

thank you

Jensen Trucking for buying my 4-H steer and for being great neighbors!

Sarah Bousman




Pinedale Hockey Association is taking applications for

Coaches for the 2010-2011 Season!

Applications are available at www.pinedaleglaciers.com

Dr. George Waterhouse, and Dr. Michael Rosenberg of St. John's Surgical Group will be available for office consults on

Tues., August 24, from

9:00-12:00 at the Marbleton-Big Piney Clinic.

The doctors specialize in general surgery and endoscopy.

Please call Susie at (307) 733-0422 for an appointment.



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jury, and I did the closing arguments. The witnesses were fairly evenly divided down to County Attorney McMahon taking one eyewitness and I the other.

In the over 25 years that I prosecuted criminal cases in Wyoming, I always tried to put as much effort into my trials as I possibly could. I know that in the Willoughby case, both County Attorney McMahon and myself put in hundreds and hundreds of hours of work. I have done a lot of trials with a lot of different co-counsel, and I can say without hesitation that County Attorney McMahon worked as hard during the prosecution of the Willoughby case as any co-counsel I have ever worked with.

It is certainly flattering to get all the credit for the Willoughby conviction; however, as with most flattery, it is simply not true. I am still trying to work out whether being a "hired gun" is flattering or not.

Anthony Howard, Cocolalla, Idaho

The QEP Development Project

The QEP Corporation will be asking for 21 acres, of the Pines End Ranch, to be rezoned from agricultural to commercial/industrial. About 13 of these acres will be industrial, think 11.5 football fields with gravel base, pipe and racks, steel buildings and etc. all along the highway two miles from town.

To those of you who may be concerned that QEP will pack up their toys and leave the county if their zoning request is denied, I don't think so. They have too much invested in this county to do that. I think their project is good and should move forward but ...

Just in case you have not seen the current numbers, there are approximately 1283 acres zoned industrial still vacant in Sublette County. By encouraging QEP to site their industrial activity into any of the aforementioned locations, they will adhere to the County goals of orderly land use and development, protect sensitive areas and other environmental concerns. They will adhere to the goal of protecting others' property values and balance property rights with the health, safety and welfare of present and future county residents.

By encouraging QEP to site their industrial activity in any of these other locations they will be furthering the Sublette County Comprehensive Plan by recognizing the value, significance and preservation of existing agriculture/ranch landscapes that dominate the open character of Sublette County, which also helps the recreation/outdoor segments of the county business community and its development agendas.

In closing, I would encourage all of you that haven't done so to find a copy of the Sublette County Comprehensive Plan. It has some very good community goals and visions that we all might think more about as time and growth in the community's progress.

If you would like to discuss or cuss with me, call 360-7406, I will return your message, unless it's ugly.

Bob Johnson, Pinedale

KAHOG

I have noticed recently of a group calling themselves KAHOG supporting a couple of the candidates that are running for various public offices. My curiosity was getting the better of me, so I wanted to find out who or what KAHOG actually stood for. To say the

least, I was surprised as to what the acronym KAHOG meant. If my sources are true and correct, it stands for Keeping A-- Holes Out Of Government. How professional!

Personally as a voter, I feel that they are implying that all the other candidates are a--holes.

We as voters are lucky to have so many citizens step up and give us some diversity to vote on in the 2010 primary election

For a candidate to accept the endorsement of this group really makes me wonder about their integrity. Is this the type of thinking and behavior we want representing our great county? I would hope not! It may only be one vote, but I can assure you I will be voting for those who chose to run a clean and professional campaign to represent me in these elections.

Dustin Levitt, Daniel

Supports Micheli, Hill

"Any people that would give up liberty for a little temporary safety deserves neither liberty nor safety." Benjamin Franklin

"Government is not reason; it is not eloquence. It is force. And force, like fire, is a dangerous servant and a fearful master." George Washington

Vote Ron Micheli for Govenor of Wyoming and Cindy Hill for Superintendent of Public Instruction on Tuesday, Aug. 17.

Michelle Pape, Pinedale

Response to GasLand

I didn't have the chance to attend the viewing of GasLand at the Pinedale library this past Friday night, but one hopes for accuracy's sake the film was screened in the "fiction and fantasy" section of the building.

Let's start with the fiction: A commonly used energy technology called hydraulic fracturing is responsible for flammable faucets all throughout the west? Not according to government scientists who collected the water, tested the samples and concluded that methane in the water had nothing at all to do with oil and gas development. Natural gas exploration caused a massive fish kill in Dunkard Creek in Pennsylvania? Not according to the EPA, which issued a report this year identifying water discharges from coal mines as the culprit in that case. The pronghorn antelope is an endangered species in Wyoming? Someone should tell that to Game and Fish - if that were true, maybe there shouldn't be a hunting season for it.

Unfortunately, despite making no fewer than two dozen factual errors in characterizing the process of energy development in America today, the man behind GasLand continues to consider himself a full-fledged journalist - even as papers back east cite the "glaring errors" found around every bend in the film. Even the top environmental official from the director's "home" state of Pennsylvania called the film "fundamentally dishonest" and "a deliberately false presentation for dramatic effect."

Earlier this summer, Energy In Depth issued a 4,000-word, point-by-point rebuttal of some of the film's more specious and sensational claims, and that document remains available on our website - energyindepth.org. Watch the film as many times as you like. But don't think for a second you're getting the whole truth - not without reading our rebuttal first.

Chris Tucker, Washington, D.C., Energy In Depth