

**Planning and Zoning
Department**

Memo

To: Anu Gary
From: Brenda Brock
Date: 7/6/2026
Re: Z26-08 – Coburn Property
Z26-19 – Young Property
Z26-20 – Smith Property
Z26-21 – Smith Property
Z26-22 – Silverhill Enterprises LLC Property
Z26-23 – McKenzie Property
PID-26-01 – Pallet One

Proof of Advertisement for the Baldwin County Commission Public Hearing on 7/21/2026

Anu:

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The County Commission public hearing is scheduled for **Tuesday, July 21, 2026**.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Brenda Brock

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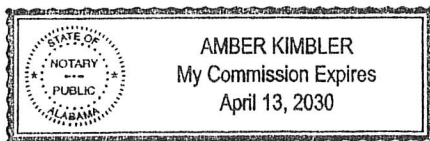
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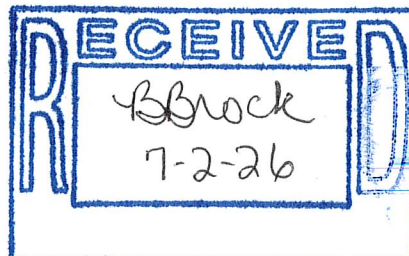
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and PID26-01

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A copy of the proposed ordinance, regulation, or amendment thereto, is available for public inspection at the nearest county courthouse or nearest county courthouse satellite office during normal business hours.

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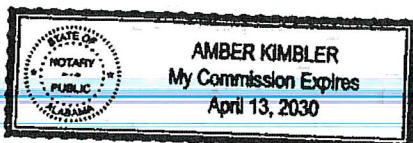
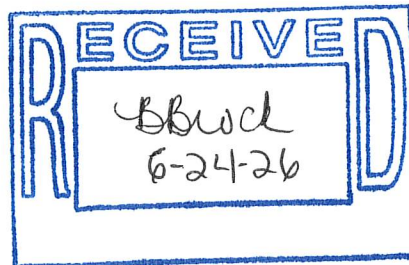
This 24th day of June, 2026

Amber Kimbler

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Notary Public for Alabama

My commission expires on April 13, 2030



After two years in Foley's Tanger Outlets, Ariat is coming to a close on June 22.

BY EMMA PARVIN
Gulf Coast Media Contributor

For two years, the fashionable leather boots and performance apparel at Tanger Outlets served as a local gateway to a brand named after one of the greatest racehorses of all time. But soon, the shelves at the Foley Ariat Outlet will stand empty.

The store, which brought the "New Breed of Boot" to Baldwin County in May 2024, will permanently close on June 22. The closing marks the end of a brief but busy chapter for the equestrian-focused retailer in the Foley community.

While the company remains a global leader in performance footwear for Western and English athletes, the Foley location is entering a final liquidation phase. To mark the exit, the store is offering an additional 50% off the lowest markdown on all items. This includes accessories, apparel and footwear, according to a post recently made on Facebook.

"Come see us and say goodbye," the store's post says in the announcement, noting that the timing conveniently offers a final chance for locals to find Father's Day gifts at a significant discount.

Founded in 1993, Ariat was built on the idea of bringing together athletic footwear technology and traditional equestrian boots. The company's name is a tribute to Secretariat, the legendary horse who won the Triple Crown in 1973.

That legacy of performance and "work" environment strength helped the brand find a home across the Gulf Coast's outdoor and agricultural workers.

Kind Cafe named for best bagels in AL

BY COLIN JAMES
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FAIRHOPE — In a town known for its artistry and food scene, a New York-style bagel and coffee shop in Fairhope has made national rankings as the best of its kind in the state of Alabama.

Recently, food website Chowhound compiled a list of the top bagel shops in every state based on customer reviews, awards and accolades. Kind Cafe ranked first in the Yellowhammer State.

"Kind Cafe is about more than bagels: it's a wonderfully friendly spot that's known for partnering with community-supporting charities and giving employees paid time off to volunteers," Chowhound said in its ranking review.

The site also lists Kind Cafe's bacon, egg, and cheese sandwich and blueberry bagel as standouts, calling the bagels "amazing."

To owner Alex Pical, the shop's recognition in a national publication reflects the business's impact, emphasizing it's his team that has helped them become a community staple.

"That shows the team that they're doing the right things and kind of helps reinforce what they're doing and the impact it can have in the community," Pical said.

Located at 108 N. Section St., Kind Cafe opened in 2021, serving not just bagels but also breakfast sandwiches, lunch sandwiches and coffee. In 2024, Kind Cafe was named an Alabama Emerging Retailer of The Year.

Pical plans to open another location in Greenville, South Carolina, where he and his wife have moved for work. He said the reason he is able to open in South Carolina is because of the work his team does in Fairhope.

"I didn't serve those bagels whenever they had them," Pical said. "I certainly wasn't the one at the register that was nice to them and asked them how their day was going or whatever else, and so it's the team here that is very mindful of our purpose and what we're doing every day and making sure that they are doing that every day that carries out to the community on why these things are happening for us."

Kind Cafe in Fairhope is open on Mondays from 6:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Saturday through Sunday from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.



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Spanish Fort extends coyote removal services contract

BY COLIN JAMES
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City of Spanish Fort has approved a new year-long contract extension with federal authorities to trap and remove animals such as coyotes from populated areas.

The extension was ap-

proved during a city council meeting Monday, June 15. The contract, which dates back to October 2025, is an agreement with the United States Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) that will be contracted to capture and euthanize those species. The new

contract will cost the city \$18,000 and will last through June 2027.

Spanish Fort Mayor Brad Bass told GCM the city has had issues with coyotes in certain areas such as the Spanish Fort Estates neighborhood, with families having previously spoken to city council about losing pets.

During the city council meeting, only one person spoke about the issue during public comment. The man said he lives in the Spanish Fort Estates area and supported the measure in controlling the coyote issues.

In addition to coyote removal, the contract also covers other nuisance species in the event they become an issue, including beavers, nutria, muskrats and raccoons. Bass said that while they have not had any problems with beavers, the contract does grant the ability to trap and remove them if issues arise such as beaver dams being found on private property.

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