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LAKE TAPPS

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three local cities urged her to consider local communications before issuing a water right.

Securing that right is important because the alliance needs some certainty of water before it makes a major investment in pipelines and a treatment plant. The Department of Ecology issued a water right to PSE in 2003 as a hydroelectric project. The next year PSE did down its power plant, and the state has been reviewing that water right as a resource for the Alliance.

VILLAGE

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erished personnel. The highly praised homes of Discovery Village are part of the Army's Residential Communities Initiative program. The initial 10-unit building in 2002 with the aim of renovating or replacing existing housing at Fort Lewis.

More than 4,000 units at the base will be renovated or built in the program - part of 88,000 units on 45 Army installations. By the end of 2007, crews at Fort Lewis had renovated 2,022 homes and built 691 new ones, said garrison commander Col. Cynthia Murphy. Fort Lewis LLC, a subsidiary of Eversight Residential Corp., is building and managing the properties as part of a \$500-million program.

Army, we are investing our resources in our people because now, when it matters more than ever, we need soldiers and every man, woman and child.

Tuesday afternoon, Ericka checked out the walkie-talkie and joked that she had it, but she wasn't sure where her husband was going to store his clothes. Their 12-year-old daughter, D'Nica, considered which bedroom to use for the walkie-talkie. Even as the band set up outside for the celebration, the show will have opening every cabinet in the building.

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OBITUARIES & FUNERAL NOTICES

Hobron Carlton Grant
Born May 21, 1915 to Carl & Elaine Grant in Tacoma, Washington. Died Jan. 18, 2008. He was a master craftsman and a life long member of the First Congregational Church of Tacoma. He has wife of almost 68 years. He is survived by his wife, Beverly Hobron, his four children, and a grandchild. Services will be held at 11 AM on Friday, Jan. 25, 2008 at the funeral home. Burial will be at the Evergreen Cemetery. Contact: 253-272-1111.

IN MEMORIAM

Sandy James Harmon
Born 10-30-1982 to 1-23-2008
Sandy was a kind, gentle, and loving person. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Tacoma. He is survived by his wife, Beverly Harmon, his four children, and a grandchild. Services will be held at 11 AM on Friday, Jan. 25, 2008 at the funeral home. Burial will be at the Evergreen Cemetery. Contact: 253-272-1111.

RALLY

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for Life. The group organizes the annual event on the anniversary of the 1973 Roe v. Wade decision, which established a woman's constitutional right to an abortion. "She did the work of thousands. And now, as thousands, we are called to carry on her work," Nancy McEntee said.

March for Life's new president Nancy McEntee gets a hug from a supporter Tuesday after she addressed the rally at the Capitol in Olympia. McEntee stressed that her mother never wanted to be the focus of the event. Nevertheless, many of the speakers shared memories of a woman they described as unwavering in her faith and tireless in her efforts.



When Nancy McEntee introduced Sen. Jim Hargrove, D-Hoskins, she enthusiastically embraced his political party. "I remember Kathy introducing me and saying she was a Democrat," Hargrove recalled fondly. Hargrove was joined by about a dozen legislators, including Rep. Jim Dorn, R-Vancouver, and one who spoke to reference the 50 or so abortion-rights protesters camped across the way.

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Elizabeth Rye Waltrip
Born 3/29/1987 - 1/23/2008
Elizabeth was a kind, gentle, and loving person. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of Tacoma. She is survived by her husband, Bob Waltrip, and their children. Services will be held at 11 AM on Friday, Jan. 25, 2008 at the funeral home. Burial will be at the Evergreen Cemetery. Contact: 253-272-1111.



COLD CASE

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giving her a different look than the picture of the serious-faced girl that was released at the time. "I wish I could see her," said the woman who was identified as the girl in the picture. "I wish I could see her before her disappearance."

Elizabeth's mother, Thelma Lewis, pleaded in a recent interview that "There's somebody out there that remembers something that night and they need to come forward." Elizabeth was last seen about 10:15 p.m. Jan. 23, 1996, on a busy night at the New Frontier Lanes bowling alley, 4702 S. Center St., in Tacoma. As her family learned recently, the youngster played on a coin-operated racing game.

er Teckah went missing. A witness who saw the car didn't get its license plate number. "We have never concretely identified that person," Wade said. "Maurice Lewis has hired private investigators, consulted police and had countless night vigils. These nine years have been the roughest of my life," said Lewis, who has five other daughters. "There is just one thing missing from my file and that is Teckah."

Wade and Graham picked up Teckah's case over the summer, giving the file fresh energy to renew work already done. They approached Lewis and got the new pictures and home video tape last year. "The detectives hope that, despite the time that has passed, someone will come forward with new information."

Erbert AJ Ometh
Born 10/24/1930 - 1/18/2008
Erbert was a kind, gentle, and loving person. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Tacoma. He is survived by his wife, Beverly Ometh, and their children. Services will be held at 11 AM on Friday, Jan. 25, 2008 at the funeral home. Burial will be at the Evergreen Cemetery. Contact: 253-272-1111.

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