

**Comic** from A-3

Star Trek and Boston Legal, and starred in one of the most memorable episodes of The Twilight Zone. Currently William Shatner is host and executive producer of The UnXplained on the History Channel.

Comic creators will also be out in force at this year’s convention. Comic Legend Jim Shooter will be available to meet fans, and is joined by fellow comic powerhouses John Romita, Jr., and Bob Hall. Multi-talented Michael Watkins, who has 20 years of experience in comics and illustration with work for Marvel, DC, Image, Dynamite, Dark Horse, and Upper Deck will be on hand to share his experience and amazing artwork. Watkins is also the CEO and Editor in Chief of Highburn Studios. Veteran comic artist Jay Leisten, who has worked across a spectrum of characters from Tombraider and Witchblade for Top Cow to Wolverine and Spiderman for Marvel Comics will be available to fans for artwork and autographs through Sunday.

“I’ve met some of my best friends at conventions,” Greer said of his years doing LTC, and that list includes both guests and regular

**Cameron** from A-4

McConnell's decision on the 2026 race, Morris bluntly said it was time for McConnell to retire. He ripped into the senator for opposing three Trump

attendees. “It’s sort of like this big fraternity, and people become like family. You might only see them once or twice a year, but you’re really glad when you do see them. And that’s what we want this convention to be; a big family reunion you look forward to all year long.”

The show begins tomorrow, and runs through Sunday, March 9. There is a change to ticketing this year at the convention because it has moved to an online ticket model and there will not be any tickets sold at the box office. The link for tickets is available through the LTC website at <http://www.lexingtoncomiccon.com/>, with options including a single day or a weekend pass.

Visitors to the convention should also be prepared with both cash and cashless options. Most vendors at the convention prefer cash payments, and some celebrities deal exclusively in cash for autographs, photos, etc. However, the Central Bank Center Food Court and kiosks operated by the Central Bank center are cashless, and do not accept cash.

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## KFC is leaving its ancestral home as parent company moves its corporate office to Texas

By Bruce Schreiner  
*Associated Press*

LOUISVILLE (AP) — Kentucky Fried Chicken is being uprooted from its ancestral home state in a shake-up announced Tuesday by its parent company that will relocate the chain's U.S. corporate office to Texas.

The food chain now known as KFC — launched by Colonel Harland Sanders and his secret blend of 11 herbs and spices — will be based in Plano, Texas, and about 100 KFC corporate employees will be relocated in the next six months, said Yum Brands, which owns KFC, Taco Bell and Pizza Hut.

The relocation of KFC's corporate office from Louisville brought a quick response from political leaders in Kentucky.

"I am disappointed by this decision and believe the company's founder would be, too," Gov. Andy Beshear said in a state-

ment. "This company's name starts with Kentucky, and it has marketed our state's heritage and culture in the sale of its product."

Beshear, a Democrat, said he hopes Yum rethinks moving KFC employees out of Kentucky. Louisville Mayor Craig Greenberg also expressed disappointment with the corporate reshuffling of workers to Texas, noting that the brand "was born here and is synonymous with Kentucky."

Yum said the move is part of its broader plans to designate two brand headquarters in the U.S. — in Plano and Irvine, California. KFC and Pizza Hut will be headquartered in Plano, while Taco Bell and Habit Burger & Grill will remain based in Irvine, the company said. Yum added that 90 U.S.-based employees who have worked remotely will be asked to eventually relocate to the campus where their work occurs.

Yum and the KFC

## What to know about Fort Knox's gold depository

By Rebecca Reynolds  
*Associated Press*

LOUISVILLE (AP) — President Donald Trump says Elon Musk will be looking at Fort Knox, the legendary depository in Kentucky for American gold reserves, to make sure the gold is still there.

Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent says there is an audit every year and that "all the gold is present and accounted for."

The United States Bullion Depository at Fort Knox has stored precious metal bullion reserves for the United States since 1937 and has become synonymous for secure and

well protected. Along with protecting gold reserves, Fort Knox is currently also used as the Army's human resources command center, and it hosts the Army's largest annual training event each summer.

"We're going to open up the the doors. We're going to inspect Fort Knox," Trump said in a speech to Republican governors Thursday evening.

"I don't want to open it and the cupboards are bare," he added.

**Fort Knox history and location**

The Army post is about 35 miles south of Louisville and encompasses

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CARTER CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 24-CI-00223		
FEDERATION OF APPALACHIAN HOUSING ENTERPRISES, INC.	PLAINTIFF	
VS.	NOTICE OF SALE	
UNKNOWN HEIR(S) OF SHIRLEY THOMPSON; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SHIRLEY THOMPSON; UNKNOWN OCCUPANT(S) OF 190 JONES MEMORIAL DRIVE; CONSTANCE MARIE BOGGS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CONSTANCE MARIE BOGGS; CITY OF OLIVE HILL, KENTUCKY; CARTER COUNTY, KENTUCKY	DEFENDANTS	
Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Carter Circuit Court, entered on February 4, 2025, I shall offer for sale the property described herein at public auction on the Courthouse steps of the old Carter County Courthouse, 300 West Main Street in Grayson, Kentucky, on the <b>26th day of March, 2025 at or near the hour of 1:00 p.m.</b> , to the highest bidder on the following terms:		
The aforementioned real estate shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of 6.125% per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.		
<b>Description of the Property:</b> 190 Jones Memorial Drive, Olive Hill, KY. (For Legal Description see LSOT: Deed Book 230, Page 760, Carter County Clerk's Office.)		
<b>Map/Parcel ID Number:</b> 043-20-06-013.08.		
<b>NOTE:</b> Only delinquent ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds. The Purchaser shall be responsible for payment of the taxes for the current year and thereafter.		
Honorable John P. Thompson Master Commissioner Carter County, Kentucky		

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CARTER CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 23-CI-00239		
LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC	PLAINTIFF	
VS.	NOTICE OF SALE	
GREGORY BLAKE HALL AND UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF RHONDA CAMPBELL	DEFENDANTS	
Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Carter Circuit Court, entered on September 17, 2024, I shall offer for sale the property described herein at public auction on the Courthouse steps of the old Carter County Courthouse, 300 West Main Street in Grayson, Kentucky, on the <b>12th day of March, 2025 at or near the hour of 10:00 a.m.</b> , to the highest bidder on the following terms		
The aforementioned real estate shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of 2.875% per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.		
<b>Description of the Property:</b> 664 Glancy Fork, Denton, KY 41132. (For Legal Description see LSOT: Deed Book 449, Page 542, Carter County Clerk's Office.)		
<b>Map/Parcel ID Number:</b> 123-00-00-047.00.		
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Honorable John P. Thompson Master Commissioner Carter County, Kentucky		

Foundation will maintain corporate offices in Louisville, the company said. The governor and mayor said they were grateful those jobs are being retained in Kentucky's largest city.

"I've asked to meet with the Yum CEO soon and am heartened Yum will retain its corporate headquarters and 560 employees here," Greenberg said in his statement. "I will work tirelessly with Yum's leadership to continue growing its presence in Louisville."

Employees being shifted will receive relocation and transition support, the company said.

Yum said that designating two brand headquarters is meant to foster greater collaboration among its brands and employees.

"These changes position us for sustainable growth and will help us better serve our customers, employees, franchisees and shareholders," Yum CEO David Gibbs said in a news release.

Yum also announced it would provide a \$1 million endowment to the University of Louisville's College of Business to fund Yum-sponsored scholarships. And the company said KFC will continue its brand presence in Louisville with the goal of building a first-of-its-kind flagship restaurant.

KFC's ties to Kentucky run nearly a century deep. In 1930, at a service station in Corbin, Kentucky, Sanders began feeding travelers and spent the next nine years perfecting his blend of herbs and spices, as well as the basic cooking technique, KFC's website says.

And the goateed entrepreneur's likeness is known globally, having been stamped on KFC restaurant signs and chicken buckets. There are now over 24,000 KFC outlets in more than 145 countries and territories around the world, the brand's website says.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CARTER CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 22-CI-00383		
NEW REZ LLC D/B/A SHELLPOINT MORTGAGE SERVICING	PLAINTIFF	
VS.	NOTICE OF SALE	
RACHEL PARSONS, A/K/A RACHEL STEPHENS; CACH LLC OF COLORADO; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR EVOLVE BANK & TRUST; UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF EDDIE PARSONS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CIERRA PARSONS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DESTINY PARSONS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF EDDIE PARSONS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF RACHEL PARSONS; UNKNOWN SPOUSES OF UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF EDDIE PARSONS; JUSTIN DAVIS; SAMANTHA DAVIS, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF EDDIE PARSONS; C. P., A MINOR; DESTINY PARSONS	DEFENDANTS	
Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Carter Circuit Court, entered on January 8, 2025, I shall offer for sale the property described herein at public auction on the Courthouse steps of the old Carter County Courthouse, 300 West Main Street in Grayson, Kentucky, on the <b>26th day of March, 2025 at or near the hour of 1:05 p.m.</b> , to the highest bidder on the following terms:		
The aforementioned real estate shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of 6.125% per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.		
<b>Description of the Property:</b> 807 Kibbey Street, Grayson, KY 41143. (For Legal Description see LSOT: Deed Book 146, Page 791, Carter County Clerk's Office.)		
<b>Map/Parcel ID Number:</b> 104-20-05-022.		
<b>NOTE:</b> Only delinquent ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds. The Purchaser shall be responsible for payment of the taxes for the current year and thereafter.		
Honorable John P. Thompson Master Commissioner Carter County, Kentucky		

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CARTER CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 21-CI-00193		
RTL-KY, LLC	PLAINTIFF	
VS.		
ANP TAX LIEN COMPANY, LLC	DEFENDANT/ CROSS-CLAIMANT	
VS.		
HAL DAVID SMITH; VICTORIA LEIGH SMITH; LIEN SOLUTIONS, LLC; AND COUNTY OF CARTER, KENTUCKY		
NOTICE OF SALE		
Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Carter Circuit Court, entered on February 4, 2025, I shall offer for sale the property described herein at public auction on the Courthouse steps of the old Carter County Courthouse, 300 West Main Street in Grayson, Kentucky, on the <b>12th day of March, 2025 at or near the hour of 10:10 a.m.</b> , to the highest bidder on the following terms:		
The aforementioned real estate shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash in full, and if not paid in full then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment of at least ten percent (10%) of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.		
<b>Description of the Property:</b> 202 Maple Drive, Grayson, KY 41143. (For Legal Description see LSOT: Deed Book 100, Page 608, Carter County Clerk's Office.)		
<b>Map/Parcel ID Number:</b> 104-10-50-009.00.		
<b>NOTE:</b> Only delinquent ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds. The Purchaser shall be responsible for payment of the taxes for the current year and thereafter.		
Honorable John P. Thompson Master Commissioner Carter County, Kentucky		

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CARTER CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 23-CI-00423		
ROMA L. WEBB, JR.	PLAINTIFF	
VS.	NOTICE OF SALE	
LARRY DEAN LEMMONS; HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, AND BENEFICIARIES, IF ANY; LINDA ANN LANCASTER; HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, AND BENEFICIARIES, IF ANY; ROBERT D. LEMMONS; HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, AND BENEFICIARIES, IF ANY; BARBARA K. GIFFORD; HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, AND BENEFICIARIES, IF ANY; CHARLES NORMAN LEMMONS; HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, AND BENEFICIARIES, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OCCUPANT(S) OF THE PREMISES, IF ANY; AND CARTER COUNTY, KENTUCKY	DEFENDANTS	
Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Carter Circuit Court, entered on January 9, 2025, I shall offer for sale the property described herein at public auction on the Courthouse steps of the Carter County Courthouse, 300 West Main Street in Grayson, Kentucky, on the <b>12th day of March, 2025 at or near the hour of 10:05 a.m.</b> , to the highest bidder on the following terms:		
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<b>Description of the Property:</b> 1056 Lost Hills, Olive Hill, KY. (For Legal Description see LSOT: Deed Book 216, Page 644, Carter County Clerk's Office.)		
<b>Map/Parcel ID Number:</b> 014-00-00-019.00.		
<b>NOTE:</b> Only delinquent ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds. The Purchaser shall be responsible for payment of the taxes for the current year and thereafter.		
Honorable John P. Thompson Master Commissioner Carter County, Kentucky		

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Pursuant to party rules, the quadrennial Reorganization of the Carter County Republican Party will take place on March 8, 2025 at 9 a.m. in the Fiscal Courtroom at the Carter County Courthouse, 300 W Main St, Grayson, KY 41143

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