

COMMUNITY



Submitted by Danny “Greasy” Belcher

The Annual Ride for Trooper Island helped a bunch of kids to go to summer camp for free. Thanks to the Southern Brothers M/C for the \$2,660.00 donation and the Jokers M/C for their generous donation. After it was over, we will give the Kentucky State Police Trooper Island \$3,500 so they can send more kids to Summer Camp at Trooper Island at Dale Hollow Lake in Kentucky. Thank you to everyone that donated and those that went on the ride. For more information, or if you want to send a child to Trooper Island Summer Camp, contact any Task Force Omega member and KSP Trooper Scott Ferrell at 606-872-3991.

Bath District Court News

4/29/25  
Hon. Don Blair

William Eugene Basford, fail to wear seat belts, obstructed vision and/or windshield, no/exp Ky reg recpt, dismissed, no/exp reg plates, dismissed, improper reg plate, fail to produce ins card, cfa 6/3/25 at 9am.

Charles Brandon Bryant, op on susp/rev ops lic, fail to wear seat belts, fail of owner to maintain

req ins/sec 1st, no/exp reg plates, no/exp Ky reg recpt, leaving scene of accident/fail to render aid or assistance, fta, cn 5/20/25 at 9am.

Melissa K Burgess, leaving scene of accident/fail to render aid or assistace, fail of owner to maintain req ins/sec 1t, no ops/moped lic, probation violation, rev 6/3/25 at 9am.

Kerri Chapman, local county ordinace, sh 10/7/25 at 9am.

Michael Lee Clevenger, no/exp reg plates, no/exp Ky reg recpt, fta, cn 6/3/25 at 9am.

Brianna Michelle Esteppe, speeding 8 mph over limit, no/exp Ky reg recpt, dismissed, no/exp reg plates, dismissed, fail to notify add change to dept of transp, dismissed, rev 6/2/25 at 9am, ti complete tsp.

ezra Evans, alc intox in a public place 1st and 2nd, disorderly conduct 2nd de-

gree, pc 6/24/25 at 10am.

Lujeanna R Griffith, poss cont sub 1st degree 1st off heroin, prob cause found, transfer to grand jury.

Carlos Joel Hidalgo, op mv u/infl alc 2nd, possess open alc bev container of mv, op on susp/rev ops lic, pc 5/27/25 at 10am.

James E Huff, poss of marijuana, drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, probation violation, prh 6/17/25 at 9am.

Michael Andrew Jar-

man, speed 10mph over, no/exp Ky reg recpt, no/exp reg plates, cfa 6/24/25 at 9am.

Victoria Desirae Kinner, speed 5 mph over, oe – dismissed, completed tsp.

Steven Barry Manley, public intox controlled subs (excl alc), 90 days to serve 5 days, bal prob 2 yrs, nvl, jail recoup w/in 90 days, cts – 5 days.

Katelyn Phipps, fial to wear seat belts, \$25 fine, op on susp/rev ops lic, dismissed.

Justin Thomas Porter, speeding 5 mph over limit, oe – dismissed, completed tsp.

Kylie Michelle Rhodes, speed 15mph over, pre-paid.

Jason Andrew Shannon, no/exp reg plates, dismissed, no/exp Ky reg recpt, dismissed.

Ricky Daniel Vice, disorderly conduct 1st degree, probation violation, shock probation, shock probation, rev 6/24/25 at 9am.



Photo submitted  
Last Saturday Bath County Democratic Party members held their county-wide precinct stand-up election at Owingsville Lions Club Park and elected new Executive Committee members. Those elected are, from left, Stephanie Stewart, Treasurer; Taylor Davidson, Secretary; Randy Crouch, Vice-Chairman; and Bill Hornback, Chairman.

Community Service Block Grant (CSBG)  
Plan and Budget Available for Public Inspection

Gateway Community Action's Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Annual Plan and Budget Proposal for the 2025-2026 fiscal year will be available for public review on Gateway Community Action's Facebook page and agency website: <http://gatewaycaa.org/reports> on **Friday, April 18, 2025** For more information, or to leave comments you can email [shelva.rowee@gatewaycaa.org](mailto:shelva.rowee@gatewaycaa.org) or contact our office at 606-743-3133 or 1-800-927-1833. You can also review the Plan and Budget in Person at any of the outreach locations on Friday, **April 25, 2025**.

CSBG is a statewide initiative sponsored by Community Action Kentucky partnership with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services. These funds are in whole or in part under contract with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services through the CSBG Act of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

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The Bath County Fire Taxing District is accepting sealed bids on this surplus chassis previously used as a tanker. The chassis is a 1996 Ford L8000 with standard transmission. Bids should be submitted via mail to Bath County Fire Taxing District PO Box 1444 Owingsville, Ky 40360. The truck can be inspected at Owingsville City Hall on Goodpaster Ave. Bids will need to be postmarked by May 20th 2025.

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**Sun., May 4th, 10:00 AM**

Items to Sell Call Today!!!

Equipment-Jeep Scrambler – RV -Razer-4 Wheeler – Mowers Antiques – Collectibles & Advertising !!

Special Interest Items Sells 12:00 – '18 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited 4 Dr, 42,000 miles (Deposit/Balance as Agreed)-'82 Jeep CJ8 Scrambler (Restored Must See) – '04 Damon 35' RV 50,000 miles V-10 w/Slide Outs – '07 Chevy Equinox 1 Owner, Garage Kept 85,000 miles Polaris Razor – Colman 200cc 4-Wheeler-Vintage Tomos Bullet Gas Moped-Vermeer 6030 Mowing Machine – 2, 44 x 18 20 Ag Tires, More Coming!!

Equipment – JD 85 D Excavator – Gehl 540D Loader W/Attachments – '01 Sterling Single Axle Dump Antiques & Collectibles Sells After Lunch – Rare No. B Royal Craker Jack Pea Thresher Made by Chatta Implements-Black Hawk Corn Sheller w/Early Box – 8 Quilts – Louis Marx Train Set (Approx. 70 years Old) – Dazey 3 Gal. Metal Churn – MT Wal Vic Stand – Spinning Wheel – Oak Wall Telephone – Cast Iron

– Louisville, Ky #7 Tea Kettle-Griswald #6 Skillet – 12 Longaberger Baskets – Wood Tobacco Press – GE Super Trimline 400 Record Player w/Speakers – 8 pc. Set of Flatware – Millerfalls #5 Egg Beater Drill w/Bits – Crick Brown & White w/Lid – Water Berry Mantel Clock – Box of Matchbox Cars and Carrying Case.

Advertising – Thermometer Russell Barbour & Son Funeral Home Tollesboro, Ky. – McCay Grain Co. Kentland, Ind.-Several Pieces from Federal Land Bank Georgetown, Oh. – Many Tobacco Adv., Incl. Tall Camel & Winston Ash Trays – Old Money Sells at 10:30 – Incl. Silver Dollars – Paper Money-Kennedy Halves – 10k Gold Ford 300 Pin- Boy Scout Tin Clasp-Boy Scout Hatchet – Pocket Watches – Etc.

Fishing Poles – Pfluger Ant. M 1195 Fly Wheel & Mark Legacy 7026P Rod – 27 Rods & Reels – 15 Poles – (Sells Anytime)

Tables Full of Misc. Items From Estate. 6 pc Lawn Furniture – Table & 4 Swivel Chairs – Pressure Cooker- Grill – Regal Backpack Cleaning System.

19 Guns (From Private collection) Sells at 10:30 – Tables Full or Hand & Power Tools – Schulz Air Compressor & Dryer – 6 Wood Working Tools – DeWalt Laser Levels – Lincoln Arc Welder – Echo Gas Drill – Sthil 180 Chain Saw – Blower – Delta Miter Box – Craftsman Planner – Blue Max 8,000-Watt Generator – 4,000-Watt Generator – Deeze Tool Box – Troy Built Bronco Tiller – Mowers – (Sell Anytime)

New Building Material (Sell Anytime) Stop in & Look Anytime! Kitchen Cabinet Sets – Flooring Incl. Vinyl Waterproof – Lumber – All Sold As Is – 1st Time writing a Check Bring Bank Letter of Guarantee – Announcements made day of Sale take precedence over any printed material. 4% if paying by CC. – Items may be picked up later – Absentee Bids Welcome

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NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

RECOVERY BY ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY'S 2025 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that in an April 30, 2025 Application, Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") is seeking approval by the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Case No. 2025-00105, pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute 278.183, of an amended compliance plan ("2025 Plan"). (Collectively, KU's Application and supporting testimony and exhibits are KU's "tariff filing.") If approved, KU will begin recovering capital costs associated with a new pollution control facility in the 2025 Plan under KU's existing Electric Rate Schedule ECR (also known as the Environmental Surcharge tariff) through an increase in the environmental surcharge on customers' bills beginning in December 2025.

KU filed an application with the Commission on February 28, 2025, in Case No. 2025-00045 seeking approval to construct a selective catalytic reduction system at the Ghent generating station to reduce nitrogen oxide (NOx) emissions, which are a precursor to ozone. In Case No. 2025-00105, KU is seeking an order approving the 2025 Plan to recover the costs of this new pollution control facility through its Environmental Surcharge tariff. This project will help ensure ongoing compliance with regulations issued under the federal Clean Air Act as amended, including the National Ambient Air Quality Standards for ozone.

The estimated total capital cost of this new pollution control facility is \$152.3 million. Additionally, KU is requesting recovery of future incremental capital and operation and maintenance expenses associated with this new pollution control facility. KU is also asking to recover the cost of publishing this customer notice through the Environmental Surcharge over 12 months and to have Environmental Surcharge recovery of future Commission-approved administrative expenses, including customer notice costs.

Beginning in December 2025, the initial bill impact for KU's Group 1 customers is estimated to be a 0.01% increase with a maximum increase of 0.81% in 2029. Group 1 includes Rate Schedules Residential Service (RS), Residential Time-of-Day Energy Service (RTODE), Residential Time-of-Day Demand Service (RTODD), Volunteer Fire Department Service (VFD), All Electric School (AES), and all Lighting Rates (i.e., LS, RLS, LE, and TE).

RS and VFD customers using 1,085 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.01 up to \$1.09. RTODE customers using 1,043 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.01 up to \$1.14. RTODD customers using 987 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.02 up to \$1.80. AES customers using 25,620 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.30 up to \$24.28. LS and RLS customers could expect a monthly increase of \$0.00 up to \$0.12. LE customers using 2,473 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.02 up to \$1.59. TE customers using 147 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.00 up to \$0.15.

Beginning in December 2025, the initial bill impact for KU's Group 2 customers is estimated to be a 0.01% increase with a maximum increase of 1.10% in 2029. Group 2 includes Rate Schedules General Service (GS), General Time-of-Day Energy Service (GTODE), General Time-of-Day Demand Service (GTODD), Power Service (PS), Time-of-Day Secondary Service (TODS), Time-of-Day Primary Service (TODP), Retail Transmission Service (RTS), Fluctuating Load Service (FLS), and Outdoor Sports Lighting Service (OSL).

GS customers using 1,657 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.03 up to \$2.41. GTODD customers using 19,652 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.31 up to \$25.26. PS-Secondary customers using 30,434 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.39 up to \$32.35. PS-Primary customers using 35,028 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.45 up to \$36.82. TODS customers using 189,538 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$1.54 up to \$126.82. TODP customers using 1,242,574 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$8.25 up to \$678.42. RTS customers using 7,387,224 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$38.91 up to \$3,199.31. FLS-Transmission customers using 44,229,667 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$237.46 up to \$19,525.53. OSL-Secondary customers using 4,627 kWh/month could expect a monthly increase of \$0.17 up to \$13.87.

The Application described in this Notice is proposed by KU, but the Commission may issue an order resulting in an environmental surcharge for customers other than the environmental surcharge described in this Notice.

Comments regarding KU's 2025 Plan and Application may be submitted to the Commission through its website or by mail to the Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602.

Any person may submit a timely written request for intervention to the Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, establishing the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of the initial publication of this Notice, the Commission may take final action on the Application.

Any person may examine KU's tariff filing at the Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or through the Commission's website at <http://psc.ky.gov> or KU's website (<http://www.lge-ku.com>) after KU makes its tariff filing on April 30, 2025. KU has requested a deviation from the requirement to make the tariff filing available at its office at One Quality Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507. If the Commission denies that request, KU will make the tariff filing available at its office upon request by any person.