

AUTHORITY

will hold a Public Meeting on September 19, 2011 at 6:30 pm, at 116 NE Railroad St. Bronte ,TX , to receive comments on the 2012-5 year and Annual Plan for the Bronte Housing Authority. All documents are on display at the Housing Authority office Monday, Wednesday, and Friday between the hours of 9:00 and 11:00 am.

03-2tc **ADVERTISEMENT FOR** BIDS **CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS** TDRA PROJECT NO.

710099 Separate sealed bids for the construction o f WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT SLUDGE REMOVAL will be received by the CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS until 10 <u>A.M., August 12, 2011</u> at City Hall, 114 S. Washington, Bronte, Texas 76933 and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud. This project consists of the removal of municipal WWTP sludge from 2 stabilization ponds and plowing the sludge

into an irrigation field, rebuilding a tailwater berm, approximately 295 feet of 8" SDR 35 PVC piping, 2 pond inlet structures, 2 pond outlet structures, 2 manholes, and miscellaneous appurtenances.

The Contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, General Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans, Specifications, Wage Rate Determination, Addenda (if any) and Project Contracting and compliance Provisions may be examined at the following location:

JACOB & MARTIN, LTD., CONSULTING ENGINEERS

3465 CURRY LANE,

ABILENE, TEXAS 79606 Bids will not be received from contractors who have not obtained original plans and specifications from Jacob & Martin. Bids shall be submitted on original documents and the entire specification book must be returned with bid. No faxes or copies of bid sheets will be accepted. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bis. Bids may be held by the Owner for a period not to exceed 60 days from the date of bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders prior to awarding of the contract.

(11x17) plans may be Commissioners' (Pct. 1-4). obtained from Jacob & Martin, Ltd. 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, Texas 79606 (325-695-1070), upon payment of DATE: 7-29-11 each set. Checks should be STRAY ANIMAL: made to the order of Jacob & Name: Jerry Wilkens Martin. Ltd.

A certified check or bank Bronte, Tx 76933 draft, payable to the order of Telephone: 325/473-2831 the City of Bronte, Texas LOCATION negotiable U.S. Government ANIMAL FOUND: bonds (at par value) or a sat- Owner: Jerry Wilkens isfactory Bid Bond executed Address: 2 miles S of Bronte by the Bidder and an accept- US Hwy 277 on the west side able surety in an amount Telephone: 325-473-2831 equal to five percent (5%) of Approximate location: the total bid shall be submit- LOCAT I O N ted with each bid.

Bidder's attention is called Person in Charge: Wayne to the fact that not less than McCutchen the federally determined pre- Address: Bronte Roping vailing wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Rural Affairs and as set forth in the Contract Documents, must be paid on this project, and that the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discrimiated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Adherence to the grant recipient's Section 3 Policy is required for contracts and subconracts in excess of \$100.000.00.

CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS By:Gerald Sandusky, Mayor Date: July 26, 2011

<u>03-2tc</u>

NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALARY INCREASES FOR COKE COUNTY ELECTED **OFFICIALS**

Pursuant to 152.013(b) Local Government Code, the Coke County Commissioners' Court announces all proposed increases in County funded salary, expenses and other allowances for elected officials for the 2011-12 Fiscal Year. On this day, August 1, 2011, the Commissioners Court proposed cost of living salary increases in the amount of 3% per year for the offices of County Judge, County District Clerk, County Treasurer, County Tax Assessor/Collector, County Attorney, Justice of the Peace

Copies of the Contract (Pct.1 & 2), County Sheriff Documents and half size and County Precinct

> 04-1tc NOTICE OF ESTRAY CASE NO. 11-07-12

\$40.00 (non-refundable) for **PERSON REPORTING** Address: 224 SW Railroad STRAY OF **IMPOUNDED ANIMAL:**

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DESCRIPTION LIVESTOCK: Breed: Bovine Color: Black Brangus Sex: Male Age: Aged bull Weight: 1300 lbs - 1600 lbs Earmarks, Brands and other Identifying Characteristics: White Ear tag # 578, orange ear tag Rt ear + t4 brand on Lt. hip This Report Made By: Wayne above described location. McCutchen

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE

signed authority, on this day August, 2011. personally appeared Sheriff Wayne McCutchen, in and for Coke County, Texas, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That on the 29 day of July, OF 2011, he was notified by the above described person of the above described livestock which was found running at large in Coke County, Texas, at the above described location and pursuant to the stock laws of the State of Texas, Chapter Four, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, impounded said livestock, said impoundment being at the

Wayne McCutchen Sheriff of Coke County, Texas SWORN TO AND SUBCRIBED BEFORE ME, the under- before me this the 1 day of

> Misty Hayes Notary Public in and for Coke County, Texas <u>04-2tc</u> (Continued on Page 8)

BRONTE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT PO Box 670, Bronte, Texas 76933

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. Bronte ISD offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast is free; lunch costs are \$1.85 for grades PK-5th and \$2.10 for grades 6-12. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced price meals. Reduced price is free for breakfast and \$.40 for lunch.

1. Do I need to fill out an application for each child? No. Complete one application to apply for free or reduced price meals. Use one Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application for all students in your household. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. Return the completed application to Phillip Ratliff at PO Box 670, Bronte, Texas 76933, phone (325) 473-2511 ext 116.

2. Who can get free meals? Children in households receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits (formerly the Food Stamp Program) or TANF can get free meals regardless of your income. Your benefit letter from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is your documentation for free meals. If you have not already received a letter from your school stating that your household is eligible for free meals, you may take your HHSC benefit letter to your child nutrition office to be certified for free meals. If a member of your household is directly certified due to receiving SNAP or TANF benefits, all members of your household are eligible for free meals. If a child in your household is not included on the Letter of Direct Certification, sent to you by the SFA, or if you have questions, call the school at (325) 473-2511.

3. Should I fill out an application if I got a letter this school year saying my children are approved for free or reduced-price meals? In most cases, no, however read the letter you got carefully and follow the instructions. Call the school at (325) 473-2511 if you have questions or a member of your household is not listed on the letter. If your household does not receive SNAP or TANF, your children may still be eligible to receive free meals if your household income is less than the amounts listed on the federal income Eligibility Guidelines. Please complete the application and submit it to your child nutrition office. Head Start students, Even Start children, and most foster children may also qualify for free meals.

4. Can homeless, runaway or migrant children get free meals? Yes. If you have not been notified of free status under these categories, please call Jackie Timmerman at Bronte ISD (325) 473-2511 ext. 119 to see if your child(ren) qualify.

5. Who can get reduced price meals? Your children can get low cost meals if your household income is within the reduced-price limits on the Federal Income Chart.

6. I get WIC. Can my child(ren) get free meals? Children in households participating in WIC may be eligible for free or reducedprice meals. Please fill out an application.

7. Will the information I give be checked? Yes, we may ask you to send written proof.

8. If I don't qualify now, may I apply later? Yes. You may apply at any time during the school year if your household size goes up, income goes down, or if you start getting SNAP, TANF or other benefits (such as unemployment benefits).

9. What if I disagree with the school's decision about my application? You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to: Alan Richey, PO Box 670, Bronte, TX 76933, phone (325) 473-2511 ext. 111.

10. May I apply if someone in my household is not a US Citizen? Yes. You or your child(ren) do not have to be a US citizen to qualify for free or reduced-price meals.

11. Who should I include as members of my household? You must include yourself and all people living in your household, related or not (such as children, grandparents, other relatives or friends).

12. What if my income is not always the same? List the amount that you normally receive. For example, if you normally get \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only got \$900, put down that you get \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime pay, include that amount as income. If you do not normally get overtime pay, do not include it as income.

13. We are in the military; do we include our housing allowance as income? If your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include your housing allowance as income. All other allowances must be included in your gross income.

If you have any other questions or need help, call (325) 473-2511. Si necesita ayuda, por favor llame al telefono (325) 473-2511. Si vous voudriez d'aide, contactez nous au numero: (325) 473-2511.

Sincerely

Phillip Ratliff Food Service Manager



Send in your "Recipe of the Week" to o-e@wcc.net or The Observer/Enterprise PO Box 1329 Robert Lee, Texas 76945

2011 Ford Taurus Limited \$26,995 #7120 Silver Metallic w/Black Leather! Very Sporty! 2005 Ford F-150 Super Cab \$10,995 #K118A *FX4* • *Black* • 5.4 *V8* • 4*x*4! **2009** Ford Mustang Coupe #7116A **\$14,995** *Oxford White w/Tan Cloth* • V-6 • *Automatic* • *Fun! Fun! Fun!* #Z700A **\$14,995** 2006 GMC Sierra Ext. Cab SLE Dark Blue w/Charcoal Interior • Only 63K Miles! 2004 Ford F-150 Super Crew XLT #6321A \$12,995 White • 5.4 V8 • Capt. Chairs • Really SHARP! #7133A **\$23,995** 2008 GMC Acadia LT Candy Red Metallic • Black Leather • SHARP! #6310B **\$15,995 2007 Ford Explorer XLT** Dark Blue w/Tan Cloth • One Local Owner!!! 2005 Ford F-150 Super Crew Lariat^{#6312M}\$13,995 Bright Red w/Pueblo Gold accent • Tan Leather Capt. Chairs 2007 Ford F-150 Super Crew XLT#K080B \$13,995 Red Candy w/Tan Cloth Captains Chairs • 5.4 V-8 2007 Ford F-150 Super Crew Lariat#6319A \$15,995 Dark Stone w/Tan Leather Capt. Chairs • Bed Cover • One Owner!

2004 Hyundai Tiburon Coupe #6326A **\$ 4,995** Black • 5 Speed Man. Transmission • Great Fuel Economy! **2006 Ford Freestar SE Sport** #S000M **\$ 5,995** Dark Green w/Tan Cloth **2006 Ford Free Style SEL** #7118A **\$11.995** Arizona Beige w/Tan Leather • Rear Entertainment DVD • Great Mileage 2002 Ford F-250 Super Cab XLT #6033A \$ 9,995 Bright Silver w/Gray Cloth • 7.3 liter Powerstroke 2001 Mercury Grand Marquis LS #6279C \$ 5,995 *Light Ice Blue w/Blue Leather* • *Nice Car!* 2003 Ford Ranger Super Cab XLT #K058A\$ 6,495 Bright Red • V-6 Automatic • Power Windows & Locks 453-4561 Ask For: Randy Flanagan • Billy Wayne Roe