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## County Eye Newsletter



Becky Henderson will retire after 26 ½ years in the position. She was the first coordinator for both the 198<sup>th</sup> and 216<sup>th</sup> District Courts hired by retired Judge Steve Ables when he became district judge in January, 1989.

Kerr County will say goodbye at the end of the month to longtime District Court Coordinator for the two district courts Becky Henderson. Henderson has been chiefly responsible for coordinating both civil and criminal dockets for the two district judges in Kerr, Gillespie, Kendall and Bandera counties for the past three years and before that time for all 8 counties that at that time made up the 198<sup>th</sup> and 216<sup>th</sup> districts.

“This has been a very rewarding job,” Henderson said, “and I have enjoyed meeting and working with all the people that I have dealt with in all of the counties.”

Scheduling hearings, court dockets, dealing with attorneys, the related paperwork and preparing and managing the budgets for both district courts have been the focus of Henderson’s efforts. She said most of her time has been spent on setting cases for court action and dealing with attorneys related to those actions.

“I will miss all the people that I’ve met and worked with over the past almost 27 years... not the job, but the people,” she said, “I’ve loved working with all the many judges and attorneys that I’ve worked with all these years.”

District Judge Keith Williams praised Henderson for her dedication to Kerr County saying she has been a “remarkable asset to Kerr County and its District Courts.”

“She has had to multi-task every day,” Williams said “and has done so efficiently and with poise and grace in dealing with stressful situations and sometimes very demanding people.”

Henderson grew up in Kerr County but went to college in North Carolina and then went on to work for the Veterans Administration in Washington D.C. She also worked for an attorney in Virginia where she began a background in law. She moved back to Kerr County in 1989 to take the court coordinator position and in 1991 married Kerr County native Rusty Henderson. Rusty works for Windstream Communications.

Together the Hendersons have two daughters and one son and three grandchildren. Rusty and Becky have been longtime supporters of the Hill Country Junior District Livestock Show and its associated activities.

Retirement might not be exactly the right term to use as Becky will begin work after the first of August with the Cailloux Foundation.

“I am looking forward to new adventures ahead for me working with the Cailloux Foundation,” Henderson said.

An avid exercise enthusiast Henderson loves going to the gym, swimming and traveling. She and Rusty also raise registered border collies.

“Becky’s fidelity and steadfast adherence to her job and those she has worked with over the years are genuinely appreciated,” Williams said. “We will miss her and wish her the best in her new endeavor.”

Henderson’s position will be filled by longtime Kerr County Attorney’s legal assistant Christine McEntyre in early August.