

DeLisle wins Cow Days Contest



Meloney DeLisle, left, recently accepted a \$300 check from Greensburg Rotary Club President Gaye McCubbin for winning the 2025 Cow Days T-shirt Design Contest.

Photo by Clevis Jeffries

Gov. Beshear: More Kentuckians attaining GED

Since waiving the GED testing fee in his first term, Gov. Andy Beshear announced today that more Kentuckians without a high school diploma are earning their GED, with a success rate that surpasses the national rate.

“There are multiple paths to a good life, which is why Lt. Gov. Coleman and I made it a priority to help more Kentuckians earn their GED – a goal we’re continuing to find new ways to meet,” said Gov. Beshear. “From waiving the testing fee early in our administration to recently announcing we’re taking GED testing on the road to areas without access, we’re committed to ensuring every Kentuckian who wants to take this next step has access.”

Since January 2020, 25,269 Kentuckians, 99% of all Kentucky GED test takers, have taken advantage of the free GED promo to begin their path toward earning their high school equivalency certification. In the last state fiscal year alone, 3,106 Kentuckians have obtained their GED, a 2.5% increase over the number of GED diplomas obtained during the previous state fiscal year period of July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024.

Gov. Beshear also announced that, not only are more Kentuckians taking the GED exam, but they are also passing the exam at a higher rate than the rest of the country. With a state GED pass rate of 78%, Kentucky is exceeding the current na-

tional GED pass rate of 74%.

“As a former teacher, I know the transformative impact a high school diploma or GED diploma can make in a person’s life. I’m so happy to see more of our fellow Kentuckians take this first step to a brighter future,” said Lt. Gov. Jacqueline Coleman. “Gov. Beshear and I made a promise that this would be an education-first administration. We are seeing through that commitment every day, removing barriers to the GED, advocating for Pre-K for All and treating teachers with respect.”

More than 14,275 Kentuckians have used the free GED promo to successfully complete all four components of the GED test to earn their equivalency certificate since January 2020. At a cost of \$36 per component or \$144 for all four components, many of these Kentuckians likely would not have completed their GED due to the fees.

Sofar this year, 3,161 test-takers have taken advantage of the free GED. Test-takers can use the free GED promo multiple times as they work to complete all four components of the GED exam.

Recognizing that cost is not the only barrier to access for individuals ready to earn their GED, Gov. Beshear recently announced that Team Kentucky is taking GED testing on the road to reach areas across the commonwealth without access to brick-and-mortar adult education centers.

GED testing will be traveling to areas in the state lacking access to in-person adult education services. These include remote or rural locations and other areas where adult learners face greater challenges accessing traditional GED testing centers, such as limited transportation options or a lack of conveniently located testing facilities. Counties where the mobile unit will travel are Adair, Barren, Breathitt, Caldwell, Christian, Green, Hancock, Hopkins, Kenton, Knott, Lee, Leslie, McLean, Metcalf, Montgomery, Morgan, Ohio, Owsley, Perry, Powell, Rockcastle, Taylor, Todd, Trigg and Wolfe.

In addition to GED test preparation courses, services offered by the Kentucky Office of Adult Education include English language instruction, upskilling to get or keep a job, family literacy programs and preparing for post-secondary education.

In state fiscal year 2025, the Office of Adult Education saw an 18% increase in total enrollment in these offerings. Enrollees include working-age Kentuckians receiving adult education and family literacy services, which include GED instruction, workforce preparation, workplace training, integrated education and training, family literacy services and English language acquisition services.

These adult education services are available in all 120 counties of the commonwealth. Learn more about Kentucky adult education opportunities at ky.gov.

Rev. Turner to lead Greensburg United Methodist Church

Greensburg United Methodist Church would like to introduce their new pastor, David Turner and his wife, Linda.

Bro. Dave is an Elder in Full Connection with the Kentucky Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church. He is retired, and is serving a two-point charge: Greensburg and Sulphur Well.

Bro. Dave and Linda have been married 48 years and they have three children and five grandchildren.

Services at GUMC, 111 W. Court St., are as follows: Worship on Sundays at 9 a.m. CT and Bible Study on Tuesdays at 6 p.m. The current Bi-



Photo submitted

David and Linda Turner

ble Study is the Everyone is welcome to attend. book of Exodus.

Greensburg Separate Baptist to have Old Fashion Day

Greensburg Separate Baptist Church will feature The Sextons singing on Sunday morning, July 27 at 9:30 a.m. CT

during their annual Old Fashion Day. A meal will follow the service.

The pastor, Wayne Morgan, and the church welcome everyone to attend this special service.

Overcoming Loss: You are not alone



Dr. Angelia S. Bryant
Licensed Clinical Counselor

“To everything there is a season... a time to be born and a time to die... a time to mourn and a time to dance.”
— Ecclesiastes 3:1-4

Grief is a road none of us wish to travel, yet all of us do. Losing someone you love carves a space in your soul that never fully closes. It changes you and not always for the worse, but always deeply. And while the world keeps turning, you are left standing still, holding memories in one hand and heartache in the other.

If you are walking that quiet, heavy path today, dear friend, know this: you are not alone.

As someone who

has both buried and carried the love of family in my bones—I know this truth intimately. Grief is not something to get over; it’s something to move with. It becomes part of your rhythm, like breathing in sadness and exhaling grace.

The loss of someone we love reminds us how precious each life truly is. It shakes us, yes and it also shapes us. We begin to hold tighter, speak kinder, and forgive more freely. Loss teaches us to live intentionally. And that is no small gift.

We must allow ourselves the space to mourn, to cry, to break. But we must also remember to rise. Slowly. Gently. Quietly. Rise.

Lean into the beauty of remembering. Set an extra place at the table on holidays. Plant a tree. Light a candle. Tell their story. Laugh at the memories. Cry when you need to. And don’t let anyone rush your grief.

Let us lean on gratitude, not because the

loss was good, but because the love was real. As I’ve written before, gratitude doesn’t ignore pain; it holds it with compassion. We can thank God not for the loss, but for the blessing of having known someone worth mourning.

And we can take heart in God’s promise: “Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for You are with me...” (Psalm 23:4). You are not alone in your grief. God is near to the brokenhearted.

My readers, if you’re grieving today, I am holding space for you. Let this be your reminder: You are allowed to feel it all. You are allowed to heal slowly. And you are allowed to live again—with love, with purpose, with hope.

Love God and All People. Amen.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Exie Solar, LLC is proposing to develop and construct an up to 110-megawatt solar-powered merchant electric generation facility and nonregulated electric transmission line in Green County, Kentucky, located approximately seven miles southwest of Greensburg. The proposed project will be located on approximately 1,340 acres of land with an address of 2969 Liletown Road, Greensburg, Kentucky 42743. The proposed project will consist of photovoltaic panels and their associated racking systems, inverters, collection system, transmission line, project substation, and other equipment.

Exie Solar, LLC is required to file an application with the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (“Board”) for construction and operation of the proposed facility and transmission line. This filing will occur in the coming weeks. The proposed construction is subject to the approval of the Board, which can be reached at P.O. Box 615, 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615, or via phone at (502) 564-3940.

A person who wishes to become a party to a proceeding before the Board may, by written motion filed no later than thirty (30) days after the application has been submitted, request leave to intervene.

A party may, upon written motion filed no later than thirty (30) days after an application has been filed, request the Board to schedule an evidentiary hearing at the offices of the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.

A request for a local public hearing or local public information meeting shall be made by at least three (3) interested persons who reside in the county or municipal corporation in which the facility and transmission line is proposed to be located. The request shall be made in writing and shall be filed within thirty (30) days following the filing of a completed application.

If you have questions, please contact Exie Solar, LLC at ExieSolar@geronimopower.com or by calling (270) 949-8123, or visit <https://geronimopower.com/in-development/exie-solar-project/> to learn more about Exie Solar.



Public Notice

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Court of Justice
Eleventh Judicial District Court
Green County
Probate Division
Karen Gilpin, Clerk

In compliance with SECTION 25.185 AND SECTION 242 **KENTUCKY REVISED STATUTES** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following **SETTLEMENTS OF ACCOUNTS** have been filed in the office of the clerk and exceptions to same, if any, must be filed before **August 11, 2025** on which date at 1:00 p.m. prevailing time a hearing will be held in the Green County Judicial Center.

NAME OF WARD OR DECEDENT	NAME OF FIDUCIARY	CAPACITY OF FIDUCIARY	KIND OF SETTLEMENT
TRINA PITTMAN	ASHLEY BASKETTE	ADMINISTRATOR	PROPOSED FINAL

In compliance with SECTION 424.30 AND SECTION 424.120 **KENTUCKY REVISED STATUTES** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following **FIDUCIARY APPOINTMENTS** have been made by the court.

NAME ADDRESS OF DECEDENT OR WARD	NAME & ADDRESS OF FUDICIARY	NAME & ADDRESS OF ATTY REPRESENTING FUDICIARY	DATE OF APPT	CREDITORS MUST FILE CLAIMS BY
ELLA KAY LEWIS 506 Shreve Ave. Greensburg, KY 42743	SANTANA BOBROWSKI 327 Hugh Paxton Road Greensburg, KY 42743	RUSSELL W. GOFF 116 S. Main Street Greensburg, KY 42743	06/27/25	12/27/25
BOBBY JOE BUCKNER 715 Penick Ave. Greensburg, KY 42743	JOYCE ANN BUCKNER 715 Hwy 88 Greensburg, KY 42743	RUSSELL W. GOFF 225 E. First Street Campbellsville, KY 42718	06/27/25	12/27/25
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