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WEDNESDAY APRIL 23, 2014
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 Village Stage - Liberal, KS
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2 minor injuries in 3-vehicle crash
 by CHRIS PATE
 A traffic accident involving three vehicles on Tuesday morning resulted in two minor injuries and property damage. The crash occurred on Highway 160 in the southbound lanes near the intersection of Highway 160 and Highway 160. The vehicles involved were a 2012 Ford Focus, a 2011 Chevrolet Malibu, and a 2010 Honda Civic. The driver of the Ford Focus was injured and taken to the hospital. The driver of the Chevrolet Malibu was also injured and taken to the hospital. The driver of the Honda Civic was not injured. The cause of the crash is still under investigation.

City approves parking lot sale
 by CHRIS PATE
 The City of Liberal has approved the sale of a parking lot located on Highway 160. The lot is currently owned by the city and is being sold to a private developer. The sale is expected to generate revenue for the city and will allow the developer to develop the lot for commercial use. The sale is expected to be completed in the next few months.

County employees see slight raise
 by ROBERT BICE
 County employees will receive a slight raise for the upcoming year. The raise is expected to be around 2-3 percent. This is a continuation of the city's policy of providing a cost-of-living adjustment to its employees. The raise will be applied to all employees who are on the county payroll.

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Rep. Huelskamp to host Town Hall Thurs. in Liberal
 Rep. Louie Gohmert will be in Liberal, KS on Thursday, April 24, 2014. He will be hosting a town hall meeting at the Liberal Community Center. The meeting will start at 7:00 PM and will be open to the public. Rep. Gohmert will be discussing current events and listening to the concerns of the community.

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Concealed carry handgun class set for Sat., May 10
 A handgun concealed carry class is being held on Saturday, May 10, 2014. The class will be held at the Barton County Courthouse. The class is for individuals who are at least 21 years old and have a valid Kansas driver's license. The class will cover the basics of handgun safety and the legal requirements for carrying a handgun. The cost of the class is \$100. For more information, contact the Barton County Sheriff's Office.

Committee announces 2014 events for Cinco de Mayo
 The committee has announced the events for the 2014 Cinco de Mayo celebration. The events will include a parade, a festival, and a concert. The parade will be held on Friday, May 2, 2014, and will start at 10:00 AM. The festival will be held on Saturday, May 3, 2014, and will run from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM. The concert will be held on Sunday, May 4, 2014, and will start at 7:00 PM. For more information, contact the committee.

Barton County Commissioner dies in plane crash
 Barton County Commissioner [Name] died in a plane crash on Tuesday, April 22, 2014. The crash occurred near the town of Liberal, KS. The commissioner was on a flight from Liberal to [Location]. The plane was a small Cessna aircraft. The cause of the crash is still under investigation.

IRS employees with tax and conduct issues still got awards, watchdog report finds
 A watchdog report has found that IRS employees with tax and conduct issues still received awards. The report was released by the Government Accountability Office (GAO). The report found that the IRS has a problem with its award process. It found that many employees who have been disciplined for misconduct still received awards. The report also found that the IRS has a problem with its performance evaluation process. It found that many employees who have been disciplined for misconduct still received high performance ratings. The report recommends that the IRS should improve its award process and its performance evaluation process.