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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 October 08, 2024 at 10:00 AM (Eastern Standard Time). The bids will be downloaded and/or opened and read publicly thereafter for the construction of the following project(s):

Call	Contract	State Project	Federal Project	Description
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DBE GOAL: 10 % OF CONTRACT BID AMOUNT. BIDDER MUST PROVIDE WRITTEN ASSURANCE OF MEETING GOAL ON FORM IN PROPOSAL.

REMARKS:
Proposals will be received from prequalified and West Virginia licensed contractors only except that on Federal-Aid Projects a contractors' license 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 submit electronically with their bid a Proposal Guaranty Bond 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.
2t 8/29-9/5/24 B

Notice of Administration to Creditors, Distributees & Legatees

Notice is hereby given that the following estate(s) have been opened for probate in the Roane County Clerk's Office at 200 Main Street Spencer, WV 25276-1411. Any person seeking to impeach or establish a will must make a complaint in accordance with the provisions of West Virginia Code 41-5-11 through 13. Any interested person objecting to the qualifications of the personal representative or the venue or jurisdiction of the court, shall file written notice of an objection with the County Commission through the Roane County Clerk's Office at the address listed above within 60 days after the date of the first publication or within 30 days of the service of the notice, whichever is later. If an objection is not filed timely, the objection is forever barred. Any person interested in filing claims against an estate must file them in accordance with West Virginia Code 44-2 or 44-3A.
Settlement of the estate(s) of the following named decedent(s) will proceed without reference to a fiduciary commissioner unless within 60 days from the first publication of this notice a reference is requested by a party of interest or an unpaid creditor files a claim and good cause is shown to support reference to a fiduciary commissioner.
Publication Date: Thursday, September 5, 2024
Claim Deadline: Monday, November 4, 2024

- Estate Number: 2592
Appointment Date: 08/23/2024
Estate Name: Nancy Jane Barnhouse
Administratrix: Penny Chapman
402 Central Avenue
Spencer WV 25276-1206
- Estate Number: 2591
Appointment Date: 08/22/2024
Estate Name: Jimmy Gay Bradley
Executrix: Virginia Ruth Bradley
993 Ripley Road
Spencer WV 25276-8735
- Estate Number: 2581
Appointment Date: 07/30/2024
Estate Name: Doris Jean Crowder
Administratrix: Vietta Lowe
557 Colt Ridge Road
Spencer WV 25276-7813
- Estate Number: 2579
Appointment Date: 07/29/2024
Estate Name: Lakin C Cummings
Executrix: Lois Dent
945 Stover Fork
Spencer WV 25276-8639
- Estate Number: 2580
Appointment Date: 07/29/2024
Estate Name: Charles David Elmore
Executrix: Nina M Elmore
2534 Amma Road
Clendenin WV 25045-7924
- Estate Number: 2583
Appointment Date: 08/05/2024
Estate Name: Hazel Ellen Gandee
Executrix: Scott Barker
93 Bear Fork
Spencer WV 25276-9629
- Estate Number: 2589
Appointment Date: 08/20/2024
Estate Name: Benjamin Charles Haynes
Administrator: Ricky Haynes
622 Mud Fork
Spencer WV 25276-7554
- Estate Number: 2593
Appointment Date: 08/26/2024
Estate Name: Robert Scott Johnson
Administratrix: Denise Johnson
1248 Sapalo Avenue, S. E.
Townsend GA 31331
- Estate Number: 2582
Appointment Date: 08/01/2024
Estate Name: Juanita Faye Lewis
Executor: Matthew Evans
13 Upper Pinch Road
Elkview WV 25071-9557
- Estate Number: 2590
Appointment Date: 08/21/2024
Estate Name: Samuel Gray Mckown
Administratrix: Amanda Mckown
2021 Clay Road
Spencer WV 25276-7765
- Estate Number: 2585
Appointment Date: 08/12/2024 Referred
Estate Name: Sharon Salisbury
Executrix: Wanda Eva Nutter
2786 Uler Road
Newton WV 25266-9372
- Fiduciary Commissioner: Ceason Ransom Attorney At Law
112 South Church Street
Ripley WV 25271
- Estate Number: 2587
Appointment Date: 08/15/2024
Estate Name: Barbara E Tolley
Executrix: Barbara E Tolley
38 Summit Lane
Spencer WV 25276-1158
- Estate Number: 2594
Appointment Date: 08/28/2024
Estate Name: Edward Michael Joseph Real
Executrix: Joetta Clarkson Real
831 Jefferson Street
Spencer WV 25276-1929
- Estate Number: 2588
Appointment Date: 08/19/2024
Estate Name: Betty Rose Smith
Executrix: Allison Smith
182 Vine Road
Newton WV 25266-9218
- Estate Number: 2584
Appointment Date: 08/09/2024
Estate Name: Mary Turner
Administratrix: Mickey Blalock
165 Wayside Church Road
Taylorsville NC 28681-8147

Subscribed and sworn to before me on 08/28/2024

Sena M. McDonald
Clerk of the Roane County Commission
By Lynn Webb
Deputy Clerk

Notice of Ancillary Filing without any Administration to Creditors, Distributees & Legatees

Notice is hereby given that the following foreign will or affidavit of heirs has been filed in the Roane County Clerk's Office at 200 Main Street Spencer, WV 25276-1411, and no appointment or administration is being made pursuant to the provisions of West Virginia Code 44-1-14b.
An interested person(s) objecting to the filing of the foreign will or affidavit or objecting to the absence of appointment or administration being made in this state must file a statement with the Roane County Commission through the County Clerk's Office at the address listed above within 60 days after the date of first publication or 30 days of service of the notice, whichever is later. If an objection is not timely filed, the objection is forever barred. The Roane County Commission upon receiving any timely objection thereto shall schedule a hearing or hearings thereon and order relief, if any, it considers proper including, but not limited to, an order directing that full and complete ancillary administration of the estate of the nonresident decedent be made in this state.
First Publication Date: Thursday, September 5, 2024

ESTATE NUMBER: 2586
ESTATE NAME: ESTHER GERALDINE BAXTER SHAULL
110 HOOD ROAD
GREENVILLE SC 29611-7519
EXECUTOR: JIMMY S SHAULL
435 OLD BRICKYARD ROAD
PELZER SC 29669-9092
Subscribed and sworn to before me on 08/28/2024

Sena M. McDonald
Clerk of the Roane County Commission

NOTICE

The Roane County Deputy Sheriff Civil Service Commission will be administering a civil service exam to establish a list from which future vacancies on the Roane County Sheriff's Department may be filled. Entry level officer could earn up to \$45,000 annually. Applicants will be required to pass a PAT (physical aptitude test), 18 to 45 years of age, have a high school diploma or GED equivalent, weight must be in the appropriate range for height, and must have a valid Driver's license. Applications may be obtained from the County Clerk's Office at 200 Main Street, Spencer. Applications may be returned to the clerk at 200 Main Street, Spencer. You may also mail to:
Sena M. McDonald, Clerk, 200 Main Street, Spencer, WV 25276 or send the application by email to smcdonald@clerk.state.wv.us. All applications must be returned to the County Clerk's office or postmarked by midnight, September 19, 2024. Examination will be held on September 28, 2024. Roane County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
2t 8/29-9/5/24 B

ORDER OF PUBLICATION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ROANE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE:
The Sale of the First Advent Christian Church By Trustees
Civil NO: 24-P-57
Judge: Anita Harold Ashley
In appearing, by a petition filed in this action that The Sale of The First

Advent Christian Church above-entitled action is scheduled for hearing to approve the sale of the First Advent Christian Church and request that notice of the date and time be published.

You are hereby notified, in accordance with the provisions of West Virginia Code Chapter 35, that a petition has been filed in the Circuit Court of Roane County, West Virginia seeking the sale of a Religious, educational, and Charitable Organization, that the hearing be published in the local newspaper to allow any interested parties to appear and argue their objection to the sale. Said hearing is scheduled for **September 27, 2024, at 1:30 p.m.**, before the Circuit Court of Roane County, Spencer, West Virginia.

Following the Hearing, the Court shall grant Declaratory Judgment approving the sale of the real properties known as 18 and 20 Steele Hollow Road Spencer, WV 25276 to the prospective buyers in accordance with the sales contract referenced above or in the alternative agreement approve the sale of the property to a ready, willing, and able buyer in the event that the current agreement should fail.

It is ordered that the Congregation of the First Advent Christian Church do serve upon the Roane County Circuit Court, whose address is 200 Main St, #5, Spencer, WV 25276, any objections or other defense to the complaint filed in this action on or before **September 23, 2024.**

Erica M. Brannon,
Counsel for Petitioners
2t 9/5-12/24 TR

Scary movies

I have never been able to watch scary movies.

My mother will remind you (if she gets the chance) that I can't even watch embarrassing television programs, which is, frankly, embarrassing. I would watch that terrible moment when Lucy was about to get caught doing something embarrassing by her employer, Mr. Mooney, on "The Lucy Show" reruns, and I would have to leave the room in a hurry—making excuses about how I suddenly needed to help set the table. The truth was, I just couldn't stand to watch Lucy get caught.

Scary movies, of course, are much worse. If getting caught by Mr. Mooney was bad, imagine getting caught by a maniacal murderer or flocks of birds or a shark. As a result, I've never seen the scary movies everyone else has seen. I've seen photos from the movies, and I know the general plotlines, but when it comes to sitting down and watching the shark attack someone, I haven't been able to do it. Until recently.

Recently, I've seen a few scary movies, and it's not because I've become any braver. It's because my husband, Peter, has started signing out DVDs from the library with what is called "optional commentary." The movie plays but, while all the scary stuff is happening, the director—and sometimes an actor who was in the movie, or an historian or a film editor—jabbers away on top of the dialogue and the music, explaining how all the effects in the movie were made.

You might think this would be very annoying—particularly if I hadn't seen the movie without all the jabbering beforehand. Instead, I find it enormously comforting.

I watch the movie, miss some of the dialogue (but not too much), and the scary music is covered up by cheerful folks talking about how they made it so scary. I love hearing how all those terrifying birds were enticed into flying after the children in "The Birds" (they put



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The Postscript

snacks in the children's hair!) I am delighted to hear the mechanical shark in "Jaws" was named Bruce, purportedly after Steven Spielberg's lawyer, and he broke down all the time and caused so much trouble that Spielberg feared that his career might be over. I even enjoyed hearing how the shower scene in "Psycho" was made and how the film, made in black and white, used chocolate syrup for the blood that circled down the drain after the murder—a murder that is never actually even seen, but seems so real with that terribly scary music playing.

I've been able to sit through all of this, almost like a normal person, just because I am reassured every minute that Janet Leigh was safe, no children were pecked by birds, and that terrible shark was, in fact, a very troublesome mechanical device named for a lawyer.

The whole experience makes me feel like I'm about six, and I wonder why I require so much reassurance. But I suspect I've always felt a little too responsible for the fate of others, even if (especially if) there is nothing I can do to change the outcome.

It's good for me to see, in every case, it's just ordinary people doing an extraordinarily good job of tapping into these primal fears of things that fly down from the sky and swim up from the depths and come after us when we least expect. It helps me to understand that I do the same thing in my own life, artfully fabricating fears of unlikely things, and doing an excellent job of scaring myself.

Till next time,
Carrie
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