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Connections' 2026 Grand Can Sculpture Contest Features Rt. 66 Theme



Grand Can SCULPTURE -COMPETITION-

Rt. 66 Centennial Themed!
Construction Begins: March 24
Viewing & Voting: March 26



Alexander Shook
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Connections Food & Resource Center in Weatherford has opened entries to their 2026 Grand Can Sculpture Competition which is scheduled to take place March 24-26. This annual competition showcases local organizations' and businesses' creativity while also providing critical donations of various foodstuffs to support Western Oklahomans in need.

For a \$50 entry fee, anyone can register their group for the competition. Entries are limited to 12 teams total, so make sure to apply before the March 7th deadline. Once registered, groups are tasked with designing a sculpture completely built with canned goods and other shelf stable food.

For the Route 66 Centennial Anniversary, the sculptors this year have been given a prompt: their builds must depict a landmark featured on the historic Route 66 Highway. Elizabeth Amen, Director for the Connections Food & Resource Center, expressed her excitement on how this prompt can be interpreted in a number of ways to make the competition accessible to new and veteran builders alike.

"We know that for a lot of first time builders, there's a concern about money or needing to get a ton of cans," Amen expressed. "But sometimes, a simple build, like recreating signs on the side of the road can go a long way. You don't have to build a recreation of a [Cadillac Ranch] painted car or the spaceman."

From 9am - 9pm on Tuesday, March 24th and Wednesday, March 25th, teams will build their sculptures at the Connections Food & Resource Center's warehouse (122 S. 8th Street, Weatherford).

On Thursday, March 26th, from 11am to 5:15pm, any interested spectator will be allowed to view and vote on the year's best sculptures. Voting will take place through monetary donations given to participating organizations at the event as well as through liking photos of the teams sculptures on social media. After voting has concluded, At 6pm, several awards will be given to participants of the event.

To sign up for the contest, please visit their website at www.connectionscenter.org. Updates are also being [posted on their Facebook page](#).

Grand Can Sculpture Award Categories

- Best Use of Labels Award
- Structural Ingenuity Award
- Best Original Design
- People's Choice Award (\$1 = 1 point)
- Most Pounds of Food Award (1 pound = 1 point)
- The Grand Can Champion Award (The team with the most points wins)

2025's event brought in 19,260 pounds of food and raised around \$12,000 in cash donations for Connections Food & Resource Center. Those donations alone provided over 54,500 meals to families and individuals in need around Western Oklahoma.

"For us, we know that those cans are going to save that money for us to either purchase the next thing on the list that's wearing down here or put in the savings for a rainy day," said Amen.



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Kim Short

The world is a bit dimmer today, but the heavens have brightened with the passing of Kim Ellen Short. Many spend years trying to find a life purpose or meaning. Kim was born to Ralph Leroy Young and Lynne Maxine (Reeder) Young-Studier on March 13, 1962 in Wichita, KS, with every part of her being ready to become a Nurse/Caregiver/Mom like her mother.



Kim's early life was spent in Texas and Oklahoma with even a brief time in Weatherford where she attended kindergarten. Upon the passing of her father, Kim moved to Weatherford with her mother and sisters. Within a year or two of attending Weatherford High School, Kim's certainty of her future led her to find the clueless boy she would build her life with. He, however, took a bit longer to realize this destiny. When he finally called to make a date to see the movie Grease at the Vesta Theater, the adventure called life began for her and Jeff Short.

Kim graduated with the uniquely talented Weatherford Eagle Class of 1980 having already started concurrent enrollment at SWOSU with a Nursing Degree in mind. Kim married her high-school sweetheart at the beginning of her Senior year of Nursing School on August 6, 1983 letting Jeff believe it was his idea they should wed. She graduated with her Bachelor Degree of Nursing in 1984 as a proud SWOSU Bulldog. Shortly after graduation she passed her Board Exams to become a Registered Nurse.

Kim took her nursing career ever-so seriously, quoting the Nurse Practice Act, ethics and responsibilities as if words from the Most High, however, she connected with patients on a deeply personal level.

After a short tenure at the Weatherford Memorial Hospital, Kim took a job with the OK Department of Health as a Public Health Nurse.

In the late 1980's Kim was selected to be one of several nurses for the Department to begin a new program to bring advanced health services to underserved areas of the state through Pediatric Nurse Practitioners. With her cohorts, she attended courses daily at the University of Colorado at Denver for many months and finished a clinical practicum the following year leading her to the position of Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner-Pediatric Nurse Practitioner.

Although still the ultimate professional nurse in every sense, Kim reveled in caring for and loving thousands of children she saw in her clinics throughout western Oklahoma.

Many images, pictures, and memories are of Kim in the clinic floor playing and entertaining a toddler or child while she assessed and rendered care. She could comfort an ailing child so quickly by searching for piggies in the ear or showing them her fun otoscope.

Kim started her family in 1990 with a baby girl and then another. She was as talented a mother as she was a career nurse. A baby boy and then another girl in 1997 completed the family. She was a staunch advocate of natural childbirth without aid of anesthetics having taught childbirth courses at SWOSU and being a voice for breastfeeding moms as a lactation consultant through the Health Department, believing in Nature's plan as the best way to raise children.

After finding her niche as a Mother and PNP, Kim had always desired a Master of Nursing degree. While being Mom to the young kids, career nurse, and heavily involved in the Weatherford Soccer Boosters, Kim completed her Master's degree at night sleeping little and giving her all. She was humble, unassuming, with Super Woman's vitality and power.

After four decades of Nursing, Kim retired from the OK State Department of Health. She enjoyed children, the outdoors, OKC Philharmonic concerts, children, dinner dates with Jeff, children, and most of all her children.

Kim is survived by her high school love, Jeff; her daughter Kelley Short of Weatherford with grandchildren Lynne and Kade Yoder; her daughter Tiffany Dyson, husband Matt, and grandtwins Lynne and Louis of OKC; son Stephen Short of Web City, MO; and daughter Sarah Burchett, husband Eric, and grandson Carson of Hinton. All her daughters work in the medical field with two being nurses like their Mom. She is also survived by her mother, Lynne Young-Studier of Weatherford; sister Kristi Murphy with husband, Richard; and sister Keri Jackson with husband Robert.

Kim was preceded in death by her father, Ralph, and her stepfather, John Studier.

On January 14th of 2026 all the children, babies, and infants of heaven received our most precious gift of Nurse Kim. Toddler teddy bear dances and silly song marathons with maybe even a rendition or two of the Star-Spangled Banner have begun.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Kim's name to the SWOSU School of Nursing.

Linda Unwin

Linda Gail Unwin was born October 22, 1945, in Thomas, OK, to Chalis L. "Jack" Deaton and Zelma Maude (Crum) Hight and passed away Monday, January 5, 2026, at her home in Weatherford, OK.



Linda was raised between Thomas and Custer City and attended school at Independence, before graduating from Custer City High School in 1963. On June 2, 1973, she married Jerry Lee Unwin, at their home in Custer City. This union joined their families and children - Melody and Travis - together. They soon moved to St. Peters, MO where Jerry was stationed while actively serving in the military. Linda and Jerry moved to the family farm in Chester, OK in 1981 and this is where they welcomed their daughter, Jeri. Then, in 1988, they moved to San Antonio, TX. Upon retirement in 2005, they returned to Oklahoma, making their home in Thomas and in 2008 moved to Weatherford. Linda had many hobbies including sewing, doing crafts, quilting, woodworking, painting and cooking. To her grandchildren, she was "Gran". They fondly recall spending time enjoying these hobbies with her as well, especially sewing and cooking.

Linda is survived by her husband, Jerry Unwin of their home in Weatherford; two daughters, Melody Lynn Unwin and Jeri Nagle and husband, Corey; step-son, Travis Lee Unwin and wife, Sheila; brother, Henry Deaton; three grandchildren, Nathaniel, Zellie and Sadie; and one great-granddaughter, Jaina. She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Mike and Dennis Deaton; and one sister, Shirley Rigsby.

James Edge

James H. Edge, age 83, passed from this earthly home to his home with the Heavenly Father on January 17, 2026, at 4:59 pm. Jim was born on November 28, 1942, to Harry Frederick Edge and Alice Belva (Cochran) Edge in Kingwood, West Virginia. He grew up enjoying the sights and adventures of Shenandoah Valley in Virginia and West Virginia. Jim's dad was a EUB preacher and they moved frequently.



While attending high school Jim was involved in multiple sports. Following his senior year he immediately joined the United States Air Force. While Jim was stationed at Clinton Sherman Air Force Base in OK, he met the love of his life, Joan Mounts. They were united in marriage on April 24, 1965, at Sickles Community Church.

While serving 20 years in the Air Force we lived in Alaska, Nebraska, Arkansas and North Dakota and Jim was deployed to VietNam. Jim was a canine trainer and security policeman and was granted the opportunity to get his Bachelor of Law Enforcement from the University of Nebraska at Omaha, in 1971. One of his most memorable assignments was at Minot, ND when he felt a calling to do full time Christian ministry. Therefore, after retiring from the Air Force, he enrolled at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, TX and got a Theology degree in 1985. Upon graduation he was endorsed by the Home Mission Board of the southern Baptist Convention to be a church planter in LaCrosse, WI, and served there for seven years. He began hospital chaplain's training while there and for his second year of training, he had a one-year internship at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN.

He moved back to Oklahoma and became a Board Certified Chaplain at Integris Hospital, OKC, working there for about 15 years. Being an extrovert, Jim never met a stranger and was gifted with the ability to express compassion and empathy helping people to be open and honest about their concerns. Being an active member of Quail Springs Baptist Church offered him an opportunity to love and pray for members of our church Connect Group.

Jim is survived by his wife, Joan, of 60 years; their two children, Michael James Edge and wife, Tracie from Yukon, OK and Michelle Annette Edge Alexander and husband, Eric from Fletcher, NC; a sister, Alice Marie Edge Jones from Morristown, TN; his grandchildren who he loved and adored, Cheyenne Holland, Alexis Edge, Kayli Alexander, Allyce Alexander and James Alexander; and nine nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Harry Frederick Edge, Jr., Robert Patrick Edge, David Edge; and sister, Nancy Pauline Edge.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Quail Springs Baptist Church Food Pantry, OKC or to a charity of your choice.

The family expresses gratitude to Jim's doctors, including Dr. D. Foster, Dr. S. Chohan, the Integris Hospice and special friend, Robin Meyers.

Rob Heinrichs

Robert Sidney Heinrichs was born May 8, 1968, and entered his eternal home on January 14, 2026, at the age of 57 years and 8 months.



Rob never knew a stranger. In his younger years, our mom would tell the story of taking Rob grocery shopping with her. When she was ready to go, she would always have to look for him. She would inevitably find him talking to other shoppers in the aisles. He loved talking and making others laugh. Rob was an adventure and outdoors-loving person. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, and loved the mountains. Rob was a loving and generous PaPa to Kobe. They very much enjoyed their outdoor activities especially fishing. He and his family were able to visit Yellowstone National Park and the area around it several years ago, and it was a trip he thoroughly enjoyed and frequently talked about.

Rob was also a cowboy working on a ranch. His pastime was raising bucking bulls and team roping competition.

Rob is survived by his son, Kobe, his sister Cassie and husband Mark Moses, his brother Randy Heinrichs and wife Stephanie, and his brother Steven Heinrichs, and wife Sharbee. He joins his loved ones who have also passed into eternity: his parents, Wallace and Marjorie Heinrichs, his wife Brenda, and a host of other loved ones.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him will not perish but have everlasting life." John 3:16

Wayland Adams

Wayland Conaley Adams, age 82, of Clinton, Oklahoma, peacefully passed away on January 18, 2026, at Corn Heritage Village in Weatherford, OK, surrounded by his children and wife of sixty-two years.



Born on October 10, 1943, in Lamesa, Texas, Wayland was the son of Winston and Mildred (Beard) Adams. He attended both grade school and middle school in Lamesa and Welch, Texas, before moving to Colony, OK, where he completed his education and graduated high school in 1962. On April 12, 1963, he married his high school sweetheart, Ann Crissman, in Hydro, OK.

Following his graduation, Wayland pursued a degree in Medical Technology from Southwestern Oklahoma State University. He dedicated thirty-seven years of service to the Clinton Regional Hospital, where he made a lasting impact in his field.

Wayland had many passions and hobbies that brought him joy throughout his life. He was an avid taxidermist and a proud member of the Oklahoma Taxidermy Association. His love for the outdoors shone through in his passion for fishing and hunting various game, including deer, quail, elk, and pheasant. He cherished the time spent playing cards with friends and enjoyed summer RV trips to Colorado with family and friends. His dedication to family extended to his grandchildren, as he treasured attending their activities and sharing adventures in fishing and hunting. He served as a Boy Scout troop leader, instilling values and skills in the young men he guided.

Wayland accepted Jesus as his savior as a child in Lamesa, Texas. A pillar of faith in his community, Wayland was an active member and deacon of the First Baptist Church in Clinton. His devotion to his church spanned over forty-five years, reflecting his deep commitment to his beliefs and community.

He is survived by his wife, of the home, Ann Adams; sons, Bryan Adams and wife Judith of Sand Springs, OK, Greg Adams and wife Lori of Clinton; daughter, Deidre Hunt and husband Michael of Weatherford; grandchildren, Jacey Smallwood and husband Shawn, Britton Adams and wife Katy, Conley Adams and wife Kiley, Colten Adams, Allison Sinor and husband Josh, Dylan Hunt and Riley Hunt; great grandchildren, Brylin, Tinsley and Hattie Smallwood, Cooper and Kami Adams.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Winston and Mildred Adams.

Wayland will be remembered for his warm spirit, love for family, and dedication to his community. He leaves behind a legacy of kindness and compassion that will continue to inspire those who knew him.

Visitation will be from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm, Thursday, January 22, 2026, at the Randy Kiesau Chapel located in Kiesau-Lee Funeral Home, 2500 W Modelle Ave, Clinton, OK 73601.

A funeral service will be held at 2:00 pm, Friday, January 23, 2026, at the First Baptist Church, 900 Frisco Ave., Clinton, OK 73601. In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions, in Wayland's name, may be made to the church. Burial will follow service at the Clinton Cemetery.

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Since 2011, Lyric Theatre audiences have contributed over \$316,000 to the Regional Food Bank. The Lyric Theatre has announced its 2026 schedule. For tickets to next year's shows, go to lyrictheatreok.com.

"Thank you to everyone for making this yearly partnership with the Regional Food Bank a success," said Michael Baron, producing artistic

director at the Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma. "A special thank you to Lyric audience members who continue to take the message of Dickens' classic story to heart each night with their generosity and kindness."

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Stafford Air and Space Museum Announces 2026 "State of the Stafford" for January 31st



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The Stafford Air & Space Museum in Weatherford will host their "State of the Stafford" event for 2026. The event will be open to the public via RSVP on Saturday January 31, from 6 PM – 8 PM. Hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be provided.

"The evening is going to be a fantastic evening where we are celebrating a lot of our achievements and successes that we've had over 2025," expressed Stafford Museum Executive Director Julie Lenius. "2025 was a record year for us here at the Stafford Air and Space Museum, So we want to share a lot of that information with our members and guests."

The event will cover accomplishments the museum made in 2025 as well as a behind-the-scenes look at the events planned for 2026. Subjects of discussion include the STEM Engagement Center & Event Center's recent expansions and the new Shooting Star Park. The event will also cover Stafford Scholar opportunities, member benefits,

and some upcoming events planned for 2026, as well as the construction of a new event center where the event will be held, located to the right of the main entrance.

"It's going to be the first event that we host in our new event center, so that in itself is a good reason to come out and check out our new space," explained Lenius. "It's going to be one of the premier event spaces in western Oklahoma. We're really excited to kind of break that in and have everyone come and explore that."

Museum members are invited to attend the meeting for free. Those who wish to join will need to pre-register by scanning the QR Code or visiting StaffordMuseum.org/events-1/state-of-the-stafford-1. More information about the "State of the Stafford" and the Stafford Air & Space Museum can be found on their website at www.StaffordMuseum.org. Questions can be directed to Julie Lenius via email at Julie.Lenius@CityOfWeatherford.com.

CLINTON / SIDEWALK GRANT PROJECT
Clinton city officials are adjusting expectations on a previously approved transportation grant application tied to a sidewalk project at Clinton Public Schools. During the most recent city council meeting, City Manager Robert Johnston said there is a delay with the funding. "We all passed a resolution, and we finalized our grant application for the TAP grant," explained Roberts. "We got word today that they've somewhat delayed that funding project, so it's not going to happen quite as soon as we thought." City officials say they will provide updates on the funding and sidewalk project as more information becomes available.

CLINTON / SCHOOL THREAT - School officials and local law enforcement sprang into action after an anonymous threat was made on Clinton Middle School. District Superintendent Nathan Meget says fortunately it was a false threat. I don't want to talk about the investigation because it's still ongoing, but I believe the [phone] number was from out of state," Meget recounted. "A lot of us are having incidents where people call in [with] some of these hoax phone calls and I guess today was our day to be on that call list. I'm grateful that it was a hoax, and I'm grateful that our Clinton Police Department and OHP take these things very seriously." Meget added that, as a precaution, all school sites were placed on lockdown while the situation was under investigation.


CUSTER CO / ABSENTEE DEADLINE - The deadline for requesting an absentee ballot for the February 10 special election for the Weatherford school district is Monday, February 2, at 5pm. Early voting for the election will begin Thursday, February 5 and conclude Friday, February 6. Early voting will be held from 8 AM - 6 PM both days at the Custer County election board office in Clinton. Early voting will not be held on Monday, February 9, prior to the election. Regular polling sites will be open on election day from 7am-7pm.

CLINTON / CRH LAWSUIT - Clinton's lawsuit over the previous closure of Clinton Regional Hospital remains active as the city continues legal action against Alliance Health. Mayor David Berrong says the case is currently awaiting action at the federal level. "It's on the desk of a federal judge, [but] civil suits are handled in a different way than criminal actions. It's not justice delayed, is justice denied," Berrong lamented. "We still have a lawsuit that is sitting there that needs to be picked up by the federal judge and moved forward." The city will continue to keep residents updated as soon as there is movement in the case.

CUSTER CO / FLOODPLAIN INSPECTIONS
Custer County Emergency Management Director Hardey Sperlle says his department has been busy conducting floodplain inspections across the county. "I had some floodplain inspections last week," explained Sperlle. "Those have been coming in more so than they did the last couple months." Much of the work has focused on inspections tied to pipeline construction projects.

WEATHERFORD / SWOSU PARTNERSHIP - The Weatherford Chamber of Commerce is teaming up with Southwestern Oklahoma State University (SWOSU) to give local businesses a new way to connect with the community while cheering on Bulldog athletes. At a recent community coffee event, Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Kim Silman announced that the partnership includes a "Weatherford Chamber Night" with SWOSU Bulldogs, slated for February 19 prior to their basketball game against UAM. "It is open for our chamber members to set up a booth, so bring your family, coworkers, and you'll get to enjoy the game and really support our sports athletics."

ELK CITY / NEW PARK - A new park has been designed for Elk City and is expected to go out for bid soon. "We've got some green space. We'll have an event space with two pavilions, a couple of food truck courts," said City Manager Tom Ivester. "[We're] excited to have that for events right next to Main Street on downtown." The project is currently priced at \$1 million.



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Happy Birthday Wishes for Jan. 28th - Todd Boyd, Tina Goucher, Stacie Henderson, Johnetta Lindsey, Lara Menke, Zainia Moorhead, Pedro Rodriguez, Collin Shaw, Jenna Sheffield, Jamie Steffenson, Tara Stockton; **Jan. 29th** - Levi Feltman, Corey Fuller, Creelie Hamons, Chelsea Hughes, Farrah Humphreys, Que Jefferson, Krystal Kargis, Jacob Klassen, Donnie Lafever, Rachael Merchant, Rebecca Merchant, Liz O'Neill, Betty Prentice, Bob Smith, Duane Steinly, Kristen Stephenson, D'lese Travis, Clarice Whiteskunk; **Jan. 30th** - Hilda Bent, Mary Foster, Jessica Holt, Pat Reimer, Shona Stermer, Rachel Uraneck, Val Yoder, George Zatarain; **Jan. 31st** - Nocona Cook, Wayne Davis, Kimberly Hacker, Evelou Ledford, Tiffany Lightfoot, Glen Mavity, Sheila Meinhardt, Bruce Potter, Keagen Smith, Delores Thiese, Ryan Vandersee, Edie Visnieski; **Feb. 1** - Brandon Bell, Dennis Caler, Malorie Cartwright, Madge Cartwright, Addi Duerksen, Sheryl Franco, Blaine Gee, AJ Hamlin, Emily Jones, Jarred Jones, Cheryl Lockstone, Elane Lockstone, Adrianna Lopez, Mary Miller, Lisa Pebley, Cameron Purintun, Gary Seifried, Betty Woody; **Feb. 2** - Maghin Abernathy, Kraig Bartel, Sarah Bergman, Keri Brookshier, Sharon McDow, Eddie Mendez Jr., Tom Miller, Chris Renison, Jordan Sallaska, Berdella Slagel, Marty Spencer, Tyler Ussery, Sharon Watson, Carolyn Youts; **Feb. 3** - Steve Bieberich, Michael Brooks, Blake Clonce, Misty Duke, Cash Entz, Lee Hight, Misty Holman, Carrie Howry, Clarissa Howry, Faron Jones, Alicia Shaw, Kenzie Skinner, Wanda Smith, Jimmy Washa; Jamie Sutton, Delores White.

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HEIFERS (BRITISH BREEDS)
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Shorthorn Heifers
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 Sr. Division: Kylin Oakes (Arapaho)

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Southdown Market Lamb
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Hampshire Market Lamb
 Champion: Wyatt Lange (B/O)
 Reserve Champion: Cody Powers (L/S)

EWE
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Hampshire Ewe Champion: Wyatt Lange (B/O)

GOAT
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GOAT SHOWMANSHIP
 Intermediate: Talyn Wright (Hinton)
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SWINE (GILT DIVISION)
 Division Champion: Kaitlyn Bryant (Weatherford)
 Division Reserve: Tallys Wyatt (Hydro)

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Berkshire Gilt
 Champion: Kamri Bryant (Weatherford)
 Reserve Champion: Karlee Cates (Weatherford)

Chester White Gilt
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Duroc Gilt
 Champion: Kamri Bryant (Weatherford)
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OTC Discusses State Infrastructure Projects During Custer County Meeting in January

Two major Custer County transportation infrastructure projects were discussed earlier this month at the Oklahoma Transportation Commission's meeting for January 2026. OTC officials approved appropriating funds for engineering services for state highway 33 between Custer City and Thomas, and Oklahoma Department of Transportation's Executive Director Tim Gatz reminded the public to be aware of the impending interchange project that will soon begin construction at mile marker 65 and 65a on I-40 in Clinton.

OTC members approved \$2,078,500 to be appropriated to civil engineering firm Freese and Nichols for engineering services on State Highway 33 that seek to add shoulders, resurface the roadway, and evaluate skewed intersections in order to rehabilitate infrastructure in the corridor between Custer City and Thomas. Bids for construction on the project are expected to be open in the 2031 fiscal year.

ODOT's executive Director Tim Gatz also spoke about the upcoming I-40 interchange project in Clinton at mile markers 65 and 65a near Redwheat Drive and Gary Boulevard. The interchange project seeks to rehabilitate and reconstruct existing interchanges while providing better growth opportunities for the City of Clinton.

Gatz lauded Clinton City officials as well as ODOT District Five Engineer Will Snipes for their work in formulating a phasing plan that will turn what was seen as a 4 year project into something closer to a 2 year project, stating that officials recognized "that the best way to reduce the impact of a workzone is to get done with it."

Gatz also noted that construction of detours to begin the road work will take 2 to 3 months and "It will be a little disruptive on the main line of I-40 and certainly to the community and [we] want to give everybody a reminder that that's about to get started in earnest."



Weatherford Area Livestock Show Features Swine Showstopper Block



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Bree Bell (right) prods her swine during the event's showstopper alongside Jo Glover (left)



Krystal Blackwell / WM

Karlee Cates (right) gives Nikki Sparks (left) and her swine the greenlight to begin presenting during the Livestock Showstopper.



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Luke, represented Arapaho-Butler during the showstopper, helps to prod and brush his swine.

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Early Lead Slips Away in Road Loss to No. 25



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SWOSU Women's Basketball came up short Thursday night, falling 69-56 to No. 25 Northwestern Oklahoma State.

The Lady Bulldogs struggled to find consistency offensively, shooting 33% for the game, and were unable to fully capitalize on late opportunities despite trimming a double-digit deficit in the final quarter.

SWOSU trailed by as many as 16 in the first half before cutting the margin to six with 2:01 remaining, but could not complete the comeback.

SWOSU got off to a strong start, leading 16-11 with 3:01 left in the first quarter. Northwestern responded with a decisive 9-0 run to close the period, regaining the lead for good. That momentum carried into the second quarter, as the Lady Rangers scored the first 10 points to extend the advantage to 30-16. SWOSU trailed 39-28 at halftime.

The Lady Bulldogs made their push coming out of the break, turning in their best shooting quarter of the night in the third

SWOSU narrowly outscored Northwestern 17-16 in the period, but could not gain significant ground.

Despite Northwestern committing eight turnovers in the fourth quarter and scoring just once in the first five minutes, SWOSU went cold offensively, shooting just 4-of-16 in the final 10 minutes to halt the rally. Northwestern finished the night shooting 41% from the field, going 5-of-18 from beyond the arc and 16-of-20 at the free-throw line. SWOSU shot 11-of-35 from three-point range and attempted just six free throws in the game — all taken by Landry Allen, who converted five.

Allen led all scorers with 21 points and added six rebounds, six blocks, and four assists. Elle Papahronis chipped in 11 points on a perfect 3-of-3 shooting effort from deep and grabbed a team-high seven rebounds.

SWOSU was outrebounded 36-25 and committed five more turnovers than Northwestern, 18-13.

SWOSU (6-10, 4-7 GAC) will return to action Thursday night, January 29, to face off against Arkansas Tech at 7:30 PM.

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SWOSU Bulldawgs Fall to Rangers on the Road



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SWOSU Men's Basketball trailed for the entirety of the second half but cut the deficit to one possession late before coming up short in an 80-73 loss to Northwestern Oklahoma State on Thursday night inside Percefull Fieldhouse.

The Bulldogs struggled offensively in the opening half, scoring just 26 points, but turned up the tempo after halftime and stayed within striking distance throughout the final 20 minutes. Northwestern ultimately did just enough to hold off the rally, edging SWOSU by a single point in second-half scoring while shooting 55% after the break compared to SWOSU's 47%.

Despite the loss, SWOSU took care of the basketball, committing just seven turnovers on the night — tying a season low.

SWOSU briefly held a 13-12 lead midway through the first half before Northwestern used an 11-1 run to seize control. The Rangers pushed the margin to as many as 12 before halftime, but the Bulldogs battled to stay close and trailed just 32-26 at the break.

Northwestern extended its lead to double digits multiple times in the second half, but each push was met with an answer from SWOSU. The Bulldogs consistently cut the deficit back to manageable margins and pulled within one possession with just under three minutes remaining. However, SWOSU was unable to string together the stops and scores needed to complete the comeback down the stretch.

SWOSU shot 42% from the field for the game and finished 5-of-25 from three-point range. The Bulldogs went 16-of-23 at the free-throw line. Northwestern shot an even 50% overall, went 5-of-16 from beyond the arc, and finished 15-of-18 at the stripe. The Rangers held a 37-25 rebounding advantage, while SWOSU forced six more turnovers than it committed.

Kayden Carter led the Bulldogs with 18 points, eight rebounds, and four assists. Ty Frierson added 17 points despite a 1-of-8 effort from three-point range, and Kray Rogers chipped in 14.

SWOSU (6-11, 3-8 GAC) will return to action Thursday night, January 29, to face off against Arkansas Tech at 7:30 PM.

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