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Board plans hearing on \$1.76 million budget increase

The Board of Directors of the City of Dodge is scheduled to hold a public hearing on the proposed 2013-2014 budget increase of \$1.76 million. The hearing will be held on Monday, April 15, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chamber. The budget increase is necessary to cover the cost of the new hospital expansion project, which is estimated to cost \$10 million. The board will also discuss the proposed changes to the city's utility rates and the impact of the new state tax law on the city's revenue.

Recreation Dept. to offer Zumba fitness class

Open house to celebrate hospital expansion



The new hospital expansion project is set to open in the summer of 2013. The project includes a new 100,000-square-foot addition to the existing hospital building, which will provide additional patient care space and modernize the facility. The new building will include a new emergency department, a new intensive care unit, and a new operating room suite. The project is a major investment in the city's healthcare infrastructure and is expected to create many jobs during the construction phase.

Starting Tuesday
VA's mobile office is coming to Liberal

Dodge City officials grapple with statue display

The Dodge City Board of Directors is currently debating the placement of a statue in the city square. The statue, which depicts a Native American man on horseback, is a controversial piece of art that has been the subject of much public discussion. Some members of the board believe the statue is a valuable historical artifact and should be displayed prominently in the city square. Others, however, believe the statue is a symbol of oppression and should be removed. The board is expected to make a decision on the statue's placement in the coming weeks.

Thursday
City to offer free Franchise Night for those wanting to open or expand small business

Authorities identify Colorado couple as airplane crash victims

Authorities have identified the victims of a small airplane crash in Colorado. The crash occurred on Monday, April 8, near the town of Silver Lake. The aircraft, a Cessna 441, was piloted by a man and his wife. The plane was flying at a low altitude when it struck a hillside, resulting in the deaths of both occupants. The crash site was located in a wooded area, and the bodies of the couple were found nearby. The cause of the crash is still under investigation, but it is believed to have been a result of pilot error.

Down town businesses setting the groundwork for organization

Local business owners are working together to form a downtown business association. The association will provide a voice for the businesses in the downtown area and will work to improve the area's economic development. The association will also provide a platform for businesses to share information and resources. The association is expected to be formed in the coming months.

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