	1,067.90 164.40		
302119 MEHAFFIE GEORGE 302148 NESTOR CAMEY J	2005 CHEV SILV 2020 JEEP COMP	88.32 275.66	4462	CASSERA JULIA L	LOT 102 BLACK BEAR WOODS PHASE J 9143 SQ FT (.21 AC)	1,978.82		
302164 PARKS NORMAN LEE & DELTA	. 1986 SANO CAMP 1985 CHEV 1969 CHEV 1974 CHEV 2019 CHEV EQUI 2014 RAM RAM	490.80	4486 4487	CHILDERS BONNIE CHILL HAUS LLC	LOT 1 JENNINGSTON FARM 3.379 AC LOT 139 MT SIDE 2.788 AC	747.88 2,698.54		
302205 RHOADES DEBRA	1988 JEEP WRAN 2008 CARR TRLR 2013 GMC TERR 2018 MITS OUTL 2007 SUBA LEG 2013 DODG GRAN	A 413.76	4600 4753	CROW BORDER LEE JR BERGREN PAMELA SUE DULEY DONNA L	LOT #45 WOODS END 7.292% MIN INT 180.33 ACS	514.52 49.10		
302206 RHODES HELEN & KELLY	2001 CHEV SILV 2003 PONT GRAN 2009 CHEV AVA 2009 CHEV SILV	AL 216.14	4780	ECRM LLC	JOHN HARPER FARM LOT 20 CANAAN VISTAS	417.00		
302209 ROSENAU SETH M 302218 SCOTT BRENDON	2013 GMC SIER 2012 CHEV SILV 2008 SUZU BOUL	208.16 172.50	5005 5020	GETTY KENNETH W & BONNIE L GOD'S LITTLE ACRE LLC	UNIT 87 DEERFIELD VILLAGE .78 ACRES SHAFFER MT.	640.51 263.54		
302221 SHAFFER CHAD 302233 SIMMONS CHARLES D	2012 FORD EDGE 2022 MITS OUTL 2007 HARL HERI 2019 RAM RAI 1994 CHEV S10		5044 5072	GOULD JOHN T ROGUS CAROLINE J GRUBB GEORGE L & RUTH R	LOT 9 BLACKWATER SECT 5.39 AC. LOT 43 CABIN MT 5.28 AC	664.18 1,942.12		
302243 SLAUBAUGH THOMAS 302244 SLAUGHBAUGH THOMAS EVANS SHAUNA	1994 CHEV S10 1989 66 1989 88 1989 MH12 1989 1456	75.68 127.70	5125 5142	HANSROTH LEE ET AL HARPER BRENDA	1/24 M. & COAL 1900 CANAAN ENGLER WELL	56.28 49.10		
302249 SMITH ROGER JR	2012 GMC SIER 2000 BUJ AL 2016 ALUM BOA 2002 STAR TRLR 2000 TRKM TRLR	T 101.60	5239 5240	HILL LARRY L HILL LARRY L	LOT 4 MT HAUS S D LOT 7 MT HAUS S D	215.16 215.16		
302304 WILFONG ADAM & ASHLEY	2015 FORD EXPL 2016 CHEV SILV Total For 10-PARSONS	477.44 <b>5,818.96</b>	5267	HOGUE TIMOTHY L HOGUE TRACY A KEDSHNED SKYLED K & MADIA I	BEAVER RIDGE CONDO UNIT 1247	791.34		
11-SAINT GEORGE 302327 ARNOLD FRANKIE 302390 DAY JACKIE L	2010 ASM TRLR 0000 BROO KSID 2016 FORD ESC 2012 HYUN ELAN 1999 CHEV TRUC	A 148.22 88.52	5449 5508 5591		UNIT C-6 TALHEIM VILLAGE .5816 LOT 23 YOAKUM RUN .457 AC ROYALTIES (ENGLER)	1,424.54 2,782.84 49.10		
DAY KENNETH W 302399 DRAGOVICH STANLEY SR	2012 HYUN ELAN 1999 CHEV TRUC 2020 GMC SIER 2016 TOYO 4RUN 2020 KEYS HII		5592		PENNINGTON #1 LOT 28 NORTHFACE .200 AC	4,247.16		
& HAZEL 302437 HAIRSTONE CHARLES RANDY			5686	LUNSTRUM THOMAS LUNSTRUM CHERYL A	LOT 141 NORTHPOINT WOODS .86 AC	322.92		

LUNSTRUM THOMAS

LUNSTRUM CHERYL A

LOT 143 NORTHPOINT WOODS .83 ACRE

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HAIRSTONE CHARLES RANDY 1999 SPTN ROD 1984 JEEP CJ7 2008 GMC SIER 246.84

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05-DRY	FORK continued from previous pa	ge		9770	VONHAGEL DAVID W &	LOT WATER ST .077	220.74
5703	MACFARLANE ERIC MACFARLANE MICHELLE	LOT 9 3.811 AC BLACKWATER ANNEX II	786.30	9803	ARMENTROUT BARBARA WILLIAMS ROBERT W ESTATE		829.42
5745 5770 5816	MAY BILL P DR & JUDITH A MCCOY KEITH & RHONDA MEONSKE NORMAN R	UNIT/LOT 28 BLACK BEAR WOODS LOT 86 BLACK BEAR WOODS UNIT D 101	869.82 1,020.74 1,556.90	11 CAIN	T GEORGE	211 ALONG RIVER AVE Total For 10-PARSONS	13,167.47
6065	MEONSKE NORMAN K MEONSKE PHYLLIS K PATOWMACK PROPERTIES LLC	HERZWOOD CONDO	1,803.43	9990	ADAMS BENJAMIN DEAN ARNOLD FRANKIE J	35' X 35' OR .028 AC 0.5 AC SUGARLANDS	51.62 86.38
6091	PENNINGTON WILLIAM	0.78 AC SURFACE ROYALTIES	49.10	10039	ARNOLD JOHN J II 165X132 ARNOLD JOHN J II	3,888 SQ FT	152.10
6136	ESTATE POPCORN PROPERTIES LLC	ENGLER INC TRACT 1 HUMMINGBIRD LAND	330.18	10147	ARNOLD FRANKIE J- LIFE ESTATE CANON CARL & JANET	12.1 AC.	355.50
6137	ROCK WILSON POPCORN PROPERTIES LLC ROCK WILSON	.657 AC SURFACE TRACT 2 CORTLAND VILLAGE RD .868 AC SURFACE	421.08	10238 10264 10275	DILLON SARAH JUDITH DUMIRE WILLIAM D & DEBRA EDDY GLENN D	ROYALTIES 1117170100 ROYALTY JUNIOR NINE #1 55% OF 1/2 M - 128 - 67 - 10 CPB	49.10 49.10 53.10
6138	POPCORN PROPERTIES LLC ROCK WILSON	TRACT 3 CORTLAND VILLAGE RD .09 AC SURFACE	435.26	10384 10425	GAITHER LISA L & MARTIN G HANAN DAVID L ATTY IN FACT	MIN INT IN 7.37 AC	49.10 49.10
6139	POPCORN PROPERTIES LLC ROCK WILSON	TRACT 4 ALPINE VIEW LANE .308 AC SURFACE	178.46	10426 10505	HANAN FELCIA ROSE HOLT BEVERLY	ROYALTIES MEGA ENG PILLAR ENERGY	49.10 49.10
6140 6164	POPCORN PROPERTIES LLC ROCK WILSON PRINGLE W G DDS INC	TRACT 5 THISTLE LANE .651 AC SURFACE ROYALTIES (ENGLER)1/2 MIN INT	327.66 49.10	10609 10610 10611	KING LISA L KISAMORE JESSIE & WANDA KISAMORE JESSIE ET AL	7.37 A .008 AC PARCEL 76 X 100 7600 SQ FT	474.90 49.10 261.80
6210	RAUSE DAVID V	PENNINGTON #1 OIL & GAS LOT 5 POINTY KNOB S D 2.00 AC	715.56	10656	LAKE ERNEST LONG NORMAN A	ROYALTIES USAT 12.5 SLIP HILL	49.10 720.44
6211 6212	RAUSE DAVID V RAUSE DAVID V	LOT 6 POINTY KNOB S D 2.00 AC LOT 7 POINTY KNOB S D 2.15 AC	715.56 726.26	10799 10800	MORSE BRENT J MORSE FAMILY SECURITY	USAT-1 PILLAR ENERGY LLC PILLAR ENERGY 49.10	49.10
6214 6273	RAWLINGS HUNTER ROGERS JOSH	LOT 13 FLAG RUN 5 AC LOT 21 DEER RIDGE 6.27 AC	2,099.46 765.43	10890 10982	OFFICE NATURAL RESOURCES REV PLETCHER REBECA	4.67 AC LOCATION	49.10 155.02
6351	FALDER HEIDI SANTE ALEJANDRO SANTE FOX CHRISTINA F	LOT 3 BLACKWATER SECT 5.14 AC.	2,108.98	10983 11006 11012	PLETCHER REBECCA RED ROCK ENTERPRISES LLC ROBERTS SCOTT A	3 ACRE LOCATION RD ROYALTIES PILLAR ENERGY LOT 6 HOLLY MEADOWS MT VIEW	291.90 49.10 238.74
6367	SCHNEBLE PATRICK SCHNEBLE AIMEE L	23.743 ACRES LANESVILLE	264.84	11022	ROBERTS EMILY E ROSS DEBORAH &	2.101 ACRES 1/5 MIN 98 ACRES	49.10
6370 6406	SCHNEBLE PATRICK SHAFFER ELOISE	LOT 5 STONE CAMP RIDGE N 1.60 ACRES ROYALTIES (ENGLER) PENNINGTON	238.48 49.10	11024	BOHM KENNETH MICHAEL ROTH MATTHEW & KAYLA	.69 AC LOT 3	297.72
6662	THE OLGERS GROUP INVESTMENT FIRM LLC	1/3 OF 1/2 MIN 19.7 &40 7/8 AC LOT 33 NORTH LAKE IV	745.50	11033 11034 11053	RUBENSTEIN DAVID RUBENSTEIN DAVID SCOTT DAVID J III	13.25 AC HORSESHOE RUN ROYALTIES 1117170100 SAGA 1.2 ACRE	217.82 49.10 419.92
6956 6986	WOO-HOO LLC WVTD LLC COMMON AREA	1.408 AC TRACT 5 .168 AC WINTERHAVEN PHASE II	1,125.00 104.26	11066	SCOTT LESLEY N SHAFFERMAN GARY C	.91 AC SLIP HILL	190.12
06-FAIF	RFAX	Total For 05-DRYFORK	48,780.01	11067 11083	SHAFFERMAN GARY C SILVER LINING RESOURCES LLC ET	.49 AC SLIP HILL ROYALTIES MEGA ENERGY	1,080.78 49.10
7281 7333 7352	CROSS AMY FORD HAMILTON L	.34 ACRE 4.77 AC SURFACE SNYDERS RUN LT 5 PIERCE	380.68 120.00 287.24	11105 11117 11153	SMITH ROGER C & REBECCA L SPECK JAMES E STEINMAN LARRY	3.46 AC LOCATION ROYALTIES PILLAR ENERGY ROYALTIES PILLAR ENERGY	111.36 49.10 49.10
7421 7422	GROSS TANYA N JOHNSON DONALD L JOHNSON DONALD L	LT 4 PIERCE 88 X 150 1.39 ACRES PIERCE	81.72 754.62	11156	STEMPLE DAVID E & DEBORAH R		364.42 <b>6,358.34</b>
7423 7424	JOHNSON DYLAN JOHNSON LONG RUN LLC	LOT 29 COKETON 1.50 AC NR THOMAS CORP	61.70 136.70	<b>12-THO</b> 11479	MAS CATHOLIC MOTHER LLC	PT LT 13 BANK THOMAS	5,588.32
7425	JOHNSON LONG RUN LLC	.662 DOUGLAS Total For 06-FAIRFAX	91.64 <b>1,914.30</b>			TUCKER PT LT 13 LT 1 HOTEL 60 X 120	246.74 557.64
<b>07-HAN</b> 7728 7811	<b>IBLETON</b> LIPSCOMB MICHAEL E SMITH CIARA B	LOTS 209 & 210 80 X 80 LOT 18 HAMBLETON	300.94 363.44	11482 11483 11539		LT 2 HOTEL 50 X 120 PARCEL VACATED BY CITY LT 54 BROWN ST	479.70 366.02 170.38
7812	SMITH CIARA B	LOT 17 Total For 07-HAMBLETON	313.20 <b>977.58</b>	11610	GOSS SAUNDRA K RANALLI WALTER J &	LT 12 THAYER BLDG 60 X 120	3,428.60
<b>08-HEN</b> 7854	DRICKS ADAMS TANYA ANN &	109 1/2	203.20	11755	GOSS MICHAEL NELSON BENJAMIN S	LOT 30	1,441.52
09-LICI	HAMNER HENRY	Total For 08-HENDRICKS	203.20	11822 11823 11827	RUBENSTEIN DAVID VICTOR RUBENSTEIN DAVID VICTOR SAYERS JOHN SAMUEL III		247.80 540.90 E 90.00
8185	BROWN THOMAS & PATRICIA A	1/2 - 151 - 2 RDS & 17 PERCHES MIN DRY RUN	58.28	11027	SATERS JOHN SAMUEL III	Total For 2024 Real Estate	13,157.62 112,318.46
8186 8187	BROWN THOMAS & PATRICIA A BROWN THOMAS & PATRICIA A	1/2 49 M (2 TR) LICKING CK	49.40 50.58		pplemental		
8188 8189	BROWN THOMAS E & PATRICIA A BROWN THOMAS E & PATRICIA A	1/2 367 1/2 65 20 MINERAL	58.66 84.24	8000002	CK FORK  3 AIKEN DEBORAH	2004 SUBA Lega	86.38
8190 8235 8287	BROWN THOMAS E & PATRICIA A CATHELL ROBERT W DIGMAN CLAUDE A	PRITT #7066 ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG	49.10 49.10 49.10	8000062	9 BARKLEY DONALD & REBECCA 6 BENNETT ROBERT 2 BENNETT SIERRA	2000 FORD RANG 2022 SUBA Lega 2005 CHEV Cava	76.62 323.20 82.04
8288 8320	DIGMAN LESLIE FULLER MARTHA P	ROYALTIES DOMINION EXP ROYALTIES DOMINION EXP	49.10 49.10 49.10			1994 FORD SUPE 1987 FORD F250 1973 FERR TRLR 2019 FORD F-25	392.76
8343	GUY MICHELLE	0950000010 DOMINION BLAIR W9854 7059 ROYALTY INTEREST	49.10	8000085	2 GODWIN DANIELLE	2020 FORD Expl 2019 RAM Ram 2003 2013 SUBA Lega	129.90
8364	HARSH ANNA KAY	12.9 AC LIMESTONE RE-SURVEYED 07/19/84	126.66	8000009	1 HECKLER JASON	2005 CHEV Colo 1992 FORD F150 2019 C 2021 FORD EcoS	CHEV Equi 259.38 223.46 156.98
8387 8469 8478	HOLT NORMA Y KOOB EDITH J LEE TERI	ROYALTIES DOMINION EXP ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG ROYALTIES DOM EXPL	49.10 49.10 49.10	8000062	3 HELMICK LYNETTE 9 KEY TREY 1 KNOTTS RICHARD W & TAMMY	2017 DODG Jour 2022 FORD F-15 1955 CHEV TRUC 1990 ACB 1990 PAI	468.04
8510 8512	MCCRUN JULIA MCNAMEE DOROTHY	ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG	49.10 49.10		7 MCCRUM ANGIE	2019 CHRY Paci 2012 FORD F-35 2019 JEEP Cher	233.34
8549 8584	MURPHY NADA NESTOR RILEY H	1/7 M 188 ACRES ROYALTIES CNG PRODUCING COMPANY		8000034	9 OWENS JEFFREY R 0 PENNINGTON ASHLEY	2021 JEEP Rene 2001 FORD F150 2018 KIA Fort	275.18 167.92
8715 8718 8732	ROOT JUDITH ANN CATHELL RUNNER DALE L SHAHAN ALLEN R	PRITT #7066 76.377 AC W SIDE CHEAT RIVER RT 72 DOMINION ROYALTY	49.10 630.48 49.10	8000035		2009 BMW 3 Se 2019 FORD Expe 2003 ASM TRLR 2007 DODG Ram 2014 J	102.22 344.34 (FEP Comp. 174.02
8733	SHAHAN ALLEN R	PRITT W10017 7066 ROYALTY SHAHAN	49.10	8000080	5 SHARP DANNY J 7 SHARP MICHELLE	2023 KIA Carn 2015 CHEV Silv 2018 JEEP Wran	584.96 276.12
8738 8740	SHAHAN CHARLES F SHAHAN CLYDE O	ROYALTIES DOM EXP DOMINION ROYALTY SHAHAN WELL	49.10 49.10	8000054	6 WARE BRETT	2000 FORD F150 2016 CHEV Trax 2018 CHEV Silv	157.04 332.22
8741 8751	SHAHAN CLYDE O SHAHAN MANERVIA	PRITT 7066 ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG	49.10 49.10		2 WINANS WILLIAM & ALISHA	2013 FORD Esca 2017 JEEP Wran Total For 01-BLACK FORK	367.08 <b>6,218.20</b>
8754 8773 8775	SHAHAN VIVIAN L SHROUT BRADLEY A SHROUT RAY	ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG 09924 I NESTOR DOMINION ENG ROYALTIES DOMINION ENG	49.10 49.10 49.10		7 KNOTTS RUSSELL K & LINDA	1997 CHEV Cava 1998 FORD F150 2015 JEEP Rene 2022 TOYO RAV4	75.68 418.52
8787 8788	SLIGER ELLIS D SLIGER ELLIS D	DOMINION ROYALTY SHAHAN WELL PRITT 7066	49.10 49.10		IS DISTRICT	Total For 02-CLOVER	494.20
8841 8842	THOMPSON ALICE H THOMPSON CLARK	0090000011 NESTOR W9924 7060 ROYALTIES DOMINION EXP	49.10 49.10		0 RICHARDSON DOUGLAS D	1984 CHEV K-10 Total For 03-DAVIS DISTRICT	73.92 <b>73.92</b>
8843 8853	THOMPSON DAVID VAN BUREN ELEANOR A (C0X)	ROYALTIES DOMINION EXP ROYALTY INTEREST DOMINION EXP BLAIR	49.10 49.10		IS CORPORATION 2 COOPER DANIEL & COLLINS MARY	2014 JEEP Cher	176.64
8901	WRIGHT MARY	PRITT 7066 Total For 09-LICKING	49.10 <b>2,532.00</b>		0 DELSIGNORE LAKEN S 4 DORSEY MICHELLE	2003 CHEV Impa 2000 FORD F150 1989 SCOT 26FT 2019	85.34 JEEP Gran 492.24
<b>10-PAR</b> 8938	ALDERMAN ROBERTA ET AL		189.92		4 HELSER JARED	2010 SUBA Fore 2008 TOYO Taco	152.80
8994 9046			1,170.44 106 391.65	8000021	9 MONTGOMERY CLYDE 1 PHILLIPS LUKE	2007 FORD Fusi 2007 TOYO Coro 2016 JEEP Patr	134.34 162.70 143.32
9047 9049 9050	BUSH MATTHEW J & ASHLY CABALLERO PABLO E CABALLERO PABLOE E	LOTS 107 108 & PT LOT PARSONS S PT LOT 35 CURRANCE ADD SOUTHERN PT LOT 36 2,865 SQ FT	106 197.18 745.46 106.30	05-DRY	9 POLING ROBERT D JR FORK	2000 HARL 2010 TOYO RAV4 Total For 04-DAVIS CORPORATION	
9078 9157	CARRAWAY PAT	LOTS 139 139 1/2 JAMESON	47.84 522.24	8000035	9 HOPKINS JAMES R 5 PRICE THOMAS	2021 FORD Rang 2016 SUBA Outb 2019 URAL GEAR	352.72 318.84
9158 9159	EDWARDS RICHARD & MELISSA EDWARDS RICHARD & MELISSA	1 PARCEL 8300 SQ FT	63.78 504.52		0 THE OLGERS GROUP INVESTMENT FIRM LLC	2024 MATE	1,295.82
9179	FILLER GARY & GLENDA & SYPOLT ANTHONY & TRACY GOSS LEO		549.34	8000085	9 WHITE TERESIA L	2011 TOYO RAV4 Total For 05-DRYFORK	129.90 <b>2,097.28</b>
9203 9217		PT LOT 7 CORNER OF MERRILL & VIRGINIA S LOT 217 PARCEL LW PARSONS ADD	365.82 347.40	8000009	O HEBB ALLICIAN 3 ROY MALCOLM	2010 CHEV Silv 2005 JEEP Gran 2002 2000 CHEV SILV 2011 ALUM 12 F	MAZD 155.26 89.32
9262	HEBB ROBERT D & JENNIFER E	LOTS 9 10 11	291.78		IBLETON	Total For 06-FAIRFAX	244.58
9263	HEBB ROBERT D & JENNIFER E	.34 AC. (RESURVEYED 7/06) LOTS 9 10 11 LOT 132 & 1/2 131	635.98		9 RHOADES JOHN  DRICKS	2001 OLDS ALER Total For 07-HAMBLETON	82.32 <b>82.32</b>
9401 9468	MARSH LEONA M  MULLENNEX CHARLES M JR	YELLOW SPRUCE ST	536.42 467.86	8000071	0 GATTO HELEN 5 MULLENAX PATSY ANN	2019 JEEP Gran 2020 MITS Outl 2009 SMAR FORT	345.28 322.92
9516	PARKS NORMAN LEE &	FRONT HALF JAMESON AVE PARCEL	324.36	8000004	0 PHILLIPS JONATHAN & PAIGE	1998 JEEP CHER 2016 FORD Expl Total For 08-HENDRICKS	287.02 <b>955.22</b>
9539	PENNINGTON BENNY	CORRICK ADD PT DEL 1/4 ACRE	415.60		0 BOYLES CIERRA	2004 CHEV Cava 2017 KIA Spor	240.20
9540	PENNINGTON KELLY PENNINGTON BENNY D	LOT 214 & 1/2 A PENNINGTON KELLY L	643.42	8000006	7 BOYLES DONNA 7 CARR ISALLEA 7 EDWARDS RICHARD & MELISSA	1961 FORE CAMP 2004 CHEV Cava 2022 FORD EcoS 2004 DODG Ram 2008 FORD Fusi	87.40 271.78 132.34
9550	PIFER RODNEY D NICKLOW HEATHER L	LOT 9 COFFMAN ADD	476.36		6 FANSLER ANDREW LIPTRAP ELIZABETH	2017 GMC Sier 2012 GMC Acad	420.82
9558		5 FT OF LOT 8 CORRICK ADD	62.54	8000008	2 GRAFTON DUSTIN	2000 FORD F250 2014 GMC Sier 2010 D 2016 HYUN Velo 2020 DODG Dura 1999 JE	EEP GRAN 525.38
9559 9574	PITZER PHILLIP MARK PITZER ALISHA DAWN POLING SANDRA D	LOT 7 CORRICK ADD PT LOT 41 & 42 RAIL ROAD ST	438.80	8000058		2020 CHEV Equi 2020 RAM Ram 2009 CHEV Silv 2013 DODG Aven	287.98 481.82 206.06
9574 9593	POLING SANDRA D REIN JOHN Y REIN JUDITH A	PT LOT 41 & 42 RAILROAD ST LOT OR 1/2 A PARSONS	210.28 434.92	8000088	5 LILLER SHAYNE 7 LONG JESSICA 2 LOWER JEREMY	2017 SUBA Impr 2007 PONT G6 1999 HAUL TRLR 2005	220.54
9609 9610	ROY SETH ROY SETH	JAMESON ST EXT LOT 8 BIK "B" JAMESON ST (EXT) LOT 9 BIK "B"	93.72 102.22	8000003	6 MULLENNEX DONNA	2007 CHEV Silv 2006 HARL FLST 2017 JEEP Cher	330.82
9611 9612	ROY SETH ROY SETH	JAMESON ST EXT LOT 10 BIK "B" LOT 11 BLOCK B LONG ST	102.22 400.36	8000086 8000022	2 PENNINGTON CODY 1 PETRICE MARYJANE	2012 CHEV Silv 2006 ACUR MDX	220.80 98.08
9613 9614 9615	ROY SETH ROY SETH ROY SETH	LOT 12 BLK B NURSERY ADD JAMESON ST EXT LOT 23 BLK "B" JAMESON ST EXT LOT 24 BLK "R"	102.22 93.72 93.72	8000050	6 PITZER PHILLIP 0 POLING SANDRA 2 SIMMONS DYLAN	1997 KIA SPOR 1987 AMER WRA 2013 TOYO RAV4 2001 JEEP WRAN	77.10 186.48 106.74
9615 9616 9617	ROY SETH ROY SETH ROY SETH	JAMESON ST EXT LOT 24 BLK "B"  JAMESON ST EXT LOT 25 BLK "B"  LOT 26 BLK "B" JAMESON ST EXT	93.72 93.72 93.72	8000055	2 SIMMONS DYLAN 9 STONE RICHARD 0 WAYBRIGHT JESSICA	2011 FORD F-15 2012 FORD Edge	159.52 142.46
9618 9619	ROY SETH ROY SETH	LOT 27 BLK B NURSERY ADD LOT 28 BLK B NURSERY ADD	93.72 93.72		SHAFFER CHAD 8 WENTH STEPHANIE	2020 DODG Jour	263.80
9620 9692	ROY SETH SNYDER GRACE	LOT 29 BLK B NURSERY ADD E SIDE SHAVERS FORK 2 LOTS	119.76 173.08		T GEORGE	Total For 10-PARSONS	4,979.02
9698	SPONAUGLE TERRY L & PHYLLIS M	RIVER AVE PT LOT 10 PARK ADDITION	62.02		5 HEDRICK TAMMY 5 LIPSCOMB JOHN E & JENNIFER	2016 FORD Esca 2020 CHEV Spar 2016 CHEV Silv 2019 KA 2022 PALO PUMA 1987 CHEV C10	143.84 WA MULE 418.13
9699	SPONAUGLE TERRY L & PHYLLIS M	LOT 9 BLOCK N PARK ADD	259.18	(2)			nued on next page

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11-SAINT GEORGE continued from previous page 2019 FORD Rang 80000574 MINEAR ANDREW 312.32 2008 GMC Acad 80000303 STEMPLE DIANNAH 90.80**Total For 11-SAINT GEORGE** 965.09 12-THOMAS 80000139 BENNETT CALEB 2002 TOYO Sien 90.28 80000167 ISAACS-DUNN ALISON 2019 TOYO 4Run 411.06 2022 CHRY Paci 80000923 ISKOW JENNIFER 470.20 2019 FORD F-15 1990 DAIH 2007 HOND PPP 80000061 JOHNSON DYLAN 385.82 80000107 PENNINGTON SHANNA 2021 CHEV Equi 311.58 2006 TOYO Sien 1997 GMC SIER 2006 CARR TRLR 161.98 80000003 SNIDER KURT 2008 TOYO Sien 2004 FORD F250 80000187 WALKER JENNA 2010 LAND LR2 1 06.00 **Total For 12-THOMAS** 

Any of the aforesaid tracts or lots, or part thereof or an undivided interest therein, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before certification to the 17 Auditor, of the total amount of taxes, interest, and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption by credit card, cashier's check, money order, certified check or United States currency. Payment must be received in the tax office by the close of business on the last business 20 day prior to the certification.

After certification to the Auditor, any of the aforesaid tracts or lots may be redeemed by any person entitled to pay the taxes thereon at any time prior to the sale by payment to the Auditor 23 of the total amount of taxes, interest, and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption.

> Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_ Sheriff & Treasurer of TUCKER County

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#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS CANAAN VALLEY PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT TUCKER COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA WATER METER REPLACEMENT

#### General Notice

Canaan Valley Public Service District (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following

#### Water Meter Replacement

T10-11016 Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Canaan Valley Public Service District located at 6563 Appalachian Highway, Davis, WV 26260 until Tuesday October 21, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Equipment: Procurement of a complete cellular Advanced Meter Infrastructure System for approximately 450 customers. including meters and meter reading equipment. This project is for the purchase, delivery, and commissioning only. This Contract does not include installation.

Bids are requested for the following Contract: Water Meter Replacement The Equipment will be substantially completed within 180 calendar days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run, and completed and ready for final payment within 210 days after the date when the

Contract Times commence to run. Liquidated damages shall be \$250 per day. **Obtaining the Bidding Documents** Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:

https://tinyurl.com/zu5z8553

www.thethrashergroup.com

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website. Prospective Bidders are urged to register with the designated website as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated website. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated website. The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

The Thrasher Group, Inc. 600 White Oaks Blvd Bridgeport, WV 26330

Prospective Bidders may obtain or examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office. Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office by paying the amount of each set listed below.

Bidding Documents may be purchased from the Issuing Office during the hours indicated above. Cost does not include shipping charges. Upon Issuing Office's receipt of payment, printed Bidding Documents or electronic documents will be transmitted to the prospective Bidder. The shipping charge amount will depend on the shipping method requested. Bidding Documents are available for purchase in the following formats:

Bidding Documents issued in hard copy format are available for \$50.00 per set.

Bidding Documents issued in digital format are available for \$40.00 per set via the following link: QuestCDN: https://tinyurl.com/zu5z8553

Amounts paid are not subject to refund.

Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office. Bidding Documents also may be examined at

Canaan valley PSD The Thrasher Group, Inc. 157 Bensland Road 600 White Oaks Boulevard

Davis, WV 26260 Bridgeport, WV 26330 Contractor's Association of WV

2114 Kanawha Boulevard East Charleston, WV 25311

A two envelope system will be used. Envelope No. 1 must have the following Information presented on the front:

Name and address of Bidder

Bid on Contract - Water Meter Replacement Received by the Cannan Valley Public Service District

Envelope No. 2 labeled "Bid Proposal" shall also be placed inside Envelope No. 1.

Envelope No. I will be opened first and The Bid Opening Requirements items checked for compliance as outlined on the Bid Opening Checklist on page BOR-I of these contract documents. If such documents are found to be in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal", will then be opened and will be publicly read aloud. If the documents required to be contained in Envelope No. 1 are not in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal" will not be opened and the Bid will be considered non-responsive and will be returned to the Bidder.

A Bidder may not withdrawal his bid for a period of 90 days after the date set for the opening of Bids. Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to Canaan Valley Public Service District in an amount equal to five (5%) of the base bid.

A bidder may not withdraw his bid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening of bids. DBE Requirements - Each Bidder must fully Comply with the Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, and Affirmative Action Requirements, as identified in the contract documents. The Bidder agrees to make "positive efforts" to subcontract a portion of the total value of the contract to

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises. This shall be done in compliance with the six (6) affirmative steps as outlined in 40 CFR 33.240. Failure to demonstrate positive efforts to do so may lead to rejection of bids. For this program, the term "subcontract" includes all construction, modification, and service work contracted for by the bidder in the execution of the work under this contract. Build America, Buy America Requirements - P.L. 117-58, Infrastructure Investment and Jobs (IIJA) Act, 2021

(Act), includes a "Build America, Buy America (BABA)" requirement in Sections 70911 through 70917 that requires Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund (CWSRF) and Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund (DWSRF) assistance recipients to use iron, steel, manufactured products, and construction materials that are produced in the United States for projects for the construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water system or treatment works. A BABA waiver has been applied for water meters.

American Iron and Steel Requirement - P.L. 113-76 Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014 (ACT), includes an "American Iron and Steel" (AIS) requirement in section 436 that requires Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund (CWSRF) and Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund (DWSRF) assistance recipients to use iron and steel products that are produced in the United States for projects for the construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water system or treatment works

Suspension and Debarment - Recipient shall not entertain the use of businesses that are listed on the "System for Award Management" (SAM) at www.Sam.gov in accordance with 2 CFR Part 1532 and Subpart B and C of2 CFR Pan 180.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this invitation for bids are expected to be funded in part by grants and loans from: the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection State Revolving Fund. Neither the United States, the State of West Virginia nor any of their departments, agencies or employees are or will be a party to this invitation to bid or any resulting contract.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidders. Bids received by Contractors that did not attend the Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be returned unopened to the Bidders. **Pre-bid Conference** 

A mandatory pre-bid conference for the Project will be held on Thursday, October 2, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. virtually via Microsoft Teams. Bids will not be accepted from Bidders that do not attend the mandatory Pre-Bid conference.

#### **Microsoft Teams**

https://tinyurl.com/CanaanWTP Meeting ID: 263 765 170 274 5 Passcode: qC6wi2z3

Dial in by phone

+1 304-935-0841

Phone conference ID: 568 010 112# Instructions to Bidders.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

This Advertisement is issued by: Owner: Canaan Valley Public Service District

By: Robert Metzger Title: Chairman

Date: Wednesday, September 17th and Wednesday, September 24th

#### LEGAL

I have before me the accounts of the Executor or Administrator of the estates of the following deceased persons:

Personal Representative(s) Deceased Lorren Hugh DeMotto Michael B. DeMotto 1st publication 9/17/25 185 Chenoweth Drive 2nd publication 9/25/25 Elkins, WV 26241 Rebecca Ann Woods Timmothy Jones 1st publication 9/17/25 708 Kight Rd. Eglon,  $\overline{WV}$  26716 2nd publication 9/25/25 And

Chanel Payne 11820 Taft Dr.

Fredericksburg, VA 22407 Claims against any estate must be filed within sixty days of the date of first publication. Any person seeking to impeach or establish a will must make a complaint to the Tucker County Commission, Tucker County Clerk, 211 First St., Suite 205, Parsons, WV. Any person objecting to the qualifications of the personal representative or the venue or jurisdiction of the court must be filed with County Commission within sixty days after the date of first publication or thirty days of service of the notice,

ATTEST: SHERRY SIMMONS, TUCKER COUNTY CLERK

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ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that ROSE HOLDINGS LLC, 70 COLUMBIA BLVD, CLARKSBURG, WV 26301, has submitted an application for Permit Number Q201489 to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), 47 School Street, Suite 301, Philippi, WV 26416-1600. This modification is to add acquired additional acreage to the permit (93.15 acres). This is the total acreage for this modification. Of that acreage only 27.04 acres will be used for surface operations. 93.15 acres will be added to the underground mining operation. The operation is discharging into Brushy Fork of Teter Creek and is located near MOATSVILLE in CLOVER District of Tucker County, Longitude 79 49 27.4 and Latitude 39 11 38.9 (Coordinates from USGS Topo-

\*Surface of the area within 500 feet of the permit area is owned by:

NAME	ADDRESS
Rose Holdings, LLC	70 Columbia Blvd, Clarksburg, WV 26301
Janet Shade	223 Randy Land, Coraopolis, PA 15108
Rodney D. Shaffer	490 Tacy Road, Philippi, WV 26416
Allegheny Forest Lands, LLC	1652 Skyview Mountain Rd, Moatsville, WV 26405
Bruce, Jahn, Richard Mentzer	186 W Prospect Ave, Pittsburhg, PA 15205
Mark Spessert	226 Hermitage Dr, Martinsburg, WV 25405
Coastal Forest Resources	8809 Lenox Pointe Dr, Charlotte, NC 28273
Joyce Brochert (Kerr)	1240 Shawnee TRL, Carrollton, TX 75007
Baxter Spessert & Kines Marsh	4646 Nestorville Road, Philippi, WV 26416

Comments on the application shall be in writing and shall identify the applicant and application number and be sent to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) at the address above. Comments received by October 10, 2025, or thirty (30) days from the date of initial date of publication, will be considered. A copy of the application will be available until October 10, 2025, or thirty (30) days from initial date of pub-

lication in the DEP Regional Office located at the address above and is available at:  $http://apps.dep.wv.gov/WebApp/\_dep/Search/ePermitting/ePermittingApplicationSearchPage.cfm.\\$ The above link can be accessed from a computer at all West Virginia public libraries

\*These items are to be completed only for modifications that change the boundaries of the current permit. DEP Telephone Number: 304-457-3219 Include location map including north arrow and longitude/latitude which crosses the permit area.

94 000 3 BARBOUR COUNTY TUCKER COUNTY Nearest Post Office 89 is Moatsville, 6.9 Mi. west of the site

Permit No. Q201489 QMOD #15 WVNPDES Permit No. WV1023632 Cove District, Barbour County WV Clover District, Tucker County WV 1" = 1 Mile

Receiving Stream: Brushy Fork of Teter Creek of the Tygart Valley River of the Monongagela River

Rose Holdings LLC 70 Columbia Blvd Clarksburg, West Virginia 26301

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#### WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Division of Highways NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received electronically by the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways through the Bid Express Bidding Service (www.bidx.com) and by sealed proposals (only when prequalification is waived) being received at its office in Building 5, Room 843, 1900 Kanawha Boulevard East, Charleston, West Virginia until November 18, 2025 at 10:00 AM (Eastern Standard Time). The bids will be downloaded and/or opened and read publicly thereafter for the constructions of the following project(s):

Call Contract State Project Federal Project Description 003 2024470003 S347-032-13.68 00 NHPP-0032(052)D

ASPHALT PAVING Davis Bridge - Boulder Park Davis Bridge to Boulder Park COUNTY: TUCKER

3 % OF CONTRACT BID AMOUNT. BIDDER MUST PROVIDE WRITTEN DBE GOAL: **REMARKS:** ASSURANCE OF MEETING GOAL ON FORM IN PROPOSAL

Proposals will be received from prequalified and West Virginia licensed contractors only except that on Federal-Aid Projects a contractors' licence is not required at time of bid, but will be required before work can begin. Registration is required with the Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, in accordance with Chapter 5A, Article 3, Section 12 of the West Virginia Code. All contractors submitting bids on project(s) must include one of the following forms properly executed with each proposal: Proposal Guaranty Bond, Cashier's Check, or Certified Check for \$500.00 or 5% of the total bid, whichever is greater.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways reserves the right to defer, delay or postpone the date for receiving and publicly opening proposals for any project designated in this advertisement, without the necessity of renewing such advertisement. The deferment, delay, postponement, and the date that proposals will be received and publicly opened will be available on www.bidx.com.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award.

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Tariff Form No. 8-C PUBLIC NOTICE OF CHANGE IN RATES UPON APPLICATION

(Tariff Rule No. 30-C)

NOTICE is hereby given that Canaan Valley Gas Company, a public utility, has filed with the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA an application containing increased rates, tolls and charges for furnishing natural gas service to 721 customers at Canaan Valley, Tucker County, West Virginia.

The proposed increased rates and charges will become effective November 1, 2025, unless otherwise ordered by the Public Service Commission, and will produce approximately \$116,012 annually in increased revenue, an increase of 8.030%. The average monthly bill for a residential customer using 8 Mcf and a commercial customer using 43 Mcf will be changed as follows:

(\$) INCREASE (%) INCREASE Residential \$ 10.80 8.6% \$ 58.05 8.4% Commercial

The increases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated classes. Individual customers may receive increases that are greater or less than average. Furthermore, the requested increased rates and charges are only a proposal and are subject to change (increases or decreases) by the Public Service Commission in its review of this filing. Any increase in rates and charges will not become effective until authorized and approved by the Public Service Commission. (If a hearing is scheduled, notice will be given of the time and place of hearing.)

A complete copy of the tariff, as well as a representative of the Company to provide any information requested concerning it, is available to all customers, prospective customers or their agents at the offices of Canaan Valley Gas Company, Cortland Road, Canaan Valley, West Virginia. A copy of the tariff is also available for public inspection at the offices of the Secretary of the Public Service Commission at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, WV 25301.

The Rule 30C procedure is designed to provide a procedure for changing rates charged to customers by natural gas distribution utilities based exclusively on the costs of purchased gas. Consequently, protest should be limited to the reasonableness of such costs and the method by which they are calculated. Anyone desiring to protest or intervene should file a written protest or notice of intervention within twenty-five (25) days following the date of this publication, unless otherwise modified by Commission order. Failure to timely intervene can affect your rights to protest any rate increases and to participate in future proceedings. Request to intervene must comply with the Commission's rules on intervention. All protests and intervention should be addressed to The Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323.

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#### **Tucker County Schools**

#### Fall Speech and Audiology Screenings and Rechecks Scheduled

Tucker County Schools will be conducting the fall speech and audiology screenings/rechecks in our schools. Speech and/or Hearing screenings are scheduled to take place on October 6-7, 2025.

Students who will be screened are as follows:

- All students entering school for the first time who have not been screened at school;
- All students who have been referred for speech or hearing re-screenings; and
- · Any teacher referrals for screening.

Parents will be notified if any student should not pass the screening(s).

Those who do not wish their child to be screened must contact their respective school in writing. For additional information, you can contact the Tucker County Schools Special Education Department at 304-478-2771.

#### LEGAL

Tariff Form No. 8 (Tariff Rule No. 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE OF CHANGE IN RATES WITH PROPOSED DATES NOTICE is hereby given that Canaan Valley Gas Company, a public utility, has filed with the PUBLIC SER-VICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA, revised tariff sheets containing increased rates and charges for

furnishing natural gas service to 740 customers at Canaan Valley, Tucker County, West Virginia. The proposed increased rates and charges will become effective October 17, 2025, unless otherwise ordered by the Public Service Commission and will produce approximately \$ 358,391 annually in additional revenue, an

increase of 26.16%. The average monthly bill for the various classes of customers will be changed as follows: Avg. Usage (\$) INCREASE

Nonresidential 38.27 Mcf

There are no resale customers. The increases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated class. Each class may receive an increase or decrease greater or less than stated here. Individual customers may receive increases that are greater or less than average. Furthermore, the requested increased rates and charges are only a proposal and are subject to change (increases or decreases) by the Public Service Commission in its review of this filing. Any increase in rates and charges will not become effective until authorized and approved by the Public Service Commission. If a hearing is conducted, notice will be given of the time and place of hearing.

Anyone desiring to protest or intervene should file a written protest or petition to intervene prior to October 17, 2025, unless otherwise modified by Commission order. Failure to timely protest or intervene can affect your rights to protest any rate increases and to participate in future proceedings. All protests or request to intervene should briefly state the reason for the protest or intervention. Requests to intervene must comply with the Commission's rules on intervention. All protests and interventions should be addressed to Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323

A complete copy of the tariff, as well as a representative of the Company to provide any information requested concerning it, is available to all customers, prospective customers, or their agents at the office of Canaan Valley Gas Company, 622 Main St., Beverly, West Virginia.

A copy of this tariff is also available for public inspection at the office of the Executive Secretary of the PUB-LIC SERVICE COMMISSION at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia

## The Grant County Bank Donates \$9,500 to Petersburg **Volunteer Fire Department for Life-Saving Equipment**

Petersburg, W.Va. — September 8, 2025 — The Grant County Bank proudly announced a \$9,500 donation to the Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company to support the purchase of new self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) air packs. This vital equipment will help ensure firefighter safety while they continue to serve and protect the community.

The donation was presented on behalf of The Grant County Bank by Shelley Mongold, Vice President of Loan Operations, Jeffrey Reedy, Senior Vice President & CFO, and Scotty Miley, Vice President of Retail Lending.

"Our firefighters are on the front lines every day, often entering hazardous conditions to protect lives and property," said Jeffrey Reedy. "We are honored to support the Petersburg Volunteer Fire Department with the tools they need to perform their duties safely and effectively."

SCBA air packs are critical for allowing firefighters to safely enter environments filled with smoke, toxic gases, and life-threatening other conditions. Each unit, which includes an air pack, mask, and spare cylinder, costs approxi-\$9,500. mately The



Scotty Miley, Hunter Whetzel (Deputy Chief), Shelley Mongold, and Jeffrey Reedy.

Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company is working to replace outdated equipment that no longer meets current safety standards.

"The Grant County Bank has always been committed to strengthening our community," added Shelley Mongold. "Supporting our first responders is one way we can give back to the people who work tirelessly to keep us safe."

"Our local firefighters are our neighbors, friends, and family members," said Scotty Miley. "We are proud to stand beside them and help provide the resources

they need to do their jobs safely."

The Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company expressed gratitude for the donation, noting that updated SCBA units will help ensure the safety of their firefighters and improve their ability to respond to emergencies across Petersburg and surrounding areas.

#### About Grant County Bank

Grant County The Bank was chartered as a West Virginia state bank on August 6, 1902 and began operations on August 15 with its first office in Petersburg, WV. Our mission of providing financial services and products to families, small businesses, and the agricultural community has served both our customers and the bank well over the years.

Subsequently, The Grant County Bank has expanded its marketplace throughout the Potomac Highlands and now operates a total of seven offices in six counties. After more than a century of continued service, The Grant County Bank is truly "Committed to The Communities We Serve" and is a subsidiary of Highlands Bankshares, Inc., also headquartered in Petersburg, WV.

## Yards of the Month - September

The Mountaineer Garden Club recently selected their Yards of the Month for September.



Mr. Kenny Teagarden received recognition for his unique banana trees that he has tended to for many years and one is more than 20 feet in height. Two recommendations he provided for successful growing are to plant your banana trees in full sunlight and in soil that is moist. After the fall frost, he will remove the banana leaves and place the in his flower beds to compost. Around the town of Parsons are many banana trees that he has given to others to start their own.



Mrs. Rita Jones of Crayfish Way received recognition for her beautiful pick and yellow roses along with Black-eyed Susan's and Autumn Fall sedum that grace her home along Smokey Hollow Road. Also a beautiful one- star American flag adorns her front porch.





The Hair Haven, located along Rt. 219, beautifully welcomes customers and visitors alike to the town of Parsons with colorful flower displays of petunias and other greenery in their many window boxes. Also beside their main entrance are large ferns that are quite majestic.



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Attend the Pilgrim's poultry grower workshop at 1 p.m. October 15, 2025 at the Pilgrim's Moorefield Fresh Plant and learn more!

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- Earn a living, not just a paycheck

Call 304-278-3344 or email larkin.dunkle@pilgrims.com to register.

Deadline to register is October 10, 2025.



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## Obituaries

#### Joseph Benden October 12, 1938- September 6, 2025

Joseph Leonard Benden, 86, of Eldersburg, passed away peacefully September 6, 2025 at the Dove House in Westminister, MD after a long battle with dementia.

Joe was born on October 12, 1938 to Harold and Ethel Benden in Gallitzen,

He was a Veteran of the U.S. Navy and D.C. Air National Guard/A.A.F.

He had a successful career in complex technologies. He built the first ever CAT scan machine, a highlight of his career, along with assembling hardware that went into space.

His hobbies included tennis, hunting. woodworking, and knife making. He especially enjoyed spending time with his grandkids and was blessed to have spent 48 years with the love of his life, Faye.

Joe is survived by his daughter, Denise, along with her husband Bryan and their children Samantha and Sydney. Also by his son David and his wife Kelly and their son, Kyle. He was prodeceased by his wife, Faye (Eye) of Red Creek, WV and grandson Nicholas, Denise and Bryan's son.

Joe is also survived by brothers Milton and Harold and sisters Mary and Margo as well as his parter Anita Zepp of Eldersburg,

Interment will take place at Flannigan Hill Cemetery in Red Creek, WV.

## Parsons VFD Receives Generous Donation to Support Fire Station Operations and **Enhance Community Disaster Response**

GENERAC

Parsons Volunteer Fire Department is pleased to announce the receipt of a generous donation from Dominion Energy, Tucker Community Foundation, Kingsford Manufacturing and the City of Parsons, which was used to purchase a critical generator for the fire station. This contribution will significantly enhance the operational efficiency, ensuring that they can continue to serve our community effectively during both routine operations and disaster scenarios.

The new generator will provide essential backup power, allowing the fire station to remain operational during power outages caused by natural disasters, such as storms, floods, or wildfires. This will ensure that our firefighters, and emergency response teams can respond to emergencies without interruption, providing faster assistance and support to residents in need.

"We are incredibly grateful for this generous donation," said Kevin White, Fire Chief of Parsons VFD. "In times of disaster, it is essential that we have the resources needed to respond without delay. This generator will not only improve the fire station's ability to operate during power outages but will also increase our ability to provide immediate assistance to those in the community when they need it the most."

The donation was made possible by the continued partnerships between Dominion Energy, Tucker Community Foundation, Kingsford Manufacturing, the City of Parsons and Parsons VFD. Their support demonstrates a shared commitment to public safety and community welfare.

"Supporting our local fire station is one of the best ways we can contribute to the safety and well-being of our community," said Bruce Kolsun, Mayor of Parsons. "We are all proud to help ensure that PVFD has the tools it needs to operate efficiently and respond to emergencies without interruption."

The new generator is fully operational, and the fire station will continue to provide the high level of service the community has come to rely on.

## **Sports**

## **Tucker Valley Middle School Volleyball Battles Kasson and Elkins**

By: Adam Freeman

The Tucker Valley Middle School volleyball teams faced tough competition last week, taking on Kasson on Monday and Elkins on Thursday in both home and away matches. The Wildcats showed durable performances across their JV and Varsity squads, with notable efforts in serving, blocking, and teamwork.

The JV Wildcats played a competitive three-set match against Kasson. In the first set, Kosi Slaughbough led the team with strong serving as Tucker Valley secured a 25-21 win. Kasson bounced back in the second set with a 25-17 victory, despite solid play from Kylea Shae Boyles. In the decisive third set, Whitley Fowler stepped up with excellent serves, helping Tucker Valley close out the match with a 25-15 win. Maci Owens made her presence known at the net with several key blocks throughout the match.

In Thursday's home match against Elkins, the JV team again went to three sets. The Wildcats took the first set 25-15 behind consistent serving from Kosi Slaughbough and strong blocking from both Slaughbough and Owens. Elkins edged out a 25-23 win in a tightly contested second set, with MiKenley Williams leading in serves and contributing several good bumps and sets alongside Boyles. The Wildcats dominated the third set 25-8, with Avery Decker serving as the top server and Owens continuing her strong blocking performance.

The Varsity squad faced a tough Kasson team and dropped both sets. Kasson took the first set 25-10, despite solid serving efforts from Mia Lambert. In the second set, Tucker Valley improved their play, with Marlee Evans leading in serves, but ultimately fell 25-18.

Tucker Valley Varsity also came up short in their two-set match against Elkins. The first set ended 25-10 in Elkins' favor, with standout serving from Laila George and Aleena Reed. In the second set, Elkins sealed the win 25-8. Despite the loss, the Wildcats had several spikes from Mia Lambert and Laila George, and strong blocking at the net from Ally Wright and Aleena Reed.

The Wildcats are set to the court again on Monday, September 22 against West

## Area's Annual Discovery Summit Taking Place at Snowshoe This Week Elkins, West Virginia - The Appala-

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chian Forest National Heritage Area is excited to host its annual Discovery Summit this week at the scenic Allegheny Springs Lodge at Snowshoe Mountain Resort, an opportunity to connect, learn, and explore with those invested in the past and future of the Appalachian Forest Highlands.

On September 18th, AFNHA welcomes you to join them for a full day of networking, discovery, and learning from some of the region's top historians, conservationists, and community members. On September 19th, we'll step out of the conference room and into the field for exciting tours of Green Bank Observatory, Fort Warwick, and Cass Scenic Railroad State Park.

Speakers for Thursday will include representatives from the US Forest Service, Central Appalachian Spruce Restoration Initiative, Greenbrier Historical Society, Fort Warwick, Snowshoe Mountain, and Cacapon Preservation Solutions. The speakers will touch on topics such as the restoration of the Mower Tract, a 40,000 acre landscape acquired by the Monongahela National Forest in the mid-1980s, archaeology within heritage tourism, and the 80-plus year history of the tannery in Paw Paw, West Virginia.

Friday will include behind-the-scenes tours of prominent locations in Pocahontas County. The day will begin with a special high-tech tour of Green Bank Observatory before visiting Fort Warwick, a colonial frontier fort. Following lunch at Shays Restaurant, the group will go behind-the-scenes of the old machine

shop at Cass Scenic Railroad State Park. Visitors can expect an exciting day experiencing a few of the most significant places in West Virginia.

Rooms are available at Snowshoe Mountain Resort and can be purchased at www.snowshoemtn.com or by calling 877-441-4386. Our final tickets for the summit are available for only \$15, and tours on Friday are offered as a complimentary summit add-on option. Tickets can be purchased via the link at appalachianforestnha.org/conference. questions, please contact afnha@afnha. org or call 304-636-6182.

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Don't miss out on the exploration and conversation at the 2025 Appalachian Forest Discovery Summit!

The Appalachian Forest National Heritage Area conserves, interprets, and promotes forest heritage to enhance landscapes and communities in the highlands of West Virginia and

Maryland. AFNHA works with partners to accomplish this through community development, conservation, celebrating cultural heritage, and creating opportunities for transformational experiences. AFNHA is a member of the National Heritage Area System. To learn more, see www.appalachianforestnha.

## **Davis-Thomas Bears Volleyball Rolls Through Week with Key Wins**

By: Adam Freeman

The Davis-Thomas Bears volleyball teams had a busy and exciting week on the

On Monday, the Bears traveled to South Preston and came away with dominant wins. Both the JV and varsity squads secured victories in straight sets, setting a positive tone for the week

Wednesday brought more excitement as Central Preston visited Davis-Thomas. The gym was buzzing with energy as both matches delivered thrilling moments. Once again, the Bears came out on top in both JV and varsity contests, continuing their winning streak.

On Saturday, the varsity team hit the road to compete in the Serve City Classic, hosted by Central Preston. Davis-Thomas started strong, earning a victory over Barrackville in their opening match. However,



Jacey Helmick sends the serve.

the competition stiffened, and the Bears dropped their next two games to Mountaineer Middle and East

The Bears will be back in

action this week with two home matches. They will host East Preston on Monday, followed by a match against Tucker Valley on

Wednesday. Falcons Too Much for Mt. Lions, Tucker Falls 48-8



Luke Barb carries the ball on the end around. (Photo by Brittany Channell)

By: Adam Freeman

The Tucker County Mt. Lions suffered their first regular season loss since 2022 this past Friday in Frankfort. The Falcons, who won the AA state title last season and completed an undefeated year, have carried that momentum into this fall.

Frankfort outscored the Mt. Lions 14-0 in both the first and second quarters to take a 28-0 lead into halftime. The only score of the third quarter also came from the Falcons,



Keelyn Eichelberger finds the end zone. (Photo by Brittany Channell)

extending their lead to 35-0.

Tucker got on the board in the fourth quarter when quarterback Sam Marks connected with wide receiver Keelyn Eichelberger on a 23-yard touchdown pass. Cayden Arnold added the two-point conversion, cutting the deficit to 35-8.

However, the Falcons answered immediately with a 60-yard kickoff return for a touchdown on the ensuing play, sealing the game at 48-8.

Frankfort dominated the ground game, rushing for 284



Coach Tyler Anderson discusses a play with Gunnar Carroll. (Photo by Brittany Channell)

yards and earning 21 first downs. The Mt. Lions had a balanced offensive attack, totaling 95 passing yards and 90 rushing yards. Marks went 7-for-15 for 95 yards, with one touchdown and one interception. Reid Kisamore led the receiving corps with four catches for 59 yards, while Luke Barb carried the ball 11 times for 63 yards.

Tucker will return home and look to get back to their winning ways this Friday, September 26th, at 7:00 p.m. as they host the Webster County Highlanders.

## The Train is Running Again at the Parsons Depot!

Mark your calendars and get on board. The Tucker County Historical Society is sponsoring a reception and program to introduce our new Model Train Exhibit which is now up and running at the Depot. The date is Sunday afternoon, September 28, 2025 beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the Parsons Depot.

Plan on spending a pleasant afternoon enjoying the exhibit and listening to some really good music and story telling presented by our own local troubadour, Doug Spears. Doug graciously accepted the Historical Society's invitation to entertain our guests and describes himself as "a veteran performing songwriter with a storyteller's soul". Although Doug is a Floridian, he and his family spend the warmer months on the banks of the Cheat River in Tucker County. He has earned recognition for his songwriting from many sources including the International Acoustic Music Awards. The Savannah Folk Music Society says, "Great songs combined with fine guitar playing and entertaining, informative patter make Doug a sure-fire success with any audience." Doug has consented to include a couple train songs in his presentation and perhaps an audience sing-

After the performance, plan on staying around to enjoy refreshments and visiting with one another.

The model train set was originally owned by John Bush, owner of Piccolo Paula's. You may have seen it running around the tracks in restaurants John previously owned. Several months ago, John donated the entire set to the Historical Society to be displayed as an attraction at the Depot. Mark Warner reassembled the entire set at the Depot with skill and effort, and even some danger from working atop a very high ladder. The train runs on tracks located overhead and around the perimeter of the room. It passes by a village and over a large railroad bridge. Mark will be on hand to answer questions about what it took to put it up.

The Tucker County Historical Society is pleased to sponsor gatherings such as this one for the public's enjoyment and education. We are open to suggestions from those of you who think you have a good program idea and invite you to bring it to our attention.



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