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The North Dakota Game & Fish Department announces the following summary of regulations and changes for the 2024 spring wild turkey hunting proclamation.

The season will run from Apr. 13 through May 19. There are 8,137 licenses available in 21 open units. Bag limit is one bearded or male wild turkey.

Deadline to apply is Feb. 14. Only residents are eligible. Apply online at www.gf.nd.gov. Licenses issued by weighted lottery.

A complete 2024 fall wild turkey proclamation is available from the NDGF Department, 100 North Bismarck Expressway, Bismarck, ND 58501-5095, Ph: 701-328-6300, or online at www.gf.nd.gov.

Stay informed with public notices printed in this newspaper! Call 247-2482 to submit your own notice.

MINUTES OF THE NELSON COUNTY WATER RESOURCE DISTRICT REGULAR MEETING January 25, 2024

The Nelson County Water Resource District held its regular meeting on Jan. 25, 2024 at the WRD office in Lakota. Board members present: Ben Varnson, David Sateren, Todd Whitman; Charlene Varnson, secretary. Board member absent: Josh Forde. Others present: Ron Eversvik, Kris Rainsberry, Dan Ferguson, David Thompson, Ken Dahl, Cody Johnson, Spence Sandford.

Chairman Varnson called the meeting to order at 9 a.m.

County Road 19--Permit No. 6229 -- Discussed Order to Establish Drain with Marcus Skonieczny, attorney for the board. Mr. Skonieczny discussed the order as to what is written in it. The board previously supported the permit at the hearing on Jan. 11, 2024. After a brief discussion, Manager Whitman made a motion to approve the Order to Establish the Drain for Permit No. 6229--Old Highway 2--Co. Rd. 19 and approved the final document to be sent to the DWR. Second by Manager Sateren. Upon roll call vote, all voted yes. Motion approved.

Ophaug Drain -- Mr. Skonieczny stated they are working on finalizing the easements and deeds for the project.

Petersburg Project -- Mr. Skonieczny said the recorder's office will not record documents without an original death certificate of those who have deceased. The board recommended that his office continue to find this information.

Minutes -- Minutes of the Jan. 11, 2024 meeting were mailed out. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Manager Sateren. Second by Manager Whitman. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report -- Treasurer's report was given with available funds of \$15,622.99. Motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Manager Sateren. Second by Manager Whitman. Upon roll call vote, motion approved. Report is attached to the minutes.

Bills were presented for approval. Motion to pay the bills was made by Manager Sateren. Second by Manager Whitman. Upon roll call vote, all voted yes. Report is attached to the minutes.

Clara-Bartlett Snag and Clear -- Ron Eversvik stated he does not benefit and does not want to pay his taxes. LIDAR was used to show Mr. Eversvik where the blue line is and how he does benefit. Mr. Eversvik reported that a culvert in the NW1/4 Section 18 in Rubin Township on the section line is plugged and should be cleaned. Mr. Eversvik stated he was wondering what the assessment was for and doesn't mind paying an assessment after being informed further.

Lakota NW -- Viewed a map of the watershed that shows the proposed assessment area. Viewed the flow line (blue line on the map). Discussed issues with Bartlett Township. The township is not in support at this time because of culverts at Dykhoff Slough. Water is running, but plans are to lower the culvert outlet to grade. It is suggested to put in one 48-inch

culvert. David Thompson asked if that is enough as there is a 24-inch and a 16-inch there now. With the possibility of another project there might need to be an additional culvert. Cody Johnson stated any culvert that is needed, Bartlett Township would not have to pay as the county may pay for culvert if properly requested. Brian Johnson explained work that has been done and the culverts that are needed. Discussed culvert needs as to sizes and location. Johnson said Highway 2 culverts are not an issue as far as the highway is concerned. The group thought it has been about 10 years since water was up on the road because of maintenance south of the four-lane, Highway 2. David Thompson will talk with Bartlett Township to discuss the project area and what can be done to move forward. Question was asked: if the project is done, how much would it cost and how long will it take to pay for it? Landowners can only be assessed 50 cents per acre, per year, until it is paid off. Chairman Varnson asked that the group get together to come up with a plan as to what the best route would be and to what culverts are needed (size and location). The Nelson County WRD is prepared to engage work in the next few months.

South of Michigan -- Spence Sandford discussed the block in the channel south of Michigan. Sandford updated the group on what has taken place with the blockage. Sandford has reported this activity to the sheriff and state's attorney. The case will go to court unless there is a settlement before the court date. Sandford discussed the land on Section 16-152-58 that needs the water channeled. This is a waterway. Discussed benefits from work done. If a new project is done, there will be an information meeting/hearing for landowners and others interested. Sandford discussed an area by Troy Lillehaugen's, south of the Michigan lagoon, that he would like to clean and asked if it could be a part of a snag and clear. The board discussed if this could be part of a snag and clear, a legal drain or if there would be some other option. Sandford is representing landowners of Section 16-152-58. Manager Sateren offered that the board support a clean-out along the west side that may be protected for maintenance (in the NW1/4). The board will inform the NRCS office in Lakota. Meeting adjourned.

Ben Varnson
Chairman

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NELSON COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Walter Vasichuk, a/k/a Joseph W. Vasichuk, Deceased.

Probate No. 32-2024-PR-00002 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice or service of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to JoEllen C. Vasichuk-Ralston, Personal Representative of the Estate, at 107 Nelson Ave., Kelso, W A 98626, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 15th day of January, 2024.

/s/ JoEllen C. Vasichuk-Ralston
JoEllen C. Vasichuk-Ralston
Personal Representative

Kory A. Kleven, ND Attorney #09770, OLSON, JUNTUNEN, SANDBERG, BOETTNER & COBB, 322 Demers Avenue, Suite 400, PO Box 5788, Grand Forks, ND 58206-5788, Attorney for Personal Representative. First publication on the 18th day of January, 2024.

(Publish Jan. 18 & 25 & Feb. 1, 2024)

CALL TO ADVERTISE 247-2482

LAND FOR RENT NELSON COUNTY, ND

- 1) N1/2 of section 31-153-57 except farmstead
- 2) W1/2 of the NE 1/4 of section 33-152-58
- 3) NW1/4 of section 13-153-58

All bids should be by the parcel. (Not the acre) three year contract.

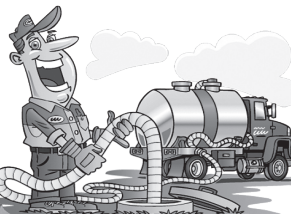
Bidding closes February 15, 2024.

Questions, 701-242-7747 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., ask for Ray. For aerial photos email: ray@dakotasteelart.com.

Send bids to: Ray Zajac, 405 County Road 25, Mantador, ND 58058.

Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Nelson County Park Board IS LOOKING FOR BIDS FOR SEPTIC PUMPING at Stump Lake Campground for the 2024 camping season



Bids due in to the Nelson County Auditor's office by Friday, Feb. 2 at 4:30 p.m.

Help Wanted

We are looking for:

◆ Cooks

◆ Server

◆ Bartender

Apply in person or contact Scott with any questions 701-247-2487

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Comfort from the South

The star of your next spread can be hidden away in the refrigerator for a surprise delight for your guests. It's topped with chocolate syrup and chopped pecans, and your loved ones just may vote it to be their favorite dish.

It's an Arkansas possum pie, made with three delicious layers and crunchy toppings for a show-stopping dessert.

In a saucepan, melt butter. Add flour and stir to combine. Add crushed pecans and brown sugar. Stir to combine and form to the bottom of a pie pan. Bake for 15-20 minutes at 350 F.

In a separate bowl, add cream cheese and beat until smooth. Add powdered sugar and heavy cream. Stir to combine. Add to pie pan over cooled pecan crust. Refrigerate.

To make the pudding layer, whisk egg yolks in a bowl then whisk in whole milk.

In a separate bowl, add sugar, cocoa powder, cornstarch, flour and salt. Whisk to combine.

In a saucepan over medium heat, add egg mixture followed by the dry mixture and stir. Add butter and vanilla extract, stirring until butter is melted.

Pour pudding mixture into a separate pie pan and cover with plastic wrap. Refrigerate for 30 minutes. Once cooled, add on top of the other layers and spread evenly.

Refrigerate pie overnight.

To make whipped topping, in a mixer, add heavy whipping cream, powdered sugar and vanilla extract. Beat to combine. Add whipped topping to the top of the chilled pie.

Drizzle with chocolate syrup and sprinkle with chopped pecans.

Whether it's a holiday, birthday or reunion, this pie is a perfect conversation starter. It's sweet, crunchy and filled with creamy, delightful layers of goodness.

Find more unique dessert recipes at Culinary.net.

If you made this recipe at home, use #MyCulinaryConnection on your favorite social network to share your work.

Arkansas Possum Pie

Servings: 8

Crust:

3/4 cup butter

1-1/2 cups flour

1/2 cup brown sugar

1-1/2 cups pecans, crushed

Cream cheese layer:

12 ounces cream cheese, softened

1 cup powdered sugar

4 tablespoons heavy cream

Pudding layer:

3 egg yolks

2 cups whole milk

1 cup sugar

1/3 cup cocoa powder

3 tablespoons cornstarch



2 tablespoons flour

1/4 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons butter

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Whipped cream topping:

1 cup heavy whipping cream

4 tablespoons powdered sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Chocolate syrup

1/2 cup chopped pecans

Heat oven to 350 F.

To make crust: In saucepan,

melt butter; add flour, brown

sugar and crushed pecans. Stir

until combined. Press into 9-1/2-

inch deep pie plate.

Bake 15-20 minutes until

crust begins to brown. Cool

completely.

To make cream cheese layer:

In medium bowl, mix cream

cheese until creamy. Add pow-

dered sugar and heavy cream;

mix until smooth. Spread over

cooled pecan crust. Refrigerate.

To make pudding layer: In

medium bowl, whisk egg yolks.

Add milk; whisk until combined.

Set aside.

In separate medium bowl,

whisk sugar, cocoa powder,

cornstarch, flour and salt until

combined.

In saucepan over medium

heat, add egg yolk mixture and

flour mixture. Whisk constantly

until pudding begins to thicken

and bubble. Add butter and

vanilla extract, stirring until

butter is melted. Pour chocolate

pudding in shallow bowl. Cover

with plastic wrap touching pud-

ding to keep it from forming

skin. Refrigerate 30 minutes.

Pour pudding over cream

cheese layer. Cover pie with plas-

tic wrap. Refrigerate overnight.

To make whipped cream

topping: In stand mixer bowl,

add heavy cream, powdered

sugar and vanilla extract. Whip

until stiff peaks form. Spread

whipped cream over pudding

layer.

Drizzle pie with chocolate

syrup and sprinkle with chopped

pecans.

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- Aneta (2 or 3 bedroom)
- Tolna (3 bedroom)
- McVillie (2 bedroom wheelchair accessible)

Or you may send in an application for the other units and be placed on a waiting list.

For more information, please call Nelson County Public Housing at 701-746-2745. Ask for Brenda.

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Job Opening

The State Bank of Lakota is seeking applicants for a Full-time Teller/Proof Operations Assistant position

Employment applications and full job description are available at the bank during normal business hours.

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.



For more information, contact Candace Riely at

(701) 247-2413.

State Bank of Lakota
PO Box 468

Lakota, ND 58344

DAHL TRUCK & AUTO CENTER

Dahl Truck & Auto in Langdon is looking to expand and hire 2 energetic knowledgeable mechanics.

Duties will include: suspension, transmission, clutch, and engine work. Other work will include oil changes, brakes, ABS, and a knowledge of engines, Def system.

Computer skills are very important but we are willing to train.

Wages will range from \$2