

GRANT COUNTY CLERK'S RECORDS

**Property transfers**

- 7/31 – Dustin Plunkett and Vivian Plunkett to Timothy Barrow-clough and Kristen Neal, Tract 1 Worthington Farm for \$735,000
- 7/31 – Goble E. Perkins, Goble Edward Perkins and Ruth D. Perkins to Brendyn A. McGee, Lot 19 Block B. Kinman Subdivision for \$284,000
- 8/1 – Courtney Afterkirk to Julie Gregory, 1.00 Acre Gardnersville Road for \$255,000
- 8/4 – Curtis D. Hinshaw and Katrina Anne Hinshaw to Joseph Fleissner and Kelley Fleissner, Executed Deed (5. Post-closing); Lot 67 Section 2 Winnie McGee for \$575,000
- 8/4 – Brandon Cale Lewis, Trinity Faith Lewis and Trinity Faith Long to Balnisha, LLC, Lots 52, 53 & Part Lot 51 Taylor Addition for \$205,000

- 8/4 – Allison Hearn and Allison S. Hearn to Kristyan Longo, 0.262 Acre Thomas Lane Corinth for \$165,000
- 8/4 – Cindy Darlene Studt and Randall Schrank to Thomas R. Beier, Lot 75 Unit 1 Swanee Shores for love and affection of a friend, and other good and valuable consideration
- 8/4 – Jamie L. Campbell to Jamie Campbell Trust and Jamie Lee Campbell Trustee, Lot 209 Harvesters Section 6 as a gift or with nominal or no consideration
- 8/5 – Sauley Homes, LLC to Devin Cummins and Breana Cummins, Lot 75 Section 3 Thoroughbred Run Subdivision for \$293,000
- 8/5 – Margaret Young Estate and Charles Webb Executor to Cody Kellam and Tristan McLean, 37.8258 Acres Kentucky Route #1132; 1.3207 Acre on Kentucky Route #1132

for \$285,000

- 8/6 – DG Dry Ridge, LLC to Robert Leal Trustee, Stacy Leal Trustee and Robert and Stacy Leal Living Trust, Tract 1A & 1B Jimmy Dan Hedger Tract for \$2,050,000
- 8/6 – Jimmy Dan Hedger and Misty Lynn Hedger to Jamaal Kinley and Mandy Kinley, 13.2726 Acres Cason Lane for \$239,404.52
- 8/6 – Randel Justice and Patricia E. Justice to Ronald E. Colson and Timothy G. Beach, 3.949 Acres West Side Vandalingham Road for \$160,000
- 8/6 – Maxine L. Popham Estate, Dennis Dale Popham Executor and Terry Wayne Popham Executor to PFLP, LLC, Three Tracts Humes Ridge Road for \$795,000
- 8/6 – Jennifer L. Wilson to Tyler Ray Jackson and Caroline Elizabeth Jackson, 84.2411 Acres

South Side Keefer Road for \$650,000

- 8/6 – Kimberly McKInney and Dayton McKinney to Salim Bajric, Lot 56 Section 1 Eagle Ridge Subdivision for \$180,000
- 8/6 – En Mei Zhang to Lee and Zhang Living Trust 2025 and En Mei Zhang Trustee, Lot 15 Blackburn Race Street Subdivision for \$0.00

**Marriages**

- 8/1 – Diamond Jade Berry to Trenton Michael Cruey
- 8/2 – Maegan Elizabeth McDade to Sean Lee Rogers
- 8/2 – Trinity Ann Wells to Codey Martin Elliott
- 8/4 – Nicole Lynn Hopkins to Michael Stephen Kelsay, Jr.
- 8/4 – Stacey Michelle King to David Michael Gosney
- 8/6 – Elizabeth Marie Jones to Zane William Moxley

GRANT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Between July 27 and Aug. 2, 2025, the Grant County Sheriff's Office:

- Served 45 summons and/or subpoenas
- Spent 24 hours serving court
- Served four Emergency Protective Orders
- Executed one arrest/warrant (out of county residence)
- Drove 498 miles transporting prisoners

**Arrest**

7/31 – Deputy Trenton Dalton arrested Erica J. Holcombe, 29, of Dry Ridge at 2:36 p.m. on Blackburn Drive on offense or charge of trafficking in a controlled substance, first degree; buying/possessing drug paraphernalia; public intoxication and serving parole violation warrant. Holcombe was lodged in the Grant County Detention Center.

**Grant County Jail Report**

Population analysis for Aug. 4, 2025  
Total inmates: 301 (male: 244, female: 57)  
Inmates by County:  
48 Grant  
39 Gallatin (paying)  
1 Owen (paying)  
15 Pendleton (paying):  
3 Other (arrested in Grant County on warrants, awaiting pickup):  
State inmates:  
108 SAP (Substance Abuse Program - pays extra)  
33 SOAR I & 2 (Supporting Others in Active Recovery, Levels One and Two - pays extra)  
54 Other (regular rate)

Clemens returns to Yankee Stadium as Piazza bat incident resurfaces

BY LARRY FLEISHER  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Roger Clemens came back to Yankee Stadium on Saturday, and so did the questions about his bat-throwing incident with Mike Piazza in the World Series 25 years earlier.

Piazza was batting against Clemens in the first inning of Game 2 of the 2000 World Series when his bat shattered along the first-base line. Clemens picked up part of it and fired it toward the Hall of Fame catcher.

Clemens made his debut in the Yankees' Old-Timers' Day game on Saturday and faced four batters in the first exhibition game of the event since 2019. His manager on the 2000 championship team defended the pitcher's actions in that at-bat against Piazza. "There's still a question with the broken bat, with Piazza and the whole thing in Game 2," Joe Torre said at the podium right as Clemens walked in. "I think if Mike knew that the ball was foul, he wouldn't have been starting to run to first base. That ball went over the first base dugout, was foul right away. He didn't know where it was, so he started running."

Clemens made his first appearance as the Yankees honored the 2000 team, the last team to win three straight titles. Clemens heard a nice hand from the crowd as a montage of his highlights played on the center field video board — but omitted his famous toss at Piazza.



Yuki Iwamura/AP Photo

**Former New York Yankees' Roger Clemens (22) and Jorge Posada (20) speak during the first inning of the Yankees Old-Timers' Day Game before a baseball game against the Houston Astros, Saturday, Aug. 9 in New York.**

"I didn't know he was running and Mike said that same thing, too," Clemens said. "He didn't know where the baseball was. So my first instinct when I shattered that bat in about four pieces, I thought it was a baseball coming at me."

The Yankees went a combined 22-3 in the 1998 and 1999 postseasons, but struggled at times in 2000, losing 15 of their final 18 regular-season games, before outlasting the A's by winning a Game 5 on the road in the Division Series. After beating Seattle in a six-game ALCS, the Yankees beat the Mets in a five-game Fall Classic where every game was decided by two runs or fewer.

Clemens joined the Yankees in a trade with Toronto during spring training in 1999. He was 14-10 with a 4.60 ERA in 1999 and then 13-8 with a 3.70 ERA in 2000. During the postseason, Clemens won

three games, including Game 2 against the Mets.

"When he was on the other team, you didn't like him very much," Torre said.

After two seasons of an on-field question and answer session with radio broadcaster Suzyn Waldman, the game returned and Johnny Damon hit an RBI single off Clemens. Clemens was among several 2000 Yankees at the event that did not feature former captain Derek Jeter. Jeter delivered a taped video message after Mariano Rivera was the final player introduced.

"He was in spring training," fellow pitcher Andy Pettitte said of Clemens. "So it was good to see him in spring training and then of course here. A huge part of our 2000 team and it was good."

The only former player not introduced was current manager Aaron Boone, whose team entered Saturday with six losses in seven games.



Adam Hunger

**Former New England Patriots quarterback Tom Brady, left, and New England Patriots owner Robert Kraft, second left, walk on the field before the Club World Cup final soccer match between Chelsea and PSG in East Rutherford, N.J., Sunday, July 13.**

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Brady will be on hand for the ceremony, which is scheduled to include remarks by Kraft and an address by Brady to fans, who are being allowed into the plaza in front of Gillette Stadium four hours before the game to accommodate what is expected to be a large crowd.

It will be just the latest salute to the player whose jersey still dots the stands at Gillette Stadium five-plus years after he played his final game for New England in 2019.

Drafted 199th overall in 2000, Brady rose to become the face of the Patriots dynasty as he led the team to six Super Bowl titles and 17 division championships in 18 seasons as a starter. He would go on to win another Super Bowl with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2021.

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**Grant County Planning Commission**  
**Public Hearings**  
**Monday, August 25th, 2025 at 7:00 pm**

1. **Tammie Taylor** has requested a zone change from **A1 (Agricultural One)** to **RIA (Residential One A)**. Property location: 1.0 acre located at 2730 Morgan Creek Rd. Grant County KY; a sign will be posted on the property.

Regular meeting of the Commission will take place **Monday, August 25, 2025 at 7:00p.m.**, at the **Grant County Courthouse, 101 N. Main St., Williamstown, Kentucky** at which time those wishing to comment on these items shall appear and be heard.

**-- Grant County Planning Commission**

NOTICE

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky or the Company) hereby gives notice that, in an application to be filed no sooner than August 4, 2025, Duke Energy Kentucky will be seeking approval by the Public Service Commission, Frankfort, Kentucky to revise KYPSC No. 2 Sheet 84, proposed to become effective on and after September 4, 2025.

Duke Energy Kentucky seeks approval to revise these rates as follows:

<b>Rider Net Metering II</b> <b>(Electric Tariff Sheet No. 84)</b>	
<b>Current Rate:</b>	
EXCESS GENERATION AVOIDED COST CREDIT RATE	
The Company will provide a bill credit for each kWh Customer produces to the Company's grid using the rate below.	
Excess Generation Avoided Cost Credit per kWh (Residential):	\$0.062924
Excess Generation Avoided Cost Credit per kWh (Non-Residential):	\$0.063255

<b>Proposed Rate:</b>	
EXCESS GENERATION AVOIDED COST CREDIT RATE	
The Company will provide a bill credit for each kWh Customer produces to the Company's grid using the rate below.	
Excess Generation Avoided Cost Credit per kWh:	\$0.065427

The foregoing rates reflect a proposed increase in the Net Metering II credit for exported energy resulting in an increased credit to participants. Net Metering II participants do not represent a separate rate class. All Net Metering II participants are currently residential customers and have participated for less than a year. The average usage and monthly bill impact for each customer class to which the proposed rates will apply are not applicable. The percentage increase in the credit per kWh, representing a reduction in the net metering participant's bill is as follows:

	Total Credit Increase (\$/kWh)	Total Credit Increase (%)
Rate RS – Residential Service:	\$0.002503	4.0%
All Non-residential Rates:	\$0.002172	3.4%

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by Duke Energy Kentucky; however, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from the proposed rates contained in this notice. Such action may result in rates for consumers other than the rates in this notice.

Any corporation, association, body politic or person may, by written request within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice of the proposed rate changes, request leave to intervene; intervention may be granted beyond the thirty (30) day period for good cause shown. Such motion shall be submitted to the Kentucky Public Service Commission, P. O. Box 615, 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of the initial publication the Commission may take final action on the application.

Intervenors may obtain copies of the application and other filings made by the Company by requesting same through email at [DEInquiries@duke-energy.com](mailto:DEInquiries@duke-energy.com) or by telephone at (513) 287-4366. A copy of the application and other filings made by the Company is available for public inspection through the Commission's website at <http://psc.ky.gov>, at the Commission's office at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am. To 4:30 p.m., and at the following Company offices: 1262 Cox Road, Erlanger, Kentucky 41018. Written comments regarding the application may be submitted to the Public Service Commission through its website, or by mail at the following Commission address.

For further information contact:	
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