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PUBLIC NOTICE

JOBS

OPENINGS FOR CERTIFIED POLICE OFFICERS:

The Martin County Sheriff’s Office is accepting applications for certified police officers. Pay will depend on experience plus KLEFPF. Obatin more information and pick up an application at the Sheriff’s Office, 42 East Main Street, Inez. 43rtc

HELP WANTED: Martin County Senior Citizens Center is seeking to fill a part-time (30 hours a week) Meal Driver position. Must be honest and dependable. Paid holidays, sick time and vacation time. The position will require drug testing, physical, criminal background and nurse aide registry. Must have a valid driver’s license with a clean driving record, and be able to lift at least 50lbs. If you are interested you may pick an application up at the Martin County Senior Citizens Center, 123 Old Middlefork Rd., Inez, Kentucky 41224 from 8-2 Monday thru Friday. You may also mail your resume to P.O. Box 631, Inez, Kentucky 41224 or email to mcsc3459@gmail.com. Applications will be accepted November 14, 2026. 35,36b

FOR SALE

1995 FORD BRONCO, Eddie Bauer Edition, 5.8 liter, 6” suspension lift. \$10,000. Call Bob at (606) 339-2971. 34,35pd

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 858-5032 Renewal No. 8

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Beech Fork Processing, LLC, 81 Enterprise Drive, Debord, Kentucky 41214, has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 2.0 miles northeast of Odds in Johnson & Martin Counties. The existing operation will disturb 50.35 surface acres and the total area within the permit boundary will be

50.35 acres.

The existing operation is approximately 0.8 miles Northeast from KY Route 3’s junction with Lackey Branch Road and located along Beech Fork.

The existing operation is located on the Offutt, Inez and Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Beech Fork Processing, LLC, Marco Mine Supply Co., Incorporated and Pocahontas Development Corporation.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources Pikeville Regional Office,

121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. 37,38,39,ch40b

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Intention to Mine

Pursuant to Application Number 858-5032, Amendment 7

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Beech Fork Processing, LLC has applied for an amendment to an existing un-

derground coal mining and reclamation operation located one and one-half miles northeast of Odds in Johnson and Martin County. This amendment will add 15.19 acres of surface area, making a total area of 65.54 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 0.4 miles east of the intersection of KY Route 3 and Lackey Branch Road. The latitude is 37°45’58”. The longitude is 82°39’59”.

The proposed amendment is located on the Offutt, Inez and Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to

be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation, Beech Fork Processing, LLC, Michael Moore and Fan-nin Plumbing and Heating Co., Inc.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement’s Pikeville Regional Office, 121 May’s Branch Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Per-mits, 300 Sower Blvd., Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. 37,38,39,ch40b

PUBLIC NOTICE

KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROPOSED TAX NOTIFICATION

District: 385 Martin County – School Year: 2026 – 2027

The General Fund tax levied in fiscal year 2026 was 84.6 cents on real property and 84.6 cents on personal property and produced revenue of \$2,150,399.89. The proposed General Fund tax rate of 84.6 cents on real property and 84.6 cents on personal property is expected to produce \$3,190,718.25. Of this amount, \$635,971.63 is from new and personal property. The compensating tax for 2027 is 83.5 cents on real property and 83.5 cents on personal property and is expected to produce \$3,149,231.37.

The Martin County Board of Education is proposing a general fund tax levy of 84.6 cents on real property and 84.6 cents on personal property which is the same rate as fiscal 2026.

The proposed rate is expected to generate more revenue than received in the preceding year. The general areas to which revenue of \$1,040,318.36 above 2026 revenue is to be allocated are as follows: Instruction, \$1,040,318.36. The collection rate for fiscal year 2026 was 69.8%. If we had received 100% collections, the total collections for fiscal 2026 would have been \$3,085,034.23. If we receive 84.6 rate for fiscal 2027 that will produce \$64,197.14 more for fiscal 2026.

This information is published pursuant to KRS 160.470. The proposed tax rate is not subject to recall under KRS 132.017. 37,38b

PUBLIC NOTICE

BSACAP ANNOUNCES BI-MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

In accordance with its bylaws, Big Sandy Area Community Action’s Board of Directors will meet on Tuesday, September 22, 2026. The meeting will be held at the Mountain Arts Center at 11 a.m. All meetings are open to the public. 37b

PUBLIC NOTICE

Non-Discrimination Notice

(Martin County Healthcare) dose not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, sex, or age in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services and activities, or in employment. For further information about this policy, contact: (Deborah Fitzpatrick, (606) 298-0091, TDD/ State Relay) 37b

PUBLIC NOTICE

Audit Bids

The Big Sandy Regional Detention Center is now accepting Audit bids for the facility’s 2025-2026 Annual Audit. Interested parties pay submit their bids by October 15, 2026. Please remit to:

Administrator Byron Hansford
Big Sandy Regional Detention Center
904 3rd Street
Paintsville, KY 41240
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- FACEBOOK.COM/MOUNTAINCITIZEN
- 20 W MAIN STREET, INEZ, KY 41224
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