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QUARTERLY ISSUES / PROGRAMS LIST			
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<u>EMG Community Program & Issue:</u> A 60-second, public affairs program featuring local, and state news makers.			
7/11/22	Law Enforcement	THE PENDLETON POLICE DEPARTMENT IS NOT ONE OF THOSE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES THAT OFFERS EXPERIENCED OFFICERS HIRING BONUSES. CHIEF CHUCK BYRAM SAYS THEY'VE CONSIDERED IT, BUT IT JUST DOESN'T MAKE SENSE.THE POLICLE DEPARTMENT NOW HAS FOUR OPENINGS FOR OFFICERS, SINCE TWO NEW POSITIONS WERE ADDED EFFECTIVE JULY FIRST.	Pendleton Police Chief Chuck Byram
7/18/22	Community	THE PENDLETON U-A-S TEST RANGE WENT FROM 23-HUNDRED OPERATIONS IN MAY TO MORE THAN 45-HUNDRED IN JUNE. RANGE MANAGER DARRYL ABLING SAYS THEY CONTINUE TO GROW. ABLING SAYS U-A-V'S MUST BE ABLE TO OPERATE BYOND A VISUAL LINE OF SIGHT TO BE COMMERCIALY FEASIBLE.	Range Manager Darryl Abling
7/22/22	Community	THE OREGON LEGISLATURE HAS SO FAR REFUSED TO TINKER WITH MEASURE 110, WHICH LEGALIZED PERSONAL USE AMOUNTS OF NARCOTICS. UMATILLA COUNTY SHERIFF TERRY ROWAN SAYS FENTANYL USE IS A MAJOR PROBLEM FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND THE LAW ALLOWS TOO MANY PILLS.ROWAN SAYS IT SEEMS IF THE LEGISLATURE CAN CONTINUE TO TOY WITH MEASURE 11 (WHICH SET MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCES) THEN IT CAN ALSO MAKE CHANGES TO MEASURE 110	Sheriff Terry Rowan
7/27/22	Community	THE HERMISTON CITY COUNCIL HAS UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED PUTTING A QUESTION ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOT THAT WOULD ALLOW VOTERS TO DECIDE WHETHER THE CITY WILL BAN PSILOCYBIN SERVICES. ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER MARK MORGAN SAYS THE CITY HAS TO ACT BEFORE IT EVEN KNOWS THE WHOLE STORY ABOUT THE USE OF THE HALLUCINOGEN. MORGAN SAYS THE CITY ATTORNEY IS WORKING ON THE WORDING FOR THE BALLOT QUESTION	Assistant City Manager Mark Morgan
8/2/22	Health Care	UMATILLA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH IS ONLY ABLE TO OPEN ON TUESDAYS IN PENDLETON AND FRIDAYS IN HERMISTON. DIRECTOR JOSEPH FIUMARA SAYS A STAFFING SHORTAGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES HAS CAUSED THE CUTBACK IN HOURS. THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAVE AUTHORIZED AN INCREASE IN SALARY FOR THOSE POSITIONS. APPLICATIONS ARE ON THE UMATILLA COUNTY WEBSITE UNDER THE 'JOBS' TAB	Director Joseph Fiumara

8/5/22	Law Enforcement	38-YEAR-OLD ROBERT MICHAEL STEWART OF HERMISTON IS FACING A FIRST DEGREE THEFT CHARGE AS WELL AS FELONIES STEMMING FROM HIS SPITTING ON AND RESISTING ARRESTING OFFICERS ON WEDNESDAY EVENING. HERMISTON POLICE CHIEF JASON EDMISTON SAYS INCIDENTS LIKE THIS ARE THE RESULT OF A SERIOUSLY UNINFORMED LEGISLATURE. EDMISTON SAYS THE SUMMER OF 2020 CREATED WHAT HE CALLS AN INCREDIBLE SHORTAGE OF POLICE OFFICERS IN OREGON.	Hermiston Police Chief Jason Edmiston
8/17/22	Community	LANDOWNERS OF THE REES-GOAD PROPERTY EAST OF PENDLETON ARE READY TO DEVELOP THEIR ACREAGE FOR HOUSING ... AND THE CITY OF PENDLETON IS READY TO HELP. MAYOR JOHN TURNER SAYS THAT THERE IS ENOUGH LAND FOR THOUSANDS OF HOUSING UNITS OF DIFFERENT TYPES AND THE CITY IS WORKING ON FUNDING FOR THE NEEDED INFRASTRUCTURE. THE REES GOAD PROPERTY IS ON THE SOUTHEAST SIDE OF PENDLETON.	Mayor John Turner
8/24/22	Law Enforcement	COURT DOCUMENTS ARE SHEDDING MORE LIGHT ON THE SHOOTING AT WILDHORSE LAST WEDNESDAY. F-B-I SPECIAL AGENT JENNIFER DUKE TOLD THE COURT THAT WHEN SHE ARRIVED ON THE SCENE JAVIER FRANCISCO VIGIL WAS ON THE GROUND WITH A GUNSHOT WOUND, WITH THE MONEY AND A GUN NEXT TO HIM. A UMATILLA TRIBAL POLICE OFFICER HAD BEEN BEHIND A K-9 PATROL VEHICLE AND ENGAGED VIGIL. DUKE SAYS THE VEHICLE HE WAS BEHIND HAD BULLET HOLES IN THE FRONT HOOD, FRONT PASSENGER TIRE, AND THROUGH THE FRONT PASSENGER AND DRIVER SIDE WINDOWS. VIGIL IS CHARGED WITH HOBBS ACT ROBBERY AND CARRYING A FIREARM DURING AND IN RELATION TO A CRIME OF VIOLENCE.	FBI Special Agent Jennifer Duke
9/9/22	Community	PENDLETON MAYOR JOHN TURNER SAYS THE U-A-S TEST RANGE RECENTLY WON A GRANT FROM BUSINESS OREGON THE \$102-THOUSAND-DOLLAR GRANT IS TO HELP THE CITY CREATE A FRAMEWORK FOR HOW A CENTER OF INNOVATION EXCELLENCE WOULD FUNCTION. IT IS EARMARKED FOR COVERING THE COST OF CREATING BUSINESS AND NETWORKING PLANS FOR SUCH A CENTER.	Mayor John Turner
9/10/22	Community	THE UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HAS APPROVED ANNEXING A PIECE OF COUNTY-OWNED PROPERTY AND LIND ROAD INTO THE CITY OF UMATILLA. CHAIRMAN JOHN SHAFER SAYS THAT PAVES THE WAY FOR THE 'PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE THROUGH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING' PROJECT THE PATH PROJECT WILL PROVIDE SERVICES AND TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR THE HOMELESS IN THE CITIES OF HERMISTON, UMATILLA, ECHO, AND STANFIELD	John Shafer
9/16/22	Law Enforcement	JAVIER FRANCISCO VIGIL OF UMATILLA COUNTY WAS ARRAIGNED THURSDAY AFTERNOON ON A NUMBER OF GRAND JURY CHARGES FOR A ROBBERY AND SHOOTING AT WILDHORSE RESORT AND CASINO LAST MONTH. VIGIL, WHO IS BEING TRIED IN FEDERAL COURT IN PORTLAND, FACES CHARGES THAT INCLUDE CARRYING AND USING A FIREARM IN A CRIME OF VIOLENCE, BEING A FELON IN POSSESSION OF A FIREARM, ATTEMPTED MURDER, AND ASSAULT WITH THE INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER VIGIL IS BEING HELD IN THE MULTNOMAH COUNTY JAIL	Federal Grand Jury

9/20/22	Education	A GROUP OF STUDENTS AND PARENTS WENT BEFORE THE HERMISTON SCHOOL BOARD LAST WEEK TO COMPLAIN ABOUT THE HIGH SCHOOL DRESS CODE. SUPERINTENDENT TRICIA MOONEY SAYS SHE'S ALWAYS IMPRESSED WHEN STUDENTS VOICE THEIR CONCERNS IN A DIGNIFIED MANNERSHE THINKS THE PROBLEM WITH THE DRESS CODE IS THE RESULT OF NOT BEING IN SCHOOL DURING COVID SINCE THE CODE HASN'T CHANGED IN YEARS. THE PRIMARY ISSUE AT HAND IS THE RULE AGAINST BARE MIDRIFTS	Superintendent Tricia Mooney
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