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Wednesday, April 1, 2020

## Court Orders 9th Judicial area to release some inmates over COVID19

In the 9th Judicial District of Tennessee, which includes Loudon, Meigs, Morgan and Roane Counties the honorable Judge Jeffery H. Wicks signed the order for the counties to plan to reduce the jail population in response to the COVID19 Pandemic.

The order reads as follows:

Pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Order dated March 25, 2020, In Re: COVID19 Pandemic, the presiding judge of each district was directed to "develop a written plan to affirmatively address issues

regarding the incarceration of nonviolent offenders in furtherance of efforts to reduce the jail population, including but not limited to bond reductions or eliminations, deferred sentences, and suspended sentences."

Prior to the order, a conference call was held on March see COVID19 pg. 2

## Mayors follow advice of state and shut down non essential business and close government offices to public without appointment

From Mayor Tony Aikens, EFFEC-TIVE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2020 THRU THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2020

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cated at 530 Hwy 321 N, Lenoir City, TN. 37771 will be locked. There is a drop box located at the front of the building for payments. Employees will still be working in the building to meet your needs.

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## Fight over money lands man in jail in LC



Phillip Herndon

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## Welfare checks lands three in jail with charges

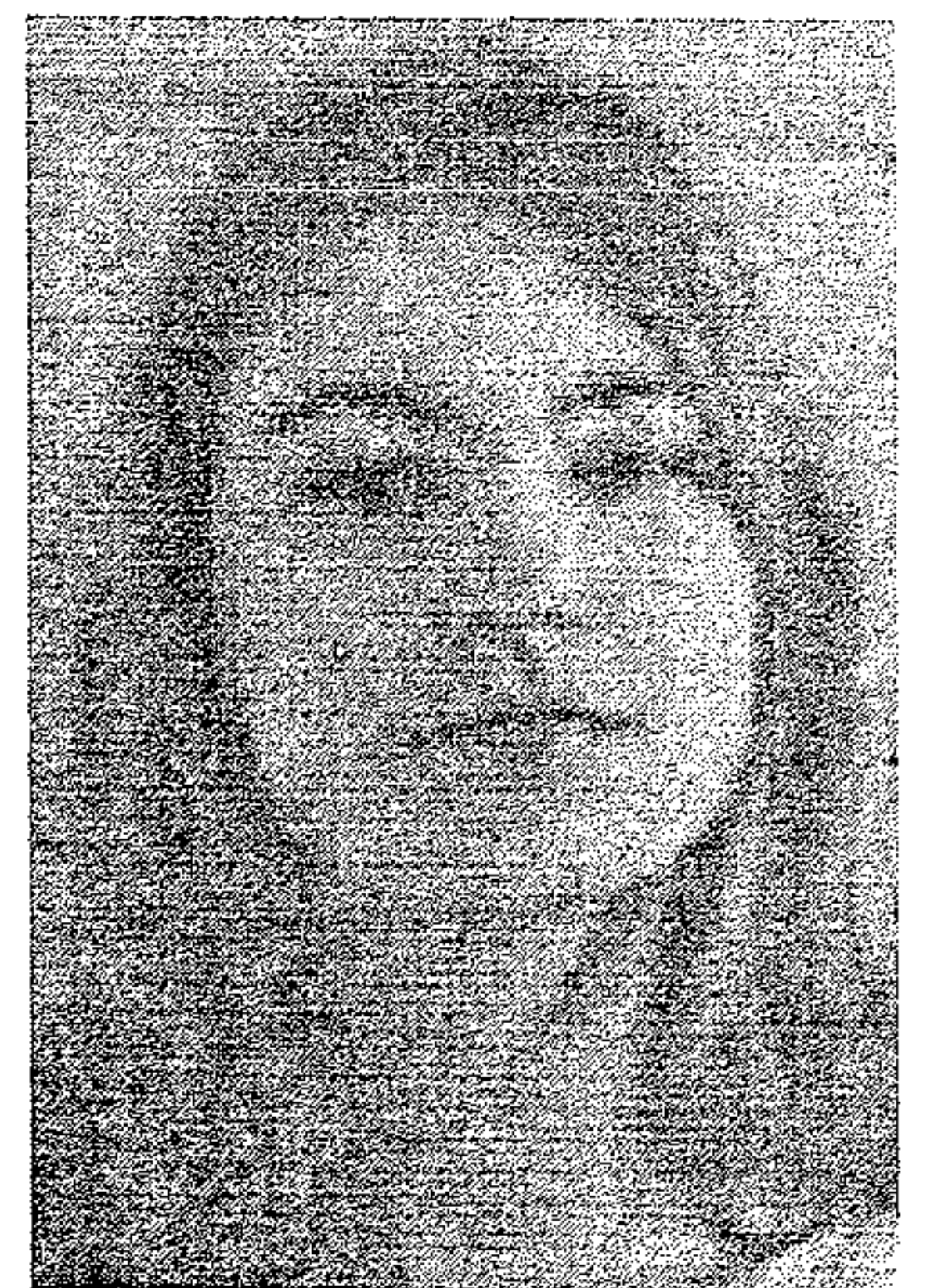


Jeremiah Burchfield

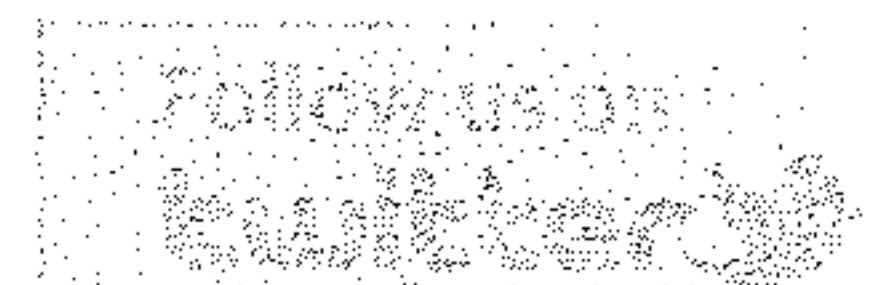
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Jada Allison



Kora Bowman



### Verse of the Day

Do not envy a violent man or choose any of his ways, for the LORD detests a perverse man but takes the upright into his confidence. —Proverbs 3:31-32

### Wazzup

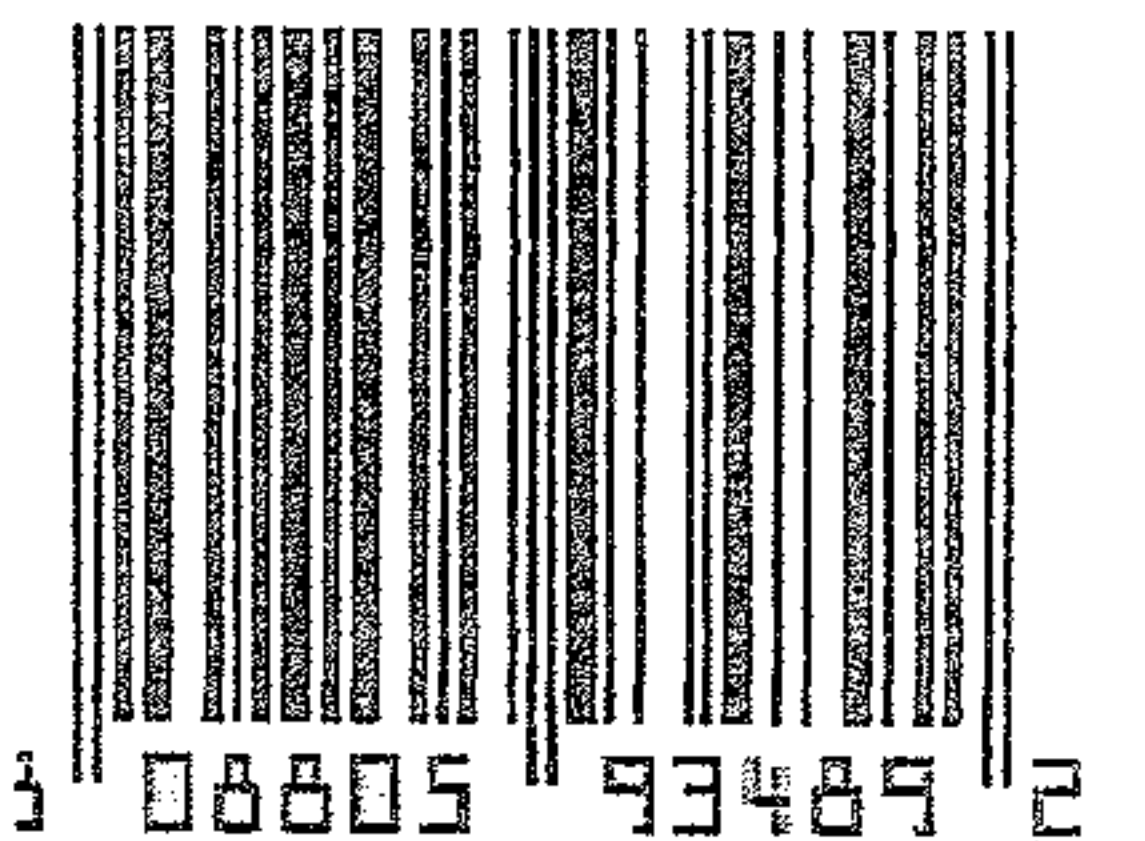
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### Weather

Today: Sunny. High of 54F. Tonight: Clear. Low of 40F Thursday: Sunny. High of 62F. Thursday night: Clear. Low of 42F.

### Horoscopes

Aries 3/21-4/19 Managing the activities of a group you belong to becomes your focal point today. People may look to you for leadership, though you could (Continued on page 6)



### COVID19

17, 2020 during which, Chief Justice Jeffrey S. Bivens urged judges across the state to reduce the jail populations in an effort to prevent the introduction and spread of COVID19 virus into our local jails. Afterward, the judges of the 9th Judicial District and the child support magistrate began to take steps to minimize the

jail populations. In a period of five business days, they were able to reduce the number of nonviolent offenders from the overall population in the district from 452 inmates down to 359 inmates. This represents a 21% reduction in the jail population. In doing so, they either reduced bonds or utilized release on own recognizance bonds from some nonviolent

misdemeanors and felony offenders, technical violations of probation, contempt of court for child support, and defendants with pre-existing medical conditions. All

defendants being held on contempt charges for child support were released from custody and sentences for some defendants serving time on misdemeanors and

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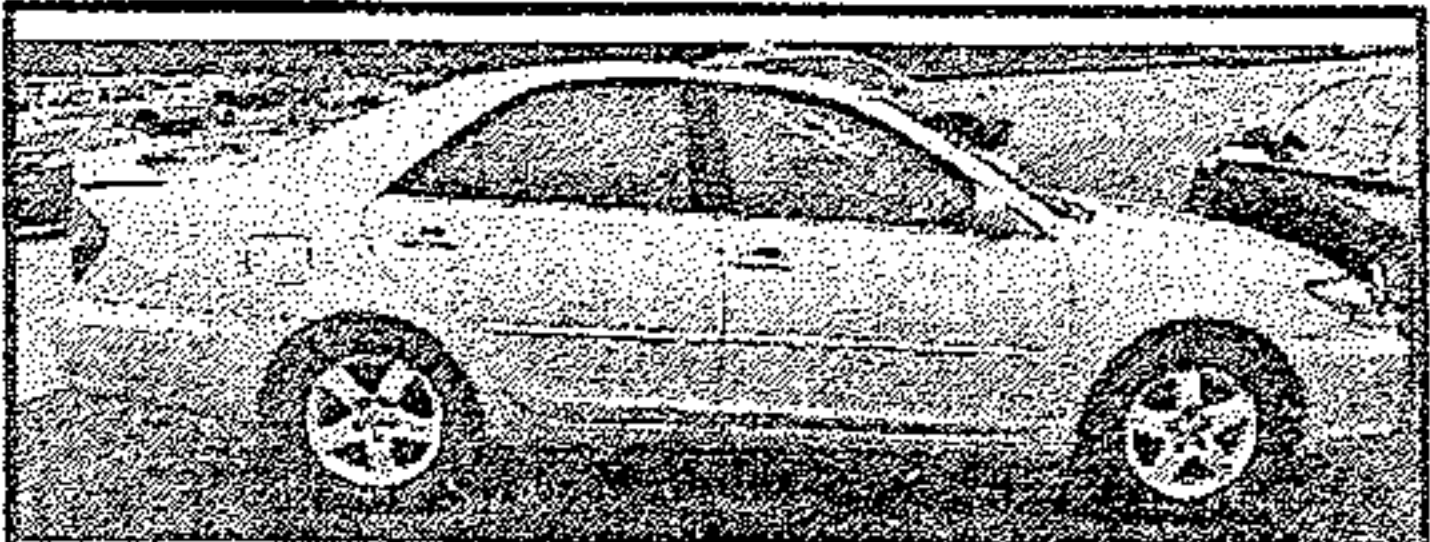
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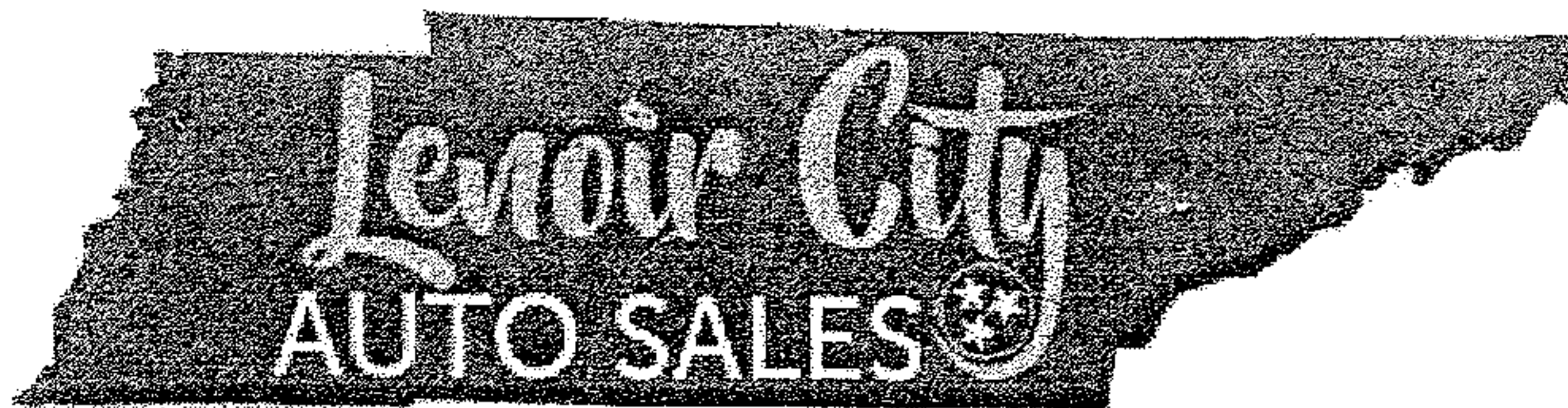
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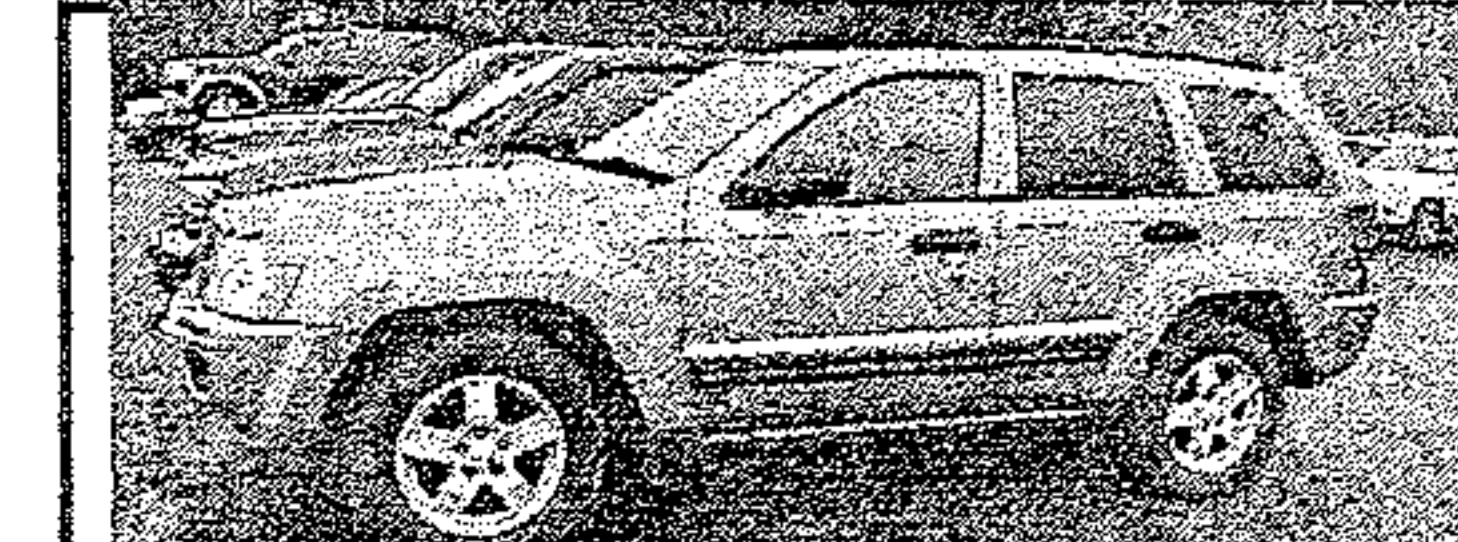
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violations of probation were suspended.

The judges of the 9th Judicial District plan to continue to ensure that nonviolent offender jail population of in our respective four counties are reduced in an effort to prevent the introduction and spread of the COVID19 virus into our local jails. Currently, there are 12 confirmed cases of COVID19 in our district (Loudon 8, Meigs 1, Morgan 1 and Roane 2) and these numbers have only slightly increased over the past week. Hopefully, we can do our part in preventing the virus from spreading into our local jails. At this time, due to the cooperation and efforts of our judges, there is no need to institute sweeping reforms and mandates. As such, all judges in the district will continue to utilize the following procedures, when possible, in order to balance the interests of justice with the interests of public health:

1. All judges in the district will continue to be responsible for setting bonds for violations of probation

and any other warrant they approve through their respective courts. All judicial magistrates/commissioners shall continue to be responsible for setting bonds for any warrants they approve. In doing so, the objective should be to reduce the number of nonviolent offenders from the jail population, if possible.

2. For guidance, non violent offenders will include, but not be limited to, anyone who is not charged with an offense that is against the person as set forth in TCA 39-13-101 and 39-13-533, and those against children as set forth in TCA 39-15-401, 402, aggravated burglary, and all forms of domestic assault.

3. All judges in the district, relative to nonviolent offenders, should consider lowering the customary bond amounts, release on own recognizance bonds, bond reductions or eliminations, deferred sentences, and suspended sentences.

4. All judicial magistrates/commissioners in the district, relative to nonviolent offenders, should con-

sider lowering the customary bond amounts and if applicable, release on own recognizance bonds.

5. All judges should consider reviewing the daily jail inmate reports or rosters from their respective counties. All judges in the district should consider seeking input from their local Sheriff's department and defense counsel to determine if any nonviolent offenders incarcerated who are elderly or have preexisting conditions that make them more vulnerable to the COVID19 virus can be released on a medical furlough.

6. The terms of this plan shall remain in effect during the pendency of the Tennessee Supreme Court.


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Police Department 865-986-2005

Fire Chief – 865-986-8870

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The same was echoed by Loudon County Mayor Buddy Bradshaw who urged citizens who needed to conduct business to make an appointment and that the staff was distancing as well to help prevent the virus spreading.

Loudon Mayor Jeff Harris stated he had ordered the close of the ball courts and fields on Friday and was focusing on the positive things through all this and urged citizens to listen to the CDC and not so much the stuff they see on social media. Mayor Harris also stated the

city building while open would be locked to the public without an appointment and if anything was needed they could contact the city.

The next update for the three mayors will be at Loudon City at 9am on April 13, 2020. Please follow us on Facebook and we will try to keep you up to date with any and all information. Also listen to WLIL 102.7 for further up to date information.

## Trio

Jeremiah Burchfield, 22, Rocks Spring Annex Lenoir City, was charged with Violation of Probation.

Jada Allison, 19, Town Creek Circle Lenoir City, was charged with Simple Possession x2, Contraband in a Penal Institution, and General Session Capias.

Kora Bowman, 18, Hwy 11 East Lenoir City, was charged with Accessory after the Fact.

Officer Watson LCPD, responded to Rocks Spring Road in reference to a welfare check. Upon arrival Officer made contact with the subject Kora Bowman the Officer was doing a welfare check on. After the Bowman was checked Dispatch advised Officer that Jeremiah Burchfield lived there and had an active warrant. Officer ask Kora if

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## IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of:  
**CARL HAROLD EK, SR.**, deceased  
DKT# 6067

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 180, Public Acts of Tennessee 1809 As Amended by Public Chapter 806 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd DAY OF MARCH 2020 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of CARL HAROLD EK, SR. who died on the 30th day of January 2020 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

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THIS THE 23rd DAY OF MARCH 2020

Steve Harrelson, Clerk

BY: Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk  
Penny Glasgow, Chief Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s)  
CARL HAROLD EK, JR.

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Burchfield was there she stated no he hasn't been here in 2 days. Officer ask the home owner if Burchfield was at home after a long pause she allowed the Officer to come in and look around. Due to their being several rooms Officer ask for back up. Once the other Officer arrived they searched the residence and located Burchfield inside a closet with a blanket covering him. Officer also located Jada Allison who had an active warrant. Officer made contact with Kora Bowman and placed her under arrest. All subjects were searched and placed in the patrol vehicle. All subject were transported to the Loudon County Jail. Once at the jail during a search Deputy located contraband (marijuana & xanax on Allison.

**DV**

Phillip Herndon, 59, Browder Hollow Road Lenoir City, was charged with Domestic Assault. Officer Jonathan Yates LCPD, responded to Browder Hollow Road in reference to a domestic.

Officer arrived on scene and made contact with Phillip Herndon, the victim, and a witness. Herndon was found to be extremely intoxicated. Herndon began arguing with the victim when she returned home from work. Herndon was mad about money and accused the victim of not helping out. During the rant Herndon ripped victim sheet of the bed and threw them outside in the rain, threw an ashtray which its contents covered the mattress and room. The victim attempted to calm Herndon to no avail. The victim tried to retreat to another room Herndon continued to harass the victim. The victim called 911 in fear for her safety. Officer did observe the house in disarray. A witness confirmed victim statements. Phillip Herndon was placed under arrest and transported to the Loudon County Jail.

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