Former AFS student



Former Goodland High School foreign exchange student Simon Wang (center) from China had lunch with Kin and Ying Huang on Sunday, July 15, at the Food Republic in Tikoo of Hong Kong. His host family while he was in Goodland Doug, Jeanne, Christopher and Ryan Irvin. Wang rec graduated from the Chinese University in the New Territor Hong Kong and will be attending graduate school at the egie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, Penn., this fall.

Cicada killers have been found

I have had several reports of large wasps and the ones that have been brought in for identification are Cicada Killers. These large (1-1/3-to 1-5/8-inch long) wasps fly slowly above the ground.

Cicada killers have a black body with yellow marks across the thorax and abdomen. The wings are reddish-orange. Although these wasps are huge, they usually ignore people. Males may act aggressively if they are threatened, but are unable to sting. Females can sting, but are so passive that they rarely do. Even if they do sting, the pain is less than that of smaller wasps such as the yellow jacket or paper wasp and is similar to the sting of a sweat bee. on the trunks and lower limbs of The cicada killer is a solitary wasp trees. She stings her prey, flips



rather than a social wasp like the yellow jacket. The female nest is in burrows in the ground. These burrows are quarter-size in diameter and can go 6 inches straight down and another 6 inches horizontally. Adults normally live 60 to 75 days from mid-July to mid-September and feed on flower nectar and sap. The adult female seeks cicadas it and carries it to her burrow. If she has a tree to climb, she will fly with it. If not, she will drag it. She will lay one egg per cicada if the egg is

left unfertilized. Unfertilized eggs develop into males only.

Fertilized eggs develop into females and are given at least two cicadas.

Cicadas are then stuffed into the female's burrow. Each burrow normally has three to four cells with one to two cicadas in each. However, it is possible for one burrow to have 10 to 20 cells. Eggs hatch in two to

it over, straddles three days, and larvae begin feeding on paralyzed cicadas.

> Feeding continues for four to 10 days until only the outer shell of the cicada remains. The larva overwinters inside a silken case. Pupation occurs in the spring, there is one generation per year.

Cicada killers are not dangerous, but they can be a nuisance. If you believe control is necessary, treat the burrows after dark to ensure the female wasps are in their nests. The males normally roost on plants near burrow sites. They can be captured with an insect net or knocked out of the air with a tennis racket during the day.Carbaryl(Sevin) or permethrin may be used for control.

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	nySharing a Heritage	NOTICE OF HEARING 2012-2013 BUDGET The governing body of Unified School District 352 will meet on the 13th day of August, 2012 at 7:00 PM, at 1312 Main Street, Goodland, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information (including budget profile) is available at 1312 Main Street, Goodland, KS and will be available at this hearing. The Amount of 2012 Tax to be Levied and Expenditures (published below) establish the maximum limits of the 2012-2013 Budget. The "Est. Tax Rate" in the far right column, shown for comparative purposes, is subject to slight change depending on final assessed valuation.								
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Cases filed in the U.S. District Bankruptcy Court, 167 United States Courthouse, 401 N. Market Street, Wichita. Definitions: Chapter 7, liquidation, business or personal; Chapter 11, business reorganization; Chapter 12, farmer reorganization; Chapter 13, personal reorganization. Dba: doing business as; aka: also known as.

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Lamb, Justin Duke, liabilities \$84,242, assets \$7,974.





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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING The governing body of

Message Children's Program

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City of Goodland

will meet on August 6, 2012 at 5:00 P.M. at 204 W. 11th Street for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at City Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2013 Expenditures and Amount of 2012 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2013 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

[Prior Year Actua	1 for 2011	Current Year Estim	ate for 2012	Proposed Budget Year for 2013				
[Actual		Actual	Budget Authority	Amount of 2012	Estimate		
FUND	Expenditures	Tax Rate *	Expenditures	Tax Rate *	for Expenditures	Ad Valorem Tax	Tax Rate *		
General	2,559,486	24.918	2,674,184	23.862	2,915,984	602,198	23.278		
Debt Service	302,608	10.490	304,761	10.345	342,796	265,373	10.258		
Library	156,816	5.370	151,914	5.393	162,266	134,585	5.202		
Employee Benefits City	514,829	7.956	555,847	9.338	699,201	230,691	8.918		
Employee Benefits Library	26,746	0.938	27,061	0.954	33,031	28,144	1.088		
Airport Fund			103,170		146,928	26,112	1.009		
Special Highway	148,801		175,000		181,992				
Economic Development	98,737		169,693		221,204				
Electric Utility	6,146,307		8,153,670		8,557,883				
Water Utility	987,720		1,037,438		1,139,618				
Sewer Utility	315,942		362,612		461,589				
Solid Waste Utility	414,141		415,250		435,250				
Cemetery Endowment	414,141		415,250		455,250				
Cemetery Improvement	3,096		7,700		98,941				
	100,741		201,000		49,383				
Self Insurance Special Parks & Recreation	20,000		201,000		20,000				
	11,259		16,500		20,000				
Mun. Ct. Div. Fees Vehicle Inspection	5,633		18,162		20,388				
Law Enf. Trust Fund	1,234		4,500		15,881				
	1,234		4,500		15,001				
Fire Equipment									
Non-Budgeted Funds-A	1,345,241								
Non-Budgeted Funds-B	735,961								
Non-Budgeted Funds-C	1,721,562		······						
Non-Budgeted Funds-D	41.907								
Totals	15,658,767	49.672	14,398,462	49.892	15,522,697	1,287,103	49,753		
Less: Transfers	2,204,018		4,873,011		2,560,555	<u> </u>			
Net Expenditure	13,454,749		9,525,451		12,962,142	1			
Total Tax Levied	1,257,560		1,257,523		****	-			
Assessed				1		1			
Valuation	25,317,534		25,205,356		25,869,352				
Outstanding Indebtedness,						-			
January 1,	2010		<u>2011</u>		2012				
G.O. Bonds	2,005,000		1,785,000		1,560,000				
Revenue Bonds	0		0		0]			
Other	1,516,231		5,867,098		5,301,606				
Lease Purchase Principal	0		0		0				
Total	3,521,231		7,652,098		6,861,606]			
*Tax rates are expressed in	mills	•		-		-			

Mary P. Volk

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	Line	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
OPERATING								
General	06	6,488,431	20.000	6,827,198	20.000	6,850,830	1,313,010	20.000
Supplemental General (LOB)	08	1,941,051	21.467	2,162,742	20.766	2,303,858	1,327,717	19.857
SPECIAL REVENUE								
Adult Education	10	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Adult Supplemental Education	12	0		0		0		
Bilingual Education	14	131,847		143,048		150,406		
	_	131,847		143,048		130,400		
Virtual Education	15	-		-		0	100.057	
Capital Outlay	16	567,169	0.000	786,428	0.724	1,299,076	109,657	1.640
Driver Training	18	7,330		7,336		7,480		
Extraordinary School Program	22	0		0		0		
Food Service	24	406,922		448,178		533,311		
Professional Development	26	0		0		0		
Parent Education Program	28	0		0		0		
Summer School	29	0		0		0		
Special Education	30	1,245,301		1,313,405		1,452,904		
Vocational Education	34	145,908		149,276		154,893		
Special Liability Expense Fund	42	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
	44			0		-	0	
School Retirement		0	0.000		0.000	0	-	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	45	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Special Reserve Fund	47	0		0				
Federal Funds	07	337,630		283,386		277,969		
Gifts and Grants	35	0		0		0		
At Risk (4Yr Old)	11	0		0		0		
Cost of Living	33	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
At Risk (K-12)	13	771,008		740,941		793,921		
Declining Enrollment	19	0	0.000	0	0.000	100,021	USD#	0.000
Deciming Enrolment	10					0	0	
		2010-2011 Ac	tual	2011-2012 Act	tual	PROPOSED	BUDGET 2012-2	013
			Actual		Actual		Amount of 2012	Est.
	Code	Actual	Tax	Actual	Tax		Tax to	Tax
Fund—Continued	99	Expenditures	Rate*	Expenditures	Rate*	Expenditures	be Levied	Rate*
	Line	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
KPERS Special Retirement Contribution	51	352,365	(4)	597,876	(-1)	554,368	(0)	(7)
	_					554,506		
Contingency Reserve	53	0		0				
Textbook & Student Material Revolving	55	0		0				
Activity Fund	56	61,862		77,723				
Tuition Reimbursement Fund	57	0		0		0		
DEBT SERVICE								
Bond and Interest #1	62	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Bond and Interest #2	63	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	66	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Special Assessment	67	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Temporary Note	68	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
COOPERATIVES**	00	0	0.000		0.000	•		0.000
	78	0		0		0		
Special Education	_	•		ő		0	0 750 00 0	
TOTAL USD EXPENDITURES	100	12,456,824		13,537,537	41.490	14,379,016		41.497
Less: Transfers	105	2,333,063		2,856,965	XXXXXX	2,425,289	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXX
NET USD EXPENDITURES	110	10,123,761	XXXXXX	10,680,572	XXXXXX	11,953,727	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXX
TOTAL USD TAXES LEVIED	115	2,436,622	XXXXXX	2,520,845	XXXXXX	2,750,384	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXX
OTHER								
Historical Museum	80	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Public Library Board	82	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	83	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Recreation Commission	84	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Rec Comm Emp Benefits & Spec Liab	86	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
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TOTAL OTHER	120	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
TOTAL TAXES LEVIED	125	2,436,622		2,520,845		2,750,384		
Assessed Valuation - General Fund	128	\$55,885,318		\$57,880,102		\$65,650,493		
Assessed Valuation - All Other Funds	130	\$61,409,368		\$63,396,364		\$66,864,238		
Outstanding Indebtedness, July 1		2010		2011		2012		
General Obligation Bonds	135	0		0		0		
Capital Outlay Bonds	140	0	1	0		0		
Temporary Note	145	0	1	0		0		
No-Fund Warrant	150	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	153	1,500,000		1,500,000		1,350,000		
TOTAL USD DEBT				1,500,000				
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