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Filing period ends Monday in local government entity elections

Filing ends Monday, March 5, 2012, for the upcoming local entities elections. The election will be held Saturday, May 12, 2012.

Along with the mayor, there are two two-year city council member terms on the ballot for the City of Bronte. Currently, these offices are held by Gerald Sandusky, mayor, and council members, Jennifer Stango, Paul (Buzz) Gohmann, and Jimmie Guthrie. Only the incumbents have filed for places on the ballot. Ballots may be picked up at City Hall during normal business hours.

There are two council member terms and the mayoral position on the ballot for the City of Robert Lee. Currently, these council seats are held by Sid Burns and Richard Johnson. The office of mayor is held by John Jacobs. As of presstime, only Mayor Jacobs had filed for re-election. Ballots may be picked up at City Hall during normal business hours.

There are three two-year Board of Director terms on the ballot for the West Coke County Hospital District. Currently, these offices are

held by Pat Stephens, Sarah Green, and Farrell Jean Washam. Patsy Cason and Sarah Green have filed at this time. Ballots may be picked up at Robert Lee Care Center during normal business hours.

There are two two-year terms and one unexpired term on the ballot for the East Coke County Hospital District. Currently, these offices are held by Beverly Sims, Nancy Cooper, and Howard Baker. Howard Baker has filed for re-election. Ballots may be picked up at Bronte Health & Rehab Center during normal business hours.

There are three three-year Board of Trustee terms on the ballot for the Bronte Independent School District. Currently, these offices are held by Ericka Knight, Wayne Coalson, and Doug Tounget. Currently, nobody has filed for these seats. Normally if nobody files for a seat coming open, appointments will be made following the expiration of the terms in May. Ballots may be picked up in the superintendent's office during normal school hours.

There are three three-year



Water Pipeline! Roberts Construction of San Angelo began their section of the water pipeline at the Bronte water treatment plant. Monday evening, they were covering up the section of pipe under the bridge over Highway 158 on the west edge of Bronte. Texas Water and Soil Company of San Angelo picked up where Robert Lee's volunteer requirement ended and is headed west. Monday evening, they had just crossed Cow Creek. They will continue to head west until they reach Double Barrel Road. At that point, they will head north and meet the Roberts Construction section at the intersection of Highway 158 and Double Barrel Road. The pipeline should be completed this month.

Board of Trustee terms on the ballot for the Robert Lee Independent School District. Currently, these offices are

held by Brandi Brosh, Wes Washam, and Tom Sawyer, Jr. Only the incumbents have filed for places on the upcoming ballot. Ballots may be picked up in the superintendent's office during normal school hours.

Bronte Golf Tourney slated

The Bronte Longhorn Golf Club is sponsoring a 2 person 18 hole select shot golf tournament on Saturday, March 3. Tee time is 9 am.

Carts are limited, so sign up early if one is needed. For more information, contact Bronte Longhorn Golf Club at 325-473-2156 or after 4 pm on weekdays, call 432-661-3431.

Mountain Creek Golf Course tournament slated

The last of a series of Sunday Skins Golf Tournaments will be held Sunday, March 4, 2012, at Mountain Creek Golf Course.

Lunch will be held at 12 noon and Tee off is 1 pm.

Teams will be drawn based on handicap/known ability. Participants may play with their own groups. Everyone

is welcome. For more information, call the golf course at 453-2317.

Bronte Longhorn Golf Club calls meeting

The Bronte Longhorn Golf Club will hold a general meeting for member on Monday, March 5, 2012, at the Bronte Community Center beginning at 6 pm.

For more information, call 473-2156.

March 4-H meetings cancelled

There will be no 4-H meetings in Bronte or Robert Lee during the month of March. The agent will be gone during the Robert Lee 4-H meetings to attend the Houston stock show. Bronte 4-H meetings will not be held due to Spring Break. All 4-H meetings will resume in the month of April. If you have any concerns please contact the county extension office.

Robert Lee Vision with a Purpose

Robert Lee's Vision with a Purpose meets the first Thursday evening of every month at 7 pm. For more information and location, call 325-453-2301.



Robert Lee Boosters! West Central Wireless recently donated checks to area booster clubs with proceeds from the "Don't Text and Drive" campaign that asked participants to sign a pledge saying they would not text and drive. Shown are (from left) Robert Lee Athletic Booster Club Rhonda Hood, West Central Wireless presenter Mary Hartgrove, Robert Lee Athletic Booster Club Brenda Skinner and Valerie Howard. For more information, contact Mary Hartgrove at West Central Wireless.