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1. The title and abstract should be typed 10-point Times New Roman
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3. Following the title, type in **bold italics** the first name, middle initial (if desired), and last name of each author. Do not include academic degrees.
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Incidence of *Salmonella* in turtles at the Dunbar Cave State Natural Area, Clarksville, Tennessee. ***Don C. Dailey, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, Tennessee.*** The body of the abstract text would be inserted here without justifying the right margin.

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