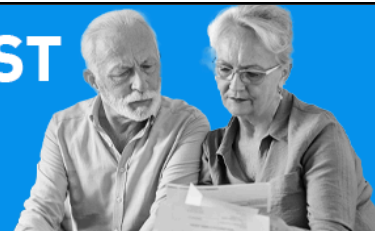


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TODAY'S VERSE

Psalms 89:1 I will sing of the mercies of the LORD for ever: with my mouth will I make known thy faithfulness to all generations.

Happy Thanksgiving Montgomery County



Meet Mila



Mila is a 4 year old female brindle Dutch Shepherd that has been at The Animal Welfare League of Montgomery County (AWL) since 6/23/24. Mila is a vocal gal that loves going for walks, playing fetch, being silly, looking cute, and being showered with endless love/attention. Mila is a total ham for pics and big time goofball! Mila is looking for her best friend. Could that be you? Mila is available for adoption, to foster, or just simply going out for walks. AWL is open Monday - Friday from 12:15p-5p and Saturday's from 9:30a-3p. Come say hi, snuggle cats, walk dogs, or lend a helping hand!

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Butch's Aunt Recalls the 1930s Depression Years



BUTCH DALE
Columnist

My father Bill Dale, had two brothers, Bernard and Albert "Ab", and three sisters, Dora, Ruthie (Wells), and Barbara "Barkie" (Hampton). His oldest sister, Dora, was born in 1916. She graduated from Darlington High School in 1934 and married Norman Cohee in 1938. In 1999, Dora wrote an article for "Hometown Memories," a book compiled by Margaret Wray, in which she described her life during the Great Depression of the 1930s . . .

"Our depression days were not good. Being a family of six children, whose parents



Dora Cohee (Butch's aunt)

were farmers, we had never been deprived of much. My first memory of having a baby was when Mother told me she was going to have one. It turned out to be my brother Bill. We had a very large cement porch, and I had a gray wicker doll buggy in which I must have pushed Bill a million miles. I have always felt that was why I loved him so much ... Mother just sort of turned him over to me.

"Times were beginning to get really bad. The Darlington bank closed, and that was where all our money was. Our washer wore out, and I can still see my mother washing clothes on a wash board under a tree in our yard. She had so many overalls to wash that her knuckles would be bleeding before she got all the laundry done. The dish towels were laid on the grass to bleach and dry.

"My older brothers left home to work on farms. Neither of them finished high school. When my brother Bernard had made a little money, he got on the interurban, whose tracks ran close to where he was living and working, and

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Trying to Remember It's About Thankfulness



TIM TIMMONS
Two Cents

It's getting harder to be thankful, isn't it? I'm sure some of you are - some of you live life on a higher plane than I do. And not trying to be a Negative Neil here, but c'mon. Just look around.

It's hard to watch local television news in the morning. The first half feels like it's all about who got shot, stabbed and run over last night in Indianapolis. Turn to the national news

and all I'm hearing about is how the opposition is lining up to undermine Trump's presidency. They're starting with his cabinet picks - and to be sure, the allegations of what sounds like a forcible rape against Defense Secretary nominee Pete Hegseth were more than a little troubling . . . until I remembered the woman who testified that Supreme Court nominee Brett Kavanaugh nearly raped her at a party when they were teens. Do you remember Christine Blasey Ford and "Jane Doe," who turned out to be a woman named Judy Munro-

Leighton? Sure you do. They were all over the news explaining all the evil and terrible things a young Brett Kavanaugh did to them.

And then they weren't.

A bunch of people came forward and said that Ford and Kavanaugh were not at the party together where Ford claims things went wrong. And Munro-Leighton admitted later she made her story up.

On Hegseth, police

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What Bradford Left Out: Native Knowledge That Shaped Early America



The League of Women Voters, open to men as well as women, is a nonpartisan, multi-issue political organization that encourages informed and active participation in government. For information about the Montgomery County LWV, visit: www.lwvmontco.in.org or message to LWV, PO Box 101, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933.

Unless you're a historian, teacher or a student taking American Lit, it's likely been a while since you've read William Bradford's *Of Plymouth*

Plantation, the foundational account of the Pilgrims' journey to North America. This is the source of the famous story of Squanto helping the Pilgrims, a tale often dramatized in elementary schools with construction paper hats around Thanksgiving.

In the passage titled "Of their voyage . . . and their safe landing at Cape Cod," Bradford describes the Pilgrims' arrival. After their long voyage, they were met with an inhospitable landscape: no welcoming friends, no inns or homes and no towns to provide respite. Bradford draws on biblical imagery, likening their plight to the Apostle Paul's shipwreck on the island of Malta, where he was offered food and shelter. However, Bradford's depiction of the Native Americans they would soon encounter was less generous. He referred to them as "barbarians," a foreshadowing of the cultural clash that would unfold.

When the Pilgrims first met the Native Americans, Bradford describes them fleeing into the woods. The Englishmen chased them along the beach but eventually stopped when the shrubs and thorns tore at their clothes and armor. Exploring the area, the Pilgrims found clearings where corn had been planted and discovered burial sites. They also came across a recently abandoned home and a large kettle. Digging into freshly disturbed sand, they uncovered baskets of colorful corn—varieties unfamiliar to the English. They took some of the corn and buried the rest, with plans to repay the Natives later. It wouldn't be the last time they pilfered from the Native people's harvest.

One wonders how the Native Americans might have documented this encounter. Their perspective might tell of strange, armored men chasing them down the beach. Warned of the invaders, families buried their food stores in shallow holes. That night, they crept back to find their harvest stolen.

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TODAY'S HEALTH TIP

Cut back on your exercise if you're running a fever.

Today's health tip was brought to you by Dr. John Roberts. Be sure to catch his column each week in The Paper and online at www.thepaper24-7.com



TODAY'S QUOTE

"A lot of Thanksgiving days have been ruined by not carving the turkey in the kitchen."
Kin Hubbard

THREE THINGS You Should Know

1 For Hoosiers looking to get outside the day after Thanksgiving, aka Opt Outside Day, the Indiana Department of Natural Resources will offer free admission Friday to all Indiana State Park properties that normally charge a gate fee. Opt Outside Day participants can be entered in drawings for 2025 DNR annual entrance passes and more. You can post photos of your adventures at DNR properties on social media. When posting photos, use the hashtag #OpOutsideIN2024 and tag the DNR or the property you are visiting in your post. Or, you can download and complete the form at on.IN.gov/optoutside and email it to SPContests@dnr.IN.gov to be entered in a separate drawing for prizes. More details and rules of the contests are at on.IN.gov/optoutside.

2 Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita said the First Amendment does not prevent states from requiring online purveyors of pornography to implement reasonable age-verification measures to protect children from harm. Rokita pressed this point in an amicus brief filed with the U.S. Supreme Court recently. The court is considering a constitutional challenge to a Texas law requiring websites hosting large amounts of obscene material harmful to children to implement a reasonable age-verification system. Many other adult industries - such as alcohol, gambling and tobacco - already employ age-verification technology.

3 With winter approaching, warming centers will be open across the state for those in need of a safe and warm place to stay. Indiana 211 is your resource for updated locations and hours of warming centers in your area. You can report or add a warming center by contacting Indiana 211's resource team by email at in211database@fssa.in.gov.

TODAY'S JOKE

Knock, knock.
Who's there?
Avery.
Avery who?
Avery Merry Christmas!

MONTGOMERY MINUTE

Crawfordsville Mayor Todd Barton will be at the McDonald's south today from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. for his monthly community forum. This will be Barton's 137th such event since taking office. Holding a monthly community forum was something Barton pledged to do during his campaign and he has continued to do so every month - except during the COVID pandemic.



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Rep. Genda Shares Update



MARK GENDA
 Guest Columnist

This week, I joined fellow lawmakers at the Statehouse in Indianapolis for Organization Day, marking the official kickoff to the 2025 legislative session.

Organization Day is a valuable opportunity to connect with fellow state lawmakers, set priorities for the coming months and discuss the challenges our communities and state face that can be addressed during the legislative session.

We won't return for session until Jan. 8 and must complete our work before the end of April. As the new year approaches and proposals for new laws come before the legislature for

consideration, please stay connected with me by calling 317-232-9600 or visiting in.gov/h41.

A valuable resource for staying engaged and informed is to visit the Indiana General Assembly's website at iga.in.gov, where you can find helpful information on proposed legislation and watch live video streams of committee hearings and session.

I look forward to representing our community at the Statehouse and encourage you to stay connected.

Rep. Mark Genda represents House District 41 which includes portions of Montgomery, Clinton, Boone and Tippecanoe counties.

Miracle on 34th at Myers Dinner Theatre



Photo courtesy of Myers Dinner Theatre

Rebecca Lea Evans (as Doris Walker), Caleb DeWitt (as Fred Gailey), Nathaniel Wright (as Kris Kringle) and Greta Shambarger (as Susan Walker) in Meredith Willson's "Miracle on 34th Street."

Looking for a little holiday magic on the stage? The head over to Myers Dinner Theatre for "Miracle on 34th Street," which is playing until Sunday, Dec. 22.

In "Miracle on 34th Street," single mother, Doris Walker, doesn't want her daughter Susan's head filled with romantic notions. Their neighbor, Fred Gailey, tries to woo Doris by charming Susan and taking her to see Santa Claus at Macy's, where Doris works. Doris is not impressed, but when it turns out that Macy's Santa may, in fact, be the real Kris Kringle, a wave of love spreads across New York City that melts even the most cynical hearts.

Starring in this production are MDT alumni Rebecca Lea Evans (as Doris Walker), Caleb DeWitt (as Fred Gailey), Nathaniel Wright (as Kris Kringle); with Kinley Barney and Greta Shambarger (as Susan Walker), at selected performances. Additional returning actors include Samantha Bagdon (Miss Sims/Ensemble), Hannah Bergman (Miss Crookshank/Ensemble), Charles Burr (Mr. Sawyer/Ensemble), Malcom Claeys (O'Halloran/Ensemble), Misty McGrady (Ensemble), Cameron Ponce (Judge Martin Group/Ensemble) and Teresa Ross (Clara/Ensemble). New to the Myers' stage are Andrew Meyer (Thomas Mara, Sr./Ensemble), Gregory Naman (Marvin Shellhammer) and Grant VanCamp (R.H. Macy/Ensemble). A number of local children will take the stage: Logan Deno and Hugo Meyer (as Tommy Mara)

at selected performances; rounding out the children's ensemble are Adelaide Klinger, Jade Kress, Lily Kress and Cecil Meyer.

"Miracle on 34th Street" will feature a food menu combining MDT favorites as well as traditional holiday fare. Selections will include: ham, pot roast with carrots and potatoes, turkey breast, dressing, candied yams, corn casserole and green beans; for dessert, pumpkin cobbler and iced sheet cake.

Wednesday matinee seating for meals is at 11:30 a.m. with curtain at 1:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday evening performances will have seating for meals at 6 p.m. with curtain at 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday matinees will have seating for meals at noon and curtain at 2 p.m. Tickets may be purchased by calling the Box Office at (765) 798-4902, ext. 2, or by visiting the MDT website at www.myersdt.com.

Performance dates and times can vary, so consult the online calendar for updated information. Regular theater prices are \$59.54 for dinner and show, \$47.50 for students (ages 4-18), and show-only for \$39.50. Prices do not include taxes, handling fees or gratuity for waitstaff. Season tickets, group pricing and bus parking are also available. Myers Dinner Theatre is located at 108 Water St., Hillsboro and is handicapped accessible.

Butch Dale's Flashback Trivia



Do You Recognize This 1968 Crawfordsville H.S. Sophomore?

HINT:
Many years later you could find him at a law office or the courthouse.

Answer on Page A3

Large Group of Authors Attending Party Night

The General Lew Wallace Study & Museum is hosting over 30 regional authors for their 8th annual Lew Wallace Hoosier Author Fair during Downtown Party Night. The public is invited to Fusion54 at 101 W. Main Street on Saturday from 5 – 8 p.m. to meet Hoosier authors and celebrate Small Business Saturday.

"Again this year we will offer poetry on demand," event organizer Stephanie Cain said. "We'll have at least two poets creating works on the spot for a small fee." Throughout the event authors will have books for sale and are happy to sign copies and chat with readers.

Special this year will be the launching by Kelly O'Dell Stanley of her memoir, *The Artist, Ladoga, Indiana* at this event. Kelly's memoir highlights her relationship with her father, well-known local artist, Rob O'Dell, who passed away in 2017.

Authors are a mix of returning guests and first-time attendees. Poets include Josh Brewer, Gwynn Wills, and Tony Brewer. For various children's books Ava Cuvay, Jason Hendrickson, Katie Andrews Potter, Krystina K. Leganza, Mark Putnam, and Taylor Bridgeforth will be attending. Religious fiction will be represented by David J. Marsh, Elizabeth Woodrow, and James E. Graham.

Historical fiction is well represented by authors Ariella Talix and Larry D. Sweazy. Laura VanArendonk Baugh, David Brown, and Stephanie A. Cain will be selling fantasy novels with Agata Isabela Brewer and Sarah Styf writing memoirs.

Eric Freeze writes on topics travel and politics. Authors with Indiana-specific books include Ray Boomhower and Shannon Hudson with Vicke Hudson Swisher. Some of the other authors include James Pauley, Jr. (LGBTQ+, Humor), Jamie Ward (travel), Jensen Parker (romance), Kitzie Pallas (biography), Stephen Terrell (true crime history), M.K. Scott (mystery), and Sutton Bishop (women's fiction, adventure).

Each author is individually responsible for taking payments, so readers should make sure to bring cash as well as credit cards. This event is made possible with support from Crawfordsville Main Street, Downtown Party Night, and Visit Montgomery County.

The Hoosier Author Fair is open to the public. For more information about the event and the authors participating, visit <https://www.benhur.com/programs/lew-wallace-hoosier-author-fair/> or call (765) 362-5769.

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The Dales . . . 1930s: Front: Barbara; second row: Annabel, Bert, Bill, Dora, Ruth and Bernard; In back: Albert "Ab."

went to Crawfordsville and got his first barber shop haircut. Mother had always cut our hair and made us girls dresses, coats and hats.

"Taking our lunches to school, we always had peanut butter with Mother's good sliced pickles on it. Norman swears they took gravy sandwiches! I was always envious of Mary Peebles Hole's lunches for she had wiener sandwiches with the crust cut off the bread. They looked so much better than peanut butter.

"Every Sunday, the Cohee boys, Damon Francis, Art and Norman Crowder, and my brothers, all played hide and seek or skated on the creek. No one had money to go places, so you made your own fun. My mother, or Norman's mother, would pop dish pans full of popcorn in the evening while the boys played cards.

"When I graduated from high school, my graduation dress was a jumper and voile blouse made from hand-me-downs from Doris Charters. I married Norman Cohee when I was 22. Norman could not get into the Navy because of a bad heart. His brothers Damon and John were both already sailors."

Aunt Dora and Uncle Norman lived in a large two-story house on Madison Street here in Darlington, and they were parents to five children ... Dale, Mike, Becky, Elizabeth "Libby" and Mary. Dora was a hard-working woman

who loved her family, her school, her church and the town. Like most of the Dales, she never hesitated to give her opinion about anything and everything. And like my father, she loved to read and was very knowledgeable on a variety of topics and kept up with current events. She also had a great sense of humor! After the kids were grown, Dora worked at Marti's Gift Shop and at the Tot Lot at the Park and Rec department. She also enjoyed being a volunteer "Pink Lady" at the hospital for nearly 20 years.

My parents often played cards with Aunt Dora and Uncle Norman, and all of the Dale families met quite often at their home for summer cookouts. Dora was a great cook and always served up plenty to eat. We would never go hungry at Aunt Dora's house ... perhaps because she remembered those days during the depression when food was sometimes scarce.

Aunt Dora was in poor health in her later years and was a resident of Lane House nursing home for almost six years. But she always kept her keen wit and sense of humor during that time. She passed away in 2007 at the age of 90. God bless you, Aunt Dora!

John "Butch" Dale is a retired teacher and County Sheriff. He has also been the librarian at Darlington the past 35 years, and is a well-known artist and author of local history.

↓ TIM From Page A1

investigated the claim and filed no charges against the former Fox TV host.

So pardon me if I hold off on convicting the guy.

The Democrats and the Republicans have turned politics into such an ugly, self-centered mess that it's hard to believe either party anymore.

Then we have the world – and the joke called the International Criminal Court. That laughingstock of justice actually indicted Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Israel's former defense minister for war crimes and crimes against humanity. It's been well documented in this space my views on Israel, God's chosen people. To reiterate, Israel was attacked by a group that said it will continue to attack and wage terror against the Jewish state until they are wiped off the map. Israel is fighting back – fighting for its life, its very existence . . . and they are the ones in the wrong?

Really?

I repeat, it's getting harder to be thankful.

But tomorrow is a day where we should – no, we must, try.

For most of us, the lucky ones, we will gather around tables with those we hold dear. There will be

generations there, past, present and hopefully, the future. More than likely, there may be an empty chair or three that were occupied by parents, grandparents and others who set that table long ago. There may be a new high chair or two with the little ones who have no idea how lucky they are – and won't until they are older and notice who's not there anymore.

For most of us, there will be plenty of food, more than plenty. We'll fill up and be like one of my best friends when asked if he's going back for another helping . . . "Of course, how can I get thirds until I get seconds!"

Forgotten will be the morning crime news, the dysfunctional political parties and the troubled world. We'll look around the room filled with people we love, we cherish. We'll understand how lucky we are because not everyone in our world, in our very own community, have as many blessings. We'll look up and give thanks to Him who made all possible. We'll remember what is truly important. And yes, we'll be thankful.

Two cents, which is about how much Timmons said his columns are worth, appears periodically in The Paper. Timmons is the publisher of The Paper and can be contacted at ttimmons@thepaper24-7.com.

3 Holiday Shows at Long Center

The Long Center 111 N. Sixth St. in Lafayette, has scheduled multiple holiday shows – and is selling all tickets at a discount through Dec. 1.

Seats can be purchased online only. Use the promo code THANKS. These are for new sales only and there are no refunds. Quantities are limited. To get tickets, go to <https://longpac.org/>.

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Sunday, Dec. 8
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Luminare Christmas
Saturday, Dec. 21
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7:30 p.m. show
Tickets begin at \$24 (includes fees)
Select mezzanine seats for discount

Butch Dale's Flashback Trivia
Answer:
Ray Kirtley

Downey, Viers Honored by F.C. Tucker

F.C. Tucker West Central is thrilled to recognize John Downey as the October 2024 Listing Agent of the Month and Katie Viers as the October 2024 Sales Agent of the Month. These exceptional agents have demonstrated outstanding dedication and expertise in serving their clients and achieving results in the competitive West Central Indiana real estate market.

Downey, a lifelong resident of Montgomery County, excelled as the Listing Agent of the Month by leveraging his extensive knowledge of the local market to showcase and list homes effectively.

Known for his professionalism and personalized service, he consistently provides his clients with expert advice and strategic marketing to achieve their real estate goals.

Downey joined F.C. Tucker West Central in 2016 and has since become a trusted name in the industry. With years of experience as an appraiser and a Realtor, his attention to detail and commitment to his clients have earned him this prestigious recognition. Viers, a dedicated Realtor and Crawfordsville transplant, earned the title of Sales Agent of the Month through her relentless commitment

to helping clients find their dream homes. Viets' exceptional communication skills, market knowledge, and passion for real estate make her an invaluable resource for buyers navigating the home-buying process.

With over five years of experience, Katie continues to prioritize her clients' needs and provide them with the tools and resources necessary to make confident decisions in today's market. Her ability to connect with clients and guide them every step of the way has solidified her position as a top-performing agent.

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John Downey



Katie Viers

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that on November 20, 2024, Donald Largent was appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Mary Ann Largent, deceased, who died on August 15, 2024, in Marion County, Indiana.
All person having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
SALE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY
Notice is hereby given that the Montgomery County Board of County Commissioners will receive sealed bids until 8:00 a.m. on December 23, 2024 at the Montgomery County Government Center 1580 Constitution Row Room E109, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 for sale to the highest responsible bidder for the following:
• Maddock Ditcher VIN # RD160BBBDA2BF19007
• Maddock Bermer VIN # 48E200AAAA119009
Interested bidders may obtain other information about each listed item at the Montgomery County Highway Department, 818 N Whitlock Ave, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 or by contacting Montgomery County Highway Director Jake Lough at (765) 362-2304.
All bids must be guaranteed and firm for a period of thirty days or longer. Bids will be awarded solely on the basis of highest responsible bid. All bids will be opened at a regular meeting of the Montgomery County Board of County Commissioners that will take place at 8:00 a.m. on December 23, 2024, in Room E109 of the Montgomery County Government Center 1580 Constitution Row, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933. The Board will notify the successful bidder of its acceptance within thirty days following the opening of the bids. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it determines it is in the best interest of the County to do so and to waive any informality in bidding.
The successful bidder must make payment within seven (7) days of notice from the Board.
Dated the 20 day of November, 2024.
Tom Klein, Montgomery County Administrator
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INVITATION TO BID
Notice is hereby given, that the City of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, Indiana, by and through its Board of Works and Public Safety, herein referred to as the Owner, will receive sealed bids for the construction of the Masonic Cornerstone project.
Sealed bids are invited and may be delivered or forwarded by mail or other courier services addressed to the Clerk Treasurer, City of Crawfordsville, Attention: Karyn Douglas, 300 E Pike Street, Crawfordsville, IN 47933, by Wednesday, December 18, 2024 at 10:00 AM (Local Time). All bids shall be opened and publicly read at the Board of Works Meeting on the second floor of the City Building (same address as above) at 10:00 AM (Local Time). Bids received after such hour will be returned unopened. All interested citizens are invited to attend. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any interested citizen is in need of reasonable accommodation, please contact Brandy Allen at 765-364-5160 or ballen@crawfordsville-in.gov so accommodation can be made.
A pre-bid meeting will be held at 11:00 AM (Local Time) on Wednesday, December 11, 2024 at the Masonic Cornerstone Grand Hall and Event Center, 221 S Washington Street, Crawfordsville, IN 47933. All prime contractors, subcontractors, small, minority or women owned enterprises and other interested parties are invited to attend.
The contract will consist of the following:
Upgrade the building electrical service to current electrical code and safety standards and provide a fire alarm system for the historic Crawfordsville Masonic Temple.
An electronic copy of the Plans and Specifications for the Projects are available by request – please email Kelly Price at kprice@crawfordsville-in.gov. If you do not have access to email, please contact Kelly at 765-307-3058.
The work to be performed and the bid to be submitted shall include sufficient and proper sums for all general construction, mechanical installation, labor, materials, permits, licenses, insurance, and so forth incidental to and required for the construction of the facilities.
Each bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the title of the Project, the name and address of Bidder and the Division of work. All bids must be submitted on the provided bid forms.
Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check or acceptable bidder's bond made payable to the Owner, in a sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the total amount of the highest aggregate bid, which check or bond will be held by the Owner as evidence that the bidder will, if awarded the contract, enter into the same with the Owner upon notification from him to do so within ten (10) days of said notification.
Approved performance and payment bonds guaranteeing faithful and proper performance of the work and materials, to be executed by an acceptable surety company, will be required of the Contractor at the time he executes his contract. The bond will be in the amount of 100% of the Contract Price and must be in full force and effect throughout the term of the Construction Contract plus a period of twelve (12) months from the date of substantial completion.
The Owner reserves the right to reject any bid, or all bids, or to accept any bid or bids, or to make such combination of bids as may seem desirable, and to waive any and all informalities in bidding. Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of bids or authorized postponement thereof. Any bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids for at least ninety (90) days.
A conditional or qualified Bid will not be accepted. Award will be made to the low, responsive, responsible bidder.
All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of the projects shall apply to the Projects throughout.
This project is funded in part with the American Rescue Plan Act, Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Funds to the State of Indiana through the Indiana Economic Development Corporation (IEDC). IEDC is a pass-through subrecipient of federal monies granted and the Indianapolis Metropolitan Planning Organization (IMPO) is a lower tier subrecipient under the Federal Program. All regulations under this funding source are applicable. Bidder is required to submit a written plan for an employee drug testing program that complies with IC 4-13-18.5 and IC 4-13-18.6. All Contractors or Sub-Contractors awarded work in excess of \$150,000 must be on the Indiana Department of Administration pre-qualified list. A copy of the list can be viewed at http://www.in.gov/idoa/2486.htm.
Bids shall be properly and completely executed on bid forms included in the Specifications. Bids shall include all information requested by Indiana Form 96 (Revised 2013) included with the Specifications. Under Section III of Form 96, the Bidder shall submit a financial statement. A copy of the proposed Financial Statement to be submitted with the bid is included in the bid documents section to these specifications. The Owner may make such investigations as deemed necessary to determine the ability of the Bidder to perform the work and the Bidder shall furnish to the Owner all such information and data for this purpose as the Owner may request. The Owner reserves the right to reject any bid if the evidence submitted by, or investigation of, such Bidder fails to satisfy the Owner that such Bidder is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Agreement and to complete the work contemplated therein.
Each Bidder is responsible for inspecting the Project site(s) and for reading and being thoroughly familiar with the Contract Documents and Specifications. The failure or omission of any Bidder to do any of the foregoing shall in no way relieve any Bidder from any obligation with respect to its Bid.
Board of Works and Public Safety
City of Crawfordsville
PL4995 11/27 12/4 2t hspaxlp

City of Crawfordsville, Indiana
Notice to Taxpayers of Additional Appropriation
Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, Indiana that the Crawfordsville Common Council will consider the following additional appropriations more than the budget for the current year at its regular meeting place, Council Chambers, 2nd floor, City Building, 300 East Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana, at 6 o'clock P.M., on the 9th day of December, 2024.

Amount	From	To
\$100,000.00	Fund 1101-000-999 General Unappropriated	1101-010-360 (Fire Equipment and Repairs) Appropriated
\$400,000.00	Fund 1101-000-999 General Unappropriated	1101-010-115 (Fire Overtime/FLSA) Appropriated

Taxpayers appearing at the meeting will have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the Department of Local Government Finance. The Department will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations made within 15 days of receipt of a Certified Copy of the action taken. If you require accommodations to this meeting, please call 364-5152.
Dated: 13 November 2024
/s/ Karyn Douglas
Karyn Douglas, City Clerk-Treasurer
PL4997 11/27 1t hspaxlp

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me, directed from the Clerk of Montgomery Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Indiana, in Cause No. 54C01-2407-MF-000847, wherein PennyMac Loan Services, LLC was Plaintiff, and Tracy M. Kinirsky and Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority were Defendants, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree, with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder on the 8th day of January, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 AM, or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 600 Memorial Drive, Crawfordsville, IN 47933, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Montgomery County, Indiana.
All that certain parcel of land situated in the County of Montgomery and State of Indiana: Eighty-nine and Thirty-eight hundredths (89.38) feet of equal and even width off of and from the South side of the following described tract: Lots numbered Nine (9) and Twelve (12), except the West 70 feet of Lot 12, as the same are known and designated on the Original Plat of Middletown, now Waynetown, located in Wayne Township, Montgomery County, Indiana.
More commonly known as 106 S Hancock St, Waynetown, IN 47990-8215 Parcel No. 54-05-14-331-072.000-037
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.
BRYAN K. REDMOND, Plaintiff Attorney
Attorney # 22108-29
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.
8415 Allison Pointe Blvd., Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46250
Ryan Needham, Sheriff
Wayne Township
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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me, directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Montgomery County, Indiana, in Cause No. 54D01-2403-MF-000262, wherein UNIVERSITY BANK was Plaintiff, and Christopher C. Miller a/k/a Christopher Miller, et al., were the Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree, with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder on the 8th day of January, 2025 at the hour of 10:00 AM, or as soon thereafter as possible, at the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, 600 Memorial Dr., Crawfordsville, IN 47933, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Montgomery County, Indiana:
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE SOUTH ONE-HALF OF LOT NUMBERED 45, IN JOSEPH MILLIGAN'S SECOND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF CRAWFORDSVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, INDIANA.
EXCEPTING THEREFROM ALL THAT PART OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED TRACT LYING WITHIN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED TRACT:
THE EAST 157.00 FEET OF THE SOUTH HALF OF LOT NUMBERED 45, IN JOSEPH MILLIGAN'S SECOND ADDITION OF OUTLOTS TO THE CITY OF CRAWFORDSVILLE, IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, INDIANA.
ALSO EXCEPTING THEREFROM:
A PARCEL OF LAND SITUATED IN LOT NUMBER 45 OF JOSEPH MILLIGAN'S SECOND ADDITION OF OUTLOTS TO THE CITY OF CRAWFORDSVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, STATE OF INDIANA, BEING DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
COMMENCING AT A LARGE NAIL, WITH 1/2 INCH HEAD, FOUND AND ACCEPTED AS THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, INDIANA; THENCE SOUTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST (BASIS OF BEARINGS), ALONG THE APPARENT SOUTH LINE OF SAID, ALSO BEING LINE "S-1-A", 1317.54 FEET, TO A BEND AND FLUSH, "MAG" NAIL, FOUND AND ACCEPTED AS THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION, SAID POINT ALSO BEING P.O.T. STATION 9+96.00 LINE "S-1-A", AND P.O.T STATION 10+00.00 LINE "A"; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 25 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID LINE "A", ALSO BEING THE CENTERLINE OF MILL STREET AND THE APPARENT WEST LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION, 32.74 FEET, TO P.O.T. STATION 10+32.74 LINE "A", SAID POINT ALSO BEING P.O.T. STATION 10+00.00 LINE "B"; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 00 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 25 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID LINE "A", ALSO BEING THE CENTERLINE OF MILL STREET AND THE APPARENT WEST LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION, 139.69 FEET, P.O.T. STATION 11+72.43 FEET LINE "A", SAID POINT ALSO BEING P.O.T. STATION 9+95.37 LINE "S-2-A"; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 00 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 25 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID LINE "A", ALSO BEING THE CENTERLINE OF MILL STREET AND THE APPARENT WEST LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION, 408.27 FEET TO P.O.T. STATION 15+80.70 LINE "A", SAID POINT ALSO BEING P.O.T. STATION 10+00.00 LINE "S-3-A" ON THE ATTACHED RIGHT OF WAY PARCEL (EXHIBIT B); THENCE SOUTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID LINE "S-3-A", 29.71 FEET, TO P.O.T. STATION 10+29.71 ON THE ATTACHED RIGHT OF WAY PARCEL PLAT (EXHIBIT B); THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST, 20.00 FEET, TO A POINT LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE APPARENT NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF RAY STREET WITH THE APPARENT EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF MILL STREET, SAID POINT ALSO BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE AFORESAID LOT 45 AND THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 25 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE, 10.00 FEET, TO A POINT DESIGNATED #122 ON THE ATTACHED RIGHT OF WAY PARCEL PLAT (EXHIBIT B); THENCE SOUTH 47 DEGREES 16 MINUTES 19 SECONDS EAST, 14.23 FEET, TO AN INTERSECTION WITH THE AFORESAID NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE AND A POINT DESIGNATED #121 ON THE ATTACHED RIGHT OF WAY PARCEL PLAT (EXHIBIT B); THENCE SOUTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE, 10.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING CONTAINING 0.001 ACRES (+/- 50 SQUARE FEET) OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.
More Commonly known as: 1216 Mill St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Parcel No. 54-10-05-444-028.000-030
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.
"Subject to all lines, encumbrances and easement of record not otherwise extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause 54D01-2403-MF-000262 in the Superior Court of Montgomery County, Indiana."
Plaintiff Attorney: C. Wesley Pagles
ATTORNEY NO. 37185-49
LOGS Legal Group LLP
4805 Montgomery Road, Suite 320
Norwood, OH 45212
(513) 396-8100 Fax: (847) 627-8805
cwpagles@logs.com
Sheriff of Montgomery County
Union Township
1216 Mill St
Crawfordsville, IN 47933
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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Indiana, in Cause No. 54D01-2407-MF-000782 wherein Rocket Mortgage, LLC f/k/a Quicken Loans, LLC was Plaintiff, and Rose Lyons, was Defendant, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of January, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 A.M. or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 600 Memorial Drive, Crawfordsville, IN 47933, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Montgomery County, Indiana.
Part of Lots Numbered Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), as the same are known and designated on the recorded Plat of Magnus Holmes addition to the Town (now City) of Crawfordsville, described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot Numbered 12 and running thence North along the West line of Water Street 55 feet; thence West 106 2/3 feet to an alley; thence South 55 feet to the North line of Franklin Street; thence East 106 2/3 feet to the place of beginning, in Montgomery County, Indiana.
More commonly known as: 515 S Water St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Parcel No. : 54-10-05-221-128.000-030
Together with rents, issues, income, and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.
Scott A. Hale
35534-64
Doyle & Foutty, P.C.
41 E Washington Street
Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Union Township
515 S Water St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
Street Address
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SERVICE DIRECTED TO:
Rose Lyons
291 Longley Dr
Lebanon, IN 46052
MANNER OF SERVICE: Certified Mail
Occupant(s) of 515 S Water St, Crawfordsville, IN 47933
515 S Water St
Crawfordsville, IN 47933
MANNER OF SERVICE: Sheriff
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General Assembly Votes to Strengthen Ethics



SPENCER DEERY
Guest Columnist

I gathered with fellow legislators at the Statehouse for Organization Day – the ceremonial start of the 124th Indiana General Assembly.

We will resume legislating full-time in January with our most important duty being to pass a comprehensive budget to fund government services for the next two fiscal years. As always, I will advocate for both the basic government services that taxpayers expect, as well as a fiscally responsible balanced budget.

questions in the Senate Chamber from fourth graders from West Lafayette Intermediate School during their visit to the Statehouse. Although meeting schedules don't always allow it, I do everything I can to make such opportunities possible. I am grateful for the educators and civic organizations who are doing their part to build up the knowledge of the next generation.

Participants will be entered into a drawing for prizes like camping or state park inn gift cards.

State Sen. Spencer Deery (R-West Lafayette) represents Senate District 23, which includes Fountain, Parke, Vermillion and Warren counties, and portions of Montgomery and Tippecanoe counties.

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On Organization Day, the Senate approves the rules that will govern the organization in the coming session. I was proud to vote for and pass a stricter ethics rule that now prohibits anyone from voting on any matters for which they or their family have a direct and substantial financial interest. This is common sense and one simple way to help Hoosiers maintain trust in their state government.

Since we were last in session, I have travelled to every corner of Senate District 23 on multiple occasions. My goal has been to identify the issues that are most important to those who elected me. I am eager to get back to the Statehouse full-time to start turning those ideas into policies that will protect our water and farmland, strengthen our schools and increase the transparency of state government.

Residents of Senate District 23 may contact me with any questions or comments they may have online or by phone at 800-382-9467.

WELCOMING WEST
Lafayette Students to the Statehouse

If you read this newsletter weekly, you already know that I love welcoming students to the statehouse.

As a strong believer that the primary goal of public education is to prepare the next generation for self-government, I am always excited when schools make the effort to bring students to see the historic building. This week, I answered

If you have an older student, be sure to check out the Indiana Senate's Page Program. The program is designed for students in grades 6-12 and applications open Dec. 1 for the 2025 legislative session. I highly recommend this unique and exciting opportunity for students to learn about the legislative process.

INDIANA STATE
Parks Seek Input

Indiana State Parks is planning for its future and needs your input about current offerings and ideas you may have. To do this, you can take a 10-15 minute survey.

↓ LWV

From Page A1

Why had these newcomers arrived just before winter and taken their food? And how would the tribe feed their children with stores pillaged by the strange visitors?

The Pilgrims' discovery of corn marked the beginning of their reliance on Native agricultural knowledge. While the account notes corn and beans, it omits another crucial crop that later helped Europeans survive in North America: squash. Squash is the third of element of the "Three Sisters," the interdependent crops of corn, beans and squash that sustained many Native communities through harsh winters.

Robin Wall Kimmerer, a Potawatomi scientist and author of *Braiding Sweetgrass*, recounts her tribe's version of the Three Sisters story. In this tale, three beautiful women — one dressed in yellow with flowing hair, another in green, and the third in orange — visit a village during a long, cold winter. Despite their scarcity, the people share their fire and food. In gratitude, the women reveal their true identities as Corn, Beans and Squash, leaving behind seeds that the people plant together in spring.

The Three Sisters represent more than nourishment; they embody cooperation and sustainability. Corn provides a sturdy stalk for beans to climb, while beans enrich the soil with nitrogen, a vital nutrient for corn. Squash, with its broad leaves, shades the ground, preventing weeds and retaining moisture. Together, they create a thriving ecosystem that supports both plant and human life.

Cynthia Graber and Nicola Twilley, hosts of the food culture podcast *Gastropod*, describe squash as the "perfect companion" to corn and beans. Beyond their agricultural synergy, the Three Sisters offer nutritional balance: corn and beans together provide essential amino acids, while squash adds vitamins and natural sweetness.

The colorful corn the Pilgrims found differed significantly from the sweet corn popular today. Native corn varieties, like flint and dent corn, were versatile. Flint corn, with its hard outer shell,

could be ground into masa or polenta, while dent corn was used for elote or dried for livestock feed. Flour corn, another staple, could be nixtamalized for tortillas or roasted and steamed.

Co-planting the Three Sisters requires careful planning. Because corn is wind-pollinated, it should be planted in clusters rather than rows. Experienced gardeners recommend creating mounds spaced three to four feet apart. Each mound begins with soaked corn seeds planted about six inches apart. Once the corn grows to six inches tall, pole beans are planted around the stalks, followed by squash at the edges of the mound.

This traditional ecological knowledge, passed down through generations, reflects a deep understanding of the land and its resources.

Another version of the Three Sisters story, shared by Plains tribes, describes the youngest sister, Squash, as a crawling figure dressed in green. Her elder sisters, Corn and Beans, stand tall and run freely. The sisters' bond is tested when they encounter a boy with a gift for speaking to animals. Eventually, they reunite, symbolizing the interdependence of the crops they represent. The story not only teaches agricultural principles but also conveys values of unity and resilience.

Today, schoolchildren still learn about Squanto, make turkey decorations and eat pumpkin pie, but the deeper context of Native wisdom and resilience remains underexplored. Weaving a robust understanding of indigenous agricultural practices and cultural stories into our history, we can honor the full history behind the Thanksgiving table.

Here's to serving up the whole story—context, literature and ecological wisdom included.

The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan, multi-issue political organization which encourages informed and active participation in government. For information about the League, visit the website www.lwvmontcoin.org; or, visit the League of Women Voters of Montgomery County, Indiana Facebook page.

Back in the Day with Butch Dale



The only town in Sugar Creek township was Bowers Station, which had a population of not more than twenty people. Bowers school was located about a mile west of town, and all of the students were children of farm families. Shown above is the 3rd and 4th grade class in 1938, with Mary Campbell as their teacher.

FOR THE RECORD

For The Record is a public service and regular feature in The Paper of Montgomery County. It is designed to tell you what is scheduled to happen and what actually does happen in meetings paid for with your tax dollars. The Paper encourages all citizens to take an active role in being involved in local government.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Nov. 25, 2024

Summary

NEW BUSINESS

Held public hearing to vacate certain alleys and streets located in the Fitzpatrick area.

Opened annual highway department Bids for gas, fuel, oil, exhaust fluid, culverts, treated salt, aggregates, bituminous, 50/50 Dust control, signs, tires, tubes & batteries. Highway Department will review the bids and provide a recommendation to the Commissioners.

Approved contract and the notice to proceed with JR Kelly for construction at the Thomas K. Milligan Justice Center. Construction cost is \$275,400 with an Alternate Bid of \$17,800.

Awarded bid for the County Farm to Wade Bennett for \$235 per acre for 2025, 2026, & 2027.

Approved three year mapping agreement with City of Crawfordsville for the County Mapping Department to provide continued mapping services to the City of Crawfordsville in the amount of \$20,000 per year.

Approved request from Highway Director Jake Lough to allow an employee to carry-over unused time above the amount allowed to be carried over to 2025.

ORDINANCES: 2nd Readings Approved.

2nd Reading Ordinance 2024-26 Ordinance Creating the 2025 Montgomery County Family Recovery Court Grant Fund - \$9,000

The Montgomery County Family Recovery Court has been awarded a grant on behalf of the 2025 Opioid Settlement Grant in the amount of \$9,000 to be used for Travel and Barrier Busters for participants of Montgomery County Family Recovery Court.

2nd Reading Ordinance 2024-27 Ordinance Creating the 2025 Montgomery County Drug Court Program Grant Fund - \$10,000

The Montgomery County Drug Court has been awarded a grant on behalf of the 2025 Opioid Settlement Grant in the amount of \$10,000 to be used for Travel/Training and Barrier Buster Supplies/Services for participants of Montgomery County Drug Court Program.

2nd Reading Ordinance 2024-28 Ordinance Creating the 2025 Montgomery County Probation Department Grant Fund - \$1,550

The Montgomery County Probation Department has been awarded a grant on behalf of the 2025 Opioid Settlement Grant in the amount of \$1,550 to be used to purchase hygiene bags for both men and women who are recently released from incarceration, homeless or have financial need of hygiene products.

Introduction Ordinance 2024-29 Ordinance Creating the 2025 Problem Solving Court Grant Fund - \$118,577

Ordinance establishes the 2025 Vet Court Grant Fund, creating a dedicated financial structure for managing the \$118,577 grant to support the Vet Court Program. The funds will be used for personnel costs, training, and program services aimed at helping veterans involved in the justice system. The ordinance ensures the proper allocation and accountability of these funds for the 2025 calendar year.

Introduction Ordinance 2024-30 Ordinance Creating the 2025 DOC Drug Court Grant Fund - \$80,441

Ordinance establishes the 2025 DOC Drug Court Grant Fund, creating a dedicated financial structure for managing the \$80,441 grant to support the Drug Court Program. The funds will be used for personnel costs, training, and program services aimed at helping the Drug Court. This ordinance ensures the proper allocation and accountability of these funds for the 2025 calendar year.

Introduction Ordinance 2024-31 Ordinance Creating the 2025 DOC Probation Grant Fund - \$164,890

Ordinance establishes the 2025 DOC Probation Grant Fund, creating a dedicated financial structure for managing the \$164,890 grant support the Probation Department. The funds will be used for personnel costs, training and program services. This ordinance ensures the proper allocation and accountability of these funds for the 2025 calendar year.

RESOLUTION Approved

Resolution 2024-27 Resolution Approving Agreement for Services of Registrar and Paying Agent -

Resolution approves the Agreement with Regions Bank for services of registrar and paying agent for bonds being issued by the County in the amount of \$6,515,000 for the extension of a water line on Nucor Road.

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