

Gray agrees to pay \$12,279 in restitution to victim

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disabled adult and petit theft, as well as agreeing to pay restitution to the victim (\$12,279) and fines and court costs totaling \$550.

In exchange for the guilty plea and making full restitution up front, Gray was sentenced to 18 months of county probation (six months on the first count, followed by 12 months on the second count). Additional terms include Gray not being allowed to operate a home care business while on probation.

135 support personnel

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personnel, seven managers and 135 educational support personnel.

Judicial Circuit in Wakulla County, the plea deal was entered into at the request of the victim, who prioritized payment of full restitution over the possibility of jail time.

Gray was arrested on June 4, 2021, resulting from information contained in a Taylor County Sheriff's Office (TCSO) arrest affidavit stating the victim's son alleged Gray had stolen an estimated \$10,000 from his 81-year-old father over a period of time ranging from April to December 2019.

Gray's company, Dayspring Caregiving Services, was employed to provide home care and personal assistance to the

Taylor County's total K-12 cost of instructional support was \$23,823,426, while the total K-12 cost of administration was \$2,667,564.

victim, who is legally blind, until the victim's son reportedly noticed unusual checking account activity in January 2020, leading to the TCSO investigation.

Two years earlier, on April 23, 2019, Gray was arrested by the TCSO in a separate case in which she was allegedly overpaid for home care services in 2018,

Pharmacies have vaccine

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said in a press release this week.

"We encourage everyone seeking vaccination or testing to visit one of our local partners," Young added, providing the following list:

- CVS provides testing, vaccinations and at-home testing;
- Walgreens provides PCR and rapid testing, at home testing and vaccinations;

resulting in charges of grand theft, uttering forged checks and exploitation of an elderly person.

Gray contended the overpayment resulted from an "oversight" and accounting errors caused by a lack of communication after the client's family reportedly became "severely delinquent" in paying Gray

Winn Dixie and Walmart pharmacies offer vaccinations;

Local healthcare providers provide testing, vaccinations and antiviral treatment prescriptions, as appropriate. Check with your family's physician on what each office offers.

"We thank Nomi Health for stepping in and helping to reduce the strain on our overwhelmed healthcare system during this unprecedented event," Young said.

for her services.

In September 2019, Gray entered into a deferred prosecution agreement with the State Attorney's Office, deferring prosecution for 12 months if Gray refrained

Two contested races

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- Superintendent of Schools candidate Alicia York Beshears;
- Incumbent County Commissioner Jim Moody (District 2);
- Incumbent County Commissioner Pam Feagle (District 4) and challenger Jesse James Messick;
- Incumbent School Board Member Bonnie Sue Agner (District 1);
- Incumbent School Board Member Brenda C. Carlton (District 2);
- Incumbent School Board Member Danny Lundy (District 4);

from violating any laws, paid a \$100 deferred prosecution fee and \$1,744 in restitution to the victim.

Gray completed the terms of her deferred prosecution agreement in March 2020.

- Perry City Council District 3 candidates Diane C. Landry, Ernestine Laverne Mitchell and Scott Allen Nelson;
- Incumbent Perry City Council Member Alan C. Hall (District 4);
- Incumbent Perry City Council Member Ward Ketring (District 5).

County commission District 2 and city council District 3 are currently the only two contested races among the local seats.

Those interested in running can find additional information online at www.taylor-elections.com or by calling Southerland's office at (850) 838-3515.

LEGALS

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period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the discretion of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

Under Rule 62-110.106(4), F.A.C., a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Department's action may also request an extension of time to file a petition for an administrative hearing. The Department may, for good cause shown, grant the request for an extension of time.

Requests for extension of time must be filed with the Office of General Counsel of the Department at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, or via electronic correspondence at Agency_Clerk@dep.state.fl.us, before the deadline for filing a petition for an administrative hearing. A timely request for extension of time shall toll the running of the time period for filing a petition until the request is acted upon.

Any person may request a public meeting regarding the proposed permitting decision pursuant to Section 403.722(10), F.S. A request for a public meeting is not equivalent to a request for a formal or informal administrative hearing. Public meetings are not evidentiary in nature, and information submitted at a public meeting is for non-binding consideration only. A public meeting is not subject to court or appellate review. A request for a public meeting must be filed (received) in the Office of General Counsel, Agency Clerk, within 45 days of publication of this notice. Failure to file a request for a public meeting within this time period shall constitute a waiver of any right such a meeting may have to request a hearing under Section 403.722(10), F.S. Mediation is not available in this proceeding.

A parcel of land lying in Section 14, Township 4 South, Range 7 East, Taylor County, Florida, being more particularly described, as follows: Commence at the Southwest corner of said Section 14; thence East 1,365.50 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence North 811.00 feet; thence East 107.00 feet; thence South 33°58'28" East 975.38 feet; thence West 650.57 feet to the Point of Beginning. Containing 7.00 acres, more or less.

The public hearing may be continued to one or more future dates. Any interested party shall be advised that the date, time and place of any continuation of the public hearing shall be announced during the public hearing and that no further notice concerning the matter will be published, unless said continuation exceeds six calendar weeks from the date of the above referenced public hearing.

At the aforementioned public hearing, all interested parties may appear to be heard with respect to the amendment.

Copies of the amendment are available for public inspection at the Office of the City Manager, City Hall located at 224 South Jefferson Street, Perry, Florida, during regular business hours.

All persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decision made at the above referenced public hearing, they will need a record of the proceedings, and that for such purpose they may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any person requiring auxiliary aids and services at this meeting may contact the City Manager's Office at 850.584.7161 Ext. 113 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Relay Service at 800.955.8770 (voice) or 800.955.8771 (TTY).

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CONCERNING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF PERRY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS BY THE PLANNING AND ZONING

BOARD OF THE CITY OF PERRY, FLORIDA, SERVING ALSO AS THE LOCAL PLANNING AGENCY OF THE CITY OF PERRY, FLORIDA, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended, and the City of Perry Land Development Regulations, as amended, objections, recommendations and comments concerning the amendment, as described below, will be heard by the Planning and Zoning Board of the City of Perry, Florida, serving also as the Local Planning Agency of the City of Perry, Florida, at a public hearing on May 2, 2022 at 5:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, in the City Council Meeting Room, City Hall located at 224 South Jefferson Street, Perry, Florida.

Z 22-01, an application by Campbell's Auto Repair Solutions Inc., to amend the Official Zoning Atlas of the Land Development Regulations by changing the zoning district from AGRICULTURAL-1 (A-1) to COMMERCIAL, INTENSIVE (CI) on property described, as follows:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION
File No. 22000160CPC

IN RE: ESTATE OF RONALD SMITH A/K/A FRANCIS RONALD SMITH, A/K/A F. RONALD SMITH, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Ronald Smith a/k/a Francis Ronald Smith, deceased, whose date of death was February 16, 2022, is pending in the Circuit Court for Taylor County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 108 North Jefferson Street, Suite 102, Perry Florida 32348. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION
CASE #22-152CP

IN RE: The Estate of

JIMMIE D. BENNETT, Decedent
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Jimmie D. Bennett, deceased, whose date of death was March 9th, 2022, File #22-152CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Taylor County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Post Office Box 620, Perry, Florida 32348. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CONCERNING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF PERRY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BY THE PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD OF THE CITY OF PERRY, FLORIDA, SERVING ALSO AS THE LOCAL PLANNING AGENCY OF THE CITY OF PERRY, FLORIDA, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Sections 163.3161 through 163.3248, Florida Statutes, as amended, and the City of Perry Land Development Regulations, as amended, objections, recommendations and comments concerning the amendment, as described below, will be heard by the Planning and Zoning Board of the City of Perry, Florida, serving also as the Local Planning Agency of the City of Perry, Florida, at a public hearing on May 2, 2022 at 5:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, in the City Council Meeting Room, City Hall located at 224 South Jefferson Street, Perry, Florida.

LUPMA 22-01 is an application by Campbell's Auto Repair Solutions Inc., to amend the Future Land Use Plan Map of the Comprehensive Plan by changing the future land use classification from AGRICULTURAL (less than or equal to 1 dwelling units per acre) to COMMERCIAL on property described, as follows:



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