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**Time to file applications for Rendition, Homestead and Ag Appraisal**



Provided by Jackie Martin

The Scurry County Appraisal District wants you to know it is time to file your Business Personal Property Rendition, Homestead Application and ID1 Agricultural Appraisal Application. Applications are on our website, [www.scurrytex.com](http://www.scurrytex.com), under Online Forms on the homepage.

The important dates and notes to remember for a property or business owner:

- April 17 – Deadline for Business Personal Property Rendition forms
- May 1 – Deadline for ID1 Agricultural Use Appraisal applications and Homestead applications.
- April and May – Notices of appraised value are mailed in groups throughout April and May.

For homeowners, ownership before or during 2023 determines eligibility for the Homestead Exemption, among other qualifications. It reduces the property taxes a homeowner must pay by exempting part of the home's value from taxation for various taxing units. It also limits the amount your appraised value can increase to 10 percent annually unless an addition is made to the property. Commonly referred to as a "homestead cap," it does not take effect until the second full year that you qualify for a homestead exemption.

Although you can claim only one property as a homestead, a new law in 2022 allowed property owners to claim a prorated general residence homestead exemption on property that becomes their principal residence during the year. Previously, property owners could only claim this exemption if they owned and lived in the home as of January 1.

To file for your homestead exemption, provide SCAD with a copy of your Texas driver's license or Texas ID card with a picture ID and a completed application. The address on the license or ID card must match the physical address of the residence. The completed application and required documentation are due May 1 since April 30 falls on the weekend. File an application for the exemption if you are a new homeowner. You will appreciate the savings benefit.

Landowners that received Form 50-129 Application for ID1 Agricultural Use Appraisal from the Scurry County Appraisal District must return the completed application on or before May 1. (Texas Property Tax Code 23.54d). The applications were mailed in January. Wildlife Management may be a consideration if the property has been in agriculture production previously and the owner no longer qualifies based on the agricultural production standards. Wildlife Management qualification allows the Special Use Appraisal benefits to remain.

Business owners must provide updated 2023 information on the confidential Business Personal Property Rendition form. If your business was in operation on January 1, 2023, the rendition form must be completed. The mandatory rendition deadline is April 15. Businesses on last year's tax roll can expect to receive the rendition form in January. Business owners must provide lists of all business personal property in use on January 1. Your company is taxed on the value of business vehicles, inventory, machinery, electronics, furniture, fixtures, and equipment. It is state mandated we put all business personal property on the appraisal roll just as we must include all real estate. Business owners can and should participate in the process by accurately rendering their business personal property. The property is depreciated according to the depreciation schedule on our website. There is a 10 percent penalty for failing to file your rendition by April 17.

If you have questions or concerns regarding your property appraisal or the process, please call or come by the appraisal district. We are happy to help with education and assistance with any of our forms. The office location and mailing address are 2612 College Avenue, Snyder, Texas, 79549. The email is [scad@scurrytex.com](mailto:scad@scurrytex.com), and the phone number is (325) 573-8549.

**Commissioners**

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subject to call out 24 hours a day seven days a week.

Applications can be found on the Scurry County website and must be turned in no later than April 21. In person interviews will be held May 2.

Court accepted a first payment of Texas Opioid settlement in the amount of \$22,952. The county is due around \$75,000 from the settlement that will come in payments. These funds may have to be used for Opioid addiction education.

Commissioners approved a change in rate for the Scurry County EMS for stand by at athletic events. The previous rate for EMS was \$250 for the first four hours and \$50 for each additional hour. The new rates are as follows, \$300 for the first four hours and \$75 for each additional hour. Accounts payable were \$1,368,454.

**Blotter**

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reported at 1:42 p.m. Sunday in the 2400 block of 25th Street.  
A dog bite was reported at 6:26 p.m. Monday in the 1200 block of 28th Street.  
• **Fire**  
A fire was reported at 3:53 p.m. Saturday near the intersection of U.S. Hwy. 180 and CR 2151.  
• **Blotter Notes**  
Scurry County EMS responded to 18 medical calls. Thirteen non-accident, traffic-related calls were received. Ten welfare checks were requested. Nine close patrols were requested. Three alarms were reported. Law enforcement responded to 30 civil issue calls. Twenty-four 911 hangups were received. Three controlled burns were reported.

**Fish-a-thon this weekend in Towle Park**

The Boy Scouts of America, Buffalo Trail Council will hold its 26th annual Snyder Fish-a-thon this weekend in Towle Park.

The Fish-a-thon will be 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. with registration beginning at 7:30 a.m. Admission for the event is \$15 a pole for scouts and \$20 a pole for the public. No license will be required for the event.

The pond will be stocked with Channel Catfish and prizes, hourly prizes and grand prizes will be given out during the day.

No public camping will be available, but the parks department will allow Scouts and their families to camp during the Fish-a-thon.

For any questions or more information contact John Kelley at 682-331-0503 or email [john.kelley@scouting.org](mailto:john.kelley@scouting.org).

*Dear Abby*  
by Abigail Van Buren

**DEAR ABBY:** Last night I went to a party where my husband introduced me to all of his co-workers except for one young female who kept hanging out beside him. She's about 25 years younger than he is, and he's her boss. I thought it was odd that he didn't introduce me. I finally introduced myself because it felt so awkward. He often talks about her (affectionately, in my opinion) and what a hard worker she is, plus that her mother is going through cancer treatment so he feels bad for her.

of concern that they might be offensive, or seem to promote a product. I have to wonder why your father would wear a T-shirt with a message on it that he knew would offend the people around him. He does not have the right to censor what mail your mother can receive. Because your wife created the book, she has the right to determine its contents. She should send it to her **MOTHER-IN-LAW ONLY** and advise her not to show it to Dad.

Abby, my husband has worked with this young woman's father for more than 25 years and has always talked about how much he dislikes him. He says she's the "polar opposite" of her dad. These people are firefighters, and my husband is their battalion chief.

**DEAR READERS:** At sundown, the first night of Passover begins. This major Jewish holiday celebrates the most momentous event in Jewish history -- the liberation of the Jewish people from slavery in Egypt. Happy Passover to my readers who observe this important holiday. -- LOVE, ABBY

Our marriage has suffered because of his 25 years of alcoholism, and although he's no longer drinking, the effect on me continues. I have learned to pick my battles because he will deny anything that I ask or change a story so I seem "crazy." My question is, should I ask my husband why he didn't introduce me? The whole situation didn't feel right. -- UNCOMFORTABLE IN THE WEST

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at [www.Dear-Abby.com](http://www.Dear-Abby.com) or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

**DEAR UNCOMFORTABLE:** Sure. You have the right to ask your husband anything you wish. Whether you can get an honest answer from someone who regularly gaslights you is another question entirely. After he denies it, tell your husband how glad you are to know that nothing is going on because, unlike years ago, sexual impropriety between a boss and a subordinate could cost both parties their careers. Then, to ensure that you haven't been exposed to an STD, make an appointment with your doctor to be tested.

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**DEAR ABBY:** Every year, my wife makes a photo book of the family and sends it to everyone. This year, she included a picture taken during a nephew's birthday party. In it, my father is wearing a politically charged T-shirt, except she photoshopped the offending (to us) message out. When I asked her to not do that, but instead to remove the entire photo, she refused. She said there were no other good photos from the party, so her only option was to remove the message on the shirt.

I'm opposed because my father will be angry when he realizes his shirt has been altered in the photo. He will then bring it up at every opportunity and berate me, my wife and even my mother about how terrible it was to do that, and for us not to bother ever sending him another photo book again, despite my mother looking forward to it every year. What is your advice for us? -- OUT OF FOCUS IN FLORIDA

**DEAR OUT OF FOCUS:** It is commonplace for images to be blurred in the media out

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