

Classifieds

Services

Sparkle and Shine Cleaning Looking for homes and businesses to clean. Reasonable, responsible, dependable. 785-462-0357
— 10/16—10/23—

Swathing and harvesting wanted. John Deere equipment, Mac Donn headers. Leo Stephens Harvesting. 785-443-2246.
— 10/16—1026—

Blown insulation and interior painting offered by Welter's Painting 785-626-3691. See ad in Feist Directory.
— 10/16—10/27—

Services

Call Jeanne's Over The Top Quilting for all your long-arm machine quilting needs. 785-462-7817.
— 10/16—10/23—

We buy guns. Collections or one at a time. Cash paid. Northwest Arms and Service. 785-626-3700.
— 4/25—tfn—

Pets / Supplies

German Shepherd puppies, solid black, 4 weeks old, will have shots, \$300. 785-434-2530.
— 10/18—10/23—

AKC Registered Lab puppies. 1 chocolate male, 2 black females, 1 black male. 4 months old. \$100. 785-462-5264.
— 10/16—10/25—

Puppies - Brittney, tails and dew claws removed. Mother AKC, father purebred. 2-females, 6-males. Call 785-443-3467 Colby.
— 10/16—10/27—

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Rottweiler puppies. Ready October 17th. Papers available. Call evenings 785-672-3043.
— 10/12—11/1—

AKC German Shorthair Pointer puppies. Parents good hunters. 580-243-7591.
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CITY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY FINANCIAL STATEMENT				
FOR THE PERIOD FROM JULY 1, 2006 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2006				
	BEGINNING TREASURY CASH	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	ENDING TREASURY CASH
GENERAL	\$1,438,071.56	\$466,429.37	\$589,918.40	\$1,314,582.53
LIGHT	\$3,374,429.29	\$1,706,566.60	\$1,478,084.77	\$3,602,911.12
ELECTRIC UTILITY RESERVE FOR DEPR	\$679,953.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$679,953.34
WATER	\$780,615.56	\$230,178.95	\$150,236.14	\$860,558.37
WATER UTILITY RESERVE FOR DEPR	\$301,404.57	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$301,404.57
SEWAGE DISPOSAL	\$1,707,010.98	\$507,494.43	\$356,488.85	\$1,858,016.56
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL	\$49,764.92	\$135,927.77	\$131,596.26	\$54,096.43
LIBRARY	\$350.93	\$15,205.43	\$15,000.00	\$556.36
RECREATION	\$552.93	\$9,122.91	\$9,000.00	\$675.84
NOXIOUS WEED	\$7,946.76	\$274.98	\$1,577.98	\$6,643.76
BOND & INTEREST	\$345,771.23	\$23,048.77	\$2,475.00	\$366,345.00
TOURISM & CONVENTION	\$738.53	\$44,533.82	\$44,200.00	\$1,072.35
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	\$623,285.36	\$112,145.52	\$134,594.33	\$600,836.55
SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT	\$2,147,181.09	\$26,696.53	\$19,973.01	\$2,153,904.61
SPECIAL FIRE & POLICE	\$31,561.77	\$4,779.08	\$6,363.82	\$29,977.03
SPECIAL LIABILITY	\$9,824.11	\$1,423.12	\$0.00	\$11,247.23
SPECIAL PARKS & RECREATION	\$22,246.72	\$4,545.91	\$3,119.00	\$23,673.63
SPECIAL STREETS	\$1,047,783.57	\$48,155.73	\$9,316.23	\$1,086,623.07
WATER TREATMENT (ACE)	(\$33,530.81)	\$197,211.61	\$331,163.45	(\$167,482.65)
RISK MANAGEMENT	\$330,285.57	\$4,328.00	\$0.00	\$334,613.57
PAYROLL	\$6,078.95	\$0.00	\$771.91	\$5,307.04
METER DEPOSITS	\$213,245.80	\$0.00	(\$11,146.62)	\$224,392.42
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT RESERVE	\$1,104,100.74	\$77,649.43	\$64,580.28	\$1,117,169.89
MUNICIPAL EQUIPMENT RESERVE	\$821,628.56	\$56,204.58	\$5,109.32	\$872,723.82
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$350,486.11	\$99,284.25	\$14,789.98	\$434,980.38
TOTALS	\$15,360,788.14	\$3,771,206.79	\$3,357,212.11	\$15,774,782.82
AVAILABLE CASH	OTHER CASH			
First National Bank	\$9,794,812.82	Cash Drawer	\$300.00	
Farmers & Merchants Bank	\$5,979,970.00	Petty Cash Fund	\$4,000.00	
TOTAL AVAILABLE CASH	\$15,774,782.82	TOTAL OTHER CASH	\$4,300.00	
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS				
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS:				
2.44% Refunding and Improvement Bonds due serially each year thru 12-01-07	\$220,000.00			
4.13% Community Building HVAC Bonds due serially each year thru 05-04-09	\$115,000.00			
3.65% 2004 Street Improvement Bonds due serially each year thru 06-01-14	\$450,000.00			
3.53% 2005 Street & Airport Improvement Bonds due serially each year thru 12-01-16	\$1,585,000.00			
TOTAL GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS	\$2,370,000.00			
INDUSTRIAL/ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS:				
4.41% Hospital - due serially each year thru 08-15-16	\$6,545,000.00			
8.82% Economic Development Revenue Bonds, Series 1999, due serially each quarter thru 12/15/20 (Fairview Estates Retirement Community) K.S.A. 12-1740 et seq.	\$2,493,771.88			
7.56% Industrial Revenue Bonds due serially each year thru 6/15/15 (K. Young, Inc. dba Truck Town) K.S.A. 12-1744C	\$1,023,753.26			
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL/ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS	\$10,062,525.14			

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed BIDS will be received at the City Clerk's Office by the City Clerk 15 585 North Franklin, Colby, Kansas 67701 until 4:00 PM, local time, on November 2, 2006, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing all equipment, labor, materials and appurtenances required to construct the proposed wastewater treatment facility improvements, and other such work as may be incidental to the project. Said Proposals will be publicly opened, read aloud, and tabulated immediately following.

The City of Colby reserves the right to reject any or all bids; and to waive irregularities or informalities to accept the BID it deems most beneficial. Bids received after the specified time of closing will be returned unopened. The City will accept only those sealed bids, either hand delivered or received via U.S. Mail or other commercial carrier. Items transmitted by facsimile or electronically will not be accepted.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

City of Colby, 585 North Franklin, Colby, KS 67701
Miller & Associates, Consulting Engineers, P.C., 1111 Central Avenue, Kearney, NE 68847
Miller & Associates, Consulting Engineers, P.C., 109 East 2nd Street, McCook, NE 69001
FW Dodge Division, 11422 Miracle Hills Drive, Suite 206, Omaha, NE 68154
FW Dodge Division, Foxridge Towers, Suite 918, 5700 Broadmoor, Mission, KS 66202-2479
Lincoln Builders Bureau, 5910 South 58th Street, Suite C, Lincoln, NE 68516
Kansas Construction News Report, P.O. Box 195, Wichita, KS 67201-0195

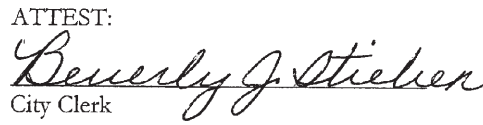
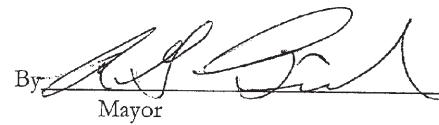
Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Miller & Associates, Consulting Engineers, P.C. located at 1111 Central Avenue, P.O. Box 306, Kearney, Nebraska 68847, Telephone 308/234-6456 upon payment of \$100 for each half-size set. Full-size sets of documents can be obtained for a deposit of \$250. Documents will not be available electronically. Any PLAN HOLDER, upon returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS within fourteen (14) days of the BID OPENING, and in good condition, will be refunded \$20.

The prospective participants must certify by submittal EPA Form 5700-49, Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency. BIDDERS on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246. Requirements for Proposers and subcontractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

Each Proposer must fully comply with the requirements, terms and conditions of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) requirements, including the fair share objectives for disadvantaged business participation during the performance of this contract. The Proposer commits itself of the fair share objective for disadvantaged business participation contained herein and all other requirements, terms and conditions of these bid conditions by submitting properly signed bid.

Each BIDDER will be required to submit with his proposal, a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond made payable, without condition, to the City Clerk, Colby, Kansas, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the proposal.

(SEAL) CITY OF COLBY (OWNER)

ATTEST:
 By 
City Clerk Mayor

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In compliance with the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2310 and amendments thereto, notice is hereby given that the books for registration of Thomas County voters will close at 5:00 p.m. on October 23, 2006 and will remain closed until the 8th day of November 2006.

A citizen of the United States who is eighteen (18) years of age and upwards, or will have attained the age of eighteen (18) of age at the next election, must register before he or she can vote. Voter registration books close fourteen (14) days before an election.

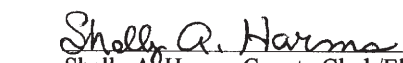
When a voter has been registered according to law, his or her registration shall continue to be valid until one of the following occurs:

- The voter changes his or her name by marriage.
- The voter changes residence.
- The voter's name has been purged according to law.

If any of the above has occurred, you must re-register.

An individual applicant may request an application for registration in person, by telephone or in writing, by such applicant, to the County Election Officer.

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of my office this 3rd day of October 2006


Shelly A. Harms, County Clerk/Election Officer
Thomas County, Kansas

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION November 7, 2006

STATE OF KANSAS, THOMAS COUNTY, ss: Office of the County Clerk, Colby, Kansas As required by K.S.A. 25-105, notice is hereby given there will be a General Election held in Thomas County, Kansas, November 7, 2006.

The candidates, for member of Congress, all elective State Offices and Judicial Ballot, have been approved by the State Board of Canvassers and certified to this office by the Secretary of State, the names of candidates being arranged in the manner in which they will appear on the Official Ballot in Thomas County, Kansas.

The candidates for County Offices and Township Offices who were nominated at the Primary Election held in Thomas County on August 1, 2006 or who filed nomination papers will appear subject to the rotation of names pursuant to law governing the same.

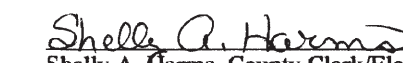
The hours of voting in each precinct of the County are: 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

The voting places are as follows: Precincts I, II, III, and IV, Revohl Township, Summers Township, East and West Morgan Township, and North and South Randall Townships and Oakley/Schwaller at the Colby Community Building; Barrett Township, West and East Hale Township, Kingery Township and Brewster City at the Brewster Senior Center; Wendell Township, Lacey Township, Smith Township, Menlo Township, Rexford City, Gem City and Menlo City at the U.S.D. #316 Golden Plains Gymnasium.

NATIONAL OFFICES			
FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE (Vote for One)			
Sylvester Cain, St. Marys	Reform		
John Doll, Garden City	Democrat		
Jerry Moran, Hays	Republican		
STATE OFFICES			
FOR GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Vote for One Pair)		STATE TREASURER (Vote for One)	
Carl Kramer, Wichita	Libertarian	Lynn Jenkins, Topeka	Republican
Kalor A. Hebron, Derby	Libertarian	Larry Wilson, Topeka	Democrat
Richard Lee Ranzau, Wichita	Reform	COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE (Vote for One)	
Ellen L. Verell, Meade	Reform	Bonnie Sharp, Kansas City	Democrat
Kathleen Sebelius, Topeka	Democrat	Sandy Praeger, Lawrence	Republican
Mark Parkinson, Olathe	Democrat	Patrick Wilbur, Lawrence	Libertarian
Jim Barnett, Emporia	Republican	STATE REPRESENTATIVE 121 ST DIST. (Vote for One)	
Susan Wagle, Wichita	Republican	Jim Morrison, Colby	Republican
SECRETARY OF STATE (Vote for One)		Dannis Robison, St. Peter	Libertarian
Ron Thornburgh, Topeka	Republican	Art R. Richmond, Selden	Reform
David Haley, Kansas City	Democrat	STATE BOARD OF ED. DIST #5 (Vote for One)	
Rob Hodgkinson, Stillwell	Libertarian	Tim Cruz, Garden City	Democrat
Joseph L. Martin, St. Marys	Reform	Sally Cauble, Liberal	Republican
ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for One)			
Phill Kline, Topeka	Republican		
Paul Morrison, Lenexa	Democrat		
COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP			
COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT #1 (Vote for One)		BARRETT TOWNSHIP CLERK	
Byron D. Sowers, Colby	Republican	Patrick Tinkham	Unaffiliated
SUMMERS TOWNSHIP CLERK		KINGERY TOWNSHIP CLERK	
Dee Olson, Colby	Republican	Shawn Sammons, Winona	Republican
MENLO TOWNSHIP CLERK		LACEY TOWNSHIP CLERK	
Loren Guill, Menlo	Republican	Pete Ziegelmeier, Gem	Democrat
WENDELL TOWNSHIP CLERK		NORTH RANDALL TOWNSHIP CLERK	
Kenneth Johnston, Rexford	Republican	Linda Sowers, Colby	Republican
SOUTH RANDALL TOWNSHIP CLERK		ROVOHL TOWNSHIP CLERK	
Gene Huelsman, Oakley	Republican	Arnold Wehkamp, Colby	Republican
SUPREME COURT JUSTICE QUESTION #1 Shall the following be retained in office?		No Township Candidates: East Morgan, West Morgan, East Hale, West Hale, and Smith	
Robert E. Davis, Leavenworth	Position #7		
COURT OF APPEALS QUESTION #2 Shall the following be retained in office?		COURT OF APPEALS QUESTION #2 Shall the following be retained in office?	
Stephen D. Hill, Topeka	Position #1	Lee A. Johnson, Topeka	Position #2
Nancy Landis Caplinger, Topeka	Position #6	Jerry G. Elliott, Lawrence	Position #8
Patrick D. McNaney, Overland Park	Position #4	Tom Malone, Wichita	Position #11
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U.S.D. #316 AT-LARGE QUESTION
In accordance with K.S.A. 72-8003 shall the method of electing member districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 for the U.S.D. #316 Board of Education be changed to all At-Large positions?


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