


# School board to hire architect to begin preliminary stages for track

**By Pam Rowles**  
**The Carlsle Mercury Staff**  
**CARLSLE** — The Nicholas County School Board decided Monday night to submit an application to the Building and Grounds Department of Education for a bidding project for a track for the Nicholas County Schools. Nicholas County Superintendent Robert Gilbert said the money will have to come out of the general fund because the school can not sell bonds. Gilbert said after talking to coaches Greg Letcher and Chip Miller they felt putting the track in the hollow by the school. They felt the inside of the track could be used for a football or soccer field. The board also approved hiring the architect Robert T. Clotfelter and Associates to design the track only. The firm can give the board the best location and price which will be the best. Board approved given Lori Lane, director of Pupil Personnel permission to purchase plaques and take the bus monitor out to eat in appreciation for their volunteer service this year to the small children. Nicholas County High School Principal Greg Bent, Thomas math teacher at the high school and Roxanne Bow elementary math teacher discussed the current situation of having credited algebra at the elementary. The teachers and principals are going to meet and discuss this problem. The school board awarded the depository bid to the Deposit Bank of Carlsle for 1992-93 and 1993-94 school year. The First National Bank of Carlsle also submitted a bid to be the depository. The board chose the Deposit Bank over the First National because of the higher interest rates it was giving the school. The First National Bank currently holds the depository. The school board approved the Primary Program Action Plan for the 1992-93 school year. This is a plan of and strengths, which will be submitted. Gilbert explained to the board the school will implement a complete primary program next year for K-2. The state will require all school districts to implement this program by 1993-94.

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Gilbert said there will be 100 children who will work at their speed. The elder students can help the younger ones. When a teacher believes a student is ready to leave the program they will take a test to check their progress. The board acknowledged the request for the required notification from the superintendent regarding his hiring of classified personnel for 1992-93 school year. The board also approved the notification from the superintendent regarding the retirement of Clarine Shankland as coach, effective at the end of school year effective June 8, 1992.

# Hughes breaks tie on utility rate hike

**By Josh Shephard**  
**The Carlsle Mercury Staff**  
**CARLSLE** — Carlsle Mayor Frankie Hughes was apparently a point of contention between council members. On both ordinances, Charles Fay, Carmel Lester, and Fernmy Vaughn voted against passing the measure; Betty Burton, Ronnie Clark, and Doug Garrett voted in favor. With the vote split, Hughes cast the deciding vote which passed both ordinances. The ordinances were investigated and discussed over the past three months. In addition, the council also passed a first reading of the budget ordinance. During comments brought up by the council, Garrett reported that recently flood levels at the Carlsle Sewer Plant were very low. He suggested that the residents of the Lake Carmo permission to run a line from the residential area to the sewer plant. Garrett felt the idea deserved consideration. The sewer plant performs better when it functions closer to capacity and residents of the Lake area need a sewer service, he said. "For several years they have tried to complete a sewer plant themselves, but the cost makes the idea virtually impossible," Garrett said. Although Council members were not resistant to the idea, there was still a question of how Lake residents could afford to lay the sewer line and also about driving capacity up when two new apartment buildings are in the planning stages of construction. Council discussed the matter and moved on. Council will hold its next regular meeting on Monday, June 1 at 2:00 p.m. instead of its regular Monday evening meeting previously scheduled for June 8, due to several time conflicts.

**Publication of Names of Candidates For The May Primary Election To Be Held Tuesday, May 26, 1992. (Publication Pursuant to KRS Chapter 424)**

### REPUBLICAN PARTY

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United States Senator  
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United States Representative in Congress  
 6th Congressional District (Vote For One)

George Bush "Uncommitted"

Denny Ormerod  
 Philip Thompson  
 David L. Williams

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Tom Harkin  
 Paul E. Tsongas  
 Edmund G. Brown, Jr.  
 Bob Kerrey  
 Bill Clinton "Uncommitted"

Scotty Baesler  
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 J.T. Underwood  
 Christopher Bush  
 Harvey Carroll, Jr.

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Request for High School: 1) Request permission for Niki Smoot and Kathy Green to travel to Nashville, Tennessee May 11-15 to take part in a trip to Hill School and Blue Licks State Park on June 2, 1992. Two buses are needed. 2) The Primary Classes would like to visit Boonborough State Park on June 1, 1992. Broderick, Lane Hammond, and Dillon. 3) Request permission to take the Biology I and II students to the Cincinnati Zoo on June 1, Kathy Green. 4) The Senior Class of 1993 would like to request permission to take a senior trip to Florida during the spring of 1993. Senior class. 5) Request permission to take 20 students to the International Science Fair Exhibition to be held on Friday May 15, 1992 in Nashville, Tennessee for one day. Datson, Thomas.

Request for Community: 1) Request permission for the Nicholas County Baseball League to use the High School Baseball field in an concession building for 1992 season (minor league). 2) Request permission to use the baseball field besides the Nicholas County Elementary School and facilities for the period of April through August 1992. 3) The class of 1992 would like your permission to use the high school gym an cafeteria for a class reunion on May 20, 1992 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. 4) The Carlsle Rotary Club requests permission to have a Bingo on May 19, 1992 from 6:30 to 10:30 in the elementary cafeteria.

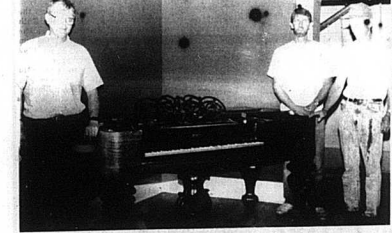
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# Council authorizes work to begin on Sycamore sewer line

**By Josh Shephard**  
**The Carlsle Mercury Staff**  
**CARLSLE** — Among the more expensive utility projects City Council of Carlsle plans for the next fiscal year, one of the more significant will be steps taken to upgrade the Sycamore Street sewer line. In preparation for budget sessions in 1992, the Carlsle City Council has directed City Supervisor Goyle Vanlandingham to prepare a comprehensive report assessing the current condition of the Carlsle sewer line system and a prioritized list of repairs and tentative scheduling upon which these repairs could be completed. The final report, based on repairs and system surveys of the city lines which began in 1985, revealed mostly the obvious, Vanlandingham said. Council has tentatively budgeted approximately \$153,000 to begin a system upgrade. Much of the repair work involves a host of "small" items, such as locating and raising manhole covers, grousing joints, and repair of minor leaks. Smoke tests and television testing, however, show most lines in good condition, especially those which were installed as part of a sewer line project completed in 1983. Smoke tests and video surveys of the verified clay line, basically a brick or tile line, uncovered little evidence of leaking or rain water infiltration. Among the scores of predictable problems, however, there are two or three major problems which the Council intends to address, Vanlandingham said. Rain water infiltration is arguably the worst problem with which city and sewer workers have had to contend. In the case of hard rain, infiltration into the sewer lines is the most serious problem. Rain water infiltration is also a problem for the sewer plant itself. But the

condition, he is not attributable to a single line, although there are lines which allow more infiltration than others. "Most people are aware of the infiltration problems along Sycamore street. It belongs to a much older type of sewer line. What our tests have shown us that most of the problems in the Sycamore line are related to weaknesses in the line joints, where the seals, a mix of fat and cement, flake off after a time allowing for leaks all along the line," Vanlandingham said. Because of the age of these lines, major replacement and/or repair of the line has been, for years, a necessity, he said. However it is not so bad that it would call for a state of emergency. Replacement of the entire length of the Sycamore pipeline would best be handled in stages in order to make the best use of what money would be allocated for repair.

A rough estimate of the cost to replace and repair the Sycamore line, which amounts to approximately 2,145 feet of pipe, is about \$155,000, Vanlandingham said. To install a pipeline of lasting quality and do the things we want it to, it'll be about that much. Finally, it is not possible for us to replace the entire line at once. Doing the work in stages is about the best way to handle it," Vanlandingham said. Despite the notoriety of the Sycamore Street line, Vanlandingham pointed out there are other problems demanding more immediate attention. "The worst, perhaps, is a stretch of line along Spring Street approximately 250 feet long. A survey of the Spring area, Vanlandingham has Street line revealed one fully slated for surveys of this section between manholes is kind, most involved with the little more than broken clay, main sewer line just west of it. Functions, he said, but it needs complete replacement. Vanlandingham has outlined the area as a "priority" video is an extensive section of line surveys performed. "Surely, the work plan to through the fields and down Mulberry."



The Carlsle Mercury Pam Rowles Photo  
 Mayor Frankie Hughes, Philip McDonald and Dorrey Walkers helped move a piano into the Carlsle-McCormack Public House. The piano tuner looked at the piano and is going to find the value of the gift. The piano is of rosewood veneer, with an unusual gold work on the top. On the front there is a pipe which says Weisler Piano Forte Company, W.F. Cochran, Suffolk, New York.

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SECTION 3. That a new section of Chapter 52 of the Code of Ordinances, 52-99, be and hereby is enacted to read as follows:

**52-99 - PENALTIES**

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this Chapter shall be fined not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00). Each day the violation is committed or permitted to continue shall constitute a separate offense. This Ordinance has taken effect as of March 19, 1992.

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