



## Legal Notice

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### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GRAHAM COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of )  
CANDICE A. PETERS, Deceased )  
Case No. GH-2025-PR-000006  
(Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59 )

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

The State of Kansas to All Persons Concerned:

You are notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by CASSANDRA M. PETERS, as daughter and heir of CANDICE A. PETERS, deceased, requesting:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Graham County, Kansas:

The Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Thirty-one (31), Township Seven (7) South, Range Twenty-Five (25) West of the 6th P.M.- Graham County Kansas; and West Half of the Southwest Quarter (W/2 SW/4) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE/4 SW/4) of Section Four (4), Township Eight (8) South, Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 6th P.M. Graham County (East Lake Property); and Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE/4 SW/4) and the North Half of the southeast Quarter (N/2 SE/4) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE/4 SE/4) of section Five (5), Township Eight (8) South, Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 6th P.M. Graham County (West Lake Property).

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by decedent at the time of death. And that such property and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before April 23, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. in Hill City, in Graham County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. This hearing will be held virtually. Should you wish to appear, please contact the Graham County District Court at 785-421-3458. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

/s/ CASSANDRA M. PETERS  
Petitioner

#### Submitted by:

/s/ Samara Nazir

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### IN THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DISTRICT COURT, GRAHAM COUNTY, KANSAS

GRESSEL OIL FIELD SERVICE, LLC )  
)  
Plaintiff, )  
Case No. GH-2025-CV-5

vs. )

SATCHELL CREEK PETROLEUM, LLC, )  
et al. )  
Defendants. )

(Filed Pursuant to K.S.A. Ch. 60)  
NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF KANSAS TO:

All the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees trustees, creditors and assigns of any deceased defendants; unknown spouses of any defendants; the unknown officers, successors, trustees, creditors and assigns of any defendants that are existing, dissolved or dormant corporations; unknown executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of any defendants that are or were partners or in partnerships; unknown guardians conservators and trustees of any defendants that are minors or are under any legal disability; and unknown heirs, executors, administrators devisees, trustees, creditors and assigns of any person alleged to be deceased, and all other persons who are or may be concerned:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in the District Court of Graham County, Kansas, by Plaintiff, praying for judgement against the Defendant, Satchell Creek Petroleum, LLC, in the amount of \$43,389.35 together with interest thereon at the highest lawful rate from the date of each invoice shown on Exhibit A attached to Plaintiff's Petition, and you are hereby required to plead to the Petition on or before May 6, 2025 in the District Courthouse at Hill City, Graham County, Kansas. If you fail to plead, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Gressel Oil Field Service, LLC  
Plaintiff

JOHNSTON, EISENHAEUER, EISENHAEUER  
& LYNCH, LLC  
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## PRAIRIE Doc By JILL KRUSE, DO

### My Journey to Becoming a Hospitalist

When I first moved to Brookings, the primary care physicians took care of their own patients in the hospital. We would round on patients in the morning before clinic or try to sneak over during lunch or after clinic. While I loved taking care of patients in the hospital, it was hard to juggle the responsibilities of both giving my attention to the patients in the hospital while seeing people in the clinic. Any time the hospital nurse had a question; my clinic nurse would have to interrupt a clinic visit or wait for me between patients. This could lead to some less-than-ideal times where I was being pulled in multiple directions at once.

Then about six years ago, the Brookings Health System decided to start a new program where there would be Hospitalist hired. These would be doctors who would just take care of patients in the hospital. Primary Care Physicians in the clinic would follow up after the hospital stay and resume care. This had already been done for several

years in Sioux Falls at the Sanford and Avera McKennan. Despite the fact that I was familiar with what a hospitalist was, it was still hard to give up caring for my patients when they were in the hospital. However, I learned to see these Hospitalists as valued colleagues who were giving my patients the time and attention that they deserved. They could give better care and more attention as hospital medicine continues to evolve and advance.

During COVID, I started taking extra shifts to help out in the hospital on weekends. This was a good way for me to keep up my skills for taking care of patients who were sicker than in the clinic. In the clinic, we mainly focus on taking care of minor illnesses and injuries as well as managing chronic medical conditions and health maintenance visits. I realized that I missed taking care of hospitalized patients and caring for people when they were at their sickest.

When one of the hospitalists left for a new job, I was asked if I want-

ed to take their place as a hospitalist. After careful consideration of all the pros and cons, I decided to answer the call to this new challenge of being a hospitalist. I am happy to see my former clinic patients, but now it is usually in the grocery store and at the post office. However, it is extra special when I can care for them when they are admitted to the hospital. I embrace this current chapter in my medical career and wonder how it will continue to evolve as medicine changes with time.

Jill Kruse, D.O. is part of The Prairie Doc® team of physicians and currently practices as a hospitalist in Brookings, South Dakota. Follow The Prairie Doc® at [www.prairiedoc.org](http://www.prairiedoc.org) and on Facebook, Instagram, and Threads featuring On Call with the Prairie Doc®, a medical Q&A show, 2 podcasts, and a Radio program, providing health information based on science, built on trust, streaming live on Facebook most Thursdays at 7 p.m. central and wherever podcast can be found.

## K-State food scientist shares tips on safely canning homegrown foods

By Pat Melgares

K-State Research and Extension news service

Home canning is a popular way to preserve the freshness of homegrown food. Kansas State University food scientist Karen Blakeslee says that when done correctly, home food preservation also can save money by reducing food waste.

“Those with health issues can preserve some foods without sugar or salt,” Blakeslee said. “But most of all, those who preserve food get the satisfaction that they have preserved their homegrown food.”

However, when improper practices and unsafe food handling techniques are used, the food can cause food-borne illness.

Blakeslee, naturally, advocates for safety. She recently offered a few tips to help prepare for success.

#### Learn how to use equipment properly

Blakeslee urges home canners to read and follow all manufacturer usage instruction for equipment before they use it. “Any deviation from usage instructions can lead to equipment failure or food not preserved safely,” she said.

Also, maintain equipment by checking for wear and tear of canners or other equipment. Replacement parts

are available for some equipment.

“Dial gauges on pressure canner brands Presto, National, Maid of Honor and Magic Seal should be tested annually for accuracy,” Blakeslee said. “Rubber seals should be checked for cracks or dryness and replaced, if necessary.”

Many extension offices in Kansas offer free testing of dial gauges for the brands she lists. Check with your local office to ask if this service is offered.

#### Follow reliable recipes

Blakeslee said a reliable recipe is one that has been developed with research to verify the safety of the process. “These include any university extension recipe source, the USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning, and the National Center for Home Food Preservation,” she said. More information also is available online from the K-State Rapid Response Center for Food Science.

#### Use the proper method for the food being canned

Blakeslee said there are two canning methods: water bath canning, and pressure canning. The method used depends on the food being canned.

“The water bath canning method can be used for high acid foods such as jams and jellies, pickles, most fruits and most tomato products,” Blakeslee said. “Pressure canning must be used for low acid foods, such as plain vegetables, meat, poultry and seafood.”

There are a few foods – including some tomato products – that can be processed with either method. Blakeslee said further guidance is available on the website, Preserve if Fresh, Preserve it Safe. That website, she notes, also has an option to sign up for a monthly food preservation newsletter delivered to your email inbox.

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VIRGINIA LORBEER (a/k/a VIRGINIA )  
LEE LORBEER and VIRGINIA L. )  
LORBEER), Deceased. Estate No.: GH2025PR000005

#### 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 Lynette McLain and Robert Lorbeer, heirs and devisees of Virginia Lorbeer, deceased, praying that the foreign will of Virginia Lorbeer, deceased, be admitted to probate and record in this court; that no administration of this estate is necessary; that the will be construed; and that the property described in that petition be assigned in accordance with the terms of the will. You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before April 16, at 10:00 am of such day, in such court, in the City of Hill City, Graham County, Kansas, at which time and place such cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Lynette McLain, Petitioner

Robert Lorbeer, Petitioner

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