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roast coffee beans on site. The menu will include specialty coffee and coffee blend products, other blended drinks, fresh baked goods, soups, sandwiches and other food items.

The Blairsville location marks the 11th franchise for Cabin Coffee Co. in the United States. The company also has locations in Colorado, Iowa, Minnesota, and

Wisconsin.

Blairsville will be Cabin Coffee Co.'s first location in Georgia.

In other restaurant news, Chick-fil-A is expected to be open in June or July. Work has begun on the site location. The eatery will be adjacent to Fatz on Georgia 515.

Representatives for Chick-fil-A submitted a sign permit application that was ap-

proved at the regular meeting of the Blairsville City Council on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

According to the Union County Building and Development Department, Chick-fil-A has submitted three site plans so far. The most recent submission dates to July 22, 2014.

The July 2014 plan illustrates a 4,528-square-foot building, with seating for 96

patrons within the restaurant, and outdoor seating to accommodate 15. Parking is proposed to have 49 regular spaces to 3 handicap spaces, totaling 52 parking spots.

Chick-fil-A bought the 1.02-acre lot from W. C. Nelson of Nelson Tractor Company, who also owns the piece of land between the proposed site of Chick-fil-A and Plott Street.

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have included different methods of fraud.

"The vast majority of these scams originate outside the Continental United States," she said. "Union County residents need to be aware of these scams or forms of fraud and take precautions when considering the validity

of the request received.

Capt. Williams says if you receive any requests to send money in order to receive any type of winnings, etc., it is a scam.

"Always remember, never, ever give your personal information out over the phone or in an e-mail," she said. "If

you receive a suspicious e-mail or an e-mail from an unknown source, don't open it. If you are asked for your bank account numbers, social security number, or date of birth, don't give this information out.

"We here at the Union County Sheriff's Office are

constantly striving to protect our citizens from any potential harm that could arise from these predators who are seeking to defraud you," she said. "If you have any questions, or we may be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call us at (706) 439-6066.

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honored to receive the award, it was a statewide award, and I am humbled," Worden said. "I didn't come here tonight anticipating this award. I have worked hard to do my job to meet the needs of the citizens of Union County. I have been fortunate to work for Union County Government, who has treated me like like family.

"I call Union County home, it is my home, and like they say, home is where the heart is. My heart will always reside in Union County."

Worden was born and raised in Union County and his heart has always been here.

"Receiving this, I hope I can live up to the recognition of this award, and can continue to serve and protect Union County," he said.

Commissioner Paris said he didn't know what Union County would have done without Charles Worden.

"Charles Worden is such an amazing gentleman and we have been so fortunate to have him in charge of our Emergency Services in Union County for so long (E-911, Fire Department and Emergency Management)," said Commissioner Paris.

"The average citizen does not realize what an asset it is in any type of emergency or natural disaster, to have a man who has dealt with every type of situation and intuitively knows what and how to react. "This achievement by Union County Emergency Management, is truly a well earned and deserved accomplishment and will pay dividends to our taxpayers in the years to come," Paris said.

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faced. He released Farner on an OR bond, his own recognition, Union County Superior Court records show.

Two weeks after his release, the Union County Sheriff's Office investigators were looking into allegations that Farner had molested a third victim. After an investi-

gation by UCSO Investigator Andrew Hammond, charges were brought against Farner again. On Nov. 24, Farner was charged with child molestation and sexual battery, SSgt. Darren Osborn said.

"Basically, we believe Mr. Farner will go to trial on the new charges," Sgt. Os-

born said. "From what I understand, the previous charges, well, it's up to the District Attorney what happens on those counts. I can't speak for the District Attorney."

Farner is being held in the Union County Jail, Sgt. Osborn said.

Dr. Elizabeth Wiles Board Certified in Internal Medicine

Blairsville's own Dr. Elizabeth Wiles is now Board Certified in Internal Medicine by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

"Certification by the American Board of Internal Medicine (ABIM) has stood for the highest standard in internal medicine and its 20 subspecialties," according to the ABIM website. "Certification has meant that internists have demonstrated – to their peers and to the public – that they have the clinical judgment, skills and attitudes essential for the delivery of excellent patient care. ABIM is not a membership society, but

a physician-led non-profit, independent evaluation organization. Our accountability is both to the profession of medicine and to the public."

To become Board Certified, a doctor must pass the ABIM exam.

Dr. Elizabeth Wiles is the daughter of Dr. Mary Beth Wiles, and the two practice medicine at Blairsville Internal Medicine off Pat Haralson Drive. They specialize in primary care and the treatment of adult disease. Each provider has privileges at Union General Hospital and Nursing Home.



Dr. Elizabeth Wiles

Please sponsor a Foster Child for Christmas



The Foster Children's Christmas Fund is asking for your help again this year to make the Christmas Holiday special for each child in Foster care in Towns & Union counties. The Volunteers of this Non-Profit Charity will have successfully provided Christmas presents for our Foster Children in both counties for (15) years, thanks to the generous support and contributions from the wonderful citizens of our area. We are asking for your support again to help make the special Christmas wishes for each foster child come true.

You will be given a "Christmas Angel" representing each child you agree to sponsor. This "Angel" will tell you about your child, their clothing sizes and their special "Christmas Wishes".

Please call one of the following Volunteers to sponsor a child: Pat Elliott 706-896-3749 or Richard Paolillo 706-745-1190.

If you would prefer to make a monetary contribution, make checks payable to The Foster Children's Christmas Fund mail to Pat Elliott, 2514 Buck Run, Hiawassee, GA 30546 or Richard Paolillo, 784 Timber Ridge Road, Blairsville, GA 30512; or deposit directly at the Park Sterling Bank in Hiawassee or Blairsville.

"All" donations go directly to purchase Christmas presents for the children. Thank you on behalf of all the children in foster care of both counties who will experience a wonderful Christmas due to your generosity! May each of you have a blessed holiday season!

Towns and Union Foster Children's Enrichment Program, Inc., a non-profit 501(c)3 charity.