

PUBLIC NOTICES

IN THE 25TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI

Division: Probate
Case Number:
25TE-PR00156

In the Estate of JOETTA KAY WOOD, deceased.

Notice of Administration Granted (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JOETTA KAY WOOD, Decedent:

On DECEMBER 18, 2025, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of JOETTA KAY WOOD, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Texas County, Missouri.

The personal representative's address is:

LINDSAY M. DUFF-WOOD, 1143 W. HOVEY STREET, SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

MARK EDWARD RECTOR, 135 HARWOOD, PO BOX 1700, LEBANON, MO 65536.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after Decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of decedent's death: 09-OCT-2025

Date of first publication: January 8, 2026

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above ref-

erenced Circuit Court.

/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk
BY: Bobbi Martin, Deputy Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In The Matter Of Bryan Lee Scott, A Minor.

Estate No.
25TE-PR00066

NOTICE ON ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Natural Mother, Shanelle Helm:

You are hereby notified that an action for Appointment of Guardian has been commenced in the Circuit Court, County of TEXAS by a Petition for Appointment of Guardian for Minor, the object and general nature of which is to obtain stepparent adoption by Petitioner Kimberly Saunders.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner Kayla N. Dils, Allen & Rector P.C., 330 Historic Route 66 E. Waynesville, Missouri 65583.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleadings or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid Petition for Appointment of Guardian For Minor within forty-five (45) days after the 15TH day of JANUARY, 2026 judgment by default will be rendered against you and a Judgment and Order Guardianship will be rendered in accordance with the Petition for Appointment of Guardian filed herein.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Texas, State of Missouri. A true copy from the record.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court, County of TEXAS, State of Missouri, the 6TH day of JANUARY, 2026.

/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk
BY: Bobbi Martin, Deputy Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In The Matter Of Daisy Rae Scott, A Minor.

Estate No.
25TE-PR00067

NOTICE ON ORDER OF PUBLICATION

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WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court, County of TEXAS, State of Missouri, the 6TH day of JANUARY, 2026.

/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk
BY: Bobbi Martin, Deputy Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In The Matter Of Oakley Nicole Scott, A Minor.

Estate No.
25TE-PR00068

NOTICE ON ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Natural Mother, Shanelle Helm:

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/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk
BY: Bobbi Martin, Deputy Clerk
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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Project No. P250164 Summersville, MO

Separate sealed bids for Summersville Street and Drainage Phase II will be received by Summersville, MO at the office of the City Clerk until 10:00 o'clock a.m., February 12, 2026, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following:
1. QuestCDN.com
2. Smith & Co. Engineering, 901 Vine Street, Poplar Bluff, MO 63901
3. City of Summersville, 195 Rogers Ave., Summersville, MO 65571

Copies may be obtained at the office of online located at QuestCDN.com upon payment of \$40.00 for each set. Any unsuccessful bidder, upon returning such set promptly and in good condition, will be refunded his payment, and any non-bidder upon so returning such a set will be refunded \$0.00.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to

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the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and Davis Bacon and/or State Prevailing wage rates to be paid under the contract, Segregated Facility, Section 109, and E.O. 11246. MBE, WBE, and Section 3-DBE bidders are encouraged to bid.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of opening thereof.
Date: 1/15/2026 40-2t

TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Shilo M. Miller, an unmarried man Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Shilo M. Miller, an unmarried man dated April 1, 2024 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Texas County, Missouri in Book 2024, Page 989 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Wednesday, February 25, 2026 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 10:45 AM), at the West Front Door of the Court House, City of Houston, County of Texas, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Texas County, State of Missouri, to wit:

ALL OF LOT 8 AND THE SOUTH 26 FEET OF LOT 7 OF BLOCK 1, ORCHARD GROVE ADDITION TO THE CITY OF HOUSTON, MISSOURI AS SET FORTH IN BOOK 74, PAGE 486, TEXAS COUNTY RECORDS to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee
612 Spirit Drive
St. Louis, MO 63005
(636) 537-0110
File No: 226913.022526.465605 FC

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

PUBLISH ON:
January 29, 2026
02/05/2026, 02/12/2026, 02/19/2026
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NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE MARK TWAIN NATIONAL FOREST

The Lost Norris Sale is located within T32N,R10W Sections 21, 27, 28, 29 of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Texas County, Missouri. The Forest Service will receive Sealed bids at Houston Ranger District before or at the time of public bid opening at 1:00 PM local time on 03/04/2026 for an estimated volume of 568 CCF of Hardwood - Other sawtimber, 912 CCF of Pine sawtimber, 744 CCF of Pine posts, and 146 CCF of Hardwood - Other misc-conv. marked or otherwise designated for cutting. In addition, there is within the sale area an unestimated volume of Hardwood - Other (Topwood) pulpwood, Hardwood - Other (Fuelwood) fuelwood, and Pine (Pine Topwood) pulpwood that the bidder may agree to remove at a fixed rate. The Forest Service reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Interested parties may obtain a prospectus from the office listed below. A prospectus, bid form, and complete information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and submission of bids is available to the public from the Mark Twain National Forest, Houston Ranger District, 108 S. Sam Houston Blvd., Houston MO, 65483 Or visit https://www.fs.usda.gov/mtnf for more contract information. USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender. 41-1t

IN THE 25TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI

Judge: Brad Eidson
Plaintiff: IN RE DYLAN REED
Nature of Suit: NAME CHANGE
Case Number: 25TE-CC00340

Request for Publication after Judgment of Change of Name for Adult Individual

WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Circuit Court of the County of TEXAS, Missouri, Case No. 25TE-CC00340 made entered on the record on January 20, 2026, the name change of DYLAN ADAM REED was changed to DYLAN ADAM BOYKIN.

Date: January 20, 2026
/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court this 20th day of January, 2026

/s/ Erin Smith, Circuit Clerk
BY: Taela Terrillion, Deputy Clerk
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MSHSAA

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“I don’t see the role of this new oversight board as one to absorb the day-to-day governance of MSHSAA,” Bean told the Senate committee. “Rather, parents, students, coaches, school districts, etc., need an avenue to appeal decisions made by MSHSAA to an independent oversight board.”

Their bills set the framework for a board appointed by the governor that could handle appeals. Currently, MSHSAA has a two-pronged appeals process

that allows athletes and their parents to challenge rules and decisions.

But a process in which MSHSAA oversees appeals of its decisions doesn’t satisfy everyone.

Nick Purler, who runs a wrestling academy in Moscow Mills, said he’s watched his wrestlers face MSHSAA decisions “who should have been treated more fairly.”

“MSHSAA seems to be the judge, jury and executioner, and I don’t think that’s fair,” he said.

MSHSAA operates as a member organization and is not run by the state, though most of the state’s public schools and many private schools have signed on

as members.

Democrats questioned the idea of regulating a private, nonprofit organization.

“If we start here on nonprofits and say that there could be an appointed board by the governor, where are we to stop?” said state Sen. Maggie Nurrenbern, a Kansas City Democrat. “Think about the amount of nonprofits that exist across the state. Now it is the state’s job to get involved in all of these other nonprofits?”

Senate Education Committee Chairman Rick Brattin, a Republican from Harrisonville, argued that MSHSAA has a monopoly over high school athletics in the state. Although it’s a voluntary orga-

nization, there is not another option for public schools who want to participate in interscholastic competition.

MSHSAA Executive Director Jennifer Rukstad told the committee that the association operates as a democracy, with member schools voting on its bylaws.

“The schools have said, ‘We’ve set up our rules and now we need somebody to help us to follow them,’” she said. “So they have hired a staff, and they have tasked us to be the experts on the rules they have written, and they have asked us to help them enforce those rules.”

Neither committee took immediate action on the bills Thursday, Jan. 22.

MISSOURI INDEPENDENT

PUBLIC NOTICES

City of Cabool, Missouri Statement of Revenues & Expenditures - UNAUDITED All Fund Types For the Six Months Ended December 31, 2025						
	Government Fund Type	Proprietary Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Type	Total	
	General	Water & Sewer	Electric	SCDTF	July 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025	
Revenues						
Taxes	\$ 628,742	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 628,742	
Charges for services	166,318	379,545	2,102,208	-	2,648,071	
Licenses & permits	5,078	-	-	-	5,078	
Fines & forfeitures	37,776	-	-	-	37,776	
Interest	1,783	6,026	6,033	393	14,235	
Intergovernmental	96,027	-	-	-	96,027	
Equitable sharing program proceeds	-	-	-	6,706	6,706	
Miscellaneous	81,570	38,200	3,043	-	122,813	
Total Revenues	1,017,294	423,771	2,111,284	7,099	3,559,448	
Expenditures						
Administrative	227,487	-	-	-	227,487	
Law & safety	620,519	-	-	27,614	648,133	
Highway & street	131,546	-	-	-	131,546	
Fire	49,728	-	-	-	49,728	
Park & pool	110,681	-	-	-	110,681	
Airport	96,832	-	-	-	96,832	
EMD	42,676	-	-	-	42,676	
Sanitation	150,300	-	-	-	150,300	
Electric service	-	-	1,729,634	-	1,729,634	
Water & sewer service	-	306,925	-	-	306,925	
Total Expenditures	1,429,769	306,925	1,729,634	27,614	3,493,942	
Excess (Deficit) of Revenues over Expenditures	(412,475)	116,846	381,650	(20,515)	65,506	
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Allocation of administration expenses	175,000	(100,000)	(75,000)	-	-	
Operating transfers in (out)	175,000	-	(175,000)	-	-	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	350,000	(100,000)	(250,000)	-	-	
Excess of Revenues and Other Sources over Expenditures and Other (Uses)	\$ (62,475)	\$ 16,846	\$ 131,650	\$ (20,515)	\$ 65,506	
Debt Outstanding						
July 1, 2025						
Issued						
Retired						
Debt Outstanding						
December 31, 2025						
Water & Sewer Fund						
Financed Purchases	\$ 89,489	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 89,489	
	89,489	-	-	-	89,489	
General Fund						
Financed Purchases	61,444	47,638	46,554	-	62,528	
Total	\$ 150,933	\$ 47,638	\$ 46,554	\$ -	\$ 152,017	
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Detailed Financial Statement of Roubidoux Township

Combined Administrative Fund – Road and Bridge Fund

Fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 & Ending December 31, 2025

Bond Indebtedness	\$ 0
All Other Indebtedness	
Fabick/Cat	\$64,350.53

Assessed Valuation as of May 31,2025	\$24,265,453.00
Maximum Tax Rate Permitted by Law	

Road & Bridge Tax Rate	\$ 0.2630
Administrative Tax Rate	\$ 0.0879

Amount Tax Rate Levied By Township Board	
Road & Bridge Tax Rate	\$ 0.2630
Administrative Tax Rate	\$ 0.0879

Beginning Balance From All Funds 1-1-2025	\$ 156,343.35
Total Receipts from All Sources	\$ 260,683.89
Total Expenditures Made	\$ 194,669.56
Ending Balance From All Funds 12-31-2025	\$ 222,357.68

Township Inventory	
Real Property	\$ 71,160.00
Equipment	\$ 278,660.00
Supplies	\$ 6,000.00
Total Inventory as of December 31, 2025	\$ 355,820.00

Certification

I, **Molly Houser**, Treasurer of **Roubidoux Township**, in compliance with Section 231.280, Revised Statutes of Missouri, have prepared the foregoing annual financial statement. I hereby certify that I have diligently checked the records of said township located within Texas County, Missouri, and that to my best knowledge and belief, this is a true, correct and complete financial statement for said township. I further certify that a copy of said statement has been filed with the Texas County Commission, 210 North Grand Avenue Suite 301, Houston, Missouri 65483. For more information regarding the annual financial statement of this township any/or all records are public record and may be inspected by appointment with the township board. All requests for photocopies of said records shall be in writing and a fee of \$1.00 per page shall be paid in advance. Due to the fact that the township does not have a photocopying machine a ten day processing time shall be allowed from the date request is received.

Molly Houser, Treasurer of Roubidoux Township

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Detailed Financial Statement of Burdine Township

Combined Administrative Fund – Road and Bridge Fund

Fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 & Ending December 31, 2025

Bond Indebtedness	\$ 0
All Other Indebtedness	

Assessed Valuation as of May 31,2025	\$42,361,006.00
Maximum Tax Rate Permitted by Law	

Road & Bridge Tax Rate	\$ 0.0975
Administrative Tax Rate	\$ 0.3492

Amount Tax Rate Levied By Township Board	
Road & Bridge Tax Rate	\$ 0.0975
Administrative Tax Rate	\$ 0.3492

Beginning Balance From All Funds 1-1-2025	\$ 95,972.13
Total Receipts from All Sources	\$ 1,170,524.77
Total Expenditures Made	\$ 451,046.79
Ending Balance From All Funds 12-31-2025	\$ 815,450.11

Township Inventory	
Real Property	\$ 102,375.00
Equipment	\$ 516,520.00
Supplies	\$ 10,000.00
Total Inventory as of December 31, 2025	\$ 628,895.00

Certification

I, **Eliza J. Cannon**, Clerk of **Burdine Township**, in compliance with Section 231.280, Revised Statutes of Missouri, have prepared the foregoing annual financial statement. I hereby certify that I have diligently checked the records of said township located within Texas County, Missouri, and that to my best knowledge and belief, this is a true, correct and complete financial statement for said township. I further certify that a copy of said statement has been filed with the Texas County Commission, 210 North Grand Avenue Suite 301, Houston, Missouri 65483. For more information regarding the annual financial statement of this township any/or all records are public record and may be inspected by appointment with the township board. All requests for photocopies of said records shall be in writing and a fee of \$1.00 per page shall be paid in advance. Due to the fact that the township does not have a photocopying machine a ten day processing time shall be allowed from the date request is received.

Eliza J. Cannon, Clerk of Burdine Township

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