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Fly management cost share pgm. available to local cattle farmers

The Morgan County Soil Conservation District is offering a best management program to help farmers improve livestock health and herd comfort. Participants who spend $200 will receive $100 back from the soil conservation district on qualifying fly control products. Twenty applications are available.

For more information, call the district at 606-743-3194, ext 101 or stop by the office at 955 Prestonsburg St., West Liberty and fill out an application.

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Public Notices

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE
Permit No. 888-0101
Inc. s's 6, 19 and 24

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Southbound Coal, LLC. 12500 St. Rd. 124, Piketon, Ohio 45661, has applied for a Phase III bond release on Inc. #'s 6, and 24 and Phase II & III bond release for increment 19 on permit # 888-0101, which was last issued on October 10, 2024. The application covers an area of approximately 652.71 acres located 0.99 miles southwest of White Oak in Morgan County. The operation is approximately 0.89 miles southwest from US Route 460's junction with May Br. Rd on Mays Branch of White Oak Creek and Wells Branch of Caney Ck.

The bonds now in effect for increment 19 in the amount of $35,200.00 is included in this application for bond release, increment 6 in the amount of $12,900.00 is included in this application for bond release, increment 24 in the amount of $11.000.00 is included in this application for bond release. The bond now in effect for, of which a release of the original bond amount is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes Grading, seeding, and mulching, and successful establishment of the post-mining land use, which was completed in August of 2019.

Written comments, objections, or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 November 30,2026.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10:00 am. on December 2, 2026 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Hazard Field office, 556 Village Lane, Hazard, Kentucky 41702. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 30, 2026.

C-10-8-4T

PROBATE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given this 7th day of October 2026 that Melissa Daniels has been appointed the executrix of the Jerry Daniels estate. Anyone indebted to said estate should pay the undersigned immediately. Anyone having a claim of any nature against said estate should file the same, properly verified, with the undersigned no later than six (6) months from the date of publication.

Melissa Daniels
P.O. Box 162
Ezel, KY 41425

Hon. Gordon Long
4259 Mt. Sterling Rd.
Winchester, KY 40391

C-10-15-1T

KSP Post 8 traffic check point advisory

The Kentucky State Police (KSP), Morehead Post would like to offer periodic reminders to drivers who travel our roadways. Our agency strives daily to ensure the safety of the motoring public. Some of these proactive measures include various roadside safety checkpoints and saturating known problematic areas in the district through general patrol tactics.

The Kentucky State Police utilizes traffic safety checkpoints to promote safety for motorists using the public roadways and to provide a deterrent for those who violate laws contained in the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

The intent of a traffic safety checkpoint is to provide high visibility, public safety service, focusing on operator impairment, vehicular equipment deficiencies (confirming appropriate registration and insurance of vehicles) and the valid licensing of drivers. Other violations of law and/or other public safety issues that arise will be addressed.

These checkpoints will allow the Kentucky State Police the opportunity to periodically concentrate its efforts in checking for violations of Kentucky traffic and regulatory laws that will ultimately increase the safety of the citizens within the Commonwealth.

Post 8 serves the following counties: Bath, Elliott, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Powell, Rowan and Wolfe.

Traffic Safety checkpoint locations in the Post 8 District may be located at our web site.

Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commission Member Nomination Meeting

A meeting to nominate candidates for the 8th District representative on the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commission will be held at the Montgomery County Extension Office, 106 East Locust Street, Mount Sterling, on Nov. 17, 2026. The meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m.

The commission provides oversight of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources and guides development of the state's regulations on hunting, fishing, boating and related matters. It is a voluntary position.

The 8th District includes Bath, Bourbon, Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Fleming, Greenup, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Rowan and Wolfe counties.

Resident hunters or anglers of the district who qualify and attend the meeting may vote or be nominated for the position.

Potential nominees must submit an affidavit of qualifications to Kentucky Fish and Wildlife. An application for nomination and qualification documentation must be received in the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commissioner's Office at least 15 days prior to the meeting (Nov. 2, 2026). The department will determine if the candidate meets the appropriate qualifications.

Nominees must have held a Kentucky fishing and hunting or trapping license for at least the previous five consecutive license years prior to the current license year; be a current resident of the district; be well informed on wildlife conservation and restoration; and be an experienced hunter, angler, trapper or biologist.

License exemptions do not apply for potential commission members. Nominees cannot be a convicted felon.

If more than five candidates are nominated at the meeting, candidates will be selected by vote to reduce the list of nominees to five for consideration by the governor.

Sportsmen or sportswomen wishing to vote at the meeting must be a current resident of the district and have purchased a hunting or fishing license for at least the previous two consecutive license years prior to the current license year. Voters will also need to have their Fish and Wildlife Customer ID number readily available to affix on the ballot.

Additional information is available online at fw.ky.gov, or by calling Kentucky Fish and Wildlife at 1-800-858-1549. Phones are staffed weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Eastern), closed for holidays.

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MORGAN COUNTY FISCAL COURT

NOTICE OF SEALED-BID SALE

2024 MACK MD7 DUMP TRUCK

The Morgan County Fiscal Court will accept sealed bids for the sale of the following vehicle:

- 2024 Mack MD7 dump truck • 29,044 miles
- 6.7-liter Cummins diesel engine
- Automatic transmission
- 1 0-foot Logan dump body
- Pintle hitch
- Trailer air-brake ready



BIDS DUE: OCTOBER 29, 2026

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Morgan County Judge-Executive's Office, 1412 KY 7, West Liberty, KY 41472, by October 29, 2026. Bids may be mailed or hand-delivered Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. EDT.

Bids may also be delivered in person at the Morgan County Fiscal Court meeting at 6 p.m. EDT on October 29, 2026, in the Morgan County Fiscal Courtroom, 450 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sealed bids will be publicly opened during that meeting.

Each sealed envelope must be marked "SEALED BID -TRUCK" and include the bidder's name and address on the outside.

Vehicle inspection: Prospective bidders are encouraged to inspect the truck before submitting a bid. To schedule an inspection, contact the Morgan County Road Department at 606-743-4704.

The truck is sold AS IS, WHERE IS, with no warranties or guarantees, express or implied. The bidder is responsible for determining the vehicle's condition before submitting a bid and for all transportation, insurance, registration, and applicable transfer fees.

The Morgan County Fiscal Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive informalities, and accept the bid or bids deemed to be in the best interest of Morgan County.

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