

TRIMBLE COUNTY COURT NEWS

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The following cases were heard Feb. 24.

COMMONWEALTH VS. ARRAIGNMENTS

Courtney Smith, 1998. Menacing, assault third degree – police/probation officer – identified (FTA eligible) (2 counts), endangering the welfare of a minor, resisting arrest, terroristic threatening third degree. Pled not guilty to all. Bond remains. Next appearance March 3.

Donald E. Ashcraft, 1964. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible). Next appearance March 10.

Adam Lee Austin, 1990. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible). Pled guilty. Paid.

Parker Lee Dorton, 2007. No/expired KY registration receipt (DMC), no/expired registration plates (DMC), failure to produce insurance card (DMV), careless driving (FTA eligible) (Pled guilty, \$50), failure to give right of way to emergency vehicle (FTA eligible) (DMM). \$193 fines and costs. Next appearance May 19.

Brian Furnish, 1971. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible) (Pled guilty). Paid.

Heidi Jane Geiges, 1964. Speeding 26 mph over/greater (FTA eligible), following another vehicle too closely (FTA eligible), careless driving (FTA eligible). Next appearance March 10.

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James L. Griffin, 1961. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible), no/expired KY registration receipt, no/expired registration plates, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible). FTA/DOT suspension. Bench warrant \$655.

Aaron Thomas Leake, 2002. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible). Next appearance March 10.

Brandon H. McCormick, 1985. \$643 fine plus costs. Obstructed vision and/or windshield (DMM), inadequate silencer (muffler) (DMM), failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security first (FTA eligible) (Pled guilty), rim or frame obscuring lettering or decal on plate (DMM). Next appearance May 19.

Stephanie Lynn McGuire, 1974. Speeding 10 mph over limit (FTA eligible) (DIV). Next appearance Aug. 18.

William Keith Morgan, 1991. No/expired KY registration receipt, no/expired registration plates, failure to produce card. Bench warrant \$555. FTA/DOT suspension.

Bradley Newton, 1998. Operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible). Bench warrant \$355. FTA/DOT suspension.

Erica N. Papai, 2002. Amount due \$25. Assault fourth degree domestic violence minor injury. \$163 fine plus costs. Next appearance May 19.

Jacob Wallace Scroggin, 2000. Speeding 10 mph over (FTA eligible) (DIV). Next appearance Aug. 25.

Everette Wagers, 2008. Speeding 10 mph over limit (FTA eligible) (DIV). Next appearance Aug. 25.

Mary Lisa Wilson, 1965. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible) (Pled guilty). Paid.

FTA REVIEWS

Amy J. Miller, 1981. No/expired KY registration receipt (FTA) (DMM), license to be in possession (FTA eligible) (DMC), failure to notify address change to DOT (DMM). Pled not guilty. Recall FTA.

PRELIMINARY HEARINGS

Michael Wayne Smith, 1975. Amount due \$25. Possession of a controlled substance first degree first offense (methamphetamine), buying/possessing drug paraphernalia, failure to notify address change to DOT.

PRETRIAL CONFERENCES

James T. Beeler, 1988. Improper equipment, failure to produce insurance card (dismissed), operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible), failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible). Next appearance March 24.

Devyn Taylor Michael Broadus, 1995. Amount due \$50. Public intoxication-controlled substance (excludes alcohol), disorderly conduct second degree. Bench warrant \$500.

Jacob A. Edwards, 1998. Unauthorized use of motor vehicle first offense (FTA eligible) (dismissed without prejudice), operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible) (dismissed without prejudice).

Shannon Matthew Moore, 1985. Operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible). Bench warrant \$355. FTA/DOT suspension.

Brittany Sue Rabourn, 1992. Operating on sus-

pending/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible). Bench warrant \$355. FTA/DOT suspension.

David Stark, 1979. Harboring a vicious animal, dogs to be vaccinated against rabies, criminal trespassing third degree. Next appearance March 24.

Brittney Tharp, 1993. Amount due \$25. Assault fourth degree domestic violence minor injury. Defendant to retrieve property at his expense. Next appearance May 19.

James David Turner, 2002. Amount due \$25. Operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible) (Pled guilty), criminal mischief second degree (DMM) (2 counts). \$793 fine and costs. Next appearance May 19.

Josiah Daniel Wallace, 2002. Operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible) (DMC), inadequate silencer (muffler) (DMM).

Joseph Wheeler, 1972. Operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible), failure of owner to maintain required insurance/second or greater (FTA eligible), no/expired KY registration receipt, no/expired registration plates. Next appearance March 10.

Joseph C. Wheeler, 1972. No/expired KY registration receipt, no/expired registration plates, improper display of registration plates, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible), rim or frame obscuring lettering or decal on plate. Next appearance March 10.

REVIEWS

Johnathan Ray Brewer, 2000. Amount due \$25. Assault fourth degree dating violence (minor injury) (DIV to Dis.)

Joseph C. Wheeler, 1972. Amount due \$418. No/expired registration plates (dismissed), operating vehicle with expired operator's license (FTA eligible), failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security first (FTA eligible), failure to register transfer of motor vehicle (dismissed). Next appearance March 10.

Matthew Buchanan, 1983. Amount due \$793. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible) (dismissed), careless driving (FTA eligible) (dismissed), possession of open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle (FTA eligible) (dismissed), failure to produce insurance card (dismissed), operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible) (guilty), failure to notify address change to DOT (dismissed). Refund all bonds to surety.

SENTENCINGS

Richard Sullivan, 1992. Assault second degree (amended), assault fourth degree minor (guilty). Bench warrant \$5,000.

SHOW CAUSE HEARINGS

Russell Daniel Alan Crawford, 2001. Reckless driving (FTA eligible) (dismissed), operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible) (amend), operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible), operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (dismissed). Paid.

Jimmie Logsdon Jr. Amount due \$260.79. Theft by deception – include cold checks (2 counts). Next appearance March 24.

Jimmie Logsdon Jr. Amount due \$68.40. Theft by deception – include cold checks (guilty). Next appearance March 24.

Jimmie M. Logsdon. Theft by deception – include cold checks (guilty). Paid.

Walter V. Taylor, 1971. Amount due \$1,288. No/expired registration plates (dismissed), operating on suspended/revoked operator's license (FTA eligible) (amend), license to be in possession (FTA eligible) (guilty), failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance first (FTA eligible) (amend), failure of owner to maintain required insurance second or greater (FTA eligible) (guilty), operating motor vehicle/motorcycle function without ignition interlock device (FTA eligible) (guilty), possession of marijuana (guilty). Paid \$200. Payments to start April 1.

Christopher Allen Wilson, 1999. Failure to wear seatbelts (FTA eligible) (guilty), speeding 25mph over limit (FTA eligible) (guilty), failure to notify address change to DOT (dismissed), operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible) (amend), operating motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol first (FTA eligible) (guilty). Proof in file. Paid.

Darian Michelle Wright, 1989. Endangering the welfare of a minor (guilty). Proof in file.

OTHER CASES

Estate of: Elfredia T. Calvert, motion hour. Next appearance March 10.

Amanda Brown vs. Michael Gray et al, other hearing. Small claims. Gray gave permission for third party to retrieve property by Feb. 27.

Tony Urbigkit vs. Jenny Henry, review. Refund filing fee to landlord. Dismiss.

STATE

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of June 16 for the 2026 Trimble County Fair at the Trimble County Park.

• A grant for park improvements and further development of the park's trail system is currently being implemented.

• University of Kentucky architect students will give a presentation Thursday, April 2, on three ongoing projects they have been working on over past few years — Milton visioning, Bedford/Trimble County visioning, and a project

involving Carroll County.

The event will be held at the Riverview Wedding Venue on KY 36 in Milton. Check in for the presentation is 1:30 p.m. with the program 2-3 p.m., and a question and answer period 3-3:30 p.m.

• With Trimble County recognized by the state as an official America 250 KY Celebration site, the county will receive a Tulip Poplar tree — the official state tree — to be planted in commemoration of the country's 250th birthday. The planting site has not yet been determined.

Monthly planning is ongoing for the county's America 250 celebration on Saturday, June 27. The all-

day event will include family activities, concerts and historical presentations along with celebratory activities being planned and developed for the Courthouse Square.

• Other upcoming events and activities in Trimble County include: March 28 — Easter event at the county park; May 23 — Shop with a Hero car show 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. with new entry categories and displays this year; April 18 — Rotary Ladies Tea Party 1 p.m.; March 21 — Bedford Elementary Spring Festival lunch at 11 a.m. and auction 1 p.m.

The next Fiscal Court meeting is Monday, March 16 at 9 a.m.

Man to enter plea on sex abuse of minor

BY PAXTON MEDIA GROUP

A Worthville man is scheduled to enter a plea on a count of using a minor in a sexual performance, according to a warrant complaint on file in Owen County Circuit Court.

Steven M. Broughton, 41, of Eagle Circle Drive, Worthville, was charged with

having a 7-year-old victim come into a bedroom where he allegedly asked to look at her private parts and remove her underwear, court documents say.

Broughton then allegedly put his face near the victim's private parts and stared at them and told her if she told anyone he would kill himself, court documents say.

CARROLL

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important history with our community," said Carroll County library director Leslie Sutherland.

Upcoming special programs related to the exhibit include:

• Kentucky Heritage Council Speaker Tressa Brown will be on hand at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 19, for a "Let us Be Thankful — Food from the Americas" presentation on Native American foods.

• Kentucky Humanities Speaker Terry Foody will visit at 6 p.m. Tuesday, March 24, to speak on "The Gist Boys: Sequoyah & Gratz: Hear the true story of Sequoyah (George Gist), inventor of the

Cherokee written language and Henry Gratz (his nephew), editor of the Kentucky Gazette."

• Kentucky Humanities Speaker Dr. Kathryn West, of Bellarmine University, at 6 p.m. on Monday, March 30, to present "Listening to Indigenous Voices: New/Old Revelations in Native American History and Culture."

In addition, check the library's website, www.carrollcountylibrary.org, for all programs related to this event.

Kentucky Humanities chose the Carroll County Public Library to host Americans as part of the Museum on Main Street Project — a national/state/local partnership to bring exhibitions and programs to rural

cultural organizations. Museum on Main Street is a partnership of the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service, the Federation of State Humanities Councils and state humanities councils nationwide.

Other stops on the Americans Kentucky tour include: Paducah, Greenville, Clinton, Henderson, Versailles, and Ashland

The United States Congress and the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet provide support to the Museum on Main Street project. The exhibition is touring seven communities in Kentucky from Aug. 23, 2025, through July 5, 2026. You can find the exhibit's tour schedule at <https://kyhumanities.org/programs/americans/>.

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5. Rep. Nima Kulkarni, D-Louisville, asked if there was a way to add tracking of the successful employment of inmates after they've been released that provision.

"I think it's really important for us to track the success of these programs," she said.

Quarles said KCTCS would encourage that in order to show the return of investment

on the project.

"Employment trends change or there might be an employment opportunity that wasn't there in the first wave when we get started hopefully fall of next year," he added.

Harvey said most parolees are under supervised release, so there could be a way to track employment there.

Kulkarni asked Decker if she would be open to a floor amendment. Decker said she'd discuss it.

"That sounds like a great

idea," she added.

The House Judiciary Committee approved HB 5 by a 19-1 vote. It will now go before the full House for consideration.

Prior to voting in favor of the legislation, Rep. Kimberly Poore Moser, R-Taylor Mill, encouraged the committee to support HB 5.

"I love this bill," she said.

"This is a great initiative, and it is something that is near and dear to my heart."



CITY OF MILTON, KENTUCKY
ORDINANCE NO. 1,
SERIES 2026

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 2.04.010 PERTAINING TO THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE MILTON CITY COMMISSION

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF MILTON, KENTUCKY, THAT SECTION 2.04.010 OF THE CITY OF MILTON MUNICIPAL CODE IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

2.04.010 City commission meetings.

A. The city commission shall hold regular meetings once each month on the Second Thursday of each month at [seven] six p.m., based on the official time then prevailing throughout Trimble County, Kentucky; provided, however, that whenever the second Thursday of a month falls on a legal holiday, then the regular meeting for that month shall be held on the next succeeding Tuesday which is a secular day at [seven] six p.m.

B. The regular meeting place at which the commission shall hold its meetings shall be at the city hall in Milton, Kentucky.

C. Special meetings of the commission may be called at any time by the mayor or by three members of the city commission, by written notice delivered at least twenty-four hours prior to the time specified for the proposed meeting[;] to each member[;] and to the mayor[;]. **Written notice shall also be delivered** to each local newspaper of general circulation, to each news service, and to each local radio or television station which has on file with the city commission a written request to be notified of special meetings of the city commission, in accordance with KRS [61-805-994] **61.823**. In addition, written notice of the special meeting shall be posted in a conspicuous place in city hall at least twenty-four hours before the special meeting.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force when passed, published and recorded according to law.

Denny C. Jackson
Mayor

ATTEST:
Angela Dunaway
City Clerk/Treasurer

First Reading
January 8, 2026

Second Reading
February 12, 2026

Published on March 6, 2026

COMMISSIONERS VOTING:
FOR AGAINST
Lee Carson None
Troy Alexander
Denny Jackson
Leah Carson
Lynn Comeaux



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
UNIFIED COURT OF JUSTICE
CARROLL CIRCUIT COURT

Civil Action No. 25-CI-00212
KENTUCKY HOUSING CORPORATION PLAINTIFF
VS. NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE
Electronically Filed

GARRETT W. KULP DEFENDANTS
UNKNOWN SPOUSE, IF ANY OF GARRETT W. KULP
LNV FUNDING LLC
UNKNOWN OCCUPANT

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the Carroll Circuit Court on the 9th day of February, 2026, I will sell at public auction on the front steps (south door facing Highland Avenue) of the Carroll County Courthouse, 440 Main Street, Carrollton, Kentucky, the property described herein located in Carroll County, Kentucky, on **FRI-DAY, MARCH 20, 2026**, at the hour of **9:00 a.m.**, prevailing time, and more particularly described as follows:

Property address: 1604 Fisher Avenue, Carrollton, KY 41008
Map ID #: C3-17-09

Being the same property conveyed to Garrett W. Kulp, unmarried, from Frank P. Stone, Jr., unmarried, by Deed dated June 29, 2020, of record in Deed Book 216, Page 12, in the Office of the Carroll County Court Clerk.

THERE IS NO MOBILE HOME, DOUBLEWIDE AND/OR MANUFACTURED HOME INCLUDED IN THIS SALE.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale is the sum of \$118,799.93, with accrued interest included thereon and with interest continuing to accrue from April 1, 2025, at the rate of 4.25% per annum until fully paid, together with plus late fees, its costs herein expended, reasonable attorneys fees and other advances made pursuant to the terms of the Note and Mortgage; The real estate shall be sold on the terms of ten (10%) percent cash at the time of the sale, except that said deposit shall be waived if the Plaintiff is the successful bidder at the sale, and the balance on a credit of thirty (30) days bearing interest at the rate the judgment bears per annum from date of sale. When the purchase price is paid in full, the deed will be delivered to the purchaser. It is further provided that the property sold includes insurable improvements and the successful bidder at said sale shall, at bidder's own expense, carry fire and extended insurance coverage on said improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is fully paid, to the extent of the Court appraised value of said improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price whichever is less, as a minimum, with a loss payable clause to the Commissioner of the Carroll Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein. Failure of the purchaser to effect such insurance shall not affect the validity of the sale or the purchaser's liability thereunder, but shall entitle, but not require, the Plaintiff Kentucky Housing Corporation, to effect said insurance and furnish the policy or evidence thereof to the Commissioner if it so desires, and the premium thereon or the proper portion thereof shall be charged to the purchaser as purchaser's costs.

The aforesaid property shall be sold free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, except the following:

- All unpaid state, county and city real estate taxes for the year 2026;
- Easements, restrictions, and stipulations of record;
- Assessments for public improvements levied against the property; and,
- Any facts which an inspection and/or accurate survey of the property may disclose.

For further information, see the Final Judgment and Order of Sale and pleadings of record in the Office of the Circuit Court of Carroll County.

/s/ Jake A. Thompson
JAKE A. THOMPSON
MASTER COMMISSIONER
CARROLL CIRCUIT COURT

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