

What's your biggest frustration in your business right now?

What's your No. 1 frustration in your business right now? What are you doing about it? Complaining? Drowning in it in chocolate? Pointing fingers? As the owner, you get to make changes to your business as you see fit. For the next week, set your alarm clock and get up 30 minutes earlier. Spend that time thinking about your frustration and how you can improve the situation. Once you have some



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• business tips

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ideas, develop a plan and put it into action. Give up a little sleep now and this frustration will no longer keep you up at night. This tip was brought to you by

Colby Field Day will cover gardens, trees and flowers

If you want to grow better lawns, gardens, trees and flowers you might want to attend the Kansas State University Northwest Research-Extension Center's Horticulture Field Day starting at 4:30 p.m. at Colby. K-State turfgrass specialist Rod-

ney St. John will talk on care of warm-season and cool-season grass including weed control, fertilization and care. Food Crops Specialist Ted Carey will talk about vegetable production and common pest and disease problems in Kansas gardens. Ellis County Horticulturist

Holly Werth will talk about tree selection, planting and care. Horticulturist Specialist Alan Stevens will talk about annual and perennial flowers. For information call (785) 462-6281 or (785) 460-4582.

Goodland Sophomore plays in honor band

Andrew Shores, a Goodland High sophomore and son of Nancy and the late Norman Shores, played at a student honors recital Tuesday, July 22, at the 61st Annual High Plains Band Camp at Fort Hays State University.

The camp ran from Saturday, July 19, to Friday, July 25. Shores had submitted a CD on his tuba solo in April. He was selected at first chair tuba in the honor band.

At a concert Friday, Shores received the Lyle Dilley Low Brass Award and a \$200 camp tuition scholarship. Dilley is a former band director for Fort Hays and former head of the camp.



Sophomore Andrew Shores playing his tuba at the student honors recital at the High Plains Band Camp at Fort Hays State University.

Colby to get new hotel

Construction on a Hampton Inn next to the Bosselman Travel Center at the east Colby exit on I-70 will begin in October, say officials of the Bosselman Family of Companies. The motel will have 64 rooms

with a pool, fitness center and conference room.

The Bosselman group, with headquarters in Grand Island, Neb., operates eight travel centers like the one in Colby.

matters of record

Accidents

The following accidents were investigated by the Goodland Police Department.

July 31 — 12:46 p.m., 1201 W. Business U.S. 24, a 1972 Dodge driven by Johnny Daniel Brown had trouble stopping. Brown said he did not have any brakes and could not stop. Brown said he had put brake fluid in the vehicle that day.

4:28 p.m., 320 E. Eighth, a 1999 Ford driven by Chad W. Pace backed into a 2003 Ford driven by Laurette C. Norvell.

Aug. 3 — 5:10 p.m., 2160 Commerce, a 2007 Ford owned by Cheryl Kraft was legally parked when it was hit in the left rear quarter panel by an unknown vehicle.

Aug. 4 — 10:25 a.m., 400 E. Ninth, when a 2003 Ford driven by Glenna R. Jarmin hit a ditch. She said the ditch was not there one hour before when she was driving on East Ninth. She said there were workers to the right of her. There was a cone to the left of the car and to the right side of the car.

Aug. 8 — 10:40 a.m., 400 W. 19th, a 1977 Ford driven by Troy Albers was driving east and lost control in the mud and hit an electric service pole causing injury, damage to the car and the wood pole.

Aug. 11 — 3:48 p.m., 2160 Commerce, a 2004 Oldsmobile driven by Cynthia J. Smith was backing to the south and hit a 2003 Chevrolet owned by Gelco Corporation which was legally parked.

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Divorce

The following divorce was granted by the Sherman County District Court:

Gary M. Garza of Johnson County and Rhonda M. Garza of Sherman County.

District Traffic

The following fines have been paid to the Sherman County District Court. All ages are at the time of

the ticket.

July 3: Tharold G. Cottrell, 39, Glenwood, Ark., \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and

regulations, not paying United Carrier fees.

A New Star on the Horizon

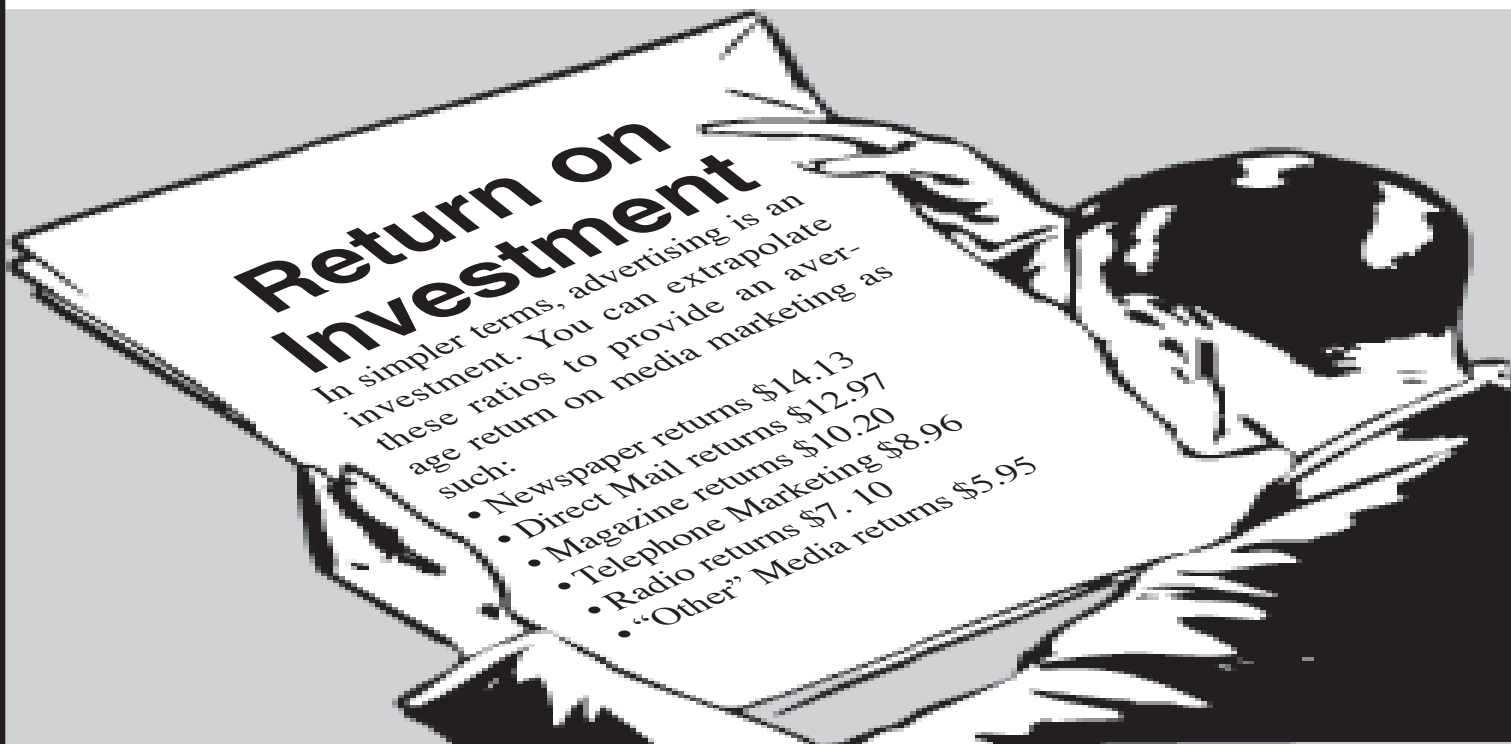


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Sherman County Kansas Treasurer's quarterly report

July 31, 2008

Total Cash in the Treasury as at the above date \$8,211,235.69

FUND	FUND BALANCE
APPRAISER'S COST	\$60,115.08
MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATING FUND	\$34,048.28
BOND & INTEREST	\$119,470.38
NO FUND WARRANTS	\$210.47
COUNTY HEALTH	\$69,441.58
DIRECT ELECTION	\$55,776.41
TRASH HAULING	\$393,394.94
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	\$280,540.05
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS HEALTH RESERVE	\$170,582.81
EXTENSION	\$235.56
GENERAL FUND	\$944,246.69
HOME MAINTENANCE	\$684.84
POST CLOSURE ACCT-LANDFILL	\$225,000.00
NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION	\$546.40
LANDFILL EXCAVATION	\$275,434.00
NOXIOUS WEED	\$44,743.55
REGISTER OF DEEDS TECHNOL	\$4,542.40
OUT-DISTRICT TUITION	\$21,905.14
OVER & UNDER	\$16.30
PROGRAM FOR ELDERLY	\$482.34
PROS ATTY (TRAINING FUND)	\$25.21
PROS ATTY (DIVERSION)	\$5,452.51
ROAD AND BRIDGE	\$687,429.06
SALES TAX	\$22,207.44
SC RURAL FIRE DIST #1	\$209,261.19
SOLDIERS MEMORIAL PARK	\$23,039.97
SOLID WASTE FUND	\$648,836.82
SPEC ALCOHOL PROGRAM	\$4,578.25
CAPITOL IMPROVEMENT FUND	\$184,564.64
SPECIAL PARKS & REC	\$1,251.39
SPECIAL MACHINERY FUND	\$255,414.15
TORT LIABILITY	-\$447.84
CONCEALED WEAPONS	\$1,593.33
JAIL COMMISSARY	\$14,281.33
DRIVER'S LICENSE	\$118.00
NOXIOUS WEED CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$437.47
SPECIAL PRAIRIE DOG	\$5,865.23
SC RFD #1 EQUIP RESERVE	\$14,056.31
HERITAGE TRUST FUND	\$252.60
SHERIFF DRUG SEIZURE FUND	\$8,608.74
COUNTY HEALTH CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$25,830.15
AUTO MOTOR STATE	\$3,925.17
HEALTH CARE SERVICES	\$187,029.08
COUNTY REDEMPTION	\$61,263.94
CURRENT TAX	\$283,684.84
DELINQUENT PERSONAL TAX	\$10,809.79
RECREATIONAL VEHICLE TAX	\$1,879.64
MOTOR VEHICLE TAX	\$161,184.90
RENTAL VEHICLE EXCISE TAX	\$468.07
MICRO LOANS	\$2,665.49
SHERIFF REWARD DONATION FUND	\$694.63
911 WIRELESS	\$25,572.38
SCRFD #1 SPECIAL FUND	\$4,843.50
911 TELEPHONE SERVICE	\$85,524.07
SUSPENSE FUND	\$22,515.67
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$140,371.91
GOODLAND/GEN	-\$13.52
GOODLAND/EMP BENEFITS	-\$2.07
GOODLAND/LIBRARY EMPLOYEE	-\$0.16
GOODLAND/LIBRARY	-\$2.26
GOODLAND/BOND & INT	-\$3.34

TOWNSHIPS

KANORADO/GENERAL	-\$10.44
GRANT/GENERAL	\$0.74
IOWA/GENERAL	\$2.79
LLANOS/GENERAL	\$0.00
LOGAN/GENERAL	\$0.00
MCPHERSON/GENERAL	\$2.17
SHERMANVILLE/GENERAL	\$90.48
STATELINE/GENERAL	\$0.00
WASHINGTON/GENERAL	\$0.00

CDBG GRANT	\$100.36
PROJECT FUND-GO ROAD PROJECT	\$1,511,658.28
LOCAL 1% SALES TAX FOR ROAD PROJECT	\$892,916.42

TOTAL ALL FUNDS \$8,211,235.69

I do solemnly swear that the above statement is complete, true, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.



Wris M. Schepner
County Treasurer, Sherman County, Kansas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug 2008

Janet R. Rumpel
County Clerk - Notary Public

My commission expires 1-10-09