

## THE WHEELER TIMES (USPS-680-960)

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2017

"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride"

# City-Wide Garage Sale Saturday

VOLUME 83. NUMBER 20



QUALIFY FOR STATE COMPETITION: These four Kelton students show their art work which qualified for state competition; they (I. to r.) Makena Porter, Nolan Spruell, Chelsie Jasper, and Justin Baker are pictured with their State qualifying artwork.

#### **Kelton Students in State VASE Competition In San Antonio**

students advanced to STATE



Congratulations, Makena Porter, Nolan Spruell, Chelsie Jasper, and Justin Baker for their accomplishment in the State VASE art show.

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Lots of activities planned in connection with the City-Wide Garage Sales. Come on out and enjoy the fun.

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Your help is requested in the Downtown Clean-Sweep on Saturday, May 20.

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We celebrated Seth's ninth birthday Saturday. Several different animals, a bird and

#### STORM REPORT



Stormie Meriwether, Seventh Grade Student

Dear Friends, Seth Bryant is nine years old! He had Zoo To You for his party. It was fun. There was a large yellow python named Jack. It had only one eye. It is a girl, but they didn't know that when they named it Jack. I think Jack was thirty-five pounds. She loves to wrap around your neck. My favorite animal was a chinchilla. It has the softest fur in the world. It takes a bath in volcanic ash. If it gets in water it's hair falls out. I am glad Seth

had a great birthday party. We went to an Indian Pow Wow. That was a new experience and I loved it! My Uncle Glenn was the honored educator. The person that is honored gives gifts to the other people. His family gets to help give the gifts to the people. All the women and girls have to (Continued Page 5)

#### **Zybach Cemetery** Clean-Up Day Sat.

etery Association: There will be a clean up day Saturday May 13, 2017, at 8am. Bring the tools necessary for the job.

Justin Baker, Chelsie Jasper, in Art. The event was held at ceived a Superior Rating (IV) Makena Porter, and Nolan James Madison High School attend State Vase.

Makena and Chelsie re-

awarding them a STATE VASE Spruell are members of a in San Antonio Texas. Justin, medallion. Statewide more very elite and distinguished Chelsie, Makena, and Nolan than 32,000 students particigroup of young artists. All four are among the top 6.6% in pated in the 20 regional VASE the whole state of Texas. This events. There were 2,129 is Justin Baker's 2nd time to state qualifiers competing. The top 8% received a Superior

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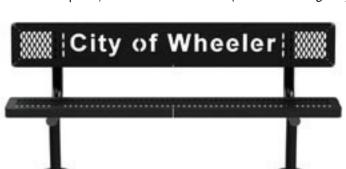
The Wheeler Chamber of to get a map of locations! Commerce will be hosting their house Square.

There will be opportunities (7939 US HWY 83). to buy breakfast and lunch fundraisers.

courthouse square, so be sure

IF the weather does not City Wide Garage Sale on Sat-cooperate, we will still have urday, May 13th, 2017. Maps the City Wide Garage Sale, will be available at 7:45am on but activities/sales around the the SW Corner of the Court- Courthouse Square will be moved to the Wheeler Ag Barn

Weather permitting, there around the square on Satur- will be the 2nd Annual Clay day from organizations doing Target Shoot at the Wheeler Rodeo Grounds on Saturday, There are some big sales May 13th, 2017 starting at throughout the city, some in 2pm. Thanks to the First State the county and around the Bank of Mobeetie and Wheeler (Continued Page 2)



#### **WAAIC Is Offering Park Benches**

The committee is selling benches for \$1,000, that can be customized on the back. Please see picture. The benches will be set throughout the aquatics center, to provide seating.

**DEADLINE EXTENDED FOR PURCHASE OF TILE:** The WAAIC-Pool committee is extending the deadline for the Granite Tiles for one more week. The cost for a 12"x12" granite square tile is \$1000, with the ability to put anything you like on the tile. There is also an option to design 1/2 a tile for \$500 or you can call and inquire about other options.

Please contact Kristen Moudy at 806.826.3408 or stop by the city office to fill out a form, if you are interested purchasing a tile or bench. We will be placing all orders on Monday, May 15th. Checks may be made out to WAAIC-Pool, PO Box 489, Wheeler, TX 79096. Wheeler's new Area Aquatics Center will open May 26, 2017.

Wheeler County Commissioners' Court

#### \$182,271.64 Doesn't Include Graders

Robert Ford, Chief, Wheeler VFD; Jim Hall, Chief, Allison VFD;

Charles Kuntz, WAAIC Board Member; Bill Warren, Asst. Chief,

Shamrock VFD; Randy McCurley, WAAIC Board Member; Ben

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Lillie Mae Bailey

#### **Services May 8 For Lillie Mae Bailey**

Services for Lillie Mae (Shelton) Bailey, 94, were Monday, May 8, 2017 at 3:00 PM at the First Baptist Church of Mobeetie TX, with Pastors Don McElroy and Rick Timmons, officiating. Burial wwas in the Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Peppers Family Funeral Home of Wheeler, TX.

Mae passed away Tuesday, May 2, 2017 in Amarillo, TX.

Lillie Mae (Shelton) Bailey was born on June 12, 1922 in Prairie Grove, AR, to the late Mr. Henry Shelton and Beulah (Morton) Shelton. She was a 1940 graduate of Mobeetie High School. Mrs. Bailey married Hugh Bailey on August 29, 1993 at Mobeetie, TX.

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Connie Walser Quimby

#### **Connie W. Quimby** Dies Wed. April 26

Connie Quimby passed away in Austin on Wednesday, April 26, 2017.

Connie was born on December 5, 1963 and raised in Mobeetie and Canadian Texas. After graduating high school, she toured Europe before attending The University of Texas at Austin receiving a degree in Astronomy and was certified to teach high school science. She taught astronomy and marine biology at a Johnston High School in

Connie married Mike Quimby on July 26, 1986 and they had two adventurous, clever boys - Zachary and Max. Ten (Continued Page 2)



BRITT FIELD EXPANDED: On April 24, 2017, the Lions Club purchased an additional 15 acres of land to expand the Tom Britt Memorial Park. Expansion plans are in the works and the rivercresthomes.net or find formation of the WAAIC - Tom Britt Memorial Park board of directors. A special THANK YOU to our new, local title office, Shelton and Shelton, as they were able to help with the property purchase and land deeds. Pictureed (I. to r.) are Lions Club Members, Charles and Margaret Kuntz, James Hubble, Tommy and Sharla Weaver, and Lions Club, President, John Jones.



Volunteers Needed — Great Community Service Hours

# Saturday, May 20th, 9am-12pm — Operation Clean Sweep Downtown Wheeler—Meet at Courthouse Square at 9am

Contact chamber for more information 806.826.3408

# Picture (I. to r.): Billy Hennig, Chief, Kelton VFD; Jackie May, Chief, Mobeetie VFD; Bobby McNeil, Asst. Chief, Wheeler VFD;

#### **Wildfire Firefighters Relief Fund**

The Wheeler Area Activities rock VFD and Wheeler VFD. of water units sent out to fight 2017. the March 6, 2017 Wildfire. VFD, Mobeetie VFD, Sham-

Improvement Council, Inc. The fire chiefs received their set up a Wildfire Firefighter checks from the local WAAIC, Relief fund that dispersed Inc. board members at their funds based on the number SCFA meeting on April 24,

Huge thank you to Benita Those departments are Allison Ceceille, Lisa Guest, Tammy VFD, Briscoe VFD, Kelton G Moore, Tiffany Eddleman (Continued Page 5)

#### **Local Artists Invited To Show Work** The Weekend Of Ex-Student Reunion

The Wheeler Historical Museum is looking for artists of all kinds to enter artwork for the Wheeler Ex-Student and Teachers Reunion exhibit. The museum will be open on Friday, June 9th and Saturday, June 10th from 1pm-5pm to Notice from Zybach Cem- showcase all of Wheeler's talented artist.

> Artist of any medium (photography, clay, graphic design, pencil, charcoal, acrylic, water

color, pastels, oils, ink, etc including needle - quilters, cross-stitching, embroiders, etc) are invited to participate in the Wheeler Historical Museum Art Show. Please contact Pam Hill for more information or to reserve your spot. Pam Hill 469.323.9625, pamhill@ her on Facebook for more information.

### **Phillips 66 Donation Benefits Local Fire Departments**

Phillips 66 presented \$10,000 to 10 local volunteer value of Phillips 66 is the fire departments for disaster safety of its employees and recovery efforts following the neighbors. This commitment Texas panhandle wildfires.

teer fire departments worked safety and preparedness. tirelessly to control the fire and protect the safety of neighbors. safety and preparedness, With Safety as a top priority, Phillips 66 is committed to helping communities recover after natural disasters, and fire departments are a critical piece of community safety relief to help rebuild the safety infrastructure.

Volunteer Fire Departments benefiting were Fritch, Whitedeer, Stinnett, Panhandle, through strong support of lo-Skellytown, Spearman, Wheeler, Lefors, Gruver, and Mobeetie. Checks were presented April 18, 2017

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at all the beautiful flowers in bloom and now we have shade

coming on from all the trees, this is going to be a glorious summer and I hope you take full advantage of it! I imagine you know what I'm building up to so get your reading glasses out and your library card and make it an adventure to come visit us in the library! This

#### Bailey (from Page 1)

She resided most all of her life in the local panhandle area, and worked as a jailer and dispatcher for Hemphill County Sheriff's Office. Mae was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and was a lifelong member of the First Baptist Church in Mobeetie, TX.

Mae will rejoice in meeting her granddaughter, Amy Allen, who was born 4/28/1975 and passed on 4/28/2017, at the gates of Heaven.

Survivors include her husband, Hugh Bailey, of Mobeetie, TX; one son, Ray Allen and wife Terry Jean, of Alpine, TX: three daughters, Frances Collins and husband John, of Lake Isabella, CA, Lois Hughes and husband Glenn, of Fritch, TX, Donna Kay Dickey and husband Richard, of Allison, TX; nineteen grandchildren, Sherri Hanning, of Lake Isabella, CA, Wade Childress, of Marbella, Spain, Michael Collins, of Los Angeles, CA, Jack Collins, of Lake Isabella, CA, Michael Hughes, of Fritch, TX, Jenie Gannaway, of Fritch, TX, Lucy Clark, of Fritch, TX, Gary Hughes, of Fritch, TX, Robert Hughes, of Fritch, TX, Mindy Wiggins, of Big Springs, TX, Nancy Belcher, of Sterling, TX, Katie Allen-Mathews, of Alpine, TX, James Williams, of Canadian, TX, Geoff Dickey, of White Deere, TX, Garrett Dickey, of Stephenville, TX, Greg Dickey, of Dumas, TX, John Williams, of Lefors, TX, Jean LaDonna Hardegee, of Amarillo, TX, Allison Dickey, of Allison, TX; 44 great-grandchildren; 32 great-great-grandchildren; one brother, Joe Shelton; one sister Jaunell Eberting; and many, many others she loved and claimed as her own.

Family will receive friends for formal visitation on Thursday May 11, 2017 from 2:00-6:00 PM at the funeral home.

#### Quimby (from Page 1)

years later, the family moved to Singapore for a year for Mike's job at AMD. When they returned, they decided to adopt a daughter from China and our family welcomed a very talented Miss Juliana Mei Yu. Connie was a true artist and loved to create jewelry and even made her own glass beads.

She is preceded in death by her father, Charles Walser and her grandparents Barney Gatlin and Clifford and Euline Walser.

She is survived by her husband, Mike and their children Zach, Max and Julie Quimby, her mother, Ann Walser, her grandmother Leta Mae Gatlin, her sister's family - Candy, Steve and Ella Berry, in-laws George and Anna Marie Quimby, Steve Quimby and David, Michelann and Lillian Quimby and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. In lieu of flowers, please donate to your favorite charity.



summer we will start our children's reading program and crafts the last week of June and there will be more news about that later. This session will be more about doing things out of doors and what you can do with the things you read about in craft and homemade items to do books. Reading

#### Kelton (from Page 1)

Rating (IV).

Students are not interviewed at the State Event. However panels of jurors evaluate each state entry to determine the degree that each work demonstrates originality of concept, technical expertise, understanding of the TEKS, and the interpretation of the student's stated intent. The state jury panel evaluates qualified artwork using a numeric rating system based on an established state rubric. Artworks receiving a Superior State VASE medallion.

The mission of the TAEA Visual Arts Scholastic Event (VASE) is to recognize exemplary student achievement in the Visual Arts by providing art students and programs a standard of excellence in which to achieve.

Makena and Nolan are freshman Art I students. Chelsie Jasper is a senior Art I student and Justin Baker is a senior Art II student. Congratulation Justin, Chelsie, Makena, and Nolan for being among the best in TEXAS!

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will be discovering those, so make it a point to come.

Also, June 20th we have a very special guest who will be sharing his talents in musical instruments and sounds.... YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS! It will be free to all and the family is invited to come.

Okay Readers! We need involves many facets and we you assistance in returning your books. I know sometimes the due date gets away from you or you flat lost or forgot about your books, but please there are others who wish to read some of the books you have. Please be vigilant in returning them either to the front desk (we don't bite) or we have a Book Drop on the Southside of the library for your convenience.

See you this Summer! Vicki Ferguson/Librarian Peggy North/Assistant

#### Garage (from Page 1)

Banking Center, there are Rating (IV) are awarded the cash prizes for participants. There is a 5 stand tournament for \$15 per round and Knockout for \$3 per round. Please bring eye and ear protection. Contact Ben Ed Hillhouse at 806.826.5821 for more information.

#### Plan (from Page 3)

ments to some of our most notorious areas of gridlock in those major cities. In addition, the Commission has targeted funds to improve our major transportation and trade corridors, energy sector roads and hurricane evacuation routes.

There is still much to be done. Next August, the Commission will be programming additional projects within the monies available to it. TxDOT is reaching out for public input as it works with transportation professionals and other stakeholder groups



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#### Sunday Schedule

Coffee & Donut Fellowship—9:30 a.m. Sunday School—9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship-11:00 a.m.

> Wednesday Schedule Youth Fellowship−6:00 p.m.

> Choir Rehearsal—7:00 p.m.

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#### **Wheeler County** COURT RECORDS

The Wheeler County Commissioenrs' Court met in regular session on Monday, May, 8, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., in the Comissioners' Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse at 401 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas to consider prior bills and discuss matters of mutual concern.

At 10:00 a.m. court was reconvened to address the sixteen items on the agenda. • The minutes of the previous

meetings was approved as presented. • The monthly reports were

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· No action was taken on Pct. 3 Commissioner David Simpson's request to place Yield signs on CRSB at intersection of CR 10; Intersection of CR 12 and intersection of CR 14.



BEST DESIGN: Denison Cub Scout Pack 403, Blue and Gold Banquet was held Friday, May 5. Ian won best design for his Pinewood Derby car 2017. He also earned his Wolf Badge. lan is the son of Ronal and Monica Stas of Pottsboro, the grandson of Ronal Wayne and Juanita Stas of Sherman and the great-grandson of Louis and Barbara Stas of Wheeler.

## **Quilts To Honor Veterans**

During the 4th of July Celebration this year in Wheeler, TX, before the fireworks display, there is going to be a very special ceremony to honor select veterans with a quilt during our 4th of July Celebration.

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are looking for volunteers willing to donate special quilts (following the below guidelines) to dedicate to local veterans in appreciate of their sacrifices.

The quilts will be on display

Chat (from Page 1)

a snake were shown. The kids and parents got to touch several.

— cwe —

Ronal Wayne, Juanita and lan came to spend the weekend and William came Saturday evening for cards.

- cwe -Today, Thursday is the last day to get anything in the graduation section of next week's paper. We are going to get the Graduation Section finished and sent to the printers Monday.

- cwe -

Deadline for the rest of the paper will be Monday at 5:00

— cwe —

Robert Pace renewed Seth Pace's subscription to the Times. "He's still going. He'll be 99 in July."

- cwe -

A note also was attached to the subscription renewal for Albert Velasquez. "Tell everyone there 'hi'. We miss everyone in Wheeler. God Bless to everyone." Albert.

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#### Wheeler County JP #1 Weekly Docket

#### Magistrations:

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City Ordinance Citations: Emigdio Barboza Garcia

May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 Eviction Hearing

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Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Citation Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Citation Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Citation Wheeler County Sheriff Office Citation

Animal at Large

Carlos Soto Randall Hatcher Chelsea Hatcher

July 2nd-July 3rd at our newly, renovated Wheeler Historical

If you or anyone you know is interested in making a quilt or donating to the cause, please check out the link below for more information and details.

Museum.

http://www.qovf.org/ click on the tab "Quilters Questions" then "Basic Requirements"

The more quilts donated, the more veterans we are able to honor this year. We hope we can make this an annual tradition. Special THANK YOU to Joy Wilson for bringing this wonderful idea to life!!

For more information, please contact Kristen 806.826.3408 or chamber@ wheelertexas.org

**Plan** (from Page 5)

resulting in the average driver in those areas losing over 52 hours last year while suffering through traffic chokepoints. Over the next four years, \$2.5 billion of the influx of new dollars will fund 19 much-needed new projects in Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio through a program called Texas Clear Lanes. This program is intended to add capacity and improve-(Continued Page 2)

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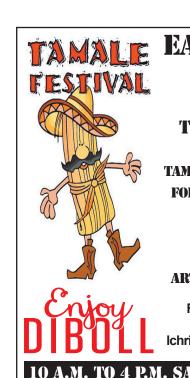
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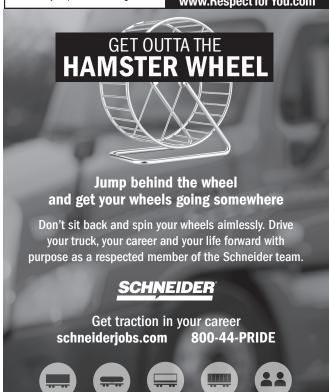
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HEMPHILL (LIPSCOMB, S.E., Cleveland) Tecolote Energy Operating, LLC, #1H Mathers-State 172-156 CL EX, (1815 acres) 1886' FEL & 2200' FSL, Sec 172, Blk 42, H&TC RR, A-918, 8 mi SE from Canadian TD 9000', (BHL: 2551' FWL & 150' FSL Sec 156, Blk 41, H&TC, A-811) (sgd. James Clark 512-415-4191) Horizontal Amended

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL, Douglas) Le Norman Operating LLC, #2H Black Jack 14, (644.5 acres) 280' FNL & 1905' FEL, Sec 14, Blk A1, H&GN RR, A-907, 14 mi SE from Canadian TD 9000', (BHL: 200' FSL & 1905' FEL) (sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-1245) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL, Douglas) Le Norman Operating LLC, #2H Flowers A 27, (646.2 acres) 230' FNL & 1905' FEL, Sec 14, Blk A1, H&GN RR, A-907, 14 mi SE from Canadian TD 9000', (BHL: 200' FNL & 2100' FEL Sec 27, Blk A1, H&GN, A-73) (sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-1245) Horizontal

LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB, S.E., Cleveland) Jones Energy, LLC, #2H Cleveland 103, (643.35 acres) 1500' FWL & 330' FNL, Sec 74, Blk 43, H&TC RR, A-1092, 11 mi S from Lipscomb 1D 9000', (BHL: 1506' FWL & 344' FNL Sec 103. Blk 43. H&TC. A-80) (sgd. Brenda Ramirez 512-328-2953) Horizontal Field

Transfer OCHILTREE (BULER, NORTH, Morrow, Upper) Mewbourne Oil Company, #1 Smith Unit, (321.2 acres) 1980' FNL & 660' FEL, Sec 84, Blk 13, T&NO RR, A-949, 15 mi SW from Perryton TD 8800' (sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806-665-0338) Vertical Amended Recompletion

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HEMPHILL (LIPSCOMB, S.E. Cleveland) Mewbourne Oil Company, #3H Cleveland Ranch '22', 8 mi N of Canadian, Sec 69, Blk 42, H&TC Surv, A-283, spud 01-23-2013, compl 04-11-2013, tested 06-18-2013, potential 275 mcf, 86 bbls cond, 41 bbls wtr, 140# ftp, 2200# SIWHP, TVD 8544', MD 13567' API 42-211-35131, Horizontal Recompl, Reclass Oil to Gas

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Oil Completions MOORE (PANHANDLE, Red Cave) Adams Affiliates, Inc., #7303 TG Thompson, 4.3 mi E from Masterson, Sec 73,

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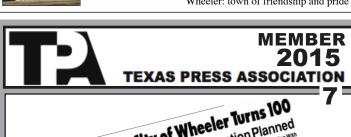
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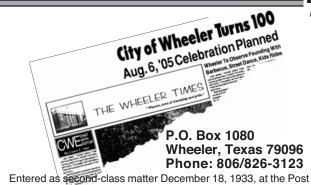
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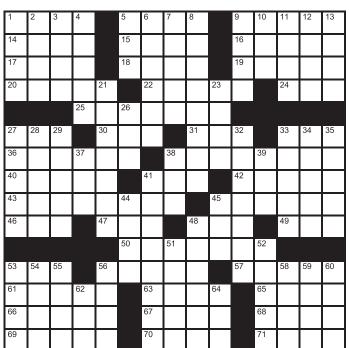
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6. Reliable

10. Before, to Burns 11. 1960s-'80s Chevy

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#### **Historic Plan Gets Another Boost**

By Tryon Lewis Chairman, Texas Transportation Commission

The Texas Transportation Commission recently approved an update of TxDOT's \$70 billion Unified Transportation Program (UTP). The UTP represents a 10-year project funding outlook that includes new plans to add or improve more than 1,200 miles of roadways to improve safety and mobility, and reduce congestion.

Seventy billion dollars is an historic amount of funding. It includes over \$38 billion in additional funding, which Gov. Abbott and the Legislature presented to the public for approval as Proposition 7 and the ending of diversions of highway funds for other purposes. The 12,000 men and women of TxDOT stand ready to immediately execute on these projects that will keep people and freight moving safely and efficiently throughout our state.

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Blk GM3, G&M Surv, A-442, spud 09-22-2016, compl 12-14-2016, tested 12-15-2016, potential 48 bbls-oil, 22 mcf, 24 bbls wtr, 0# ftp, 0# CP, TVD 2342', PBD n/s, API 42-341-33424, Vertical

MOORE (PANHANDLE, Red Cave) Adams Affiliates, Inc., #7304 TG Thompson, 4.3 mi E from Masterson, Sec 73, Blk GM3, G&M Surv, A-442, spud 09-27-2016, compl 12-15-2016, tested 12-16-2016, potential 45 bbls-oil, 22 mcf, 21 bbls wtr, 0# ftp, 0# CP, TVD 2345', PBD n/s, API 42-341-33425, Vertical

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transportation demands of our entire state. The 10-year plan, the largest in TxDOT history, dedicates funding to address safety, maintenance and rural connectivity needs across all 25 TxDOT districts and 25 metropolitan planning areas throughout the state.

Gov. Abbott has charged the Texas Transportation Commission with addressing the growing congestion problem facing our largest and most congested metro areas. Ninety-seven of Texas' Top 100 congested roadways are in the five major metro areas, (Continued Page 3)

Storm (from Page 1)

wear beautiful shawls. Then we danced the Indian dances. Everyone dances together in a big circle. There was a large drum in the middle. Nine men played the drum and sang the Indian songs. Some of the women wore beautiful dresses with shells and beads. All women and girls wear shawls to dance. When they have a special song to honor someone all the people go to that person and put money at their feet. After the song the person can keep the money or give it to the drum or to someone else. Uncle Glenn gave his money to the eighth grade students that are graduating. The food was wonderful, the dance was fun and everyone had a great happy time! That's it!

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