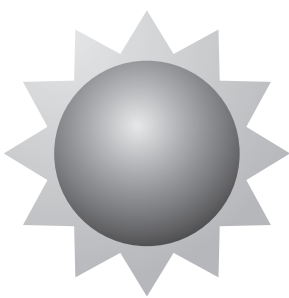


Weather Corner



National Weather Service
Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low around 66. Breezy; south wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.
Tuesday: Sunny and hot, with a high near 100. Breezy; south wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.
Tuesday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 66. South wind between 10 and 15 mph.
Wednesday: Sunny, with a high near 96. Southwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east.
Wednesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 66.
Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 94.
Thursday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 65.
Friday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy; high near 93.
Friday Night: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 66.
Saturday: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a high near 88.

Friday: High, 93; Low 68
Saturday: High, 82; Low 60
Sunday: High, 86; Low 66
Precip: Friday 0.16 inches
Saturday 0.00 inches
Sunday 0.00 inches
Month: 3.97 inches
Year: 14.39 inches
Normal: 13.76 inches
(K-State Experiment Station)
Sunrise and Sunset
Tuesday 6:40 a.m. 9:01 p.m.
Wednesday 6:40 a.m. 9:00 p.m.
(U.S. Naval Observatory)
Colby Water Use
Friday - Sunday 1,943,000 gal.
(average)
(Colby Public Works)

Candidate flies in for interview

From "CAMPAIGN," Page 1

to produce one or more forms of identification – such as a driver’s license or social security card – at the polls. Ensley said laws like this have passed the Kansas Legislature several times in the past year, but have been vetoed each time by a Democratic governor.

Her opponents, she said, have advocated creating a new proof of citizenship that the State Department would issue. Ensley said she doesn’t think that would be necessary, since the Division of Motor Vehicles already handles that. State agencies should avoid duplicating their efforts, she said.

Another issue Ensley said she would champion is getting full ballots to those in the Armed Forces stationed overseas. Ensley said that currently soldiers get shortened ballots with precinct elections and local ballot issues removed. It takes money and time to print up these short ballots, she said.

“It’s also just plain not fair,” she said.

It would take an act of the Legislature to change that law. Ensley said she had been to the Legislature in March to lobby for such a bill, but it did not pass the House.

One of the difficulties the secretary’s office runs into is installing new election equipment across the state. The office must work as a clearing house for information, she said, so that county clerks and election officers can have a single place to go to get their questions answered.

Historically, she said, county officials have had a good rapport with the secretary of state’s office, a practice she said she hopes to continue.

In her spare time, Ensley said, she is a long-distance bicyclist, having come through Colby several times with Bike Across Kansas. She has a political science degree from Washburn University and is a Leadership Kansas graduate and a Rotarian.

Kansas City bank buys bonds for pool

From "BONDS," Page 1

on the 2011 budget Tuesday.

• Approved a final payment to BRB Contractors, based in Topeka, of \$221,430 for the completion of the wastewater treatment plant project east of town. Mayor Ken Bieber said any other money owed the company would be paid from the 2011 budget.

• Listened to Hutfles ask Bieker if anyone was planning on spraying the weeds growing in the cracks of the sidewalks

around town. Hutfles said the weeds could eventually split the pavement. Mayor Ken Bieber said someone was supposed to be doing that, but he was just too busy to get it done. He said the person who was going to do this was not a city employee.

Later, Bieker said the city didn’t have the money to hire a full-time person to spray. He said you have to licensed to spray the weeds. He said the department has licensed sprayers, but they would have to be pulled away from other projects.

Important issues get lost where Republican candidates agree

By John Hanna

AP Political Writer

OVERLAND PARK – U.S. Senate candidate Todd Tiahrt favors repealing federal income taxes and replacing them with a national sales tax. The Kansas congressman’s support for the idea drew loud applause at a recent campaign town-hall meeting.

But the “Fair Tax” plan hasn’t been a big issue in his race for the Republican nomination. Both he and his main rival, fellow Rep. Jerry Moran, were co-sponsors of the bill last year.

Likewise, other significant issues have gotten lost because Moran and Tiahrt agree – even if their contest is known for its bitterness and the candidates’ hashing over of each others’ records.

Those issues include energy policy, the war in Afghanistan and using sanctions to deter Iran from developing nuclear weapons. Also, though they’ve scrapped over past votes on the federal No Child Left Behind education law, both candidates now favor repealing it.

They’re seeking the seat held by Sam Brownback, a conservative Republican who’s running for governor instead of re-election to the Senate. Tom Little, a Mound City accountant, also is campaigning for the GOP nomination in the primary next week.

Tiahrt has held the 4th Congressional District seat for south-central Kansas since 1995, and Moran has represented the 1st District of western and central Kansas since 1997.

Five Democrats are running for Brownback’s seat, but none is as well-known or as well-financed as Moran or Tiahrt. Also, Kansas hasn’t elected a Democrat to the U.S. Senate since 1932.

Both Moran and Tiahrt are courting Republican conservatives. Taxes are a big enough issue that Tiahrt has been highlighting votes Moran made in the early 1990s as a state legislator – unfairly, Moran contends.

But both candidates agree that imposing a national sales tax – and repealing income, employment, estate and gift taxes – would boost the economy. The bill they’ve co-sponsored would impose a 23<??> percent sales tax in 2011, with exceptions for items purchased for export, investment or business purposes.

Tiahrt was an original co-sponsor when Republican Rep. John Linder, of Georgia, introduced the measure in January 2009. Moran became a sponsor a week later.

“It’s very important that we have a good tax reform policy because that will bring jobs back to America,” Tiahrt said in explaining his support during the can-

didates’ last debate, earlier this month in Wichita.

Moran said in the same debate: “We need to make dramatic change in our tax code. The amount of money and effort that people put into paying their taxes, hiring the professionals, is a tremendous burden on the economy.”

Both Tiahrt and Moran also are strong opponents of a “cap and trade” plan passed last year by the House, giving economic incentives for cutting carbon emissions

from power plants, vehicles and other sources. Republicans have described it as an energy tax.

Both also have criticized the response by President Barack Obama’s administration to the BP oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico.

In addition, the two have made similar statements about the Afghan war and how the U.S. should deal with Iran.

Both rejected the suggestion – advanced recently by national GOP Chairman Michael Steele –

that the U.S. can’t win the war in Afghanistan. Although both said Obama needs to trust commanders there and commit the resources they need, Moran and Tiahrt described U.S. involvement is vital.

As for Iran, both favor tougher economic sanctions, including blocking the flow of gasoline into that nation. Both also criticized the Obama administration; Tiahrt has called its foreign policy “weak,” while Moran said the administration has “dithered.”

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Tuesday Evening July 27, 2010										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
KAKE/ABC	Wipeout				Primetime: Fam		Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live	
KBSL/CBS	NCIS		NCIS: Los Angeles		The Good Wife		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late	
KSNK/NBC	Breakthrough		America's Got Talent				Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	Late	
KSAS/FOX	Hell's Kitchen		MasterChef		Local					
Cable Channels										
A & E	Jewels	Jewels	Jewels	Jewels	Twisted	Twisted		Twisted	Jewels	Jewels
AMC	The Specialist							Executive Decision		
ANIM	I Shouldn't Be Alive		Killer Aliens					I Shouldn't Be Alive	Killer Aliens	
BRAVO	Housewives/NJ		Housewives/NJ		Griffin: My Life			Griffin: My Life	Housewives/NJ	
CMT	Extreme Makeover		The Singing Bee		Son-in-Law					Smarter
CNN	Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				Larry King Live	
COMEDY	Tosh.0	Futurama	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	South Pk
DISC	Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		The Colony			Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	
DISN	The Shaggy Dog				Sonny	Sonny	Hannah	Hannah	Hannah	Hannah
E!	Miami	Miami		Miami	Miami	Miami	Chelsea	Chelsea	Chelsea	Miami
ESPN	2010 Poker		2010 Poker		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		Baseball	NFL Live
ESPN2	WNBA Basketball			WNBA Basketball				SportsNation		Poker
FAM	Pretty Little Liars		Make It or Break It		Pretty Little Liars		The 700 Club		Whose?	Whose?
FOOD	Cakes	Cakes	Cupcake Wars		Chopped		Good Eats	Unwrapped	Cupcake Wars	
FX	Enemy of the State				Rescue Me		Louie	Louie	Rescue Me	
HGTV	My First	My First	House	Estate	House	House	For Rent	My First	House	Estate
HIST	Ancient Aliens				Top Shot		Deep Sea Salvage		Ancient Aliens	
LIFE	Reba	Reba		Cheerleader Nation		Cheerleader Nation	Will	Will	Frasier	Medium
MTV	If You Really		Teen Mom		Teen Mom		If You Really		Teen Mom	
NICK	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Chris	Chris	Lopez	Lopez	The Nanny	The Nanny	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.
SCI	Warehouse 13		Warehouse 13		WWE NXT		Warehouse 13		Haven	
SPIKE	Deadliest Warrior		Deadliest Warrior		Deadliest Warrior		Pros vs. Joes		Sports	Sports
TBS	Fam. Guy	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Lopez Tonight		My Boys	My Boys
TCM	The West Point Story				The Winning Team				By Light-Moon	
TLC	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple
TNT	Bones		HawthoRNe		Memphis Beat		HawthoRNe		Memphis Beat	
TOON	Unnatural History		Unnatural History		King/Hill	King-Hill	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen
TRAV	Extreme Fast Food		Man, Food	Man, Food	Pizza Wars		Ribs Paradise		Extreme Fast Food	
TV LAND	Cosby	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Cleveland	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne
USA	Law & Order: SVU		White Collar		Covert Affairs		Psych		White Collar	
VH1	Ochocinco: Ult		Ochocinco: Ult		Ochocinco: Ult		T.O. Show	Behind the Music	How She	
WGN	MLB Baseball						News/Nine	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk
Premium Channels										
HBO	Get Smart		Terminator Salvation				Entourage	True Blood		Torino
MAX	Diary Dea	Four Christmases			A Perfect Getaway					
SHOW	At First	The Life Before Her Eyes			The Real L Word		Life Is Ho			

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	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
KAKE/ABC	Middle	Middle	Family	Cougar	Castle		Local	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live	
KBSL/CBS	Big Brother		Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		Local	Late Show Letterman	Late	
KSNK/NBC	Minute to Win It		America's Got Talent		Law & Order: SVU		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	Late	
KSAS/FOX	So You Think				Local					
Cable Channels										
A & E	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Exterminator		Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy
AMC	The Mummy							Troy		
ANIM	Confessions		Confessions		Monsters Inside Me		Confessions		Monsters Inside Me	
BRAVO	Top Chef		Top Chef		Work of Art		Top Chef		Top Chef	
CMT	The Singing Bee		Your Chance To Dance		Police Academy					Smarter
CNN	Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				Larry King Live	
COMEDY	Chappelle	Chappelle	Futurama	South Pk	South Pk	Tosh.0	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	South Pk
DISC	MythBusters		MythBusters-		Dirty Jobs		MythBusters		MythBusters-	
DISN	Motocrossed				Sonny	Sonny	Hannah	Hannah	Hannah	Hannah
E!	Coyote Ugly				The Bachelor		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea	Bachelor
ESPN	MLB Baseball				Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		Baseball Tonight	
ESPN2	NFL Live	MLS Soccer			2010 Poker		NFL Live		NFL Live	Softball
FAM	Charlie & Chocolate				Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		Whose?	Whose?
FOOD	Food Network Star	Flay	Flay		24 Hour Rest. Battle		Good Eats	Unwrapped	Flay	Flay
FX	Men of Honor				Men of Honor					
HGTV	Property	Property	Holmes on Homes		House	House	Renovatn	My First	Holmes on Homes	

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HIST	American Pickers	Pawn	Pawn	Chasing Mummies	Sex in Ancient World	American Pickers				
LIFE	Reba	Reba	P.S. I Love You		Will	Will				
MTV	Teen Mom		The Real World	The Real World	The Real World	Teen Mom				
NICK	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Chris	Chris	Lopez	Lopez				
SCI	Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters Inter.		Haven					
SPIKE	UFC Unleashed		Ultimate Knockouts 8		Players	MANswers				
TBS	Payne	Payne	Browns	Browns	Lopez Tonight	Name/Earl				
TCM	Yesterday's Enemy				Fail-Safe	Network				
TLC	Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras	Toddlers & Tiaras				
TNT	Law & Order		Law & Order		CSI: NY	Leverage				
TOON	Dude	Destroy	Ed, Edd	Ed, Edd	King-Hill	King-Hill				
TRAV	Man, Food	Man, Food	Man, Food	Man, Food	Conqueror	Conqueror				
TV LAND	Cosby		Raymond	Raymond	Cleveland	Cleveland				
USA	NCIS		NCIS		Psych					
VH1	You're Cut Off		Dad Camp		Footloose					
WGN	The Goonies				America's	Scrubs				
Premium Channels										
HBO	True Blood		True Blood		True Blood		Countdown	Lucky		
MAX	Tropic Thunder				(500) Days of Summer			Zane's Sex Chronicles		
SHOW	Valkyrie		Punisher: War Zone		Inside NASCAR		Teller	Teller	Inside NASCAR	

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Sincerely,

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