Sue Nan Gober : \$277.50

Tire and Honey Do Man: \$197.50

Mike Hanif dba Arby's:

Brenda Hobbs: \$40.00

Ryan James: \$70.00

Tyler Joiner: \$3.50

Angela and Carl Good dba C&A

Ed Harrison dba Credit Repair Ser-

Randy Hazelwood dba Hazelwood

Richard Hughes dba Emory Tire &

Richard Ibarra dba Met Life:

Misty Ingram dba Miss Honey Do:

Pat Kinniard dba The Tomato Patch:

Rocky Lancaster dba Rocky's Mer-

Tommy Lance dba Lance's Pizza:

Anthony Lubetich dba Anthony's

Tom Maxvill dba Rock Road:

David Lemons dba Green Acres Nursing Home: \$339.80

Property Maintenance: \$69.20

ing: \$145.50

\$539.90

vice: \$40.00

Furniture: \$80.00

Wheel: \$64.00

\$484.50

\$28.14

\$180.00

\$1,205.25

\$267.60

cantile: \$352.00

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Brandi Reese: \$3.50

Lilv Rollins: \$25.00

Mario Sanchez: \$32.00

Lanny Smith: \$81.38

Horn Café: \$252.00

Omar and Kay Rumsey dba Blue

Steve Sank dba Bargain House:

Josh Singh dba Lake Fork Resort:

Barbara Skidmore dba Floors &

Shannon Slatton dba Guys & Dolls:

Rick South dba The Pizza Wagon:

Mary Spradling dba Custom Pools:

Lisa Sprague dba Lisa's Photogra-

Mike Story dba MS Lawn Service:

Donald and Mindy Smith dba Choice

T&D Driving School: \$20.00 Scott and Melina Thompson dba

Barbara Todd dba Builders 1st

Elaine Tonkin dba Here In Texas:

Carroll Webb dba Carroll Webb

Billy Whitson dba Git R Done:

B.J. Wilkinson dba Classic Floors:

Jessica Worth dba Photography by

Patsy and Donnie Yates dba Yates

Misty Williams: \$5.60

Rural Trash Service: \$98.00

R.W. Williamson: \$5.00

The Rib Cage and Thompson Mowing:

Jamie Tomberlin dba Sulphur Springs Pet & Grooming: \$43.00

\$144.00

\$17.00

\$132.00

\$34.00

\$100.00

\$24.00

\$168.00

740.00

\$144.00

\$160.65

\$260.00

phy: \$68.00

#1 Realty: \$306.00

Choice: \$180.00

Painting: \$32.00

Jessica: \$80.00

More: \$300.00

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS BUYING PROPERTY IN THE VICINITY OF THE SHIRLEY WATER SUPPLY CORP. Shirley Water Supply Corp. urges

any prospective buyer to verify with the manager at the office, located on FM 1567, east of Hwy. 19, north of Emory, Tex., or south of Sulphur Springs, Tex., whether or not water is available at the tract of land in question.

Shirley Water Supply Corp. 6684 FM 1567 W Sulphur Springs, Texas 75482 Phone: 1-903-485-5811

BID NOTICE

Miller Grove ISD is accepting bid proposals for cleaning (janitorial) services for the 2011-2012 school year. A list of expected duties is available at the high school office. Bids must be in by the close of the business day (5:00 p.m.) on June 10, 2011. The phone numbers are: office – 903-459-3288 and FAX – 903-459-3744.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Rains County Commissioners' Court will be accepting SEALED BIDS for the period from July 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011. The bids are due by 4:30 p.m. June 17, 2011, in the Rains County Judge's Office of Wayne Wolfe, 167 E. Quitman Street, P.O. Box 158, Emory, Texas 75440. The bids will be opened at Commissioners Court meeting on June 23, 2011, for the following:

1. Fuel and Oil. 2. Road Oil meeting TxDOT spec-ifcations – delivered and FOB @ plant.

3. Steel Culverts. 4. Plant Mix Oil Sand 100% AC 1.5 equivalent – delivered and FOB

@ plant.5. Plant Mix Hot Oil Sand 100% AC-20 - delivered and FOB @ plant.

6. Hot Mix Asphalt - delivered and FOB @ plant.

7. Flex Base meeting TxDOT specifcations - FOB @ plant.

8. Crushed Concrete FOB @

All these bid items for materials or placements must meet TxDOT specifications for construction and maintenance of highways, streets and bridg-

Rains County reserves the right to sample and test, by an independent laboratory, any or all loads delivered.

The vendor or contractor will be required to replace at his expense any product or materials which prove defective within six (6) months following application.

Rains County reserves the right to reject material delivered not in compliance with specifications at bidder's expense.

Bid specifications available at Rains County Road and Bridge Department, 1293 S. State Highway 19, or PO Box 185, Emory, Texas 7544, Fax 903-473-5070 or Phone 903-473-5099.

BID NOTICE

A blue 2006 Chevrolet Cobalt will be auctioned in Sulphur Springs in June. Call Point Police Department at 903-598-3296 if interested in placing bid or to preview.

BID NOTICE

Sealed proposals addressed to the Rains County Judges Office will be received at the office of County Judge, 167 E. Quitman St. or by mail PO Box 158, Emory 75440 until 5:00 p.m. on June 8th to: Haul scrap metal for Rains County to a recycling center.

In the course of operation Rains County accumulates scrap metal. The County reserves the right to haul and check payable to the County for the County's portion of the sale proceeds. • The County assumes no liability in

an agreement, and makes no guarantees as to the price the hauler receives for the scrap metal, except the percentage of the sale price as agreed to in this proposal

 All proposals will be submitted on an official proposal application, and may be obtained from the County Judge's office.

BID NOTICE

Sealed proposals addressed to the Rains County Judges Office will be received at the office of County Judge, 167 E. Quitman St. or by mail P. O. Box 158, Emory, 75440 until 5:00 p.m. on lune 8th to:

Provide a maintenance contract for County copiers.

The Commissioners' Court is asking for proposals based on the following criteria. Rains County currently has 11 copy machines with the following

- 30 pages per minute
 Duplex (2-sided copies)
 200 sheet document feeders
- Finisher with stapling

1,200 sheet capacity 3 paper sources

11 x 17 capable

Note: One of the above copiers has a print/scan feature.

The proposal should also include: 1.Adding print/scan to one of the

above copiers 2.Adding a 12th machine with the following specs: All of the above mentioned specs

plus:

print/scan

42 pages per minute

ROAD & BRIDGE ADMINISTRATOR

Rains County Commissioners' Court is currently seeking applicants for the Road & Bridge Chief Administrator position. This position is responsible for the entire Road & Bridge operation and reports directly to Commissioners' Court. The successful applicant must have experience in road building, maintenance or general construction work. Management and leadership skills coupled with technical expertise are likewise required for this position. Applicant must pos-sess good people skills and sensitivity to the general public. Forward resume to Rains County Judge at P.O. Box 158, Emory, TX 75440.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TXDOT) CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then

publicly read. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/ BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S) Dist/Div: Paris

Contract 6225-40-001 for HIGH BUILD/WET WEATHER STRIPING in LAMAR County, etc. will be opened on JULY 07, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. at the State Office for an estimate of \$500.965.63.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website

State Office Constr./Maint. Division 200 E. Riverside Dr. Austin, Texas 78704 Phone: 512-416-2540 Dist/Div Office(s) Paris District District Engineer 1365 N. Main St. Paris, Texas 75460-2697 Phone: 903-737-9300 Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

BID NOTICE

The Rains County Depository con-tract is open for renewal. Specifications for bids will be available in the Rains County Judge's office. The contract will be for a two-year period with bids due by June 15, 2011. For further information, please contact the Judge's office at 903-473-5019.

Wayne Wolfe Rains County Judge

BID NOTICE

The Rains County Permanent School Fund contract is open for renewal. Specifications for bids will be available in the Rains County Judge's office. The contract will be for a two-year period with bids due by June 15, 2011. For further information, please contact the Judge's office at 903-473-5019. Wayne Wolfe

Rains County Judge

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE ESTATE OF CHARLES EDWARD GORE,

DECEASED Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of CHARLES EDWARD GORE, Deceased, were issued on June 1, 2011, in Cause No. 2654, pending in the County Court of Rains County, Texas, to: KAREN of Rains Cour ELAINE GORE.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being ad-ministered are required to present them the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. c/o: J. Brad McCampbell

Curtis, Alexander, McCampbell & Morris, P.C. P.O. Box 38 Emory, Texas 75440 Dated the 1st day of June, 2011 J. Brad McCampbell Attorney for Applicant State Bar No.: 13358000 P.O. Box 38 Emory, Texas 75440 Telephone: (903) 473-2297 Facsimile: (903) 473-3069



The Sabine River Authority has released the following information on Lake Fork and Lake Tawakoni, taken on June 1, ending at June 6. observation:

LAKE FORK: Lake elevation 399.36. Maximum temperature 98, minimum temperature 65. No rainfall recorded during the past week.

LAKE TAWAKONI: Lake elevation 434.90. Maximum

Notice is hereby given that the following individuals and/or businesses are delinquent in paying for services rendered by the Leader. Monies shown are due and payable to the RAINS COUNTY LEADER, PO BOX 127, EMORY, TX 75440, 903-473-2653 Jonathan Archibald dba Alba Tire: \$40.00 Donna Aven: \$14.40 Ernie Bailey dba Metal Specialities:

\$336.00 Tamra Bays dba Al Gators: \$100.00

Ken Beck dba Builders Choice

Blinds: \$284.80 Lucille Bernhagen: \$80.00 Tim Blaylock dba Blaylock Weld-

ing: \$226.00 Harold Brown dba Eagle Flooring:

Caviness Farms: \$8.05 Liz Ceylan dba Paesano's:

Kent Clifton: \$8.40

Karen Culberson dba Creations by \$35.00 Karen:

Masonry: \$88.00

Roofing: \$238.00 Glen Dixon dba Dixon Roofing:

Lisa Dotson: \$29.90

ing: \$96.00

Jay Gaston dba Gaston Tire:

\$235.62 Robert Giles dba East Texas Build-

"The spider looks for a

merchant who doesn't

web across his door

and lead a life

of undisturbed

–Mark Twain

peace!"

advertise so he can spin a

Shirley McDonald: \$48.00 Steve McNeil dba In Home TV: \$32.00 Mike Moke: \$28.00 Octavio Molina dba Molina's: \$50.00 Michael Newland: \$42.00 Tally Nichols dba Groomingdale's: \$40.00 Sonyia Nobles dba Nobles House Leveling: \$720.00 Jim Norris dba Computer Repair Shop: \$588.00 Frankie Norwood dba Norwood Auction: \$180.80 Eddie Pruitt dba Here In Texas: **Steamboat Shores**

Annual Community Garage & Bake Sale

FM 2946 next to Axton's Bass City Saturday, 8AM



Know of any interesting Rains County tales? Interesting people or events? How about anyone over 100? Call Diane at 903-473-2653.

\$208.50 Heather Bunnel: \$56.00 Dean Carrell dba Floors N More: \$59.00

\$135.00 Amanda Chatman: \$15.00

John Crow Pontiac: \$77.00

Gary and Dawn Curry dba Curry

Ashley Davidson dba All Seasons

\$535.00

Roy Falls dba Roy Falls Lawn Mow-

Kay Forder: \$30.00 David Fritz: \$20.00

sell any scrap metal it accumulates. From time to time, it is in the County's best interest to allow private companies or individuals to haul and sell the scrap metal. The Commissioner's Court is asking for proposals based on the percentage of revenue received from the sale of scrap metal. • The individual or company selected

to haul scrap metal for the County is responsible for the loading, hauling, and selling the material.

The County will determine what material is available for the hauler to take to the recycling center.
 The hauler will have the ability to determine when to cell the meterial

determine when to sell the material, based on price, amount of material, and potential for profit.The hauler will provide a receipt

of the sale to the County as well as a

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temperature 99, minimum temperature 65. No rainfall was recorded during the past week.

Servicios básicos y a bajo costo de Verizon

En Texas, Verizon es un Proveedor Elegible de Telecomunicaciones (ETC, por sus siglas en Inglés) según los lineamientos de la Comisión Federal de Comunicaciones (FCC) y de la Comisión de Servicio Público de Texas (PUCT). Como tal, recibimos fondos para servicio universal, lo cual nos permite proveer servicios con tarifas razonables usualmente para zonas rurales y de bajos recursos a pesar de los altos costos que esto implica.

Según estos lineamientos, Verizon certifica que provee los siguientes servicios básicos por un cargo mensual de \$12.10 hasta \$19.03 (además del cargo federal de suscriptor de línea, los impuestos federales y sobrecargos) a los clientes residenciales.

Servicio individual

- · Acceso del grado de la voz a la red cambiada pública
- Servicio de llamada de pulso
- Acceso a los servicios de emergencia (incluidos 911 y 911 extendido)
- Acceso al servicio de operador, intercambio y servicios de directorio de asistencia.

También proveemos el descuento "Lifeline" por un monto de hasta \$14.85 para clientes de bajos ingresos que califiquen. El servicio "Link Up," un servicio de conexión a bajo costo que ofrece un descuento de 50% (hasta \$30), para aquellos clientes de "Lifeline" que califiquen, también está disponible. Además, podemos suministrar a los clientes de "Lifeline" un servicio de bloqueo de llamadas por cobrar para ayudar a controlar el uso de la larga distancia. Para los clientes de "Lifeline" que no estén suscritos a cargos por cobrar, su acceso a la red paga puede ser negada, pero su servicio local no será desconectado.

Para ser elegible la participación en estos programas al individuo debe participar en por lo menos uno del siguiente: Medicaid, Food Stamps, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Federal Public Housing Assistance, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) or health benefits coverage under the State Child Health Plan (CHIP)

Para mayor informacion sobre los servicos "Lifeline" y "Link Up", llame a "Lite Up Texas" al 1-866-454-8387 o al Centro de Soluciones y de Servicio al Cliente de Verizon al 1-800-VERIZON (1-800-837-4966) (residencial).

Public Notice Basic and low cost telephone services from Verizon

Verizon is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) in Texas under Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) guidelines. As such, we receive universal service funding, which enables us to provide service at reasonable rates to high cost, usually rural areas and low income customers.

Under those guidelines, Verizon certifies that it provides the following basic services for a monthly charge of \$12.10 to \$19.03 (plus Federal subscriber line charge, applicable taxes and surcharges) to residence customers

- Single-party service Voice grade access to the public switched network
- Touch call service
- Access to emergency services (including 911 and enhanced 911) Access to operator, interexchange and directory assistance services

We also provide a Lifeline discount for qualified low-income residence customers of up to \$14.85. Link Up service, a low-cost basic connection service, is also available to qualified Lifeline customers at a 50% discount (up to \$30). In addition, we can provide Lifeline customers with free toll blocking to help control longdistance usage. For Lifeline customers who do not pay toll charges, their access to the toll network may be denied, but their local service won't be disconnected.

To be eligible for participation in these programs an individual must participate in at least one of the following: Medicaid, Food Stamps, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Federal Public Housing Assistance, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) or health benefits coverage under the State Child Health Plan (CHIP).

For more information on Lifeline and Link Up Services call Lite-Up Texas at 1-866-454-8387 or Verizon's Customer Sales and Solution Center at 1-800-VERIZON (1-800-837-4966) (Residence)

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