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## FoodMaxx Superstore Opens



FoodMaxx Store Manager Michael Flowers is joined by supermarket staff, district managers and the Carmichael Chamber of Commerce to cut the ceremonial ribbon during the grand opening on August 2, 2023. Photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

By Patrick Larenas

**CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG)** - With the tightening of budgets across the nation, the FoodMaxx line of supermarkets has opened a branch at the Crestview Village Shopping Center in Carmichael, offering customers affordably priced groceries and related products. Guests were hosted by the Carmichael Chamber of Commerce at the supermarket's grand opening on Wednesday, August 2, 2023, with FoodMaxx district managers, managers, and staff, excited to serve the community from their location at 4708 Manzanita Avenue.

Its headquarters, based in Modesto, Calif., describes FoodMaxx as



Thomas Kelly Elementary School Principal Josh Costa (right) receives a \$500 donation from Michael Flowers on behalf of FoodMaxx of Carmichael. Photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

a "value-format, warehouse-style grocery store" which is part of a Kingswood Capital Management, LP portfolio company called The Save Mart Companies. With the opening of this location at the corner of Winding

Way and Manzanita Ave, FoodMaxx now offers 55 locations throughout the Northern California region, in addition to its Save Mart and Lucky California lines.

"We know you're going to love this store," said Carmichael FoodMaxx

Store Manager Michael Flowers. "We've had great leadership at this store for 40 years as Save Mart, and now we will continue do so providing the right prices at FoodMaxx."

On the occasion of its grand opening Flowers announced more than \$2000 in donations to local groups and schools presenting checks to organizations such as Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services, Del Campo High School Girls and Boys Basketball Teams, and Thomas Kelly Elementary School.

Carmichael Honorary Mayor Kerri Mandes expressed that she was grateful for socially responsible

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## Vet Clinic on Wheels Will Help Unhoused Pets

Sacramento County News Release

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Bradshaw Animal Shelter will pioneer a mobile pet clinic this fall to address the healthcare needs of pets belonging to unhoused individuals in Sacramento County. This initiative, named PAWS (Pet Aid and Wellness Services), will be the first of its kind in the region. Offering vital veterinary care on the go, the clinic's foremost focus will be on spaying and neutering as many pets as possible. Additionally, PAWS will be equipped to provide vaccinations as well as medical care and diagnostic services for ill and injured pets.

"By bringing essential veterinary services directly to unhoused pet owners and making spaying and neutering surgeries accessible, we hope to make a positive impact on both the pets and the individuals who love them," said Annette Bedsworth, Director of Bradshaw Animal Shelter.

The mobile clinic will operate at least three days a week, traveling to different locations throughout Sacramento County, strategically identifying and adapting its schedule to serve areas where these services are most urgently required.

In addition to the clinic removing the barrier of transportation, PAWS will also remove the financial barrier of essential veterinary care. All services will be sponsored by Sacramento County with funds provided by the federal American Rescue Plan Act.

Dr. Cynthia Metcalf, who joined Sacramento County as a veterinarian last month, will be dedicated to the mobile pet clinic full-time. This work resonates deeply with Dr. Metcalf, who understands firsthand the importance of the bond between pets and their human companions, especially during challenging times. She shared that her tremendous passion for PAWS stems from her father, a Vietnam veteran who became unhoused and was diagnosed with schizophrenia. In addition to her love for animals, Dr. Metcalf is compassionate about the complex reasons that can lead to people experiencing homelessness.

"This is very personal for me," Dr. Metcalf said. "I know what it's like to have a family member who has been unhoused, and I

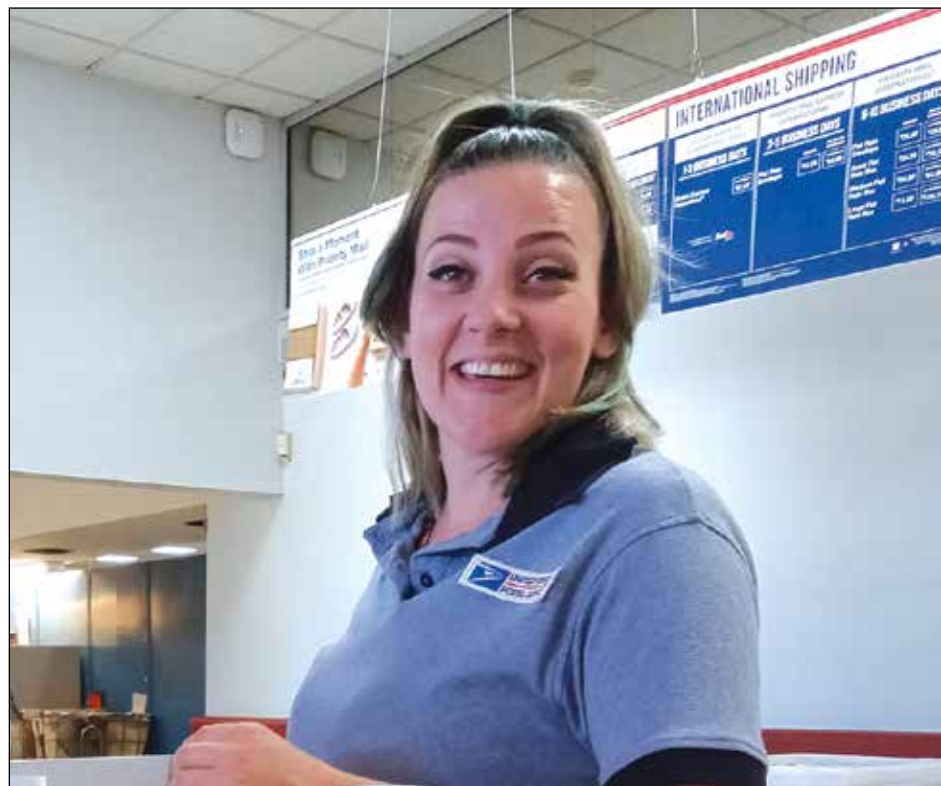
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## Carmichael Post Office Employee Commended by U.S. Postmaster General

By Tamara Warta

**CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG)** - In this world of text messaging and self-checkout lanes, face-to-face interactions still go a long way. Just ask Laura Winston, who works at the Carmichael Post Office. Through the completion of her daily job combined with a friendly attitude, Winston was awarded a commendation from the postal service last year and continues to win over her customers.

Rae Cavana, who has held the same P.O. box for 35 years at the Carmichael Post Office, is well acquainted with many of the employees at that location. Last year, coming off of a major surgery, Cavana stopped into the post office to retrieve a month's worth of mail she was unable to get due to her health issues. Knowing her physical limitations post-op, she did not bring her P.O. box key, as she would be unable to reach the box. Instead, she



Carmichael Post Office employee Laura Winston received an official commendation and recognition for her contributions from the U.S. Postmaster General. Photo courtesy of Rae Cavana

asked the postal worker behind the counter to retrieve the mail for her.

"The postal worker at the counter did not recognize me," Cavana said, "nor would she vouch

for my identity when I requested she try to do so. I asked for supervisory staff, and a superior responded the same way."

After being told she would be unable to retrieve

her mail without paying a \$14.00 key replacement fee, she began to experience significant physical pain and was about to give up on getting her mail

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# Fighting for Lyme Disease Awareness



Melissa Moya receives one of many treatments for her Lyme disease. Photo courtesy of Melissa Moya

By Tamara Warta

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)**

For as long as we've had a way to share news, stories of devastating diseases and how they affect lives are often shared both on television and social media. While COVID-19 held the headlines for a good three years, other illnesses have never been fully brought into the spotlight of public awareness. Lyme disease is an example of a condition we rarely hear about, especially those of us living in the city and surrounding suburbs of Sacramento.

Melissa Moya agrees. "I would like for them (Sacramento County residents) to know to take that extra moment to protect themselves before going out," says Moya, founder of Lyme Fight Foundation.

Moya's own Lyme disease journey started seven years ago, and it was a path she never expected to find herself on. Following a hysterectomy, she started to not feel well, suffering with aches, pains, and brain fog, among other symptoms.

"It took me three years to figure out what was wrong," she recalls. "I went to doctors in Sacramento and San Francisco, and even to the Mayo Clinic in Minnesota."

After suspecting a variety of illnesses including Fibromyalgia, Moya finally received her diagnosis of Lyme, Bartonella, and Babesia. Unwilling to sit back and live passively with this new reality, Moya formed the foundation in April of 2020. As she says, "My silver lining turned into the foundation."

Lyme Fight Foundation aims to educate, raise awareness, and provide information and resources. They work with both the general community and those who are suffering from Lyme disease and its complications. Lyme disease treatment is not typically covered by health insurance, and Moya herself incurred a cost of \$50,000 for one surgery. It can also be difficult to diagnose. According to Columbia University Irving Medical Center, in early Lyme disease the test



Moya with Sacramento County Supervisor Rich Desmond receiving a Board of Supervisors Resolution this past May, which was Lyme Disease Awareness Month. Photo courtesy of Melissa Moya

is negative 50-65% of the time. This is difficult news for an illness that must be treated as early as possible for success.

Known as "the great imitator" due to its penchant for being diagnosed as other illnesses first, some have claimed to achieved remission, but for most Lyme patients like Moya, the condition is chronic and lifelong. Her Lyme disease has broken through her brain barrier and also reached her heart. As a

former marathon runner and track coach, her days are now physically limited.

"Your whole day is really just going through your protocol," Moya shares, explaining that life with Lyme disease includes pills, treatments, and definitely a nap. "I can't do what I used to. I am usually limited to a couple of outings per day."

While the doctors never determined exactly how or where Moya contracted Lyme disease, she has

made it her mission to protect others from a similar experience. While she has spent portions of the past four years traveling to San Rafael for further treatment, she is also furthering the spread of information and awareness wherever she can here at home. Lyme Fight Foundation holds workshops and speaking engagements, provides medical and tick testing resources, and arranges peer mentoring. The group is also holding a gala on September 30 at the Gibbons Community Center in Carmichael.

When asked what was the biggest reward of running Lyme Fight Foundation, which consists of just herself and three women on an executive board, she says it's been the opportunity to talk with others who are dealing with Lyme disease, and the relief in their voices to find someone who understands. The biggest challenge?

"Getting people to realize how serious it is and to understand," says Moya.

Locals would be wise to listen to her. The

Sacramento-Yolo Mosquito and Vector Control District have discovered ten times more ticks than usual in 2023, including even on the beaches of San Francisco, which isn't a typical place to find them. Such an unexpected surge in the tick population is exactly why Moya continues her Lyme Fight Foundation work, even when she struggles to feel healthy most days.

"Everybody need[s] to know what [is] out there," she said, "where you can go for treatment... and have ticks tested if you find one."

If you would like to get involved with Lyme Fight Foundation, the nonprofit is always looking for volunteers and donors. Besides the upcoming Gala, the group can be found holding a Lyme awareness rally at the Capital, serving the community at river cleanups and at local races including the California International Marathon. You can visit their website, [lymefight-foundation.org](http://lymefight-foundation.org), or call (916) 628-6692 for more information. ★



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# FoodMaxx Superstore Opens

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companies in the community such as FoodMaxx. “I attended Del Campo High School, raised my children in this same area and shopped at this Save Mart, and I’m very happy that this community’s neighborhoods are being served and supported,” Mandes said.

FoodMaxx Vice President and General Manager Paul Gossett said, “Supporting the residents of Carmichael and nearby neighborhoods is an essential part of what FoodMaxx strives for, and we are excited to introduce the FoodMaxx value-format to this community.”

Gossett added, “With today’s shoppers facing ever-tighter budgets, our priority is to provide this community with the very best values, day in and day out, without sacrificing quality.”

Another attending FoodMaxx branch manager, Paul Laurell, who has been working for the company since 2003, explained that the chain’s expansion in the last 20 years has been largely due to its mode of bypassing middlemen and buying bulk quantities.

In a press release, FoodMaxx operations were described as a “non-conventional grocery store, beating grocery competitors’ prices with its innovative procurement and hyper-efficient operations, including its ability to buy in bulk, stock shelves directly from delivery trucks, and enabling customers to bag their own groceries – all of which allows FoodMaxx to offer budget-friendly solutions and pass along additional savings to its customers.”

Carmichael FoodMaxx is located at 4708 Manzanita Ave. For more information and store hours visit [foodmaxx.com](http://foodmaxx.com) or call (916) 979-9191. ★



Legislative representatives award FoodMaxx of Carmichael Certificates of Recognition. From the left: Mark Cullum from the Office of Assemblyman Josh Hoover; Kosim Latinov, special assistant for Senator Roger Niello; Kerri Mandes, Carmichael honorary mayor; Michael Flowers, FoodMaxx store manager; Iris Austin, special assistant for Sacramento Supervisor Rich Desmond; And Kelly Jacobsen, staff assistant from the Office of Ami Bera, MD. Photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner



Del Campo High School Girls and Boys Basketball Teams received a \$1000 donation from FoodMaxx. In the image left: Representing the Del Campo High School basketball teams – Don Gloor, Katie Fisk and FoodMaxx Store Manager Michael Flowers (right). Photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

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know how important our family dog was to him and how their bond helped him, so this program really resonates with me."  
PAWS represents a significant milestone in ensuring that the region's most vulnerable pets are able to receive medical care, and will help

reduce unwanted litters, pet overpopulation, and preventable diseases in the County.  
The operating schedule of PAWS will be posted on Bradshaw Animal Shelter's website once it launches. For more shelter updates, please follow the shelter on Facebook and Instagram. ★

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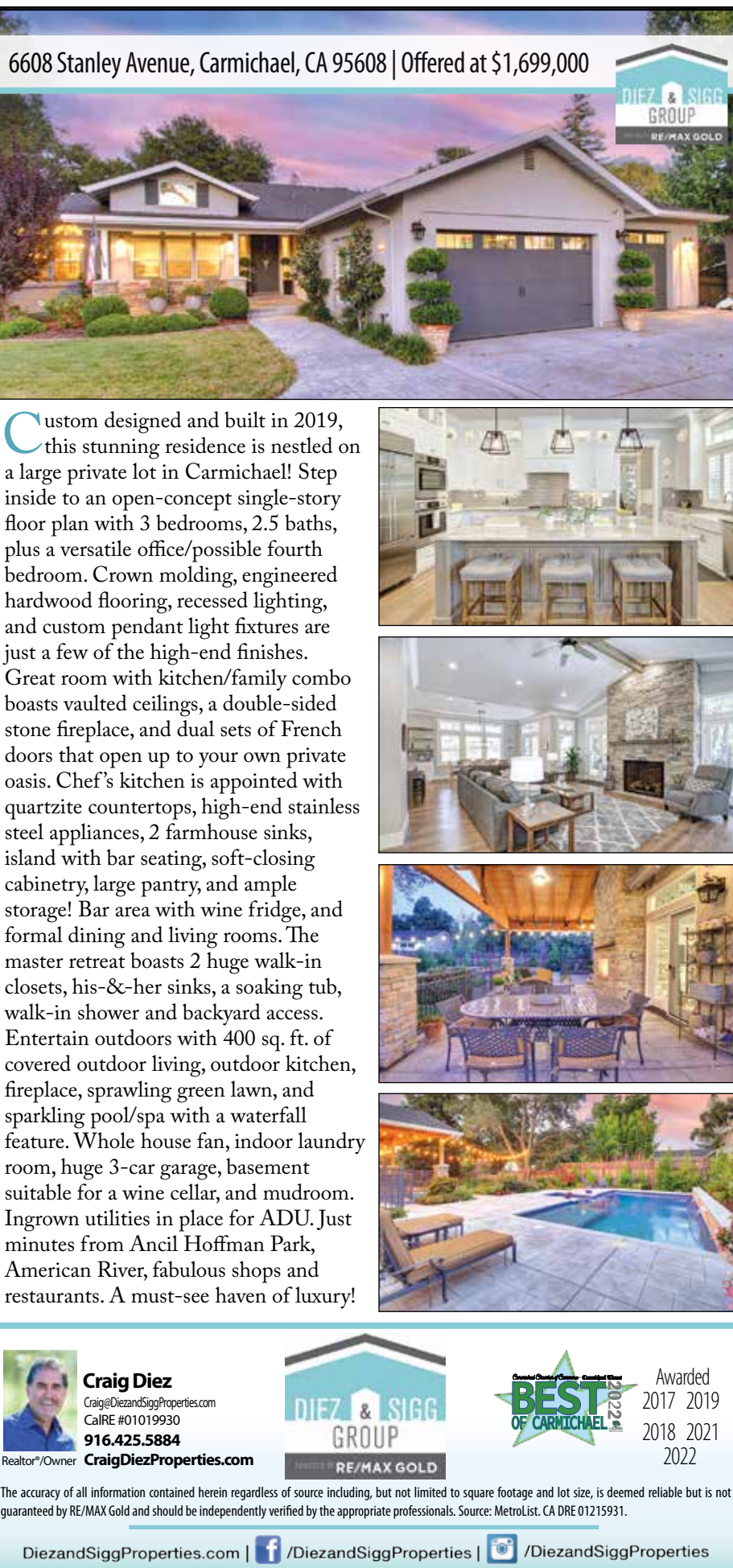
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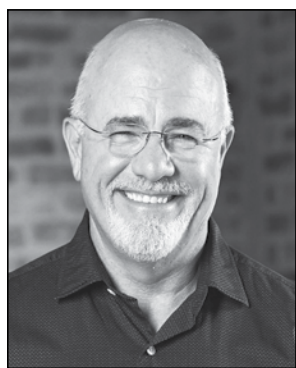
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## Dave Ramsey Says

takers and consumers. He's setting them both up for lifetimes of helplessness and ridiculous expectations without realizing it.

But yes, kids should absolutely learn to work, make money and manage it wisely from an early age. My wife and I gave nice gifts to our kids from time to time, but they also worked and made money for themselves. And the nicer gifts we gave them were for special occasions. Even then we didn't go crazy with things.

Still, the biggest problem you and your husband are experiencing is a communication breakdown. Your husband should stop being so impulsive, and grow a backbone where the kids are concerned. You've recognized this—and you're right about it—so it's up to you to take the first step in finding a solution.

Try sitting down with him, just the two of you, and sincerely explaining your feelings. Let him know you love him and how generous he is. But let him know, too, you're worried this is having a

negative impact on your children and why. Talk it out, openly and honestly, and try to agree on some changes together. There's a middle ground here, but it's going to take some time and effort from both of you to reach it.

Most of all, it means you two will have to communicate with each other like mature, caring adults, and pull together for the sake of your kids. It might be difficult at first, but it'll be worth it in the long run. For you and them.

Thanks, Kaytee!

– Dave

*\*Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national best-selling author, personal finance expert and host of "The Ramsey Show." He has appeared on "Good Morning America," "CBS This Morning," "Today," "Fox News," "CNN," "Fox Business" and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people take control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for the company Ramsey Solutions. ★*

### Love Them Enough to Teach Them Well

Dear Dave,

My husband and I are having arguments about money where our children are concerned. They are both 16, and I think they should have part-time jobs and be learning the value of work. He feels they're only young once and wants them to enjoy being teenagers. He also gives them money anytime they ask. I want our kids to have fun, too, but this is beginning to cause tension in our relationship. I'd love your advice.

– Kaytee

Dear Kaytee,

I understand your concern. I'm sure your husband has a good heart, but by doing this he's acting like a friend instead of a parent. In the process, he's allowing them to be nothing but

## Carmichael Post Office Employee Commended by U.S. Postmaster General

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through any help from the workers. Then, Laura Winston stepped in from the neighboring counter.

"She said, 'Rae, I've got your mail for you,'" Cavana recalls, "She gently instructed me to meet her at my box. I was rejuvenated by this hopeful interaction."

So rejuvenated, in fact, that Cavana went on to write an email to the United States Postmaster General, the highest postal authority in the country. When she only received a form response from a Postmaster admin, she tried again – this time locally. In August of 2022, Winston received a Certificate of Appreciation from the local division of the Post Office.

With an email acknowledgement from the Postmaster General's office and a regional award under her belt, Laura Winston continues to work at the Carmichael Post Office a year later, greeting customers with her friendly and helpful demeanor.

When asked about last summer's

interaction with Cavana, Winston recalls it well, "She always comes in with a smile and a story to tell. She lightens up the day. This particular day she was not smiling or talking much, and I could tell she was not feeling well. I just wanted to help make her day a little better and was just being nice like usual. I take pride in taking care of my customers."

Winston has worked for the postal service for seven years and plans to stick around for many years to come.

"Working with the general public can be difficult but it's not difficult to just be nice," Winston said, "You never know anyone's story and why they're having a hard day. I've heard many customers tell me that I helped make their day just a little better. It feels good for people to come in the post office waiting to see their favorite clerk."

Next time you are inside of the Carmichael Post Office and you see Laura Winston or one of her co-workers, consider remembering Rae Cavana's story and greet these hard workers with a smile. ★

## SMUD Named Nation's Most Sustainable Utility by J.D. Power Index

### SMUD News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - SMUD ranked first in the 2023 J.D. Power Sustainability Index, a comprehensive evaluation of the nation's largest electric utilities' customer awareness, engagement and advocacy related to their local climate sustainability programs and goals.

Drawing from established J.D. Power customer satisfaction and environmental metrics, the index includes 35 of the largest U.S. electric utility companies with 500,000 or more residential customers, serving as an industry benchmark to assess the utility's standing as a climate leader.

"SMUD is setting the standard for environmental leadership and utility service excellence," said CEO and General Manager Paul Lau. "SMUD is taking sustainability to the next level with our industry-leading goal to remove all carbon emissions from our power supply by 2030. We're delivering on that goal in a way that maintains reliability, keeps rates low, enhances our electric programs and services, and benefits our diverse communities. As we responsibly progress toward a clean energy future, SMUD is unwavering in our commitment to world-class reliability and continuing to keep SMUD's rates among California's lowest. This recognition underscores our decades-long commitment to environmental leadership and innovation, which continues to power the Sacramento region forward."

SMUD is completely transforming the Sacramento region's power supply and supporting electrification of buildings and transportation for a clean energy future and economy. SMUD's 2030 Zero Carbon Plan is a comprehensive blueprint

to achieve regional decarbonization, sustainability and an energy transition that leaves no community behind. The plan is among the most aggressive decarbonization initiatives of any major utility in the nation and centers on several key strategies, including:

Substantial increases in renewable energy sources, battery storage and related technologies; Adoption of zero carbon innovation to engage the wider community in carbon-reducing activities; Retirement of thermal plants; Strategic partnerships to optimize costs and maintain competitive rates, and; Workforce development programs and education opportunities that support clean energy careers.

Through a long-standing commitment to community connection and engagement, SMUD cultivates innovative pathways for customers to lower utility costs and actively participate in reducing their carbon footprint. Building on our unwavering support for EV adoption that started decades ago, SMUD continues to be a driving force for positive change, collaborating closely with customers. Through an array of SMUD programs, including virtual power plants, managed-EV charging solutions, electrification incentives, residential and commercial workshops on emerging energy technologies, EV test-drive forums and a variety of related initiatives, all communities are invited to actively participate in shaping a greener future.

In 2022, SMUD became the first recipient of J.D. Power's Power Certified Sustainability Leader designation, which acknowledges SMUD's outstanding customer service and ambitious vision of achieving a carbon-free power supply by 2030. ★

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# Proposals In California Legislature Would Encourage Government Secrecy



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

Bill McEwen, a columnist for San Joaquin Valley news site GV Wire, posed several of what he considered to be routine factual questions to the state Department of Public Health last week about a mysterious laboratory discovered in the small town of Reedley.

The laboratory, in an abandoned warehouse, contained mice, biological fluids and samples of dreaded diseases including HIV, malaria and COVID-19. Federal and state investigators are delving into the situation, which surfaced when a city building code inspector noticed a hose snaking out of a wall in the warehouse.

McEwen wanted to know how the department oversees laboratories, how often they are inspected and how illegal labs get discovered. But he got nowhere. Department officials refused to answer even the most basic operational questions and told McEwen to search their website to find answers.

“Administration of @GavinNewsom has zero commitment to transparency,” McEwen tweeted in frustration.

It was an example of what reporters and others have increasingly experienced in recent years as they attempt to decipher what politicians and bureaucrats are doing.

It’s not hyperbole to say that a wall of secrecy has been erected around the state Capitol and the surrounding complex of buildings housing state agencies.

It was beginning to happen before COVID-19 struck the state in 2020 but it worsened during the pandemic as Gov. Gavin Newsom wielded emergency powers that suspended many of the “sunshine laws” governing open meetings, open records and other forms of access.

Newsom and other officials became used to operating out of public view and even after the pandemic eased, they continued the same practices.

The post-pandemic syndrome manifests itself not only in politicians and other officials seeking to avoid the give-and-take of direct questioning by reporters, as McEwen learned, but in the proliferation of meetings that are accessible only via internet.

California’s First Amendment Coalition, which attempts to preserve access to governmental records and meetings, may be fighting an uphill battle as the Legislature moves several measures that would reinforce closed door government, to wit:

•Senate Bill 544, which passed the Senate on a 26-3 vote and now pending in the Assembly, would amend the state Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, which governs state boards and commissions, by permanently allowing them to conduct meetings without in-person attendance, allowing only internet or telephonic access by the public.

•Senate Bill 537, also pending in the Assembly after 32-8 Senate approval, would amend the Ralph M. Brown

Act, which governs local governments, to similarly allow “multi-jurisdictional, cross-county local agencies with appointed members” to meet via teleconference “without posting agendas at each teleconference location, identifying each teleconference location in the notice and agenda, making each teleconference location accessible to the public, and requiring at least a quorum of the eligible legislative body to participate from within the local agency’s jurisdiction...”

•Senate Bill 411, approved by the Senate on a 30-5 vote and also pending in the Assembly, would allow such teleconference meetings by “neighborhood councils” without in-person access and is specifically aimed at 99 such bodies in Los Angeles.

GINNY LaRoe, advocacy director of the First Amendment Coalition, captured the essence of these measures in her comment on SB 544: “SB 544 rewrites the Bagley-Keene Open Meetings Act to allow officials serving on any state body – think CPUC, POST, State Bar and many more – to never again show up in person to a physical meeting location. This is government by telephone.”

The three bills have garnered a string of critical newspaper editorials – reflecting the fact that journalists are particularly affected by creeping official secrecy – but they nevertheless continue to advance.

In California, sunshine is giving way to darkness.

*Dan Walters has been a journalist for more than 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. ★*

# Social Security Matters

## I’m a Veteran. How Do I Get My Extra Social Security?



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

**Dear Rusty:** As a military veteran, I was told that the final amount of my Social Security should be a little higher as a reward for military service. If so, I have two questions: 1. How much is the boost? 2. How can I know that amount has been applied? **Signed: Unsure**

**Dear Unsure:** We receive questions about this fairly often from our military veterans. I want to first thank you for your service to our country and then assure you that, as a military veteran myself, I have thoroughly investigated this subject - the so-called “Special Extra Credit for Military Service,” which is widely misunderstood. Although someone suggested that your Social Security benefit “is supposed to be a little higher” because you are a military veteran, allow me to share how this somewhat obscure rule actually works.

Any extra money for military veterans does not come in the form of a special “boost” to their Social Security benefit because of their military service; instead, certain older veterans receive extra credit to their earnings for the years they served. Those extra earnings are applied only to those who served in specific years, as additional dollars added to their actual earnings record for their service-years. The amount added to the veteran’s

true service-year earnings varies a bit depending on which years you served. For example, if you served between 1957 – 1977, your actual earnings for each service-year would be increased by \$300 for each full quarter you had active duty pay to a maximum of \$1200 additional earnings per service-year. The credit is computed a bit differently for those who served between 1978 – 2001, but the maximum annual earnings credit for those service years is the same - \$1,200. And, for clarity, those who served before 1957 get extra earnings credit under an entirely different formula, and those who served after 2001 receive no extra credits for their military service years.

So how might this affect your Social Security benefit? Well, when your benefit is claimed, Social Security reviews your lifetime earnings record, inflates each actual annual amount to equal today’s dollar equivalent, and selects the highest earning 35 years from your lifetime record to calculate your “Primary Insurance Amount” or “PIA” (your PIA is the amount you are entitled to at full retirement age). If your military service-years are among the 35 years used to compute your PIA when you claim, then the “Special Extra Credit for Military Service” will result in a somewhat higher PIA (a slightly higher monthly SS benefit). If the highest earning 35 years in your lifetime record do not include your military-service-years, then those extra credits added to your earnings for your military-service-years will have no effect on your Social Security benefit (because using those service-years would result in a lower benefit). How Social Security applies those

special extra credits to your service-year earnings also varies depending on when you served. Those who served before 1968 needed to show their DD-214 to get the extra credits, but those who served in between 1968 – 2001 were automatically given the extra credits based on their military service records.

So, if your military service was between 1968 and 2001, your earnings during the years you served were automatically increased by SS to reflect your “special extra” earnings and - if those years are among the highest of the 35 years used to compute your SS benefit - you are now receiving the extra benefit amount you’re entitled to from those credits. If you have at least 35 years over your lifetime where you earned more than your pay while serving in the military, your current benefit is more than it would be if your military service years were included. If you have questions about your earnings during your military service years, you may wish to obtain a copy of your lifetime earnings history from Social Security to review those amounts (easiest way to get your lifetime earnings history is via your personal “my Social Security” account at [www.ssa.gov/myaccount](http://www.ssa.gov/myaccount)).

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# Local Museums Aim to be Destinations for Low Income Families

## T-Rock Communications News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - The Greater Sacramento region is rich with museums and popular destinations that offer diverse and enriching experiences for individuals, families, residents and visitors alike. With five local museums participating, Sacramento is considered as a “hub city” for the Museums for All national access program of the Institute of Museum and Library Services that encourages individuals of all backgrounds to visit museums regularly and build life-long museum habits. Through Museums for All, those receiving food assistance or SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) benefits can gain free or reduced admission to more than 850 museums throughout the US, including in the Greater Sacramento area.

**California Museum** – With an ongoing commitment to seek, include and welcome all visitors to its exhibits focused on the state’s diverse people and rich history, the museum offers a reduced \$2 admission for EBT cardholders for up to four individuals.

**Crocker Art Museum** – Committed to reducing barriers and increasing accessibility to the museum and its amazing art experiences, the museum is a participant of the Museums for All program offering free general admission for up to four people per EBT card. While not required, those interested in making a reservation in advance can use MUSEUMSFORALL at checkout.

**SMUD Museum of Science & Curiosity** – Designed to pique curiosity and spark imagination with interactive exhibits and programming, the museum understands the importance of introducing

the wonders of science, technology, engineering, arts and math to underserved community members. They are proud to offer free admission for up to four people per EBT card (normal parking fees remain in place).

**Sacramento Children’s Museum** – Proud to serve the community by removing barriers for underserved families who want to enjoy the museum’s exhibits and programming, the museum offers a reduced \$2 admission for EBT cardholders for up to four individuals. Reservations are required for certain events and more details are available.

**Sacramento History Museum** – With a “History Awaits!” focus on educating local, regional, national, and international visitors of all ages about Sacramento’s rich and fascinating history, the museum is a proud participant in the accessibility program and offers \$2 admission for EBT cardholders (plus those with WIC) for up to four individuals. More information about accessibility programs and reduced-cost memberships is available.

No advance registration is needed for those who qualify to gain reduced or free admission as part of the Museums for All program but will be asked to show their SNAP cards and matching photo IDS at the time of entry. Additionally, there are no limits as to how many times qualified program participants can visit the participating museums. For more details about the Museums for All program is available at [www.museums4all.org](http://www.museums4all.org).

For more information about upcoming activities offered by Sacramento area museums, “like” them on Facebook at [www.Facebook.com/SacMuseums](http://www.Facebook.com/SacMuseums), follow them on Instagram and Twitter @SacMuseums or visit the user-friendly website at [www.SacMuseums.org](http://www.SacMuseums.org). ★

# Sacramento State Welcomes New Public Information Officer Lanaya Lewis

## Sacramento State News Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Lanaya Lewis has joined the University Communications team at Sacramento State as its public information officer. She brings significant media relations experience and communications knowledge to support and enhance Sac State’s visibility and public engagement.

Lewis in 2016 graduated with her bachelor’s degree in Mass Communications from Norfolk State University, and in 2018 with her master’s in journalism from Regent University.

Her career has spanned working behind the scenes in Norfolk, Virginia, as an assignment editor, to being an on-air anchor/reporter in Jackson, Mississippi, and Charlotte, North Carolina. Her stories surrounding social justice, prison reform

and higher education achievements have landed her work in the Washington Post, on CBSN, Essence, A&E, and the ID Channel.

When she returned home to California, Lewis worked as the communications specialist for the Downtown Sacramento Partnership, assisting with stakeholder messaging and signature events. She came to Sacramento State to re-engage her passion for storytelling and higher education.

“Sac State has so much to offer to not just our community, but the world around us, and it’s important we share the amazing stories of our Hornet Family,” she said.

As the PIO, Lewis is the point of contact for media inquiries pertaining to the University. She can be reached at 916-278-2806 (office), 916-217-8366 (department mobile), and Lanaya.Lewis@csus.edu. ★

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Roberta Littlefield, 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Littlefields of Imagination" 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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LITTLEFIELDS 8-11-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05218**  
P & W Karz Inc, 2140 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "American Auto Care & Tires" 2140 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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AMERICAN 8-11-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05130**  
Laura Castleman, 8125 Otium

Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "CastleDreamer Designs" 8125 Otium Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2023  
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CASTLE 8-11-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04794**  
Carl J. Fishel, 6536 Oak Bend Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Visionz Eye Candy Industries" 6536 Oak Bend Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 22, 2023  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
VISIONZ 8-11-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05394**  
Demetria Marsha Adams, 7633 Wayans Way, Elk Grove, CA 95757 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Retro Realty/Retro Real Estate" 9245 Laguna Springs Drive Suite 200, Elk Grove, CA 95758. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 18, 2023  
RETRO 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05404**  
Accelerated Auto Wholesale, 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Accelerated Auto Wholesale" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 19, 2023  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 18, 2023  
ACCELERATED 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05249**  
Advancebay Inc., 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Village Venue Rentals" 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 12, 2023  
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VILLAGE 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05355**  
Thuyet Thi Tran, 9516 Ballinger Drive, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Novel Nails & Day Spa" 5880 Antelope Road, Suite 100, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 17, 2023  
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NOVEL 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05160**  
Gary Lynn Borton, 2535 La France Drive, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Atlantis Diving & Salvage Co" 2535 La France Drive, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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ATLANTIS 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04471**  
Keena Martin, 4200 E Commerce Way, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Life Coach Unlimited" 2701 Del Paso Road Unit #130-472, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2023  
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LIFECOACH 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05334**  
Richard Anderson JR., 3577 Rainsong Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AAA Imaging Solutions" 3577 Rainsong Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 14, 2023  
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AAA 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05382**  
G47 Inc, 4701 El Camino Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Garage 47" 4701 El Camino Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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GARAGE 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05466**  
Fabian Vasquez, 4828 El Camino Avenue Apt 102, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tere's Antojitos" 4828 El Camino Avenue Apt 102, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
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TERES 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04847**  
Mythic Media, LLC, 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mythic Records" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 26, 2023  
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MYTHIC 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05441**  
Michelle DeSart Adcock, 1554 Los Molinos Way, Sacramento,

CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Miche Niche" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite 8515, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 20, 2023  
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MICHE 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05347**  
Arcade Baptist Church of Sacramento, 3927 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arcade Church" 3927 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 17, 2023  
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ARCADE 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05407**  
Outlaw2ners, 3334 Montrose Street, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "VW2ners" 3334 Montrose Street, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 19, 2023  
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VW2NERS 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05391**  
r.World. PBC, 2700 Irving Avenue S. Minneapolis, MN, 55408 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "r.Cup" 2700 Irving Avenue S. Minneapolis, MN, 55408. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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RCUP 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05294**  
Sierra Christine Wallin, 9493 Dalton Way, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lotus & Sage Beauty" 5120 J Street Suite D, Sacramento, CA 95819. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 13, 2023  
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LOTUS 8-18-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05484**  
Saad Mahmood Alahmaid, 5124 Modoc Way, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AKAR Mobile Auto Mechanic" 5124 Modoc Way, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
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AKAR 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05490**  
Willey Enterprises Inc., 8430 Madison Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Roof Doctors" 8430 Madison Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
WILLEY 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05486**  
Balvinder K Balaghan, 9417 Kiefer Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95876, and Noor Kiran Kaur, 2649 Giomo Way, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "N & R Food Mart" 3907 Stockton Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
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N&R 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05379**  
Debra Diane Walker, 6510 Elza Court, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Debbie's Jams" 6510 Elza Court, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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DEBBIES 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05217**  
Jacqueline G Rios, 3636 Edison Avenue #37, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Beautiful Esthetics" 2717 Cottage Way Suite #8, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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BEAUTIFIED 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05221**  
ELV3 Enterprises LLC, 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite 6157, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Significant Affairs" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite 6157, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 12, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
ELV3 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05369**  
Truist Medical & Behavioral Health Services, Inc., 6733 Pallazzo Way, Elk Grove, CA 95757 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Truist PsychMD" 9245 Laguna Springs Drive Suite 200, Elk Grove, CA 95758. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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TRUIST 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05376**  
Rentsla LLC, 10757 Bellone Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under

the Fictitious Business Name(s) "rents4baby" 10757 Bellone Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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RENTS 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05360**  
Jessica Rahbar, 3182 L Street, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Epoxy Pro Services" 3182 L Street, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 17, 2023  
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EPOXY 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05544**  
Motorest Inc., 3401 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Motorest" 3401 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 25, 2023  
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MOTOREST 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05605**  
Ratko Omcik, 5624 Whitney Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Nena Flooring" 5624 Whitney Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 27, 2023  
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NENA 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05601**  
CalPlaySports LLC, 117 Miller Way, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "CalGamesWanted" 117 Miller Way, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 27, 2023  
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CALGAMES 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05574**  
Dan Hauck and Debbie Covey, 127 Lembi Drive, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Premier Party Rentals" 127 Lembi Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 26, 2023  
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PREMIER 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05535**  
Timothy Joseph Coddington, 6454 Larchmont Drive, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tankless Tim" 6454 Larchmont Drive, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2023  
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TANKLESS 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05364**  
Breavetona Inc., 7880 Bradshaw Road, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arthur Murray Sacramento Dance Centers" 7880 Bradshaw Road, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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ARTHUR 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05580**  
Bader Darwish, 6637 Flaming Arrow Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Major Locksmith" 6637 Flaming Arrow Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 26, 2023  
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MAJOR 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04462**  
Vladimir Kilyushik and Alena Kilyushik, 8309 Pinefield Drive, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "VAK Siding and Decking" 8309 Pinefield Drive, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2023  
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VAK 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04909**  
Enayah Muhajir, 12029 Roquefort Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "New Bourne Realty Group/New Bourne Realty" 12029 Roquefort Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 27, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
ENAYAH 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05373**  
PRIMEbusiness Construction Consulting LLC, 2518 Denison Drive, Davis, CA 95618 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PRIMEdesign" 455 University Avenue Suite 370, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
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PRIMEDESIGN 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05358**  
Haramain Inc., 646 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s)

"Ideal Market/Ideal Halal Market" 646 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 17, 2023  
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IDEAL 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05563**  
Permanent Investment Network LLC, 4921 Bowman Oaks Way, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Permanent Investment Network LLC/Global Field Inspection Services, LLC" 4921 Bowman Oaks Way, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 26, 2023  
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PERMANENT 8-25-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05622**  
Stroy Inc., 6133 W 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Rio Linda, CA 95673 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Binrenter.com" 6133 W 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Rio Linda, CA 95673. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 28, 2023  
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BINRENTER 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05620**  
Alexander Alvarado, 14916 1/4 Inglewood Avenue, Lawndale, CA, 90260 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bow's Chow Kitchen" 2108 N Street Suite #8492 Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 13, 2023  
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BOWS 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05320**  
GAWFCO Enterprises, Inc., 3669 Mount Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette, CA 94549 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "65<sup>th</sup> St Union 76" 2893 65<sup>th</sup> Street, Sacramento, CA 95817. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 14, 2023  
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GAWFCO 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05620**  
Sun City Towing and Auto Care, 3408 Hunter Lane, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sun City Towing" 3408 Hunter Lane, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 28, 2023  
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SUN 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05646**  
Barry Magee, 3529 Scorpio Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Chirpy Magee the Trivia Bird" 3529 Scorpio Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 28, 2023  
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CHIRPY 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05693**  
Emman Tos, 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PIE NICE" 1401 21<sup>st</sup> Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 1, 2023  
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PIE 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05644**  
NORCAL BSBA, Inc., 3626 Fair Oaks Boulevard Suite #100, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Transworld Business Advisors Sacramento" 3626 Fair Oaks Boulevard Suite #100, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 28, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
NORCAL 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05694**  
Kainat F Shaikh and Sujaidun S Saied, 42 Allard Court, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fiat Lux Accounting" 42 Allard Court, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 1, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
FIAT 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05746**  
Blessed Ones LLC, 15 Benoit Court, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Cienna Home Care II" 3866 Sea Forest Way, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 3, 2023  
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BLESSSED 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05689**  
Monik LLC, 7893 Walerga Road Suite 102, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Maza Road Suite 102" 7893 Walerga Road Suite 102, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 1, 2023  
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MAZA 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05527**  
Maria Colamartino, 8133 Pollard Ave, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MJ Wholesale" 8133 Pollard Ave, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with

the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2023  
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MJ 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05729**  
Jesus Rios Courier LLC, 6837 Fair Oaks Boulevard #6, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Process Server of California/CA Process Server" 6837 Fair Oaks Boulevard #7, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 2, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
PROCESS 9-1-23

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05750**  
Jose Ramon Rodriguez, 5600 Rosario Boulevard, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jrods Tow and Transport" 5600 Rosario Boulevard, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August



# FBI Announces Results of Local Operation Tied to Nationwide Sex Trafficking

## FBI Press Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Sacramento Field Office, working with its state and local partners, identified, and located two victims of sex trafficking during a nationwide enforcement campaign, called "Operation Cross Country." The FBI-led nationwide initiative, in partnership with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC), focused on identifying and locating victims of

sex trafficking and investigating and arresting individuals and criminal enterprises involved in both child sex and human trafficking. Law enforcement agencies conducted targeted operations to identify and apprehend offenders, dismantling criminal networks and preventing further harm to victims. Those suspects identified will be subject to additional investigation for potential charges.

In the greater Sacramento area, FBI agents worked collaboratively with law

enforcement partners from Sacramento Police Department, Sacramento County Sheriff's Office, California Department of Justice, Sacramento County District Attorney's Office, Yolo County District Attorney's Office during the two-week operation. Two adolescent victims and more than a dozen adults who are possible victims of human trafficking were identified during the operation were provided access to services coordinated by operational partner Community Against Sexual Harm (CASH). Five

individuals were also arrested for charges related to commercial sexual exploitation.

"The FBI's primary focus is ensuring every possible victim of commercial sexual exploitation has the opportunity to connect with service providers and move beyond the cycle of exploitation and violence," said Special Agent in Charge Sean Ragan of the FBI Sacramento Field Office. "We are grateful for the support of our law enforcement partners to provide the victims of human trafficking with the dignity they deserve

and ensure their exploiters face justice.

The FBI remains steadfast in its commitment to combatting child exploitation and human trafficking. Operation Cross Country is just one facet of the Bureau's ongoing efforts to protect the most vulnerable members of society and hold offenders accountable. The FBI encourages continued vigilance, cooperation, and reporting from the public to help identify and recover victims and bring perpetrators to justice. ★

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### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

Dated: July 11, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
RICHARD 8-11-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV004094

Richard Perry Mooney has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Richard Perry Mooney to Richard Perry Taylor.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 10, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: June 30, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
RICHARD 8-11-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV003996

Christina Brigham and Derek Brigham has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Obed Samuel Brigham to Obediah Silas Michael Brigham and Aione Lynn Brigham to Yona Lynn Remi Brigham.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 4, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: June 29, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
BRIGHAM 8-11-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV004599

Corie Velasco has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Corie Lynn Velasco to Corie Lynn Tabor.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 12, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 12, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
CORIE 8-11-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV004466

Netzanitl Carolina Ortega has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Netzanitl Carolina Ortega to Carolina Winn.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 11, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: June 20, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 18, 2023  
ORTEGA 8-18-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV004110

Bei Wu has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Bei Wu to Amelia Lee.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 19, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street,

Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 5, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
BEI 8-25-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005507

Brad Wilson has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Zhenghe Zhang to Lyon Li Wilson.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 10, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 27, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
ZHENGHE 8-25-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005413

Cherrie May Alejandro Masangya has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Cherrie May Alejandro Masangya to Cherrie May Tiburcio Alejandro.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 10, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 26, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
CHERRIE 8-25-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005589

James Paul Spicer has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of James Paul Spicer to James Paul White.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 11, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 28, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
JAMES 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005717

Ahmad Farid Abrahami has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mohammad Emran Abrahami to Emran Abrahami.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 12, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: August 1, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
AHMAD 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005796

Corina Michelle Cristodore has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Corina Michelle Cristodore to Corina Michelle Cahya.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 17, 2023,

at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: August 2, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
CORINA 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005828

Nghia Gia Dao has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Nghia Gia Dao to Tony Dao.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 17, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: August 2, 2023  
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
NGHIA 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005713

Mohammad Naqib Jami Jami has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mohammad Naqib Jami Jami to Naqib Jami and Ahmad Raghib Jami to Raghib Jami.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 1, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: August 1, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
JAMI 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005565

Nellie Makovsky; AKA Nelya Makovskaya has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Nellie Makovsky; AKA Nelya Makovskaya to Nellie Kandybenko.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 31, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: July 26, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
NELLIE 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV005714

Fazl Ahmad Ahmadi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ahmad Sodais Ahmadi to Sodais Ahmadi and Ahmad Ozair Ahmadi to Ozair Ahmadi.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 1, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: August 1, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
AHMADI 9-1-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
CHANGE OF NAME  
#23CV002411

Marcus Bernard Smith II has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of KALEIYAH MAKARA SMITH

to Kaleiyah Makara Smith and MARCUS BERNARD SMITH III to Marcus Bernard Smith III.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 5, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: May 30, 2023  
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
MARCUS 9-1-23

### NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF EVA JO SANTOS

CASE NO. 34-2021-00312114  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Eva Jo Santos.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Devin Klicker, of the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Devin Klicker be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows August 16, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Daphne Z. Xiao, Law Office of Daphne Z. Xiao, 2414 16th Street Suite 6, Sacramento, CA 95818; 916-453-0356  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 2023  
NGAY 8-11-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOHN THOMAS LUKENS  
CASE NO. 23PR000722

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of John Thomas Lukens.  
A Petition for Probate has been filed by James Lukens, in the Superior Court of California,

95821; 916-708-7348  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 2023  
Klicker 8-11-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF SAY MENCH LO  
CASE NO. 23PR000430

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Say Menh Lo.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Ngay Lo, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Ngay Lo be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows November 1, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

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NGAY 8-11-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOHN THOMAS LUKENS  
CASE NO. 23PR000722

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of John Thomas Lukens.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by James Lukens, in the Superior Court of California,

County of Sacramento, requesting James Lukens be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows November 30, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

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Publish: August 11, 18, 25, 2023  
LUKENS 8-25-23

### STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
FILE NO. FBNF20232-05249  
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Village Venue Rentals, 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827.  
Advancebay Inc., 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827.  
The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on 7/12/2023 in the County of Sacramento.  
Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: 7/12/2023.  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
VILLAGE 8-25-23

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE SELF STORAGE AUCTION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to the California Storage Act (Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code.)

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#### Tenant unit number and name

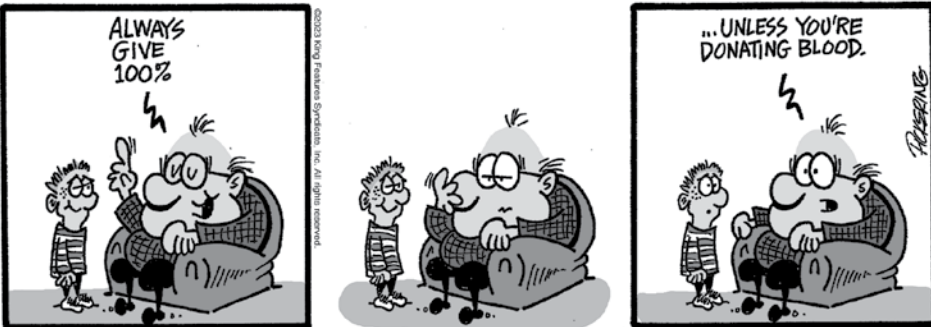
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Pictures of the contents of the storage space can be seen online. Bids must be entered online beginning, Tuesday **August 22nd, 2023 at 9am and ending Friday August 24th 2023 at 9am PST.** Payment must be made at the time of purchase. All items in the unit are sold as is and must be removed within three days of the time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party.

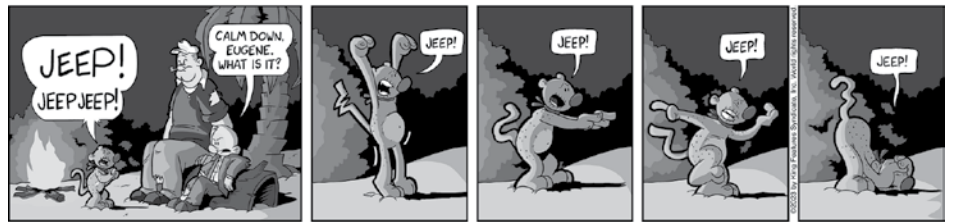
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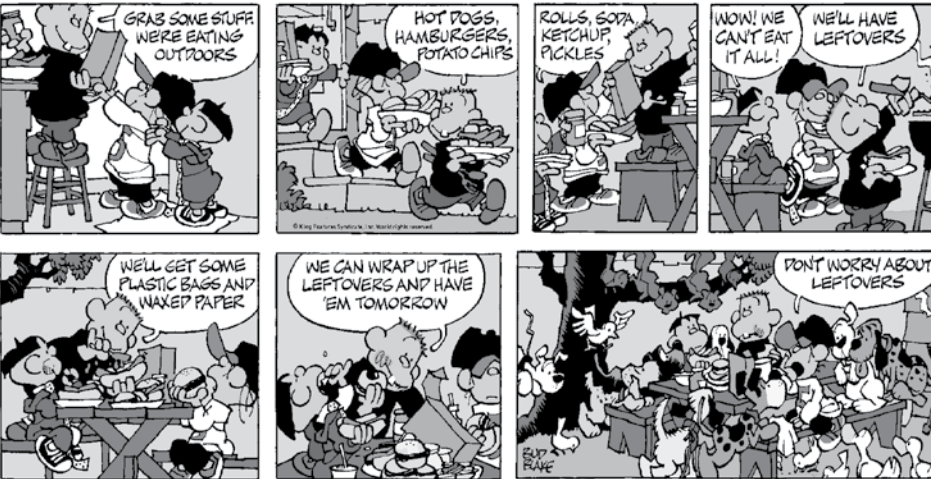
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# The Impending Implosion

*California may force large businesses to disclose climate impacts*

By Alejandro Lazo,  
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Corporations have for years graded themselves on climate change, at times marketing themselves as environmental stewards while failing to fully disclose their emissions.

Now California is considering holding corporations more accountable: If approved by the Legislature and Gov. Gavin Newsom, two bills would make California the first state to require large corporations to disclose their greenhouse gas emissions and report their risks from climate change.

One bill — already approved by the Senate — would force about 5,300 U.S. corporations earning more than \$1 billion and doing business in California to annually report their global emissions of carbon dioxide and other gases that contribute to climate change.

Another bill that won Senate approval would require more than 10,000 companies with revenues exceeding \$500 million to detail how climate change poses financial risks to their operations, not just in California, but around the world.

From Amazon and Bank of America to McDonalds, Chevron and General Motors, any company that meets the revenue thresholds selling or producing goods or services in California would have to comply with the two wide-ranging measures.

The legislation would force companies to reveal their complete carbon footprint, even the emissions coming from the consumers who use their products. The laws would inevitably lead to highly publicized “top polluters” lists that make major corporations more accountable — and uncomfortable — since their full role in causing climate change and its impact on their finances would be exposed.

From Amazon and Bank of America to McDonalds and General Motors, any company that meets the revenue thresholds would have to comply with the two wide-ranging measures.

The goal is to provide a more complete picture



Environmentalists just never stop trying to destroy the economy, even when businesses are following their rules Image by Gerd Altmann from Pixabay

of the tons of global gases that large companies are responsible for and how their company is affected by the warming climate, according to the legislators who introduced the two bills.

“This is basic transparency,” said Sen. Scott Wiener, a Democrat from San Francisco whose SB253 would mandate emissions reporting for billion-dollar companies doing business in California. “It’s important to know which corporations are walking the walk, especially as we see corporations that market themselves as green.”

Leading the opposition are California’s Chamber of Commerce and two consortiums of large and powerful industry groups, including the Western States Petroleum Association, which represents oil companies, the Western Growers Association and an association of stockbrokers and investment bankers.

The business groups say the emissions estimates could be inaccurate, resulting in misguided public policy, while putting an onerous burden on companies. The bill “will generate a lot of misinformation,” said CalChamber lobbyist Brady Van Engelen.

In addition, Van Engelen called the other bill that mandates climate-related financial risk reports “a gold-plated exercise in gathering information.”

The reports would include vulnerabilities to shareholder value, consumer demand, supply chains, employee safety, loans and other economic threats that may be amplified by changing climate and more extreme weather events.

“Reporting regimes are kind of the wild west of the climate policy world,” Van Engelen said. “These reports aren’t free, it’s not like you just get to press ‘control P’ and have a report.”

Sen. Henry Stern, a Democrat from Calabasas said his climate risk reporting bill, SB261, would not be a burden on industry because it adopts an internationally recognized standard for risk reporting and levels the playing field for corporations that already disclose climate risks to their businesses. Stern said he is working with the Chamber to address its concerns.

After both bills won Senate approval, they will next be heard by the Assembly’s Natural Resources Committee in the coming weeks.

Wiener authored a similar emissions bill that fell four votes short of passage on the last night of last year’s legislative session. He made some concessions to ease the burden on companies.

California already has a law requiring some companies — power companies, industrial facilities and fuel suppliers — to report greenhouse gases

emitted exclusively in the state. But these new legislative efforts would substantially broaden that.

California is responsible for less than 1% of global greenhouse gases, with transportation the biggest source, followed by industrial emissions, power plants and agriculture. Total emissions in the state declined 14% between 1990 and 2020 — but have likely grown since that initial pandemic year, when many businesses shut down and people drove less, according to the Air Resources Board.

“Unfortunately, there’s no place that’s affected (by climate change) more directly than California,” said Steven M. Rothstein, a managing director with Ceres, a nonprofit sustainability group that supports both measures. “So the basic idea is that if you’re running a business, you want to have good information about your risks and your opportunities.”

Economic activity has long been the principal driver of the world’s changing climate, and over the last two decades, organizations have sought uniform standards for reporting corporations’ emissions and the risks they face from rising temperatures. The United Kingdom already requires companies to report their emissions and the European Union will begin requiring companies to track emissions next year and report them in 2025.

The Biden administration’s U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission has proposed standards that would require publicly traded companies to report verified greenhouse gas emissions and report climate-related financial risks. The issue has become political: Florida Gov. Ron DeSantis, a Republican, signed a ban in May on investment practices that take environmental and social concerns into account; President Joe Biden vetoed a similar bill earlier this year.

California’s proposals would have more impact because they would require private companies to comply and they would have more stringent emissions reporting requirements, said Catherine Atkin, a climate attorney who formed the group Carbon Accountable to advocate for the bill.

“The SEC is pursuing rulemaking on this, but it has been a little rocky. It’s unclear where exactly that’s going to land, so it’s really important for California to lead,” Wiener said.

The new policies come as major corporations seek ways to promote themselves as green and socially responsible. Out of the top 500 U.S. companies that are publicly traded, 92% report about their activities related to environmental and social issues, according to the Governance & Accountability Institute.

The reality, however, is that facing few actual mandates, companies can selectively report their emissions and portray themselves favorably, leading in some instances to greenwashing.

Businesses would have to report not only the tons of gases they emit globally from their operations and energy use, but also from less direct sources, such as emissions from their supply chains, contractors and use of their products.

These less-direct sources, called “Scope 3” emissions, have raised the concerns of business groups. A 2021 article in the Harvard Business Review said such protocols could lead to the same emissions being reported multiple times by different companies, a critique that CalChamber echoes.

Harvard professor Robert Kaplan, one of the paper’s authors, said California lawmakers should allow companies to exclude emissions that come from the use of their products.

“Companies have virtually no control over how their customers use their products and services,” he said. “But they have a great deal of control over the emissions in the products and services they purchase.”

Wiener said he “completely disagrees,” calling the protocol the “gold standard” for reporting greenhouse gases.

“Alternative accounting systems are totally inappropriate for understanding each individual corporation’s carbon emissions — which is the whole point of SB253,” Wiener said. He said corporations need to “understand their own individualized carbon emissions...to shape their supply chain, which can account for over 90% of

their overall emissions.”

Matthew Fisher, whose software company Watershed estimates emissions for businesses, said it is relatively straightforward. The company’s clients include delivery app DoorDash and the restaurant chain sweetgreen.

“The regulations that you see around the globe... all say a very similar thing, which is, estimates are fine,” said Fisher. He said the company can pretty easily “give a high-caliber estimate” with just company data, “without needing to go to your supply chain.”

Van Engelen, the California Chamber of Commerce lobbyist, said the emissions reporting requirements could result in smaller or mid-sized businesses losing contracts with the larger corporations because those smaller companies might not have a full account of their own emissions.

What’s more, he said, businesses of all sizes might be reluctant to expand their operations because emissions might be counted against them.

Under Wiener’s bill, the emissions disclosures would need to be independently verified by an outside auditor, and businesses would pay an annual fee of up to \$1,000 to cover state administrative costs.

Of the 5,300 U.S. corporations that would have to report their emissions, about 73% are private companies, according to Ceres. Many publicly traded companies already report climate risks in their financial disclosure reports.

The other bill would require the companies to report their financial risks by adhering to rules created by The Financial Stability Board, an international financial regulatory body. About 80% of the 10,400 affected companies would be private, according to the sustainability group Ceres.

The debate comes as climate change is leading to more heat waves, swings between droughts and floods, wildfires, and hurricanes. As of June 8, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration had confirmed nine disasters exceeding \$1 billion in impacts this year. The annual average over the previous five years was 18, compared with only eight each year from 1980 to 2022, adjusted for inflation.

Researchers recently reported that greenhouse gas emissions are worsening California’s wildfires, according to a recent study by academic researchers in Spain and California.

Stern said his bill is aimed at getting corporations to be honest about these new realities.

“This is about getting the corporate and financial sector to look at things that are very material and conceded quite inconvenient,” Stern said. “None of this is going to necessarily be good news. ‘Oh, there are more wildfires than ever, there is more drought risk than ever.’ Those are all uncomfortable truths that we are wrestling with.” ★



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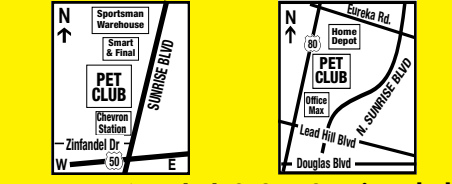
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