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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DICKINSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of Case No. DK-2024-PR-000067 SANDRA S. TRACY, Deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FI-NAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CON-CERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in You are hereby notified that this Court by Patricia L. Reinarts and Robert A. Tracy, the duly appointed, qualified Administrators with the of Sandra S. Tracy, deceased, praying that their ceased, praying that his acts acts be approved; the heirs be approved; the heirs be debe determined; the estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the court find the allowances required for attorney's fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the administration of the estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts, the petitioners be finally discharged as the administrators of the estate of Sandra S. Tracy, deceased, and the petitioners be released from further liability.

written defenses thereto on or before the 28th day of July, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. in the District Court of Dickinson District Court of Dickinson County, Kansas, 109 E. 1st County, Kansas, 109 E. 1st Street, Abilene, KS 67410, Street, Abilene, KS 67410, at which time and place said at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Patricia L. Reinarts & Mark L. Meuli Petitioner Robert A. Tracy Petitioners

Michael A. Montoya, S.C. #13580 MICHAEL A. MONTOYA, P.A. 256 South Santa Fe P.O. Box 1220 Salina, Kansas 67402-1220 Tele. (785) 827-5505 FAX (785) 452-9726 admin@montoyalaw.kscoxmail.com Attorney for Petitioners

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In the Matter of the Estate of Case No. DK-2025-PR-000004 GENE E. MEULI, Deceased.

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THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CON-CERNED:

a petition has been filed in this Court by Mark L. Meuli, the duly appointed. qualified Administrator with Will Annexed of the estate the Will Annexed, of the estate of Gene E. Meuli, determined; the estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the court find the allowances required for attorney's fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the administration of the estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts, the petitioner be finally discharged as the administrator of the estate of Gene E. Meuli, deceased, and the petitioner be released from further liability. You are required to file your You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 28th day of July, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. in the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment due course upon the petition.

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A Post Election demonstration of the ExpressVote, DS200 Digital Precinct Scanner and the DS450 Optical Scan Machine to be held from 4:00pm to 4:30pm, Tuesday, August 18, 2025 in the Election/County Clerk's Office, Dickinson County Courthouse.

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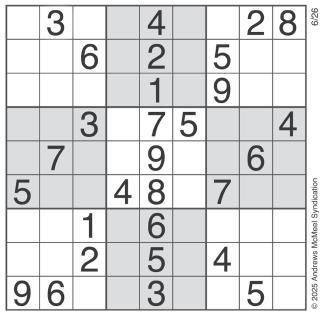
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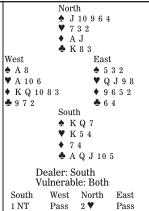
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In this deal, if North is in four spades, the contract should go down two. East would lead the heart queen. The defenders could take three tricks in that suit, then



shift to diamonds. When in with the spade ace, West would cash a diamond trick.

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If South is in three notrump, West would lead the diamond king and again down two would be the result.

Now let's have South in four spades. He wins the diamond-king lead with dummy's ace and drives out the spade ace. West cashes the diamond queen, but South has 10 tricks: four spades, one diamond and five clubs.

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