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participants received a question the night before, responding to it for 20-30 seconds on stage. Participants are involved in six weeks of preparation before the showcase, practicing in fitness and life skills workshops. Former DYW participants are made available to answer questions and offer advice. "It has changed a lot since it was Junior Miss, but it is still scholarship-specific," Ballard said. DYW participants must be high school juniors to compete locally, then will prepare for the state event as seniors. Ballard mentioned that Bullitt County, with four participants, were combined this year with Jefferson County, who had 11 participants. The local showcase took place at the Jefferson Community and Technical College Southwest Campus. Ballard had many family members in attendance supporting her, including her step-sister, Kate Sowards, who joined Ballard onstage as part of a DYW Little Sisters program. As the winner of the local event, Ballard received \$500 in scholarship funds. She also received \$100 with the new Bonnie Davis All Heart Award, named for a long-time committee member, presented to the participant that the DYW committee felt had "given all heart" during the six-week program. The state showcase will be on a larger scale, with the same categories but separated over a three-day period. According to Ballard, the top 10 in each category will take the stage on the third day. "At the state event, the individual programs all have individual scholarship funds available," she

mentioned. Ballard said there have been around 30 participants in the event over the past few years, including county winners and "at-large" participants from counties without a DYW program. "Some (participants) stay in Lexington for the entire week," she said. "Some will stay with a host family." DYW participants are required to sign a "no compete" clause, Ballard said, meaning that they would not enter any pageants over the duration of the DYW events. "I'm okay with that," she added. "(DYW) is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, with scholarships available. I'm happy with the program." As a local student, Ballard keeps busy participating with the BAMS Beta Club. She ran for the Kentucky Senior Beta Club President position. She also serves on the BAMS Yearbook Committee. "I've known about BAMS since fifth grade," she said. "I always wanted to attend it. BAMS has shaped me into the person that I am, they have so many amazing programs, teachers and staff. (BAMS Teachers Stephanie) Lewis and (Payton) Coogle are great." "Savannah does everything in school," Lewis said. "She really is an amazing student." Lewis credited Ballard for learning coding for solar panels during the neighboring Area Technology Center's Tiny Home Project. Among all her other talents, Lewis credited Ballard for playing the flute. BAMS students complete four years of high school courses in two years, then attend classes at JCTC for two years, earning an Associate's Degree.

Ballard is a member of JCTC's Academic Team. With her reside school, Bullitt East, Ballard is a member of the Speech and Debate team. "Savannah is a good student, she's smart and she's talented," said BAMS principal Dominic McCamish. "She's very driven, she does well with a group setting or on her own. I am certain that she will be very successful." Ballard is a member of the Bullitt County Youth Coalition, presented by Bullitt County Partners in Prevention. She recently represented BCYC at a national Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) conference in Washington, D.C. BCYC coordinator Allison Robinson said Ballard was selected as a representative of the Very Important Partner (VIP) Program, presented by Bullitt County Partners in Prevention, to feature students that agree to a substance-free lifestyle. "In the time that we have worked together, Savannah never ceases to amaze me," said Robinson. "From volunteering her time to taking charge on projects, she is a natural born leader and I am so honored to watch her on this journey." Robinson added that Ballard took on a leadership role within BCYC, allowing her to excel in her advocacy efforts. "Savannah has big ideas and is not afraid to voice them," she said. "She will conquer anything she puts her mind to." Ballard attended the Governor's School for Entrepreneurs, an intensive three-week summer program at the University of Kentucky. She has qualified to attend the Governor's Scholars Program this summer. A member of Troop

2270, Ballard has been involved with Girl Scouts since she was in kindergarten. She is currently working toward her Gold Award with the Troop. "Savannah really uses her summertime well," Lewis mentioned. As far as the local DYW title goes, Ballard hopes to expand the program locally, bringing it back into prominence for more local students after a long hiatus. The program was sponsored by the Bullitt County Woman's Club in the past as the Bullitt County Young Woman Scholarship Program. "Bullitt County hadn't had the (Junior Miss) program since 2006," she said. "I'm the third local (DYW) selection since the revamp. I want to grow it and I hope to bring in a local influx of participants." Ballard hopes to be granted permission to speak at Bullitt County high schools and middle schools to share her experiences and to get more students encouraged and involved with DYW. "It's such a great program," she said. "There's scholarship opportunities, plus you're learning various life skills, which is important." Ballard has not yet selected a college to attend, but figured to remain in-state. She hoped to become a doctor, though she hadn't selected a career path as of yet. "Right now I'm looking into becoming an endocrinologist," she said. For more information on the national Distinguished Young Woman program go to distinguisheddyw.com. For more information on the local program visit instagram.com/dywbullittcounty.

ABSOLUTE
Auction
ATTENTION: * ESTATE SALE *
SAT., MAY 17th - 10am

LOCATION: 166 Castleton Dr., Bardstown, KY
REASON FOR SALE: In order to settle, The Anthony and Judy Mattingly Estate, Stacey Kelty and Jewell Bryan have commissioned Bray Auction Services, LLC of Bardstown, to sell the following described personal property at absolute auction.

Furniture: (1) Dining Table with 6 Upholstered Chairs, (1) Dining Table with 6 Chairs, (1) Dining Table with 4 Chairs, (2) China Cabinets, {1} Buffet Cabinet, (1) Drop Leaf Tea Cart, (1) Bar Tap Table, (4) End Tables, (2) Grandfather Clocks, (3) Electric Fireplaces with Mantles, (2) Cabinets, (5) Curio Cabinets, (1) Corner Cabinet, (3) Entertainment Centers, (4) Entry Tables, (3) Coffee Tables, (6) Wood Bed Frames, (6) Bedside Tables, (1) Adjustable Bedside Table, (1) Wardrobe, (3) Chest of Drawers, (4) Dressers, (4) Dressers with Mirrors, (1) Vanity Makeup Table & Chair, (2) Secretaries, (2) Wooden Roll-top Desk, (1) Wooden Desk with Hutch, (2) Large Wooden Desk, (1) Small Desk, (1) Metal Desk, (1) Cube-shelf for Desk, (2) Office Chairs, (1) Sofa Sleeper, (1) Loveseat, (1) Regular Couch, (1) Sectional Couch, (2) Recliners, (1) Wingback Chair, (2) Glider Rocker Chairs, (1) Upholstered Chair, (1) Upholstered Bench, (1) Chest, (1) Burlap Storage Trunk, (1) Metal Corner Shelf, (1) Cube Organizer Cabinet, (1) Wire Drawer Organizer, (1) Outdoor Cast Metal Table and 2 Chairs, (2) Outdoor Wicker Loveseats, (2) Outdoor Wicker Chairs, (1) Outdoor Wicker Small Table, (1) Outdoor Wrought Iron Lounge Chair, (2) Outdoor Wrought Iron Chairs, & (1) Outdoor Storage Box. **Appliances:** (1) Speed Queen Washer, (1) Speed Queen Gas Dryers, (1) Maytag Gas Dryer, (1) Stacked Washer & Dryer, Sewing Machines, Dehumidifier, Humidifier, Robot Pool Cleaner, (2) Robot Vacuums, & Carpet Shampooer. **Electronics & Collectibles:** Jukebox, Lots of records, Elvis Collectors Plate, 1996 Kentucky Makers Mark, 2003 100 Year Anniversary Makers Mark, Crown Royal Special Additions, Bushnell Telescope, Lots of Monitor Screens, Sony PlayStation 1, VHS & DVD Player, CD Multi Disc Changer, Soundbar, Rock Bluetooth Speakers, DVDs, Books, Encyclopedia, John Wayne Decanter, Pope Decanter, Kentucky Wildcat Decanter, Lots of Porcelain Dolls, & Pictures. **Kitchen Appliances & Ware:** Portable Ice Maker, Mini Fridge, Coolers, Electric Wine Cooler, Bunn Coffee Makers, Ninja Blender, Blenders, Buffet Servers, Triple Pot Slow Cooker, Ice Cream Maker, Slow Cooker, Toaster, Crock Pots, Electric Skillet, Roaster Oven, Lunchboxes, Bladeless Fan, Serving Bowls, Serving Boards, Double Cast Iron Burner, Pancake Maker, Pressure Cookers, Silver Coffee & Tea Set, Cast iron Skillets, China Sets, Glassware, Cookware, Bakeware, Plates, Bowls, Coffee Cups, Canisters, Cookie Jars, & Canning Jars. **Lawn Maintenance & Tools:** MTD Pro 22560 60in. Cut Lawn Mower w/ 668.6hrs, Push Mower, Weedeaters, Leaf Blower, Seeders, Yard Tools, Wheelbarrows, Tow Cart, Shovels, Post Hole Diggers, Shop Brooms, Gardening Supplies, Troy-Bilt 2800 PSI Pressure Washer, Commercial Pressure Washer, (2) Electric Pressure Washers, Poulan Chainsaw, Ladders, Dolly, Concrete Tools & Floats, Multiple Bottle Jacks, Makita Battery Tools, Extension Cords, Carpentry Tools, Lots of Hand Tools, Portable Work Lamps, & Garage items too numerous to mention. **Misc:** Frames, Mirrors, Lamps, Oil Lamps, Clocks, (2) Vintage Wash Basin & Pitcher, Holiday Decor, Lots of Figurines, Artificial Flowers, Misc Pottery, Vases, Metal Train, Metal Car, Purses, Exercise Abdominal Machine, Exercise Air Bike, Salon Carts, Rolling Stools, Rolling Walker, Ironing Boards, Pet Groomer Table, Metal Chairs, Vintage Medical Scale, Cash Boxes, Lockboxes, Pool Floats, Wicker Trash Bin, Luggage, Commercial Mop Bucket, Central Vacuum System Power Unit, Fireplace Tool Set, Kerosene Heater, Space Heaters, Little Tikes Cozy Coupe, Bird Cage, Dog Pen, Angel Statues, Jesus Statue, Baby High Chair, Water Hoses, Grills, Camping Grill, Patio Umbrella Stands, Kids Foldable Picnic Table, Flower Pots, Electric Motor Scooters, 12V Batteries, Outdoor Chairs, Boat Anchor, Meter Base & Service Box, & many more household items.

For complete details visit: www.brayauctions.com
TERMS: PERSONAL PROPERTY: Cash or check payable day of sale. A 10 percent (10%) buyer's premium will be added to all final bids to determine the final selling price, plus a 6 percent (6%) KY sales tax.
OWNER(S): The Anthony and Judy Mattingly Estate

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JAIL
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they will contact the federal authorities to pick up the inmates. He said it is not a political issue but one in which the jail can assist federal, state or local agencies. Another facility looking to have Bullitt County as a place to house inmates is the Spencer County Jailer. There is no physical jail in Spencer County and inmates are housed in areas such as Nelson County and Shelby County. Fiscal Court members agreed to a contract allowing Spencer County to have inmates housed in Bullitt at a cost of

\$35 day. There would be extra charges for any transport of inmates and medical costs would be provided by Spencer County. The court also approved an interlocal agreement with Louisville Metro Detention Center. The agreement would allow each facil-

ity to house inmates if the need arrives. During the recent flooding, Whittaker sent some inmates to Louisville as the local jail moved all prisoners for a couple of days. There are 2-3 inmates from Louisville currently being housed in Bullitt County due to conflict issues the LMDC facility.

The court also approved a small increase in the daily meal prices. Summitt Foods, the jail's food vendor, increased daily prices from \$1.95 to \$2.08 per meal starting on July 1. The jail's population is from 250-300 per day, according to Whittaker.

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district, Southeast Bullitt, which was closer to the property. He was not against the homes or development but he wanted a plan of attack for fire and police departments. Fire chief Jody Craig said he would discuss the proposal with Southeast Bullitt fire officials. With the annexation, there could also be a possibility of a firehouse and police chief Steve Schmidt hinted at having a police sub-station in the same facility. Mayor Jose Cubero said that the city has a priority of providing additional residential housing units. The best chance of that is with growth to the east and south of the current corporate limits. He added that without the annexation of property, there would be no extension of sewer service to anyone not in the city limits. In response to the growing footprint, the mayor said there are plans over time to expand both departments by two employees. In the proposed 2025-26 budget, the police department is seeking to expand by two officers. The fire department is taking no pay increases as a way to retain 12 firefighters who were obtained by the city under a grant program that will soon expire. During the first reading of the annexation request, there was no discussion by the council.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-01
AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF HEBRON ESTATES, BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY, ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2025, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026, BY ESTIMATING REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE OPERATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT.

WHEREAS, an annual budget proposal and message has been prepared by the Mayor and delivered to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed such budget proposal and made modifications as required;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HEBRON ESTATES, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: The annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, is hereby adopted as follows:

RESOURCES AVAILABLE	GENERAL FUND	MUNICIPAL AID FUND & LGEA FUND	BUILDING RENTAL ESCROW	CAPITAL INVESTMENTS
FUND BALANCES CARRIED FORWARD FROM FY 2024-2025	\$729,910.00	\$54,524.00	\$1,853.00	\$754,179.00
ESTIMATED REVENUE:				
Public Service Co. Property Tax	\$1,000.00			
Real Property Tax	\$70,000.00			
Insurance Premium Tax	\$175,000.00			
Occupational Tax	\$140,000.00			
Intergovernmental Revenue (MARF \$23,000.00; LGEA \$1,700.00)		\$24,700.00		
Public Protection Reimbursement	\$5,400.00			
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$36,220.00	\$1,800.00	\$5.00	\$21,000.00
				\$250,000.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUES	\$427,620.00	\$26,500.00	\$5.00	\$271,000.00
TOTAL RESOURCES FOR APPROPRIATION:	\$1,157,530.00	\$81,024.00	\$1,858.00	\$1,025,179.00
APPROPRIATION:				
Transfer to Capital Improvement	\$250,000.00			
Donations	\$1,900.00			
City Administration	\$142,908.00			
Emergency/Discretionary	\$10,000.00			
Hall Escrow Return			\$5.00	
Mayor Contingency Fund	\$10,000.00			
MRAF/LGEA Expenses		\$78,500.00		
Police Contract	\$200,000.00			
Public Safety – Mosquito Spraying	\$1,000.00			
Storm Water Engineer	\$7,500.00			
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$623,308.00	\$78,500.00	\$5.00	-0-
EXCESS OF RESOURCES OVER APPROPRIATIONS	\$534,222.00	\$2,524.00	\$1,853.00	\$1,025,179.00
ESTIMATED FUND BALANCE TO BE CARRIED FORWARD FY 2025-2026	\$534,222.00	2,524.00	\$1,853.00	\$1,025,179.00

SECTION II: This Ordinance shall take effect on July 1, 2025.

SECTION III: This Ordinance shall be published according to law.

SECTION IV: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance or any part of this Ordinance are repealed.

SECTION V: Should any section, clause, line, paragraph, or part of this Ordinance be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the same shall not effect the remainder of this Ordinance.

Given first reading at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Hebron Estates, Bullitt County, Kentucky, on the 1st of April, 2025. Given second reading, voted upon and passed at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Hebron Estates, Bullitt County, Kentucky, on the 6th of May, 2025.

Votes For 4 Votes Against 0 Not Voting 0

JERRY CLARK, MAYOR

ATTESTED BY:

MICHEALE MCCAULEY CITY CLERK