

## Automotive

### Van for Sale

Full sized Ford 1986 Freedom van. Mostly original with a new cassette player. Call 336-5467 and ask for Jesse or Dan Herrera for more information.

### Van for Sale

1989 Ford Econoline Van with wheelchair lift. Has 89,000 miles. Tow package. Has 2 full tanks of gas. Would make a great work van. Call 688-9670 for more information.

### Pickup For Sale

2007 Dodge Dakota Quad Cab SLT pick-up - 4 door 5 1/2 foot, low mileage 53,000, 8 cyl/4.7 liter SMP-SOHC, 4 wheel drive, 5 speed automatic transmission, \$16,500 - call 719-688-0618 or 719-688-6348.

## Misc

### Misc. Tools and Stuff

Mantis, Honda 4-cycle, with thatcher & edger, 5 hrs of use, \$400.00 - Ryobi power washer, 3000 psi, extra hose, excellent condition, \$225.00 - 2007 12 foot trailer, single axel rated @3500 lbs. with sides, ex. \$750.00 - 1991 GMC 1 ton box van, very reliable, set up at present for const. \$5000.00 - Rockwell Jawhorse, new, as in never used, \$150.00 - Lots of antique tools, Lots of construction tools, great prices. Call 691-2384.

### Firehouse Carnival

On June 21, from 5:30 to 9:00 pm, the Lamar Fire Auxiliary will be hosting a Firehouse Carnival! The carnival will take place in the Bicentennial Park across from the Fire Station. There will be games and food during this night of family fun with your Lamar Fire Department!

# The Prowers Journal CLASSIFIED ADS

## Help Wanted

### Economic Development Job Posting

Prowers County Development, Inc. (PCDI) seeks a professional to fill the position of Executive Director to lead business retention, attraction, and development initiatives within Prowers County, CO. The Executive Director is hired and supervised by the corporate Board of Directors. Qualified candidates will possess a degree in Business Administration or Marketing, or a career equivalent. Certification as Economic Developer preferred but not required. Five years related experience, preferably in a rural municipal environment. Grant writing knowledge useful. Salary package of \$40-70,000 annually is commensurate with qualifications and prior successful experience. Application and Job Description can be accessed online at: [www.pcolorado.org](http://www.pcolorado.org) - or, can be picked up during regular business hours at the PCDI office, 1301 N. Main, Suite 103, Lamar, CO. Application documents will not be mailed, faxed, or emailed to potential applicants. Each candidate will submit the application, resume' and cover letter in a sealed envelope clearly marked, "Executive Director Application", deliverable by mail or in person during business hours to: Prowers County Development, Inc., 1301 N. Main, Suite 103, Lamar, CO 81052. Application deadline is 5:00 p.m. on July 1, 2013.

### Custodian

The City of Lamar is accepting applications for a Temporary Custodian in the Building Maintenance Department. Under general direction applicant will clean and maintain public buildings; make minor building and equipment repairs; maintain grounds around buildings. Applications and job descriptions are available at the Human Resources' Office, City Complex, 102 East Parmenter, Lamar, CO 81052-3299. Applications must be submitted in to the Human Resources Office by 4:00 p.m. Friday, June 21, 2013. Upon job offer the successful applicant will be required to have a pre-employment physical, drug test and provide a current motor vehicle record. EOE

### Mechanic, Senior

Under general supervision, performs a variety of skilled mechanical repair work to gas and diesel powered and automotive equipment; carries out a preventive maintenance program. Must possess or be able to obtain a valid Colorado CDL license. ASE certification or equivalent preferred. Applications must be received in the Human Resources Office, City Complex, 102 East Parmenter, Lamar, CO 81052-3299, by 4:00 p.m., Friday, June 21, 2013. Contingent upon job offer, the successful applicant selected for the position will be required to take a pre-employment physical, drug test and provide a current motor vehicle record. EOE

### Health Coach

Health Coach - Full-time position at High Plains Community Health Center located in Lamar, CO. Salary based on experience and education. Apply at [www.highplainschc.net](http://www.highplainschc.net). The position will be open until filled. High Plains is an equal opportunity employer. Veterans are encouraged to apply.

### Maintenance Worker, Senior

Under general supervision, performs a variety of skilled and semi-skilled manual labor in the construction, maintenance, and repair of public works, sanitation, utility operations, public buildings, and equipment; operates light and medium duty equipment and trucks up to 2 1/2 tons on a regular basis. Must have a Commercial Driver's License (CDL). Applications and job description may be picked-up at the City Administrator's office. Applications must be received in the Human Resources Office, City Complex, 102 East Parmenter, Lamar, CO 81052-3299 by 4:00pm, June 28, 2013. Contingent upon job offer, the successful applicant will be required to take a pre-employment physical and drug/alcohol test and also provide a current motor vehicle record. EOE

### Planning & Community Development Director

The City of Lamar is accepting applications for a Planning and Community Development Director. This po-

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## 5th Annual Walk for Life

Join the Care Net Pregnancy Center of Southeast Colorado on June 30, 2013 for the 5th Annual Walk for Life. Registration starts at 3:30pm with the walk from 4:00-6:00pm in Willow Creek Park. Contact them at by calling 719-336-1135 or stop in to see them at 201 E. Oak Street in Lamar.

## 1965-1970 Reunion Plans

Make plans to attend the multi-class reunion for Lamar High School, 1965-1970, on Friday, Aug. 9 at the Hott Spott on E. U.S. 50 in Lamar. Meet and greet 5:30 p.m. followed by music with Don Stephens on guitar. No cover; no hassle. Casual is key! For more information or to say you're coming, visit <https://www.facebook.com/groups/142407802509796/>.

## LPD Notice

The Lamar Police Department receives found property on a continual basis that includes bicycles, cell phones, keys, driver's licenses and numerous other items. These items are kept for 6 months in an attempt to locate the owners. We encourage persons with lost property to contact the police department Monday through Friday from 8 am to 3 pm at 336-4341.

## City of Lamar Stage 2 Water Restrictions

No Watering on Friday. Properties East of Highway 287 may water on Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Properties West of Highway 287 may water on Saturday, Monday and Wednesday. Watering hours are from Midnight to 6am and from 6pm to Midnight on your permitted days.

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sition will perform and administer all functions of the City's Community Development Department, including long range and current planning, zoning, building inspection, development review, building code enforcement, master planning, GIS administration, flood plain management and building permits. Also administers downtown and economic development, Historic Preservation initiatives, programs, and staff. Applications and job descriptions are available at the Human Resources' Office, City Complex, 102 East Parmenter, Lamar, CO 81052-3299. Resumes and applications must be submitted in to the Human Resources Office by 4:00pm, Friday, July 12, 2013. Upon job offer the successful applicant will be required to have a pre-employment physical, drug test and provide a current motor vehicle record. EOE

### Director of Social Services

Accepting applications for Prowers County Director of Social Services. Requires 5 years of responsible managerial experience, and Master's Degree. Close date of applications July 8, 2013, 5 pm. For application and job description, see <http://www.prowerscounty.net>, or contact Office of County Administrator at 301 S. Main St., #215, Lamar, CO 81052 or call 719-336-8025. For questions about the position, call 719-336-7486. Prowers County is an EEO employer.

## Real Estate

### House for Rent

1 bedroom home \$350.00 plus utilities. 719-688-4238

### House For Sale or Rent

3 bedrooms, 2 bathroom, on 9.2 acres for sale or rent. It's 2 miles west of Wiley. Please call 719-393-3281 for questions.

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### Code Red Subscription Information

Lamar was struck by several small scale tornadoes last year and in light of the devastation suffered in Oklahoma just days ago by a massive tornado storm, area residents should take note of a free emergency warning system provided for them as we enter a new season of potential severe storms. Code Red is a program which allows subscribers to be notified of different types of emergency situations in the community. The information can be transmitted via a computer, cell phone or land line, whatever means the subscriber selects on the application form.

A subscription page is available for this area on either the City of Lamar website at [www.ci.lamar.co.us](http://www.ci.lamar.co.us) and at the Prowers County website at [www.prowerscounty.net](http://www.prowerscounty.net). The information request is provided for by the Prowers County 911 Authority Board. Residents who register can use their landline or cell phone numbers to receive the alerts.

The registration process is quite simple and provides check boxes for the hearing impaired if text information is required to a special number for TDD or TTY devices. Emergency information and alerts will be sent to a subscriber for events such as severe weather alerts, water contamination, evacuation notices and emergency routes, missing persons, fire or flood, bomb threats as well as hazardous material spills.

Citizens can provide additional information if your address is a residence or commercial operation and if the building is a mobile home or manufactured one. Post office box numbers will not be taken on the form.

Additional emergency related information is also available from the city or county for pre-emergency supplies and preparations. A folder has been published which outlines supplies and procedures a family would require to provide for their basic needs for 72 hours. This information is based on the premise that your family would be without utilities or outside aid from any source for a three day period. *By Russ Baldwin*

### Affordable Online Pilot Program at Lamar Community College

(Lamar, Colorado; June 13, 2013) Lamar Community College is launching an Online Pilot Program this fall. A \$1000.00 scholarship is available to those who enroll in the program and meet

all of the requirements. The program is designed for students who like the flexibility of online courses and are seeking to complete a college degree or certificate. LCC representatives understand that many of our students have other obligations that make attending class on-campus difficult.

LCC's online courses are offered through CCOOnline which is a consortium comprised of the thirteen Community Colleges in the Colorado Community College System. Through CCOOnline Lamar Community College is able to offer its students courses they may not be able to receive on campus, including: foreign language, early childhood development, education, environmental science, geology, and paralegal courses.

As an added benefit LCC is offering tutoring, online support, an online orientation, mentoring, and access to LCC's computer lab for all online students. Every student in the program will also be assigned an Academic Advisor to assist in course selection.

Students who take part in the program must be Colorado residents, enroll in 12 credits, designate a degree or certificate, attend an online orientation, meet with an academic advisor and maintain a 2.0 GPA.

Online learning takes dedication, organization, and time management. Professionals at LCC will assist you in meeting your educational goal.

To learn more about the program please contact Deanna Siemsen, LCC Resource Counselor, at 719.336.1527 or [Deanna.siemsen@lamarcc.edu](mailto:Deanna.siemsen@lamarcc.edu).

### LCC Student Brady Rink Receives High Honors at FFA Convention

(Lamar, Colorado; June 13, 2013) The Colorado Future Farmers of America (FFA) Organization selected Lamar Community College sophomore, Brady Rink, as an Executive Committee Member at their convention in Sterling, June 4-6.

Rink, from Granada, CO, was a member of the Lamar Community College Livestock Judging Team during the 2012-13 academic year. He was also active in Collegiate Farm Bureau and was a member of the student senate. As an incoming freshman Rink was chosen as a presidential scholar and was also awarded a livestock judging scholarship.

"Brady was at the top of our list when we were recruiting. With his leadership skills and academic excellence, he was the type of student and livestock judger we wanted on campus" commented LCC livestock judging team coach John Ogdan. "It has been a pleasure watching him mature and become a better stockman and communicator. He has a bright future ahead of him".

### Lamar City Sales Tax—Down Monthly, Up YTD

City of Lamar Sales Tax Revenue dropped slightly for April sales collected this past May, according to the City Clerk's Office. There was a 3.93% difference, or \$10,500.53 between revenues for 2013 compared to 2012. Current Total Sales and Use Tax collections are at \$256,961.36 compared to \$267,461.89 in 2012.

Year to Date tax revenues still posted a gain of 2.5% since this January. City Sales Tax revenues were up a fraction at 0.70%, but combined with Use Tax collections and Other collections categories, there was a gain of \$35,717 year to date between 2012 and 2013. Total sales and Use Tax collections for the city are at \$1,462,430.24, compared to \$1,426,712.76 for 2012.

The twelve Retail Sales Categories for tax collections, year to date, are mostly split on increases and declines, 2012 compared to 2013.

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Auto Parts	54,203	59,864	55,745
Building Materials	34,176	42,762	39,827
Apparel	13,689	14,595	14,967
C Stores/Gas	40,367	41,019	40,281
Dept Stores	448,798	465,058	465,288
Furn/Elec	13,198	12,848	11,543
Grocery Stores	125,894	113,545	111,420
Motels	42,076	52,658	55,871
Liquor Sales	38,586	43,527	43,505
Manufacturing	3,514	5,613	25,492
Restaurants	127,896	134,019	135,312
Other	20,419	20,582	21,882