

Classifieds

Notices

MADE, an Artisan Gathering Craft Fair at Creations Gallery is looking for vendors with handmade products. First Saturday of September through January. Call 460-3960.

Exciting new changes coming to Prairie Land Insurance of Brewster, KS. Look for details in next weeks Colby Free Press.

Carpet Cleaning Special - 3 Rooms only \$124.95! Dry-Foam & Green Seal safe. Servicing NWKS mileage free since 1987! A+ Cleaners (785) 538-2526 or (785) 443-5400, Johnene Cheney.

Learn how to... make a web page, sell online, market online and more! All local businesses wanted. Space is limited, call to register and secure your spot 785-462-1149.

Dan is back! Dan Geschwentner. Small remodeling and repair jobs. Call 785-443-3673.

Workers Needed. The U.S. Census Bureau needs you! If you are a U.S. citizen, at least 18 years old and have work experience, call the U.S. Census Bureau at 1-866-861-2010 today. Pay depends on the area where you live. E.O.E.

ASHLEY FURNITURE Dealer for Northwest Kansas. Colby True Value. 785-460-6311.

Help Wanted

Carrier wanted for morning delivery of the Salina Journal in Colby. For information call 1-800-827-6363 Ext. 300.

Data Entry Position, part-time temporary. Computer experience required, work schedule is flexible. Call 460-4596 or visit 350 S. Range, Ste. 2, Colby to apply. Interviews will begin immediately.

Thomas County Feeders is looking to fill a position in the maintenance department. Individual will be required to weld, run heavy equipment, grind hay, work on water tanks and may be cross trained to driving a feed truck, along with various other duties. Salary depends on experience and qualifications. Benefits include, vacation, PTO, rotating weekends off and the opportunity to work with quality individuals. If you are looking for a place to start a career, contact Tony Miller at 785-462-3947.

Hospice Services is seeking Social worker to join Hospice team in providing care for persons with life-limiting illnesses and their families in northwest and north-central Kansas. The Hospice Interdisciplinary Team members are based in various locations in the service area. This position is part of west team. Travel involved. Flexible, part-time position with benefits. Job open immediately. Contact Sandy Kuhlman, Executive Director, or Maralyn Cooper, LMSW, at Hospice Services, PO Box 116, Phillipsburg, KS 67661, 800-315-5122 (or in Phillipsburg 543-2900). EOE

Driver – OTR to haul cattle. CDL & references required. Great benefits. Based in Hoxie, KS & Northwest, KS & Imperial, NE. Call 8 AM-5 PM at 877-386-4135 or 785-386-8135. Fax resume to 785-386-4137.

Help Wanted
Thomas County Insurance has an opening for a insurance agent. As an agent for our agency you would represent many of the largest insurance companies in the nation. Our agency group dates back to 1906 with locations in Colby, Lawrence and Oskaloosa Kansas. We insure farms, crops, businesses, homes and autos. This is an excellent opportunity for a motivated hard working individual. Our agency group is one of the fastest growing in the Midwest. Call Travis Oliver 785.331.3607 or send resume to tjoliver@douglascountyins.com

Public Notice

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING							
The governing body of City of Rexford							
will meet on the 12th day of August, 2009, at 7:00p.m. at Rexford City Building for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.							
Detailed budget information is available at Rexford City Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.							
BUDGET SUMMARY							
Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2009 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.							
FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2008	Current Year Estimate for 2009	Proposed Budget for 2010				
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax	Estimate Tax Rate*
General	66,162	32.505	80,800	32.107	90,000	22,150	32.168
Debt Service							
Special Highway					8,500		
Utility	36,398		40,000		167,000		
Totals	102,560	32.505	120,800	32.107	265,500	22,150	32.168
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	102,560		120,800		265,500		
Total Tax Levied	21,816		22,265		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	671,141		694,026		688,573		
Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2007	2008	2009				
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0				
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0				
Other	0	0	0				
Lease Purchase Principal	0	0	0				
Total	0	0	0				
*Tax rates are expressed in mills							
Jolene Hansen City Clerk							
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Help Wanted

Taylor Motors is seeking Full-time detail person. Apply at dealership M-F, 8-6. Ask for Jason or Brandon. 785-460-3317.

The Northwest Kansas Planning & Development Commission is accepting resumes for an Economic Development/Grand Administrator. Job description includes the writing and administration of Community Development block Grants, HOME, housing programs. A degree in Finance or Business is preferred, but not required. Previous experience in grant administration or finance is a plus. The applicant should possess good writing and communication skills. Some night meetings are required. Resumes accepted until the job is filled. Mail resumes to Northwest Kansas Planning & Development Commission, PO Box 248, Hill City, Kansas 67642, or email to nwkpcdc@ruralitel.net.

The Kansas Agricultural Tax Service in Colby has an employment opportunity for a self-motivated individual with an agricultural background and tax preparation experience. Position also involves office professional and data entry responsibilities. Experience with QuickBooks and Microsoft Office is preferred. Pay is hourly and commensurate with qualifications. Application letter, resume, and references are required. If interested, please contact Todd at (785) 462-6664 or (785) 443-1267.

BREWSTER - The Colby Free Press needs a correspondent to report local news. Call Steve or Vera at 785-462-3963. Paid by the column.

Cook, wait-staff and bartenders needed. All shifts available - Morning, Afternoon, and evening. Meadow Lake Golf Course, part-time, full-time, seasonal available. Apply in person. Must be 21.

Now hiring. All positions. Full or part-time. Apply in person 6 a.m.-2 p.m. Village Inn, 2215 S. Range, Colby.

Apartments for Rent

1 bedroom, No smoking. No pets. All utilities paid including free laundry. 434 N. Franklin \$320. 785-760-6848.

Kabredlo's Convenience Store

Now taking applications for an Assistant Store Manager and Full-time sales associates for a fast-paced environment. Seeking friendly, dependable, self-motivated team members. Full Time Benefits options include: health, dental, life and disability insurance, 401K, paid vacations, and employee discounts.
Apply in person at 1615 W. 4th, Colby, KS 67701 or send resume to our corporate office:
2601 West L Street Suite A
Lincoln NE 68522
Fax: 402-477-0675
Email: personnel@kabredlos.com or aliciar@kabredlos.com



Public Notice							
NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING							
The governing body of South Randall Thomas							
will meet on the 14th day of August, 2009, at 7:00 a.m., at the Colonial Steakhouse for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.							
Detailed budget information is available at the Bob Ottley residence (3344 County Rd D, Oakley, KS 67748 and will be available at this hearing.							
BUDGET SUMMARY							
Proposed Budget Expenditures and Amount of Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.							
Fund	Prior Year Actual -2	Current Year Estimate -1	Proposed Budget				
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	88,099	12.124	93,572	12.069	84,635	76,487	12.721
Totals	88,099	12.124	93,572	12.069	84,635	76,487	12.721
Less: Trans	0		0		0		
Net Expend	88,099		93,572		84,635		
Total Tax L	72,502		75,039		xxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assets	5,979,895		6,217,568		6,012,842		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					5,860,659		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	-3	-2	-1				
G.O. Bonds	0	93,726	93,447				
Other	0	0	0				
Lease Pur P	0	0	7,456				
Total	0	93,726	100,903				
*Tax rates are expressed in mills.							
Bob Ottley, Treasurer Township Officer							
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Houses for Rent

Nice, 2 bedroom with garage. Available now! 785-672-3420 or 785-443-1969.

Misc. for Sale

2 Electric Scooters in very good condition. Call after 4 p.m.. McDonald 785-538-2595.

Campbell Hausfeld Airless Paint Sprayer 1/2 HP, .38 GPM with accessories, and power roller. 785-672-5020.

Dresser with mirror, sleeper sofa, vacuum, portable DVD, TV stand, computer desk, entertainment center, make an offer. 785-443-3799.

Working Dryer \$125. 785-443-1409.

Like New Motorized Scooter Power Chair. \$500 OBO. 785-462-3409.

Remington .300 WSM, Like new Leupold 3x9, \$875. (785) 890-6654, days, (785) 694-2628, evenings.

JD 525 Mower, \$1,600. 320 hours, always shedded. (785) 890-6654, days, (785) 694-2628, evenings.

2008 Sony Video Camera/reg. camera, Xbox, twin bed, mountain bike, Marilyn Monroe cookie jar, purses, female shirts, belts, shoes, 119 books, toaster, spice rack, dish drainer, etc. Call 785-443-0917.

Rare and Collectible Avon Steins. New in box. 785-269-9680

Wayne 0.5HP Shallow well pump. Century-90Amp., 120V wire feed welder with cart. 4-30"x6" aluminum irrigation or mainlines. Call 785-953-0806.

Lost & Found

Lost Dogs! Need Medication! 2 German Short Hair Pointers. Lost 7-10-09 from north of Colby. Brown, Liver and White. Male with green collar and Female with leather collar also wearing electronic fence collars. Please call with any information. Lynn Hawkins 816-803-6393 or Rich Hawkins 785-460-1844.

Wanted

Beautiful Quilt Tops to machine quilt. Call Dale at 785-460-7157.

Mystery Shoppers are wanted for a Colby Grocery Store Evaluation. Apply Online at www.TrendSource.com & then email mnicholson@trendsource.com for information.

Milo delivered July /August/September. Call for basis and contracting information. 1-800-579-3645. Lane County Feeders, Inc.

Vehicles for Sale

Full back topper with light \$125. 785-460-7115.

1982 Beach Craft Motor home, 49K miles \$4,500, 17 ft. open bow 351 Ford Volvo boat \$2,200, 1998 Saab Convertible, loaded, 125K miles, \$4,500.

2007 Toyota Prius (Hybrid), very nice condition. 785-846-8100.

1970 Ford 1 ton flatbed dually \$650, 1976 Ford 1 ton flatbed dually \$750, 1 ton flatbed with toolboxes \$700, 8N Ford with 5 ft. bush hog \$3,500, 1996 Freightliner 60 Series Detroit \$11,500. 785-673-9475.

Get Ready for the Golf Season! 1995 E Z Go electric golf cart. Great Condition, custom paint. \$1500 O.B.O 785-953-0807.

Motorcycle for Sale

2000 Harley Davidson 1200 Sportster 1,500 miles, upgrades. Maroon \$6,500. 785-628-8726.

03' Yamaha Grizzly 660, 1,200 miles, racks, bags, snow plow. \$4,600. (785) 890-6654, day,k (785) 694-2628, evenings.

84 Kawasaki 700 LTD, needs seat recovered. Runs good, \$800. (785) 890-6654, day, (785) 694-2628, evenings.

2008 Kawasaki 650R, 2,480 Miles, \$5,400. Black with dark maroon rims. Always been garaged. Show room condition. 785-488-5104.

Farm Equipment

1938 J.D. Model D. Family owned, Fully restored. 785-694-2673.

5x6 KM Flexking Sweeps Quinstar Hard Surface Pickers \$4,750. 785-672-0393.

Public Notice

CITY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY FINANCIAL STATEMENT				
FOR THE PERIOD FROM APRIL 1, 2009 TO JUNE 30, 2009				
	BEGINNING TREASURY CASH	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	ENDING TREASURY CASH
GENERAL	\$1,388,847.59	\$496,833.25	\$543,941.54	\$1,341,739.30
LIGHT	\$3,069,561.61	\$1,201,048.89	\$1,366,266.02	\$2,904,344.48
ELECTRIC UTILITY RESERVE FOR DEPF	\$1,279,953.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,279,953.34
WATER	\$615,260.03	\$128,531.51	\$188,468.86	\$555,322.68
WATER UTILITY RESERVE FOR DEPR	\$401,404.57	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$401,404.57
SEWAGE DISPOSAL	\$739,021.40	\$274,455.01	\$266,666.91	\$746,809.50
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL	\$190,400.97	\$144,110.53	\$132,418.11	\$202,093.39
LIBRARY	\$11,666.37	\$61,213.84	\$68,000.00	\$4,880.21
RECREATION	\$8,974.84	\$36,723.72	\$41,000.00	\$4,698.56
NOXIOUS WEED	\$9,443.42	\$1,917.00	\$480.00	\$10,880.42
BOND & INTEREST	\$694,994.01	\$422,672.09	\$452,258.11	\$665,407.99
TOURISM & CONVENTION	\$4,025.83	\$33,018.07	\$33,000.00	\$4,043.90
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	\$459,546.90	\$192,793.90	\$161,805.99	\$490,534.81
SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT	\$2,087,834.74	\$7,425.74	\$21,922.79	\$2,073,337.69
SPECIAL FIRE & POLICE	\$44,173.52	\$9,056.27	\$10,923.82	\$42,305.97
SPECIAL LIABILITY	\$686.76	\$4,688.32	\$0.00	\$5,375.08
SPECIAL PARKS & RECREATION	\$29,298.71	\$5,375.82	\$4,712.42	\$29,962.11
SPECIAL STREETS	\$977,018.19	\$28,404.48	\$472,533.00	\$532,889.67
WATER TREATMENT (ACE)	(\$216,327.92)	\$238,700.70	\$57,618.85	(\$35,246.07)
EMBARK CDBG FUNDS	\$0.00	\$2,747.51	\$4,186.95	(\$1,439.44)
RISK MANAGEMENT	\$368,471.74	\$2,099.48	\$0.00	\$370,571.22
PAYROLL	\$14,932.94	\$0.00	\$3,938.17	\$10,994.77
METER DEPOSITS	\$265,829.52	\$5,925.70	\$0.00	\$271,755.22
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT RESERVE	\$2,331,119.09	\$233,597.92	\$476,584.69	\$2,088,132.32
MUNICIPAL EQUIPMENT RESERVE	\$718,952.69	\$89,961.35	\$20,000.00	\$788,914.04
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$1,144,436.98	\$99,993.78	\$166,933.77	\$1,077,496.99
TOTALS	\$16,639,527.84	\$3,721,294.88	\$4,493,660.00	\$15,867,162.72
AVAILABLE CASH	OTHER CASH			
Farmers & Merchants Bank	\$14,867,162.72	Cash Drawer		\$300.00
Peoples State Bank	\$1,000,000.00	Petty Cash Fund		\$4,000.00
TOTAL AVAILABLE CASH	\$15,867,162.72	TOTAL OTHER CASH		\$4,300.00
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS				
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS/LEASE PURCHASE:				
3.65%	2004 Street Improvement Bonds due serially each year thru 06-01-14			\$295,000.00
3.53%	2005 Street & Airport Improvement Bonds due serially each year thru 12-01-16			\$1,385,000.00
0.00%	2009 Fire Station Construction Bonds due serially each year thru 5-01-19			\$360,000.00
4.56%	2007 Master Equipment Lease/Purchase due monthly thru 7-30-17			\$228,232.81
TOTAL GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS/LEASE PURCHASE				\$2,268,232.81
STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN:				
2.77%	2006 Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund Loan due semi-annually thru 9-01-27			\$7,833,074.73
TEMPORARY NOTES:				
2.80%	Fire Station 2008 Temporary Notes interest only due semi-annually each year thru 3-15-10			\$2,140,000.00
3.00%	Ball Field Lighting 2008 Temporary Notes due 3-15-10			\$350,000.00
TOTAL TEMPORARY NOTES				\$2,490,000.00
INDUSTRIAL/ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS:				
4.41%	Refunding and Improvement Revenue Bonds - due serially each year thru 08-15-16 (Hospital) K.S.A. 12-1740 et seq.			\$5,630,000.00
7.86%	Industrial Revenue Bonds due serially each year thru 6/25/21 (K. Young, Inc. dba Truck Town) K.S.A. 12-1744C			\$951,576.44
7.75%	Industrial Revenue Bonds - principal due at maturity 12-01-17 (Petro Lube) interest due serially, commencing 12/01/08 K.S.A. 12-1740 et seq.			\$1,600,000.00
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL/ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS				\$8,181,576.44
(S) Jolene A. Olsen				
I, Jolene A. Olsen do hereby certify that the above statement is correct				
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