

# Soulful Photography focuses on Bullitt

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**SHEPHERDSVILLE** — One area business owner is a picture of pouring her heart and soul into her work.

Soulful Photography, Inc. held a ribbon cutting to celebrate joining the Bullitt County Chamber of Commerce, exactly four years after the business was established.

The owner, Heather Hoffman, said Soulful Photography provided photos and videos for everything from businesses to weddings to life milestones.

Hoffman worked previously at various careers, including personal trainer, gym manager and financial investor.

“I’m just not the kind to sit behind a desk,” she said.

Self-taught, and having a camera in her hand since childhood, Hoffman decided to pursue her own personal interests.

“I’ve always loved photography,” she said. “I’m constantly learning and striving to grow. I decided to dabble more creatively and became a professional.”



Stephen Thomas

Hoffman said she likes to tie in with her own creative background, and always tries to keep her subject matter as

natural as possible. The company’s clients include The Social Boutique Marketing Agency, also a Bullitt

County Chamber member, who designed the website. “I love this community and this Chamber,” Hoffman said.

“Everyone is very friendly and nice, and it’s a wonderful atmosphere.”

For more information on

Soulful Photography call (270)692-8079 or visit soulfulphotographyllc.square.site.

## Skin Group expands services in Bullitt County

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**HILLVIEW** – The Skin Group has been providing dermatology care for patients in Bullitt County for years.

But, the medical practice has recently expanded its services.

Recently, the Bullitt County Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting for the new Aesthetics Center, located in UofL South Medical Plaza II, formerly known as the Hester Building.

“It’s more than just a ribbon cutting – it’s a celebration of innovation, confidence, beauty, health and community,” said owner Lisa Zax. “We’re proud to bring our signature aesthetic care and the latest in laser technology to Bullitt County.”

The River Road location of The Skin Group started the aesthetic care but Bullitt County’s business has expanded over the years. Zax said it made sense to expand the services offered at the Hillview location.

Something unique to the local office is

a cutting-edge Cynosure laser, which expands the skin care services that can be offered.

Zax, who is joined in the practice by husband Dr. Robert Zax, said another unique feature is that individuals can receive a free consultation with the staff.

She felt that there were no other aesthetics centers in the county that has a medical staff on site. Christina Crawford is a registered nurse and Tanisha Ellison is also a nurse at the local center.

The dermatology portion of The Skin Care is incredibly busy but Zax said they are able to get patients appointments much quicker than other facilities. Having the aesthetics center, she said patients often utilize services from both sides of the building.

She added that UofL Health has been wonderful partners over the years. Now, The Skin Group is a tenant in UofL Health’s medical plaza.

If you are looking to tweak that look, The Skin Group is located on 1868 W. Hebron Lane. Call 502-583-6647 for more information.



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### BULLITT COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH Court program recognized nationally

The National Association of Counties recognized Bullitt County attorney Tammy Baker and the Mental Health Court program in the category of Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

The local program graduated three participants this spring with another three to graduate in September. The program is completely funded through the Opioid Settlement Funds presented to Bullitt County Fiscal Court.

This educational ad paid with opioid settlement funds



## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, Chapters 100.207 and 424.270, notice is hereby given that the City of Shepherdsville will hold a public hearing at City Hall, 634 Conestoga Parkway, Shepherdsville, Kentucky, on Monday, August 11, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

The purpose of this hearing is to consider the following application to rezone 800 Beech Grove Rd from R-1 to R-3:

David and Michael Guelda - David A Guelda Builder, Inc. PVA Map#: 037-C00-01-001, 1.22 acres more or less, located in the City of Shepherdsville.

All interested citizens are urged to attend this hearing. All files can be reviewed at City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. Friday.



## LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with the provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes 100.207, 424.145 and 424.270, notice is hereby given that the Bullitt County Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on **August 14, 2025**. The meeting will be held at 149 N Walnut Street, 3rd floor, in the City of Shepherdsville at **5:30 PM**.

Information related to cases on the docket may be found at the following link:  
<https://bcplanning6.wixsite.com/bullitt-county-pandz>

All interested citizens are urged to attend this hearing. All files may be reviewed at the Planning Commission office at 149 N. Walnut Street in Shepherdsville from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M., Monday through Friday.

Duane Price, Chairman  
Bullitt County Board of Adjustment



## LEGAL NOTICE

### Legal Notice

In accordance with the provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes 100.207, 424.145 and 424.270, notice is hereby given that the Bullitt County Joint Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on **August 14, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.** at the Bullitt County Courthouse at 300 South Buckman Street in the City of Shepherdsville.

Information related to cases on the docket may be found at the following link:  
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All interested citizens are urged to attend this hearing. All files may be reviewed at the Planning Commission office at 149 N. Walnut Street in Shepherdsville from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M., Monday through Friday.

John Miller, Chairman  
Bullitt County Joint Planning Commission