

GWCH Ready To Go-Live With Cerner/Oracle, Applied For Grant From Patterson Foundation

Greenwood County Hospital (GWCH) CEO Sandra Dickerson presented her report to the board of trustees on Thursday, May 22, at the GWCH Board of Trustees meeting. In the report, Dickerson reminded the board that the go-live date for the hospital's new Cerner/Oracle Electronic Health Record system is fast approaching. The system is set to launch on June 2. Cerner/Oracle is a cloud-based electronic health record (EHR) software solution used to streamline administrative processes and improve patient care. Dickerson advised the board that there might be a slight delay in billing while the transition is taking place but that measures have been taken to help support business operations during that time.

APRN Carey Hurt has agreed to become the wound care provider for GWCH instead of working in the clinic as a PCP

(Primary Care Provider). She will begin on June 16 and will initially work with APRN Kayla McCoy as she familiarizes herself with the patients and with the advanced wound care products being used at GWCH.

Dickerson reported that The Patterson Family Foundation did invite GWCH to submit a grant application for the proposed new mammography machine, and Dickerson has sent that grant in. "We will know in August if they intend to fund our project, and if they fund it, at what amount," she said. The grant application was for \$335,000. The Patterson Family Foundation, based in Kansas City, Mo., is a family-led foundation that extends the legacy of Neal and Jeanne Patterson.

Dickerson said that she had hoped to also apply for a grant from The Patterson Foundation for a grant toward child care facilities for GWCH, but Patterson only allows one grant proposal per grant cycle. Dickerson said that she is looking into other possibilities for this project. She explained that the scope of the child care grant would involve either building a child care facility or renovating some space to provide a licensed daycare facility, which would directly benefit employees at GWCH but could also accommodate families outside of the hospital as well.

In new business, a resolution was presented to support re-designation of GWCH's Level IV trauma program. A Level IV trauma center provides initial care, stabilization, and Advanced Trauma

Life Support (ATLS) before transferring patients to a higher-level trauma center. The designation is meant to ensure that those healthcare professionals caring for the patients are educationally and clinically prepared. Continued participation in this Kansas statewide trauma system will result in an organized and timely response to patient needs and improved patient care. The board voted unanimously to approve the resolution.

The board heard a finance report from CFO Melody Curnutt, who highlighted an increase in contractual services during the month of April, as well as an increase in Pain Clinic income and Pain Clinic providers. She went on to say that the hospital also saw an increase in net cash for April of \$181,000. Much of this, Curnutt explained, was driven by the additional pharmacy payment from newly acquired Batson's Pharmacy in Howard and also interest income from CD renewals.

GWCH medical staff met on May 20 and heard a presentation from Dr. Mike McClintick. During new business, several routine reports were heard, and Pharmacist Isaac Boone presented a formulary change to some medications. Formulary changes in pharmacy refer to updates to the list of covered prescription drugs within a health insurance plan.

The Board of Trustees reviewed and approved appointments as follows: Carey Hurt, APRN, Allied Health; Kermit Rust, MD, Radiology Consulting; Lisa May, MD, Radiology

Consulting; Kolli Lohitha, MD, Radiology Consulting; Patrick McEnulty, MD, Radiology Consulting; Kyungok (Gale) Crouch, APRN, Allied Health; Christopher Baalman, MD, Radiology Consulting; Kelsey Bourm, MD, Radiology Consulting; Timothy Gronlie, MD, Radiology Consulting; Shuo Li, MD, Radiology Consulting; Nathan Dobbs, MD, Radiology Consulting; Vincent Paul, MD, Radiology Consulting; Ernest Ostermann, MD, Radiology Consulting; Tyler Ternes, MD, Radiology Consulting; Adam Zarchan, MD, Radiology Consulting; Andrew Topham, MD, Radiology Consulting; Charles Mc-

Guire, MD, Radiology Consulting.

Reappointments were approved as follows: Andrey Yusupov, MD, Radiology Consulting; Abdullahi Jama, MD, Radiology Consulting; Gulam Ashfaq Khan, MD, Radiology Consulting; Matthew Benedict, MD, Radiology Consulting; Robert Farrell, Jr., MD, Radiology Consulting; Shannon Bownds, MD, Radiology Consulting.

Dickerson explained that there are so many names on the appointments list due to GWCH, as of June 1, moving from Kansas Imaging Consultants (KIC) to Wichita Radiology Group (WRG). These names reflect

the consulting radiologists with WRG. Names on the reappointment list are consultants with KIC whose appointments would expire before June 1 who will need to be re-credentialed so that they may continue to read for GWCH. The reason for the switch is due to issues of quality and speed, said Dickerson.

Two short executive sessions were held at the end of the trustee's board meeting to discuss employee performance of non-elected personnel. No action was taken as a result of either session.

The next meeting of the GWCH Board of Trustees is set for June 26, at 5:30 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICES "Because The People Must Know"

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ORDINANCE # 370

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE 369 AND ESTABLISHING NEW WATER SERVICE RATES FOR THE CITY OF HAMILTON, KANSAS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the City of Hamilton Kansas:

Section 1. Ordinance 369 is hereby rescinded.

Section 2. The following rates are hereby established which consumers shall pay for water furnished to them by the Water Department of the City of Hamilton:

0-1,000 gallons per month, minimum, within city limits	\$26.00
0-1,000 gallons per month, minimum, outside of city limits	\$26.00
After the first 1,000 gallons per month, the charge per 100 gallons will be	\$1.75
The rate for bulk water purchased per 100 gallons	\$3.00

In addition to the monthly charges for water usage within and outside of city limits, there will be a \$5.00 maintenance fee charged to each customer bill.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect June 4th 2025 after its publication twice in the official city newspaper, the Eureka Herald. Passed by the governing body of the City of Hamilton, Kansas, this 20th day of May, 2025.

Signed: s/David Harris, Mayor

Attest: s/Daphne Rayburn, City Clerk

(May. 28, Jun. 4, 2025)

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Ordinance 371

An ordinance repealing ordinance 359 and establishing new sewer rates for the City of Hamilton

Be it ordained by the Governing Body of the City of Hamilton:

Section 1- Ordinance No. 359 passed the 14 th of January 2021 is hereby repealed.

Section 2- To all property owners and or renters connected to the City of Hamilton's sewer system, there will be a charge of eighteen dollars (\$20.00), per month when in use for the first 1000 gallons of metered water and for each additional 1000 gallons metered there will be a \$4.00 charge for each 1000.

Section 3- This ordinance shall take effect and be enforced on June 4 th , 2025, after public hearing and its publication twice in the official city newspaper, The Eureka Herald.

Passed by the governing body of the City of Hamilton, Kansas, this 20 th day of May, 2025.

Signed: s/David Harris, Mayor

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GREENWOOD COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of William E. Sprague, Deceased. No. GW-2025-PR-000008 Div.

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on May 12, 2025, a Petition was filed in this Court by Rebecca Sprague-Gangle, an heir and the executor named in the Last Will and Testament of William E. Sprague, deceased, requesting that the instrument attached to the Petition dated April 13, 2022, be admitted to probate and record; that Rebecca Sprague-Gangle be appointed as Personal Representative, without bond; and that petitioner be granted Letters Testamentary.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before June 26, 2025, at 11 o'clock a.m., in this Court, in the City of Eureka, in Greenwood County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition. This hearing will occur remotely. <https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1601932228?pwd=rwJbb6Qd5zW1ftuV5YKHIP9a7tJyqd.1> Meeting ID: 160 193 2228 Passcode: 322955

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred. Rebecca Sprague-Gangle, Petitioner Prepared by: Michael R. Ong ONG LAW FIRM, P.A. 6201 College Boulevard, Suite 350 Overland Park, Kansas 66211-2430 (913) 451-4990 Fax:(913) 451-3250 Attorney for Petitioner

(May. 28, Jun. 4, 11, 2025)

Menu Subject To Change

Friendship Meals

Meals are served at noon. Frozen meals are available for the weekend. Suggested contribution of \$5 dollars for 60 and older and \$6.50 a meal for individuals under 60. Call 583-7665 with questions.

The only special dietary needs will be for diabetes and low sugar requirements. The Friendship Meals are prepared on site, low fat and low salt. Milk or grape juice is included with all meals.

June 9-13 Monday

Por Cutlet with Mushroom/Onion Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Blushing Pears.

Tuesday

Hamburger and Cabbage Casserole, Harvard Beets, Pineapples.

Wednesday

BBQ Chicken Sandwich, Green Beans, Baked Beans, Mixed Fruit.

Thursday

Meat Loaf, Creamed Peas & Potatoes, Corn, Stewed Apples.

Friday

Fish Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomato, Tartar Sauce, Broccoli Cauliflower Salad, Easy Peach Cobbler.

Greenwood County Public Transportation
This project funded in part by the KDOT Public Transportation Program
(First Come - First Served)
For a ride call:
Eureka - (620) 583-5453
Fall River - (620) 658-4669
Madison - (620) 437-2696
Weekdays
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.



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GREENWOOD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE ARREST LOG



Dustin Newport



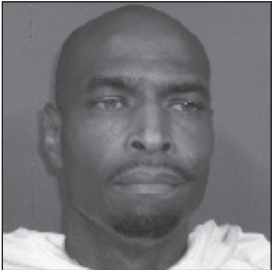
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Keenan Barrett



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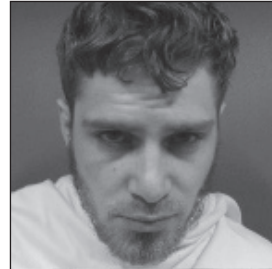
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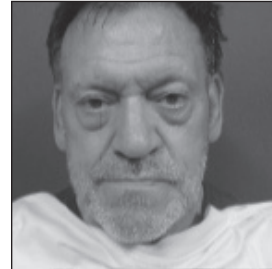
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Sara D. True



Dominic Tagen Loving



Kirk Ray Warren

In Kansas, by statute and Attorney General Opinion, booking records, including alleged charges and mugshots, are considered public record and may be published or otherwise printed. Many departments provide this information to newspapers and other forms of media.

All suspects pictured or described herein or hereon are to be considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. This page only contains parts of the public records of the arrest/booking information and no presumption of guilt is otherwise made. The incident log is posted on the Greenwood County Sheriff's Office Facebook page by a Sheriff's Office employee.

Disclaimer: The Eureka Herald receives the weekly Greenwood County Sheriff's Arrest Log from staff of the Greenwood County Sheriff's Office. Due to office policy, The Herald will not run mugshots for failure to appear or driving while restricted charges.

Arrest Log: 5/23 - 5/22/2025

Submitted by the Greenwood County Sheriff's Office

On May 23, Dustin Newport was arrested for Violation of a protection order, Intimidation of a witness or victim x2, Possession of drug paraphernalia, Possession of marijuana. His bond was set at \$5,000 cash or surety x2.

On May 23, Stephen Koder was arrested to serve a 72-hour sanction.

On May 25, Semaj Jones was arrested on a Failure to appear warrant. He is being held on a no-bond hold and must see a judge.

On May 23, Kaden Moses was arrested for Possession of THC. His bond was set at \$2,500.

On May 23, Brooklyn Frias was arrested for Possession of THC. Her bond was set at \$2,500.

On May 23, Robert Harrod was arrested for Possession of THC. His bond was set for \$2,500.

On May 23, Robert Williams was arrested on charges of Distribution of paraphernalia, Distribution of paraphernalia, Possession of methamphetamine, Possession of marijuana, Possession of paraphernalia, Endangering a child, Driving while suspended, Driving while habitual, Registration unlawful acts x 2, Transporting an open container, and Liability insurance. His bond was set at \$55,000 Cash/Surety.

On May 23, Jessica Heath was arrested for Distribution of marijuana, Distribution of paraphernalia, Possession of methamphetamine, Possession of marijuana, Possession of paraphernalia, Endangering a child, and Transporting an open container. Her bond was set at \$30,000 cash/surety.

On May 26, Keenan Barrett was arrested for four counts of Failure to register. His bond was set at \$10,000. He later posted bond and was released.

On May 27, Ginger R. Blades was arrested for a Greenwood County warrant for Violation of a Protection Order. Her bond was set at \$5,000.

On May 28, Ashley Johnson was arrested for Driving while suspended, Possession of marijuana, and Possession of drug paraphernalia. Her bond was set at \$7,500 cash or professional surety.

On May 30, Gavin Vickery was arrested on a Probation violation. He is being held on no-bond hold and must see a judge.

On May 30, Tyler Simler was arrested for Driving while suspended and Vehicle registration suspended. His bond was set at \$5,000.

On May 31, Tavia Mitchell was arrested for Driving while suspended. Her bond was set at \$2,500. She later posted bond and was released.

On May 31, Sara D. True was arrested for Possession of marijuana, Use/possession of drug paraphernalia, Possession of alprazolam and Knowingly driving without insurance. Her bond was set at \$10,000.

On May 31, Dominic Tagen Loving was arrested for Possession of marijuana and Use/possession of drug paraphernalia. His bond was set at \$5,000.

On June 1, Molly Wood was arrested for failure to appear. She is currently being held on a no-bond hold and must see a judge.

On June 1, Kirk Ray Warren was arrested for Distribution of methamphetamine, Paraphernalia for distribution, Taxation-no drug tax stamp, and Possessing drug proceeds. His bond was set at \$20,000.

The incident log was last shared by the Greenwood County Sheriff's Office on April 22 and published in the April 30 edition.

We appreciate the help we receive from the community in the form of tips and reports of suspicious activity.

620-583-5568 or dial 911 for all emergencies.