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a few drinks, pretty nice guy.

- I recently visited the “World’s Tiniest Wind Turbine” exhibit. Honestly, not a big fan.
- When does a joke become a dad joke? When it becomes apparent.

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Iran either.

It is very likely President Trump knew all about the attack. Speculation is that Mr. Trump restrained the Israelis from carrying out these strikes earlier in the year, because he wanted to give diplomacy one last serious try.

It was obvious the Iranians were never going to stop their nuclear program. Their official statements were like thumbing their noses at the U.S. They were likely just stalling for time to complete their first bombs.

Mr. Trump had said he would give the Iranians 60 days to reach an agreement. On the 61st day, Israel attacked.

Whether you agree with the attack or not, you should have at least a grudging admiration for Israel’s skill in accomplishing these types of missions.

The ingenuity was similar to last year’s operation when they convinced Hezbollah that their cell phones were hacked therefore necessitating a switch to beepers and walkie-talkies. Then, Israel supplied them with exploding ones.

In this case, Israel was able to lure Iran’s top air force leadership into one place so they could hit them all at once.

It went much further than that. One Israeli official was quoted as saying, “We established a drone base inside Iran; and, at zero hour, Mossad operatives retrieved them from hiding spots. We placed precision missiles on numerous vehicles and em-

bedded additional missiles throughout the country, hidden inside rocks.” That’s Hollywood kind of stuff.

Once again, this type of outside-the-box operation is a warning that the United States shouldn’t be so cocky about how safe we are about even with open borders and not knowing who is coming and going.

As successful as the Israeli attacks were, they didn’t prevent Iran from fighting back. They have fired waves of missiles over the weekend. The first counter-strike on Friday night alone had more than 100 missiles. Israel has a great air defense system, but the country didn’t get off unscathed. Some missiles have gotten through, and the number of dead and wounded is growing.

Israel basically has air superiority over Iran, and the Israeli Defense Forces have warned that, if they didn’t stop firing missiles, “Tehran will burn.”

Through all this, there has been an underlying hope it will result in regime change in Iran. Not to be pessimistic, but this seems like an uphill battle.

Fifty years ago, the country leaned toward the west. Since then, it has been under the thumb of the ayatollahs who show no signs of willingness to give up power. They have brutally crushed all past uprising attempts.

Overthrowing the government would likely take the troops from the U.S. and other allied forces. Nobody in their right mind is wishing for that.

LEGAL

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICE COUNTY, KANSAS  
Case No. RC-2025-PR-000020

In the Matter of the Estate Of  
DONALD JOSEPH ZETNICK, a/k/a DONALD J. ZETNICK, Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING  
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:  
You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by Rebecca Fannin Zetnick, a/k/a Rebecca J. Zetnick, the surviving spouse and an heir at law of Donald Joseph Zetnick, a/k/a Donald J. Zetnick, deceased, praying: That descent be determined of the following described real estate:

West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2 SE/4) of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township Eighteen (18) South, Range Six (6) West, Rice County, Kansas; but, not including any minerals therein or thereunder, and the following described interests in oil, gas and other minerals:

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Thirty-one (31), Township Eighteen (18) South, Range Eleven (11) West, Barton County, Kansas (CHS McPherson Refinery, purchaser - Lease No. 614445 – Kimpler C Lease; Owner No. 98480) (.05468750 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Nineteen (19) South, Range Eleven (11) West, Barton County, Kansas (CHS McPherson Refinery, purchaser - Lease No. 74041 – Neeland B Lease; Owner No. 98480) (.02083330 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the South 90 acres of the Southwest Quarter (SW/4), all lying South of the Santa Fe Railroad, in Section Thirty-three (33), Township Nineteen (19) South, Range Ten (10) West, Rice County, Kansas (CHS McPherson Refinery, purchaser - Lease No. 74038 – Neeland Lease; Owner No. 98480) (.02083330 royalty interest and a .00455730 overriding royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the North Half (N/2) of Section Nineteen (19), Township Twenty (20) South, Range Ten (10) West, Rice County, Kansas (CHS McPherson Refinery, purchaser - Lease No. 80066 – Houston Community Hirsch Lease; Owner No. 98480) (.00241610 royalty interest)

Undivided interest in the minerals in and under the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty (20) South, Range Ten (10) West, Rice County, Kansas

Undivided mineral interest in and under the North Half (N/2) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Twenty-two (22) South, Range Fourteen (14) West, Stafford County, Kansas (Belpoit Oil, Inc., operator - CHS McPherson Refinery, purchaser - Lease No. 78206 – Oscar West LKC Unit Lease; Owner No. 98480) (.00033970 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty (20) South, Range Twenty (20) West, Pawnee County, Kansas (American Warrior, Inc., operator - Plains Marketing, purchaser - Neeland 1 Lease) (.02083330 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Twenty-three (23) South, Range Sixteen (16) West, Pawnee County, Kansas

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty (20) South, Range Twenty (20) West, Pawnee County, Kansas

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-four (24) South, Range Sixteen (16) West, Edwards County, Kansas (Oil Producers of Kansas, operator - Neeland Lease) (.01041680 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Twenty-four (24) South, Range Sixteen (16) West, Edwards County, Kansas, Operator – Risse Lease) (.02083334 royalty interest)

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section Three (3), Township Twenty-four (24) South, Range Sixteen (16) West, Edwards County, Kansas

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Nineteen (19) South, Range Thirty-five (35) West, Wichita County, Kansas

Undivided mineral interest in and under the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Nineteen (19) South, Range Thirty-five (35) West, Wichita County, Kansas and all personal property and other real estate owned by decedent at the time of his death.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 15th day of July, 2025, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., of said day, in said Court, in the City of Lyons, in Rice County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.  
REBECCA FANNIN ZETNICK, a/k/a REBECCA J. ZETNICK  
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SALE

**LIVING ESTATE SALE** — Rick and Carol Ludwick, 305 North 10th Street, Sterling. Thurs., June 19, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Friday, June 20, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Sat., June 21, 9 a.m.-Noon. This is an awesome sale. Enclosed Utility Trailer, 2010 Subaru Outback, lots of Harley Davidson parts, clothing. MUST SEE. The Estate Shoppe, Cynthia Morton, 620-278-6309.

LEGALS

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CITY OF LYONS  
RESOLUTION NO. 929

**WHEREAS** City of Lyons, Kansas, has determined that the financial statements and financial reports for the year ended December 31, 2024 to be prepared in conformity with the requirements of K.S.A. 75-1120a(a) are not relevant to the requirements of the cash basis and budget laws of this state and are of no significant value to the City Council or the members of the general public of City of Lyons, Kansas and

**WHEREAS** there are no revenue bond ordinances or other ordinances or resolutions of the City which require financial statements and financial reports to be prepared in conformity with K.S.A. 75-1120a(a) for the year ended December 31, 2024.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of City of Lyons, Kansas, in regular meeting duly assembled this 16th day of June, 2025 that the City Council waives the requirements of K.S.A. 75-1120a(a) as they apply to City of Lyons, Kansas for the year ended December 31, 2024.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Council shall cause the financial statements and financial reports of City of Lyons, Kansas to be prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements as adjusted to show compliance with the cash basis and budget laws of this State.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Lyons, Kansas, this 16th day of June, 2025.**

ATTEST:  
/s/ Alicia Hommon, Mayor  
/s/ Bailey Saylor, City Clerk

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SUMMARY OF  
ORDINANCE NO. 2071

On Ordinance, the governing body of the City of Lyons, Kansas passed an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CHANGES TO THE RATES SET FOR WASTEWATER SERVICE AND CONSUMPTION.

A complete text of the Ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 201 W. Main, Lyons, Kansas. A reproduction of the Ordinance will be available in not less than 7 days following the publication date of this Summary at [www.lyonsks.org](http://www.lyonsks.org).

This Summary is hereby certified to be legally accurate and sufficient pursuant to the laws of the State of Kansas.

DATED: June 16, 2025  
/s/Patrick G. Hoffman  
City Attorney

HARVEST

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Weather Service in Wichita is forecasting thunderstorms across the harvest area Tuesday afternoon. Winds up to 80 mph, hail up to tennis ball size and heavy rainfall are all possible.

Chris Fryer, Grain Merchandiser with CoMark Equity Alliance LLC in Cheney, says they’ve only taken in about 5% to date, even though harvest started last Tuesday, June 10. They would normally be about a third done by now, but rains have kept harvest from progressing. The quality has been very good so far, and yields are better than last year.

The 2025 Harvest Report is brought to you by the Kansas Wheat Commission, Kansas Association of Wheat Growers, Kansas Grain and Feed Association and the Kansas Cooperative Council. To follow along with harvest updates on social media, use #wheat harvest25. Tag us at @kansaswheat to share your harvest story and photos.

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SUMMARY OF  
ORDINANCE NO. 2069

On Ordinance, the governing body of the City of Lyons, Kansas passed an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CHANGING THE FEES FOR CERTAIN CEMETERY SERVICES AT THE CITY OF LYONS CEMETERY.

A complete text of the Ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 201 W. Main, Lyons, Kansas. A reproduction of the Ordinance will be available in not less than 7 days following the publication date of this Summary at [www.lyonsks.org](http://www.lyonsks.org).

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DATED: June 02, 2025  
/s/ Patrick G. Hoffman  
City Attorney

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SUMMARY OF  
ORDINANCE NO. 2070

On Ordinance, the governing body of the City of Lyons, Kansas passed an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CHANGES TO THE RATES SET FOR WATER SERVICE AND CONSUMPTION.

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