

July 19, 2017

# PUBLIC COMMENT SIGNUP SHEET

Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §153A-52.1, the Henderson County welcomes public comment at its meetings. Please note that each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes, unless a different time limit is announced. Also, the Board may adopt rules limiting the number of persons speaking taking the same position on a given issue, and other rules regarding the maintenance of good order.

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2. Ken Fitch  
**PRINTED NAME**  
1046 Patton Sh  
Hendersville  
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**REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**  
**HENDERSON COUNTY**  
**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**MEETING DATE:** 19 July 2017  
**SUBJECT:** Request for Proposals on Legal Advertisements  
**PRESENTER:** Charles Russell Burrell

**SUMMARY OF REQUEST:**

The County has received proposals for legal notice advertising for FY2017-2018 from three newspapers. Proposal, and scoring, is shown on the attached.

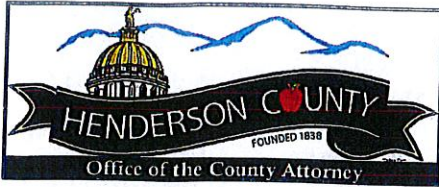
County staff will be present and prepared if requested to give further information on this matter.

**BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:**

Accept proposal of the *Times-News* for legal notice advertisements for Henderson County for advertisements placed after this date through the end of FY2018.

If the Board is so inclined, the following motion is suggested:

***I move that the Board accept the proposal of the Times-News for legal notice advertisements placed after this date through the end of FY2018.***



# LEGAL NOTICE ADVERTISING 2017

Proposal Summaries; Scoring

	Cost	Ranking	Points
<b>PROPOSER 1:</b>			
<i>The Times-News</i>			
Criterion 1 (per word cost)	\$0.15	1	85
Criterion 2 (per half-page cost)	\$240.00	2	10
			<b>95</b>
<b>PROPOSER 2:</b>			
<i>Hendersonville Lightning</i>			
Criterion 1 (per word cost)	\$0.23	3	75
Criterion 2 (per half-page cost)	\$206.26	1	15
			<b>90</b>
<b>PROPOSER 3:</b>			
<i>Hendersonville Tribune</i>			
Criterion 1 (per word cost)	\$0.18	2	80
Criterion 2 (per half-page cost)	\$290.00	3	5
			<b>85</b>

Compiled 07/17/2017 by Charles Russell Burrell

Witness JoAnne Henson

Criterion 1 Ranking (low cost to high)	Points
1	85
2	80
3	75
4	70
5	65
Criterion 2 Ranking (low cost to high)	Points
1	15
2	10
3	5
4	0
5	0



June 29, 2017

Dear Chairman Edney:

Eblen Charities has been helping those in need in Henderson County for a great number of years. Recently a number of organizations and business leaders have asked Eblen to expand their outreach to serve even more families during times of need.

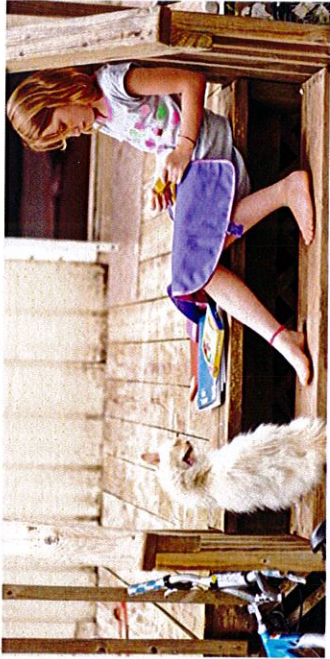
As we discussed any financial support from the county would help us assist more families in our community. While I realize your 2016-2017 fiscal year has ended, a contribution from that period would be meaningful in the lives of those we serve.

Thank you for your consideration and the service you provide to Henderson County.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J.W. Davis". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "J" and "D".

JW Davis



## Who we are

Eblen Charities reaches out to the many children, adults and families in western North Carolina who are battling the effects of illnesses and disabilities and others who find themselves in need of emergency assistance.

We realize that life, even at its best, continues to supply challenges that all of us have to face and when adding the challenges that illnesses, disabilities or unforeseen misfortune may cause, we know that families may need a hand to meet these challenges that no one should not have to face alone.

Whether it is assisting with medication, medical travel, medical equipment or supplies, food, housing, heating, or other emergency needs, the programs of Eblen Charities strive to help those families facing these obstacles and to breathe a little easier.

Eblen Charities constantly seeks out viable partnerships and alliances with companies, municipalities, individuals, and other organizations to reach out in innovative social ventures to help the friends and families of our community stop hurting.

Each year, tens of thousands of children, adults, and their families are assisted in their times of need, many whom would not obtain help elsewhere.

## With a Grateful Heart

"Thank you for helping me with \$100 to pay the deposit on the apartment I found. The \$100 helped me getting back on my feet and becoming a lot more independent and productive. Thank you."

"It's so nice to know there are people in this world that will extend such kindness, to those who are troubled and worried. You lifted our burden. Thank you so much for the monitor heater. May God Bless You!"

"Monday I read the sports section for the first time in many months. I even read the directions on the pancake box. This is to say thanks for getting me new glasses. It's like a new world. Thank you! Thank you!"

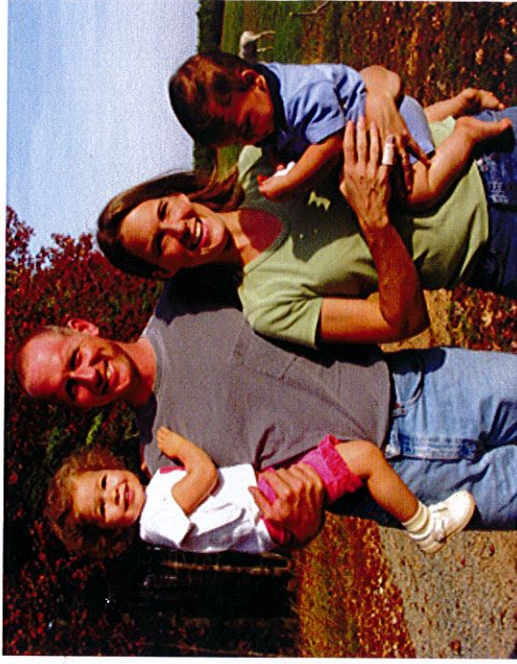
This note is written to you with a heart full of gratitude and thanks not just once, but twice you have extended your helping hands to me and my family and prevented my electricity from being disconnected. I have recently been diagnosed with a chronic illness that prevents me from working. Your organization saved my life.

Thank you so much for the helmet you provided for my son. He has a seizure disorder and falls often, unexpectedly. This will keep him safer."

"I feel blessed know you are there. Thank you so much for helping us when I was so desperate and afraid. I truly appreciate all the efforts you have made on my behalf now as well as in the past.



## Meeting the Challenge



**50 WESTGATE PARKWAY  
ASHEVILLE, NC 28806  
828-255-3066**

[www.eblencharities.org](http://www.eblencharities.org)



# EBLEN CHARITIES

## How we help...

### Did you know?

- Each year Eblen Charities assists more than 125,000 families.
- Our programs are open to all children, adults, and families living with illnesses and disabilities and or need of emergency assistance.
- All money raised remains in western North Carolina.
- Eblen Charities remains the top referral agency of the United Way and other local assistance agencies.
- Each year the Ingles Markets / Eblen Food for Thought program distributes tens of thousands of snacks to western North Carolina classrooms at no cost.
- Each year close to 15,000 families are assisted with heating and utility assistance through our partnerships with Buncombe County Health and Human Services, Duke Energy, Biltmore Oil, and other energy providers.
- Each year the St. Nicholas Project assists nearly 5,000 children, providing them a memorable Christmas.

### Emergency Assistance

Provides short-term help to those in need

### Medical and Medication Assistance

Provides medication, medical equipment, travel, physician and other medical visits

### Heating and Utility Assistance

Provides help with oil, gas, electricity, water and other heating and utility needs

### Food Assistance

Provides basic food needs

### Housing Assistance

Provides short-term rental and mortgage assistance

### Dental Assistance

Assists in providing emergency dental care

### Children Services

Provides children with a wide range of services including medical, clothing, food, school supplies and emergency assistance

### Corporate Partnerships

Assists in developing assistance programs and working with companies and non-profits to better serve our community.

### A Mission of Service to the Community

"God love you for all you are doing for the sick poor. Do not worry if you cannot help in big ways. Never think a small action for someone in need is not much. For what God sees is the love you put in to what you do. He will bless your little and multiply it like he did with the loaves."

Mother Teresa of Calcutta  
(in a letter to Eblen Charities  
Director William Murdock)



## REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

### HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**MEETING DATE:** 19 July 2017

**SUBJECT:** Closed Session

The Board is requested to go into closed session pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §143-318.11(a), for the following reason(s):

Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §143-318.11(a)(4), to discuss matters relating to the location or expansion of industries or other businesses in Henderson County, including agreement on a tentative list of economic development incentives that may be offered by the Board in negotiations.

Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §143-318.11(a)(6), to consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, conditions of appointment, or conditions of initial employment of an individual public officer or employee or prospective public officer or employee, or to hear or investigate a complaint, charge or grievance against an individual public officer or employee.

**Proposed Motion:**

***I move that the Board go into closed session pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §143-318.11(a)(4) and (a)(6), for the reasons set out in the Request for Board Action in the Board's agenda packet.***