Hughes seeks re-election as District 1 Councilman

I, Richard Deloney Hughes, am seeking re-election as District 1 Councilman of Aliceville. I am currently employed with the Pickens County Commission. I want you to know that I am committed to serving the town and want to continue to work with the mayor and other city administration. We have had a great experience, and I am ready for the next term.

I attended conferences with other city and state representatives and gained a magnitude of knowledge and information to help me better serve you. I attended various committees that affirmed many positives throughout our city such as raising revenue to cities, purchasing new equipment for the police department, repairing and upgrading sidewalks, and addressing the federal prison. I was involved in the contribution given to Summerville Fire Department where I presently serve as chief of the fire department. I am about keeping a clean and safe environment.

Some of the items I plan to address when re-elected are tax free weekends for the residents of Aliceville, a spray for killing snakes and germs. I’d like to see dogs under control, all dogs need to be on a leash or in a fenced pen.

Please don’t hesitate to contact me and talk to me about your situation, if you have a concern. I want you to express yourself. Also, I invite you to attend city council meetings to see what is going on in Aliceville.

Again, thanks for your past support and I promise you I will ask you to allow me to continue serving you. Aliceville, that is all I desire to do.

Please vote, Richard Hughes, for your councilman of District 1 on Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2016.

Bon Ami Civic and Services Club gives to Aliceville Elementary

Cynthia Gilmore, Secretary of the Bon Ami Civic and Services Club of Aliceville, recently presented a check to Aliceville Elementary Principal Russell Smart. The Bon Ami Club is a non-profit organization dedicated to serving and uplifting the community.

Rice honored at Alabama A&M reunion

Merline Rice recently returned to her alma mater, Alabama A&M University, for her 55th Class Reunion where she was honored with the Class of 1961 Achievement Award. The President of the University, Dr. Andrew Hughes Jr., represented the University to Mrs. Rice during the Class Banquet and her weekend-long festivities.

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improving access to cancer rehabilitation services for Pickens County at Pickens County Hospital via an Alabama Literacy Project, involving Pickens County School System, and thought in conjunction with Other Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) programs in Aliceville and other communities and ensuring healthy food options will be offered that will aid in combating obesities.

The four people who will comprise the followship will serve Pickens County for a year. The interns are from Tuscaloosa, Chicago and North Carolina. Fuller described the students as “Presidential type scholars.” The partnership has been funded with the initial amount of $500,000 and Kirk mentioned that he believed it looked good for an additional $500,000 to come through for a second year. Kirk, Fuller and Alan Harper were recently notified by the University of Alabama for working on this project. The following is from the University of Alabama: “As rural hospitals in Alabama are facing new means of delivering health care to small, spread-out communities, are being described as ‘rural Teaching County’ – a part of the University of Alabama’s Community Health Sciences – was formed to address health care concerns in Pickens County currently and in the future. This partnership brings new energy and human capital to Pickens County, while providing useful training opportunities for U.A. medical students. Organizers of the project foresee overall improvement of health in the community and a possible boost in its economy as positive outcomes for the collaboration.”

Fuller said the three were honored to receive the recognition and thanked the Commission for helping in the process. Members of the planning committee included: Annika Hall, Julia Breche, Jamie Chapman, Jonatha Halphenfeld, John Higginbotham, Buddy Kirk, Jeanne Lawrence, Adam Marshall, Shawn McDaniel, Craig Patterson, Pati Presley-Patterson, Rick Strother, Tina Oliver and Yolonda Smith.

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