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Book Sales Boost Library



Barbara Safford (right) adds inventory to Carmichael Friends of the Library sales shelves. She is joined by Branch Supervisor

Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - A lobby shop is a stalwart fundraiser for the Carmichael Library. Run by Friends of the Library, store sales bring in around \$1000 per month.

Donated books have pumped more than \$100,000 into the Sacramento library system in recent years and the Carmichael branch is a leading contributor. "It's exciting that used books could have such a positive impact," says Carmichael Friends President Barbara Safford. "Funds they raise bring literacy and pleasure to thousands of children and adults."

Deemed the busiest library in Sacramento County, the Marconi Avenue facility has more than 30,000 visitors per month. Patrons inevitably

encounter and browse the Friends' bookshelves. Items range from 25c to \$3, with some newer donations priced higher. High-value books are sold via Amazon. "We keep our prices low so anyone can have something of their own to take home," explains retired Sacramento Fire District staffer Safford. "For some children, our inventory is their only way to own books."

Proceeds aid multiple projects. The all-volunteer Friends give 16,000 books to first grade students per year; they offer summer reading programs and early childhood reading sessions; they provide support for library needs and for advocacy.

"People leave us bags and boxes of books," says Safford. "In many cases, they donate because they're down-sizing. Voracious readers acquire new

titles weekly – they part with books after one reading. This helps keep our stock in tune with what's on bestseller lists."

The lobby store runs on an honesty system. "People deposit payments into a box inside the library," explains Safford. "Our customers are very honest; many leave more than the listed price. They know it's going to a good cause."

The library has an outside dropoff for donations. Carmichael Friends also hold used book sales in the library community room each February; the group will host a market for used children's books in the Milagro Centre this fall.

Carmichael Library is located at 5605 Marconi Avenue for information on Carmichael Friends, call 916-264 2700.

County Transportation **Funding Experiences Boost**

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - So far 2023 has been an excellent year for Sacramento County transportation efforts as many area projects have found needed funding to keep moving forward. This year, nearly \$100 million is earmarked to improve roads, provide neighborhoods access for those who walk and bike, and build electric vehicle charging stations at Sacramento International Airport.

The 2023 funding from the California Transportation

Commission (CTC) and the Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG) will help pay for parts of ten different projects within the County. The awards were given to a mixture of individual projects and joint efforts between agencies.

California Transportation **Commission Awards** - \$70,038,000

Local Partnership Program US 50 Gold Line Corridor Enhancement Project - \$25M - SacDOT joint grant with SacRT. Project Summary - SacDOT will receive \$15 million to go toward making improvements at the Hazel Avenue and Aerojet Road interchanges with Highway 50. Sacramento Regional Transit (SacRT) will receive \$10 million for improvements along the Light Rail's Gold Line;

CorridorTrade Enhancement Program -Sacramento County WattEV Innovative Freight Terminal Project - \$33.6M - Airport. Project Summary - The largest award in the area will allow the Sacramento County WattEV Innovative Freight Terminal (SWIFT) to build a publicly accessible electric vehicle (EV) charging facility on a 118-acre parcel of land in south of Interstate 5 and immediately south of Sacramento International Airport;

Trade Corridor Enhancement Program -Grant Line Road Safety and Freight Mobility Project -\$3M - Capital SouthEast Connector JPA. Project Summary - The Grant Line Road Safety and Freight Mobility Project (Project) is a rural freight improvement project in eastern Sacramento County. The funds will go toward the ultimate transformation of 2.6-miles of Grant Line Road from a narrow, two-lane rural road into to a divided four-lane roadway with a separated multi-use path from Douglas Road to White Rock Road. The Project modifies the existing Continued on page 5

Another State Debacle

The State spent \$600 million, but can't say whether it helped



A watchtower at the California Health Care Facility in Stockton on Feb. 5, 2023. Photo by Rahul Lal, CalMatters

By Byrhonda Lyons, CALMatters.com

As Gov. Gavin Newsom retools the state's prison system to emphasize rehabilitation, his administration has little evidence that a privately run program for parolees costing taxpayers \$100 million a year works to prevent future crime.

The state does not collect data on whether parolees who participate in the program have found jobs or whether they are returned to prison for another crime. What state data does show is that only 40% of participants completed at least one of the services they were offered.

The information gap frustrates critics of the governor's policies as well as supporters who want evidence that the state's investments are working.

"At the end of the day, we've come from 160,000 people incarcerated down to 95 (thousand). So, we've had some success," said Assemblymember Reggie Jones-Sawyer, a Los Angeles Democrat, referring to the decline in the state's prison population since 2011.

"But I also want to ensure the public that they've been safe with all these people not recidivating... And the only way we can do that is to come up with data," he said.

CalMatters' yearlong investigation of the parolee reentry program draws on court records, state reports and data, contracts, tax forms, policy experts, interviews with vendors and communication with several current and former program participants some of whom are back in prison.

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Another State Debacle

Continued from page 1 CalMatters found:

- Corrections department data is outdated, inaccurate or doesn't exist. When the department provided CalMatters with a roster of more than 400 locations providing rehabilitation services, we visited 23 of them, finding some with inaccurate addresses, one with a padlocked gate in front of a seemingly closed site, another that appeared to be abandoned, and three where employees said they were no longer providing rehabilitation services.
- Department officials struggled to explain how many people enrolled in the program in 2020-2021. The department published an annual report noting 17,650 participants. Dana Simas, a department spokesperson at the time, told CalMatters the program served 9,516 people. The department later revised that number to 8,213.
- State data show only two out of five parolees who participated in the rehabilitation program in 2020-2021 completed at least one service offered to them. Based on how the state collects data, it's unclear if anyone finished all of the services offered to them. A spokesperson said the corrections agency "is unable to provide further completion information."
- · State officials rarely review the operations of the four companies that operate the program, state accountability reviews show. Records show state officials only documented reviews of three of the more than 400 statefunded reentry homes and treatment facilities from 2018 to December 2022.
- Some of the nonprofit vendors that manage reentry homes lease their facilities from their own executives, according to public records, raising "red flags" among experts who say the arrangements could signal financial conflicts of interest.
- The state's July 2022 list



The former Karl Holton Youth Correctional Facility now the location of the California Health Care Facility in Stockton on Feb. 5, 2023. Photo by Rahul Lal,

several with suspended business licenses and nonprofit status revoked years ago by the California Department of Justice — effectively barring them from doing business in California.

The rehabilitation program for parolees formally launched in 2014 under the name Specialized Treatment for Optimized Programming, often referred to as STOP. It is a voluntary program that serves less than a quarter of the roughly 35,000 inmates released from prison each year. Many of the parolees live at the homes; others visit outpatient

The STOP program for parolees, which has cost the state about \$600 million in the past decade, is run by four large contractors. Those companies also contract with nearly 200 nonprofits, private companies or community organizations to provide housing and rehabilitation services for parolees in roughly 450 homes and treatment centers.

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of the work that they do with the program.

"GEO Reentry Services is proud to operate California's Specialized Treatment for Optimized Programming ... on behalf of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation," wrote Monica Hook, GEO's vice president of communications. "GEO Reentry connects participants in 18 counties with housing, education, and treatment services to support successful reentry and recidivism reduction."

The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation officials ignored multiple requests for an interview.

Instead, a department's public affairs official responded to emailed questions with emailed responses and fulfilled many public records requests.

After CalMatters' inquiries, department official Terri Hardy said by email that the department would begin to track recidivism of reentry homes included CalMatters that they were proud that it would prevent unlicensed Brown and Newsom backed CalMatters.org.

vendors from managing reentry homes and treatment facilities.

Hardy also said by email the department is "currently working on a report that addresses STOP programs." She added that the department said it has created a tool to "better track" whether the four primary contractors are conducting annual reviews of reentry homes and treatment facilities, which are required.

"CDCR understands the importance of oversight and accountability in this program," Hardy said by email. "Since STOP was created in 2014, CDCR has continually worked to make the system better."

Advocates for the program maintain it is a good investment for the state. They say it provides a soft landing for parolees who otherwise would be on their own and competing for scarce housing in California's high-priced market.

California's spending on the parolee program swelled over a and the employment rate among decade of reform in the state's All of the contractors told participants in the STOP and prison system, when Govs.

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policy changes that shortened criminal sentences and steered more resources to rehabilitation.

The new policies slimmed down California's overburdened system, allowing Newsom to close a prison and begin shutting down three more.

California discloses recidivism data on a three-year cycle but the latest report is outdated. In fact, the most recent report describes people who were released from prison in 2017-18 — before Newsom took office.

A separate report by the California State Auditor in 2019 found that prisoners who completed recommended cognitive-based therapy rehabilitation programs recidivated at about the same rate as those who did not. The auditor recommended six legislative actions for lawmakers to ensure rehabilitation programs set performance targets and reduce recidivism.

Lawmakers have not made many of the recommended

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Rancho Cordova's City Hall accommodated a gathering of more than 170 of Barbara Holman Robinson's family and church friends. Kin - including 34 grand and great grandkids - joined the birthday girl.

Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - Barbara Holman Robinson's July 14 birthday did not just make her the oldest resident at Carmichael's Atria El Camino Gardens. At 109, she is among the most senior citizens of California.

Celebrations included a party at the senior residence and - the following day - a massive get-together for friends, family and fellow churchgoers at City Hall in Rancho Cordova. Even though she has only a son surviving, Barbara was called "mother" by almost everyone at the

gathering. Married for 63 years to California State manager Robert Holman, she worked as a mom, a food manager for AT&T and later followed her husband into church life when Holman became Pastor for Christ Temple Apostolic Church, Sacramento. "She worked hard," says her son Robert Holman, Jr (81). "Mom's always been dedicated to family and her church. She gave me and my sister everything."

The twice widowed centenarian impacted hundreds of lives though her church work. A former drug addict whom Barbara adopted described "mother" as the "most amazing woman I have known."

"When she took me in, the drugs ended," said Pauline Kirkendoll. "She taught me how to talk, how to dress. I had been living on the streets. Before her, no one ever treated me like they cared. I've been clean for 32 years, and I owe mother my life. She's my prayer partner now. I take her to church, and we pray together every day."

Granddaughter and caregiver Angelique Reynolds (63) traveled from Florida for the celebration. Looking after Barbara, she said "is the greatest honor of my life."

The birthday girl took all compliments in stride. "There's not a person in this world I don't love," said Barbara. "We're different people; we can disagree. But under our skins, we're all the same. My advice to people is to stand side by side with your neighbor and love everyone. I thank God for whatever reason he's left me here for so long, so I can do his work." ★

109 Birthday Blessings for "Mother" Auto Shop Gives Back

Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG)

- Carmichael Midas auto store owner Kurt Swanson is showing his support for the community with a back-to-school giveaway on Saturday, July 29.

The businessman and his customers have pooled resources to provided free backpacks and supplies for local kids from kindergarten to high school age. "I'm a family man myself," says Swanson (49). "I know how much it costs to get kids back to school. My customers and I want to help working families."

The giveaway event runs from 10 am to 2 pm at the auto repair shop. 6840 Fair Oaks Blvd.

On hand to dispense goodies will be Sacramento boxing champion, 2023 California Golden Gloves Champion Lorenzo Powell. "He's a great role model and he'll bring his championship belts to show the kids," says Swanson. "They'll love meeting and talking to him."



Carmichael Midas store offers free school supplies on Saturday, July 29.

Supplies are limited to one backpack per student and adults must be accompanied by schoolaged children. The Midas store has limited parking:

visitors are encouraged to walk or to park on adjacent streets. Free shave ice cones will be available for the first 150 students at the event. *

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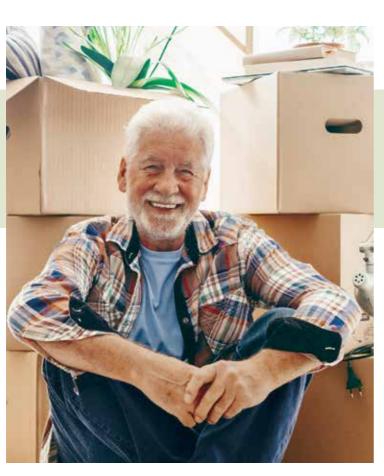


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signals at the Grant Line Road intersections with White Rock Road and Douglas Road and adds a new signalized intersection at Raymer Way;

Active Transportation Program – Stockton Boulevard Bicycle and Pedestrian Project -\$363,000 – SacDOT. Project Summary - The County requested funding for Project Approval and Environmental Document to evaluate the feasibility of a Class IV separated bikeway, sidewalk infill, and signalization of one intersection along Stockton Boulevard between Florin Road and Mack Road/Elsie Avenue in South Sacramento County;

Active Transportation Program – Elkhorn Boulevard Complete Streets – \$8.075M – SacDOT. Project Summary - Construct a Class IV separated bikeway on Elkhorn Boulevard from Watt Avenue to Don Julio Boulevard, sidewalk infill, ADA improvements, and implement Safe Routes to Schools and community education and encouragement programs in the North Highlands neighborhood.

SACOG Awards - \$24,876,000

Revolving Match – US 50 Gold Line Corridor Enhancement Project - \$4M contingent on receiving CTC award above – SacDOT joint grant with SacRT;

Community Design – Arden Way Phase 1 and 2 - \$1M plus a \$458,000 SGIP match – SacDOT. Project Summary -In Sacramento County, on Alta Arden Expressway from Howe Avenue to Fulton Avenue. The project will include sidewalk gap closures, buffered bike lanes, and pavement resurfacing;

Maintenance and Modernization – Alta Arden Expressway Phase 1 - \$4M – SacDOT. Project Summary - In Sacramento County, on Alta Arden Expressway from Howe Avenue to Fulton Avenue. The project will include sidewalk gap closures, buffered bike lanes, and pavement resurfacing;

Transformative – Jackson and Bradshaw Safe and Rural Connections - \$3M – SacDOT – Project Summary - The Project is intended to provide operational and safety improvements at the intersection of Jackson Road and Bradshaw Road in Sacramento County. The project would add a travel lane and turn lanes at the intersection;

Transformative – Stockton Boulevard Multimodal Partnership and BRT Corridor - \$5.2M – Joint grant with City of Sacramento, SacDOT, and SacRT. Project Summary - In Sacramento (City and County), on Stockton Boulevard, from Florin Road to Alhambra Boulevard: Multimodal and safety improvements, including bus lanes and/or other transit enhancements. bicycle lanes, and pedestrian upgrades. The project will also include an alternatives analysis phase for the bus rapid transit (BRT) and BRT-lite treatments along the longer Sacramento Regional Transit District's Route 51 alignment between South Sacramento and the Sacramento Valley Station, which includes Stockton Boulevard (between Florin Road and Broadway), Broadway (between Stockton Boulevard and 8th Street), and segments of 7th, 8th and

Regional Active Transportation Program Bell Street Safe Routes to School -\$8.676M - SacDOT. Project Summary - Construction of approximately 12,500 linear feet of sidewalk infill along various segments of Bell Street between Edison Avenue and Hurley Way in the West Arden community, including a segment on 2419 Wyda Way. Construction and reconstruction of new curb ramps and extensions, traffic signal modifications, a new pedestrian signal, a new Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon, striping and re-striping bicycle lanes, and new bicycle detectors will also be implemented at four intersections along Bell Street where they do not currently exist. The non-infrastructure element includes education and outreach to students and parents of the nearby schools on pedestrian, bicyclist, and motorist safety.

The funding windfall will not only boost local transportation projects but help pave the way for future housing and building projects, which rely on roads being built before that construction can begin. The Building Industry Association and construction community are expected to benefit from these projects with more job opportunities in the future.

Construction of these projects will start to come to life over the next few years. Each grant will not pay for the entire project, as many funding sources are sought to offset the construction, but these dollars are expected to push the projects forward to allow a much-needed boost to improving the County's transportation infrastructure.

SMUD's Shine Program Is Now Accepting Applications

SMUD News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - SMUD is announcing that the application period for its Shine Awards is now open to nonprofit organizations. Shine is a community development program designed to improve and revitalize neighborhoods in the Sacramento region.

Proposals should focus on projects that support zero carbon workforce development, environmental justice and equity, inclusive economic development and STEM education. Shine projects align with SMUD's Clean Energy Vision, which will eliminate all carbon emissions from its power supply by 2030.

Shine awards will range from \$5,000 to \$100,000 and are very competitive. Any incorporated nonprofit organization within SMUD's service area is eligible to apply. Shine awards are available at three funding levels: Spark (up to \$10,000), Amplifier (up to \$50,000) and Transformer (up to \$100,000). Applications will be accepted through July 31.

While SMUD will consider a broad variety of potential projects, it is primarily interested in proposals that:

Align with SMUD's 2030 Clean Energy Vision and are powered by clean energy solutions; Promote energy efficiency,

energy conservation and greenhouse gas reduction, particularly in diverse and under-resourced communities (environmental justice & equity); Involve clean energy education related to energy efficiency, renewable energy, or related STEM fields; Advance inclusive zero carbon workforce development, and; Support community revitalization and placemaking.

SMUD will host multiple informational webinar sessions about Shine and the application process. A registration link and application can be found on smud.org/Shine.

This year, SMUD awarded over \$500,000 in Shine sponsorships to 22 local nonprofits. SMUD received a wide range of applications; the selected projects were able to successfully demonstrate collaboration and the potential for broad neighborhood impact.

Each year SMUD contributes approximately \$3 million in financial support and in-kind services to community-based organizations. SMUD will continue to support healthy, vibrant and economically sustainable neighborhoods for all customers, with a special eye toward improving equity in our region through SMUD's Sustainable Communities program.

For more information about the SMUD Shine program, including a list of previous winners, visit smud.org/Shine. ★

K9 Safely Apprehends Burglar with Multiple Felony Warrants

Sacramento County Sheriff's Dept. News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On July 7, 2023, the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department announced that Gonzalo Aguilar, who was originally wanted by the California Department of Corrections for a parole violation, has been arrested. Aguilar had multiple felony warrants and an extensive violent criminal history.

During a call for service, deputies attempted to contact Aguilar, when he tried to flee on foot. He ended up forcing entry into a home while the homeowners were still inside. Fortunately, the homeowners ran out of the house to safety, and our deputies were

able to surround it quickly. Even after multiple announcements for Aguilar to surrender himself, he refused to exit.

Sheriff K9s began a search of the residence, when they discovered him hiding in the garage between a car and the wall. The K9 safely apprehended him, when he was taken into custody and booked into the Sacramento County Main Jail for burglary, along with his previous charges.

Law enforcement K9s are invaluable to deputies and officers throughout the state. As California lawmakers continue to allow dangerous criminals like Aguilar to roam the streets freely, law enforcement K9s allow deputies to take these violent felons into custody without having to use deadly force. **







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Let's Shift the Focus

Dear Dave,

I graduated from college six years ago with a business degree. Currently, I'm in data analytics making about \$40,000 a year and have \$155,000 in student loan debt. Do you have any recommendations as far as refinancing my student loans and getting the interest rates and monthly payments down?

Austin Dear Austin,

dent loans.

I'm not trying to be mean here, but what in the world are you doing in data analytics that pays so poorly? Most of the folks I know in that area make a ton more. And you're going to need to start making a whole lot more to pay off \$155,000 in stu-

For starters, you

Dave Ramsey Says

shouldn't be looking at this from a what-can-I-doto-make-this-manageable perspective. You don't want to give this Sallie Mae nightmare a haircut, then tell her to sit in the corner all nice and pretty. You want her to leave! Now, there's nothing inherently wrong with refinancing to get a lower interest rate, or lower payments, if you do it the right way. But in most cases that translates into keeping the debt around forever. You need a better plan.

Instead, let's shift the main goal from that to paying this thing off as fast as possible. That means big, hairy chunks of payments on the principal. And that'll probably mean picking up an extra job or two, because right now you've got what I call a shovel-to-hole ratio problem. The hole you're in is a big one—a \$155,000 one. And you're working with a \$40,000 shovel. You need a bigger shovel, and a lot of extra

work, instead of trying to keep these loans around like they're pets. What can you do-for a short period of time—that's legal, moral and will make you the most money the fastest?

On the day job side of things, you may want to consider looking for a position with a different company, Austin. You're way underpaid if you're in data analytics and making just \$40,000 a year.

Good luck!

- Dave

*Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national bestselling 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.

Something Is Clearly Off with California's Homelessness Spending

Commentary By Jerry Jackson and Wayne Winegarden, CALMatters.org

California put aside \$7.2 billion to address homelessness in the 2021-22 state budget. Last year, there were an estimated 172,000 homeless statewide, which equates to spending nearly \$42,000 per homeless

Spending of this magnitude – which only accounts for state money - is sufficient if it were applied effectively. The worsening crisis indicates that something is off with how the state spends its resources.

This perspective is important in light of a comprehensive homeless survey by UC San Francisco. Many of its findings are enlightening, but too many of its suggestions call for more spending.

It strains credulity to believe that spending \$42,000 per person is insufficient, but if bumped up to \$45,000, all will be OK. California does not have the worst-in-the-nation homeless crisis because it spends

Continued calls for more government subsidies supporting the state's ineffective housing-first approach will waste money while failing to alleviate the emergency.

The survey confirms some things we already know, such as most of the homeless in California (78%) are unsheltered. It also provides essential information to help sustainably address homelessness, such as the pivotal role housing unaffordability plays in driving the problem.

Solutions require policymakers to leverage all we have learned to adopt a more innovative structure

for addressing the grim harmful policies like rent conditions.

The UCSF Benioff Homelessness and Housing Initiative does recommend some innovative policies, such as establishing homeless courts as also advocated by Gov. Gavin Newsom. While neither a perfect nor sweeping solution, a court system ordering treatment programs for the homeless could make a difference.

If the effort has the necessary scope and force, it can of Latino, Black and other help move homeless people minority communities," suffering from mental illness says Jennifer Hernandez, and addiction into a setting of care rather than the curland-use lawyer who has rent invisible asylum of "the documented CEQA's long street, the jail, and the emergency room."

Other suggestions merely throw money at the current ineffective government-run programs, a poor strategy bound to fail. Instead, California should fund wellrun and fully accountable private sector groups that help homeless people gain control, address any issues and then become self-sufficient. The "California Way" bias has blinded lawmakers from successful initiatives in other states and tailoring them to West Coast needs. Partnerships and nonprofits in Virginia, Tennessee and elsewhere have shown that they can sustainably address homelessness through novel methods, flexibility and

personalization. Another flaw is the government's focus on "controlling the cost of housing" rather than removing disincentives driving the housing shortage. As rising inflation reminds us, you don't lower the cost of anything by throwing money at people. We need to incentivize more housing supply by lowering costs and construction time through deregulation and avoiding

control that worsen housing unaffordability.

The richest target for deregulation is also the state's most firmly entrenched law: the California Environmental Quality Act. While well-intended when enacted in 1970, it has become a destructive force derailing "the possibility of homeownership" among the "hardworking members list of litigation abuses.

Both Newsom and before him Gov. Jerry Brown have publicly supported CEQA reform, which is a start. A better plan would be a legislative initiative to repeal

and replace. Concerns that dismantling CEQA would invite environmental mayhem are overblown. Fresh legislation relying on the volumes of knowledge gained in protecting the environment since CEQA became law, and including provisions that would prevent it from becoming another tool for abuse should not be beyond the abilities of lawmakers.

Spending \$42,000 a year per homeless person is wheel-spinning on a grand scale. It shows a lack of reflection and a poverty of ideas. The progressive policy framework has made no progress on homelessness. It shouldn't be too much to ask lawmakers to rethink their premises.

Kerry Jackson is a fellow with the Center for California Reform at the Pacific Research Institute. Wayne Winegarden is a senior fellow in business and economics at the Pacific Research Institute.

Social Security Matters

My State Pension Eliminated My Social Security Survivor Benefit



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: My husband of 21 years died in January 2022 at the age of 70. We were both retired at the time of his death, and they immediately stopped his Social Security payments. After many calls to Social Security asking why I was not receiving his benefits, I was finally told since I have my own pension from the State of Ohio that I would receive none of my husband's Social Security.

I cannot see why my OH retirement has anything to do with my husband's Social Security. I do get a small payment from SS based on my past earnings before I worked for the State of Ohio. Is there any chance of fighting this since we were married when they took money from his earnings for SS? If I wanted to write to an elected official to see if these rules could be changed, who would I write to or call? Signed: Upset

Dear Upset Widow: Unfortunately, your entitlement to a Social Security survivor benefit from your husband is affected by a provision known as the Government Pension Offset, or "GPO," which affects any surviving spouse with a

federal, state, or local government pension earned without contributing to the Social Security program. Ohio is one of 26 states which have opted not to participate in Social Security, thus exempting state employees from paying Social Security taxes on their earnings. The OH state pension which resulted from your state employment means that any Social Security benefits earned outside of your state employment are reduced. The GPO reduction to your survivor benefit is severe – a reduction by 2/3rds of the amount of your Ohio state pension, which can - and often does - completely eliminate any SS survivor benefit you might otherwise be entitled to.

For clarity, the monthly SS payment your husband was receiving at his death stops automatically. At that point, your eligibility for additional SS benefits from your husband was assessed and, because of the GPO, Social Security offset your potential survivor benefit from your husband by 2/3rds of your Ohio state pension, which apparently eliminated your survivor benefit. As unfair as this may seem to you, note that the same thing happens to any surviving spouse who also has their own earned SS retirement benefit – their personal SS retirement benefit offsets their SS survivor benefit, so a spouse with a regular SS retirement benefit higher than their deceased spouse's benefit gets no surviving spouse benefit.

FYI, the State of Ohio has an obligation to make clear that by not paying into Social Security your future SS spousal/survivor benefits are affected. Without knowing how that was presented to you during your OH state employment, here's a quote from Ohio's Public Employee Retirement System (OPERS) website: "If you are eligible for Social Security benefits and are receiving a retirement benefit from OPERS. your Social Security benefits may be affected by the Government Pension Offset or the Windfall Elimination Provision. The Government Pension Offset may also affect you if you are eligible for Social Security benefits through your spouse. The Windfall Elimination Provision may affect you if you qualify for Social Security benefits due to your own work history." In any case, you are cer-

tainly not alone in your feelings about how your Social Security benefits have been affected by the GPO. This provision was enacted in 1983 and has been challenged in just about every Congressional session since that time, without success. In fact, there is a legislative bill active in the current Congress - H.R. 82 - The Social Security Fairness Act - which was introduced on the House floor in January and "referred to committee" for consideration. Like all preceding WEP/ GPO reform bills, this one sits idle in Committee. If you wish to add your voice to those who oppose the GPO, you should contact your Congressional Representative to solicit action on H.R. 82.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05109 Nazhmudin Rustamov, 8724 Fair Oaks Boulevard Apt 1, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Name(s) Transport" 8724 Fair Oaks Boulevard Apt 1, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 6, 2023 Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04532 Keur Moua, 5121 Kenneth Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Adams Family Bakerv" 4535 Freeway Circle, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 14, 2023 Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

ADAMS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05121 Rafael Lopez, 4232 Woodwillow Lane, Elk Grove, CA 95758 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arsha8" 1104 Corporate Way, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2023

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04950 California Royal Services Corporation, 5660 Kenneth Avenue #A, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Junk King Sacramento 12181 Folsom Boulevard Suite A, Rancho Cordova, CA Boulevard 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 28, Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2023-04158 Irish Iron LLC, 8210 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Irish Iron" 8210 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 31, 2023 Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

8-11-23 IRISH

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05010 Michael Francis Taylor, 4516 Azure Court, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mike's Tree Service" 4516 Azure Court, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 30,

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 MIKES 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04777 CAQ Ventures LLC, 1401 21s Street Suite R. Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sisterra Homes" 1401 21si Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 22, 2023

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 SISTERRA

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04289 Daniel S Funner, 2424 42nd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817 is doing business under the Business Name(s) Fictitious "Catholic School Band (CSB) 2424 42nd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 6, 2023

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 CATHOLIC 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05216 Cristian Budean, 7429 Summer Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fine Line" 7429 Summer Avenue Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 FINE 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05202 Roberta Littlefield. 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business "Littlefields Name(s) Imagination" 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11,

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 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

Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 AMERICAN

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, 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2023 Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04794 Carl J. Fishel, 6536 Oak Bend Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 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

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME**

SUPERIOR COURT OF

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003454 Jalal Junbish has filed a petition

with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mudathir Junbish to Mudassir Junbish.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 30, 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: June 21, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 2023

JALAL

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003578

Amun Sobek Ra El has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Amun Sobek Ra El to El Amun Sobek

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 20, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if anv. why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 23, 2023 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 2023 7-21-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003250

Zaona Ashannay Carrie Pruitt has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Zaona Ashannav Carrie Pruitt to Zayana Ashannay Carrie Fields

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 14, 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 14, 2023 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 2023 7-21-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003215

Danielle Miller and Justin Miller has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Shyann Elizabeth Marie Lopez Miller to Shyann Elizabeth Marie Miller. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 7, 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 14, 2023 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 2023 SHYANN 7-21-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003450

Ahmad Shoaib Ahmadzai has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ahmad Shoaib Ahmadzai to Ahmad Shoaib Ahmadi and Lailuma Ahmadzai to Lailuma Ahmadi and Khoshbo Ahmadzai to Khoshbo Ahmadi and Parwana Ahmadzai to Marwa Ahmadi and Monawara Ahmadzai to Monawara Ahmadi and Mariam Ahmadzai to Mariam Ahmadi and Mohammad Hamza Ahmadzai Mohammad Hamza Ahmadi.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 19, 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 21, 2023

Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 2023 AHMAD 7-21-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV002687 Fredy Campos has filed a petition

with this court for a decree chang-

ing the name(s) of Mila Calisto Campos to Mila Callisto Campos. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 15, 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: June 5, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023 7-28-23 MILA

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003715 Ji Hye Lee has filed a petition

with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ji Hye Lee to Shannon Jihye Lee. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 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: June 27, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of

the Superior Court

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SHANNON

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV002345

Dane Phillip Coleal-Bergum has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Dane Phillip Coleal-Bergum to Dane Phillip Coleal Bergum.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 9, 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: May 26, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV002351

Jasmin Goodall and Tyler Gower has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Luca James Hernandez to Luca James Gower

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 9, 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: May 26, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of

> SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003665

the Superior Court

Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023

Tracy Stephen Bayless has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Tracy Stephen Bayless to Tracy Stephen Love and Nicole Marie Pacheco to Nicole Marie Love.

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: June 26, 2023

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023 TRACY 7-28-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003674

Ho Thanh Khoa Nguyen has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ho Thanh Khoa Nguyen to Khoa K Nguyen. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 26, 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 27, 2023

Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023 THANH 7-28-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003677

Thi Lien Ha Ho has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Thi Lien Ha Ho to Lien-Ha Ho.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 26, 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 27, 2023 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023 7-28-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003617

Fatima Zardkoohi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Fatima Zardkoohi to Mahlegha Zardkoohi. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 21, 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 26, 2023

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7-28-23 SUPERIOR COURT OF CAI IFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#23CV003124 Neferteri Alexandria Romo has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s)

Defendant Sentenced for Rape by Force, Rape of Unconscious Person

Sacramento County DA News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On June 23, 2023, the Honorable Ernest Sawtelle sentenced Andrey Prudnikov to 12 years in prison. On May 1, 2023, a jury convicted Prudnikov of the rape of an unconscious person and rape by force.

On May 21, 2020, the then 19-year-old victim was asleep on a couch at a friend's house when her group of friends went out to get firewood for the firepit. One of the friend's brother, Andrey Prudnikov, lived at the house and was alone with the victim. The victim woke up when she felt someone on top of her and touching her sexually. When the victim began to comprehend what has happening, she realized she was being raped by Prudnikov. The victim was able to push Prudnikov off of her and run for help. Prudnikov fled the area, but he was caught approximately one month later. DNA evidence linked Prudnikov to the sexual assault. Prudnikov committed the acts with sophistication and planning by locking the doors to the house to prevent anyone from walking in and closing the shades to hide what he was doing.

The aggravating factor that the victim was particularly vulnerable was found true based on the facts that the victim felt she could trust the people in the house, felt safe while she slept and was asleep when the rape began.

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CAL FIRE Secures Additional Aircraft

Public Urged to Refrain from Operating Drones in Fire Zones

CAL FIRE News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - CAL FIRE is bolstering its firefighting aircraft fleet across California for the second year in a row as a result of over \$72 million in funding provided by the administration of Governor Gavin Newsom. The investment has allowed CAL FIRE to secure 24 additional firefighting aircraft (19 helicopters and 5 airplanes for a contractual period of 90-120 days) to enhance their statewide response efforts against wildfires in California. The additional fixed-wing aircraft include 3 large airtankers specifically designed to carry up to 4,000 gallons of retardant. These aircraft have been strategically located in communities across California and will be pre-positioned to meet the needs of potential fire activity throughout the state.

"The deployment of more aircraft dedicated to the people of California marks a historic milestone, with the highest number of firefighting aircraft ever available for initial attack in the state for the second consecutive year," stated Director and Fire Chief Joe Tyler. Chief Tyler further explained that "the significant rainfall California experienced this winter has led to a substantial increase of highly flammable fuels, which contribute to the rapid escalation of fires."

Last week alone, CAL FIRE responded to over 300 wildfires as temperatures continued to increase across the state.

Aircraft are initially prepositioned in the following Counties: Butte, Tuolumne, San Diego, Tulare, Humboldt, Mariposa, Nevada, Siskiyou, Sacramento, Fresno, Shasta, San Luis Obispo, Napa, Placer, Lassen, Riverside, and Sonoma Counties.

Established in 1970, CAL FIRE's aviation program has grown to over 60 fixed-wing and rotary-wing aircraft, making it the largest civil aerial firefighting fleet worldwide. This renowned aviation program responds to thousands of wildfires dropping water and fire retardant in California each year.

In light of these efforts, CAL FIRE urges the public to refrain from operating drones over areas with fire activity. It is important to note that flying drones in these areas is strictly prohibited by law. Drone operation hampers aerial firefighting capabilities and poses significant risks to lives, property, and natural resources.

CAL FIRE remains dedicated to the protection of California's communities and natural landscapes, and these additional firefighting aircraft represent a significant step towards enhancing the state's wildfire response capabilities.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

of Neferteri Alexandria Romo to Robin Violet Night.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 13, 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 12, 2023 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, 28, 2023 7-28-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#23VC004116 Ngoc Khanh Phuong Ho has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ngoc Khanh Phuong Ho to

Beatrix Phuong Ho.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this 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: July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV004011

Khrystyna Ramos has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Khrystyna Ramos to Kristina Vorona.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 14, 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 3, 2023

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 2023 8-4-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#23CV003798

Faith Sarah Irene Deal-Martin

has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Faith Sarah Irene Deal-Martin to Faith SID Martin. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 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: June 28, 2023

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

CHANGE OF NAME #23CV003921 Muey Lai Saetern has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Muey Lai Saetern to Liz Muey Saetern. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on October 3, 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 14, 21, 28, August 4, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV004054

Sadam Azzam Fakhoury has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sadam Azzam Fakhoury to Sam Azzam Fakhoury

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 14, 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: June 30, 2023 the Superior Court Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023

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

Frank William Gillette Martin has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Frank William Gillette Martin to Frank William Martin.

#23CV003084

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 5, 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: June 12, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 8-11-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME**

#23CV004542 Richard lee davis III has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Richard lee davis III to Richard Lee Courington.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 3, 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 11, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023 8-11-23

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

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

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 Obediah Michael Brigham and Aione Lynnel Brigham toYona 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 8-11-23

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

Corie Velasco has filed a peti-

tion with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Corie Velasco to Corie Lvnn IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons 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 8-11-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GAIL BROCKMAN CASE NO. 23PR000665

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or es-

tate, or both, of Gail Brockman. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Everett Daniel Brockman, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Everett Daniel Brockman be appointed as personal representative(s)

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

to administer the estate of 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 28, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California,

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

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 Petitioner is: Everett Daniel Brockman. 617 Skyline Drive, Daly City, CA 94015; 628-250-1309

Publish: Month July 14, 21, 28, 2023 **EVERETT**

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JACQUELINE ANN ORSI AKA JACQUELINE A. ORSI AKA JAC-QUELINE ORSI

CASE NO. 23PR000723 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Jacqueline Ann Orsi, aka Jacqueline A. Orsi, aka Jacqueline Orsi.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by William C. Hayman, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento. The Petition for Probate requests William C. Hayman 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 personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative 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 24, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, 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 obiections 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. Petitioner: William C. Hayman, P.O. Box 2683 Rocklin, CA 95677 916-257-6356 Publish: July 21, 28, & August 4,

8-4-2023

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF SHEILA ANN MONTGOMERY CASE NO. 34-2023-00337952

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Sheila Ann Montgomery.
A Petition for Probate has been

filed by Janae Montgomery, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Janae Montgomery 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 September 5, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County 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

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

CA 95747: 916-871-9450

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2019-08682

The following person(s) has/ have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: SB Soirees. 3503 Del Sol Way, Sacramento, CA 95834.

Sondra R. Bushey and Scott

E. Bushey, 3503 Del Sol Way, Sacramento, CA 95834. The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on 10/21/2019 in the County of

Sacramento. the clerk Filed with Sacramento County: 6/30/2023. Publish: July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 2023



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.)

ARMOR MINI STORAGE: Property is located at 5714 Auburn Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95841. The auction will be conducted entirely online at: https://bid13.com/ Auctioneer: Bid13.com/ 1-844-348-2776; agent for Owner. Contents for the following lien units will be sold:

Tenant unit number and name

B029 Ruth Tucker, B054 Isabella Feril, F003 Rick Favreau, D019 Marjorie Chambers,

D025 George Brunelle.

Pictures of the contents of the storage space can be seen online. Bids must be entered online beginning, Tuesday August 1st, 2023 at 9am and ending Friday August 4th 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 sum of settlement between owner and obligated party.

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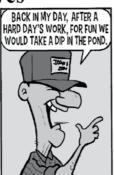
















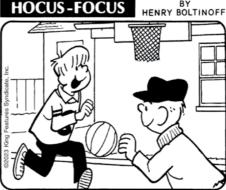




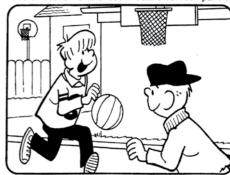












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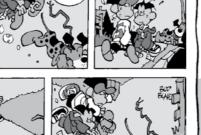






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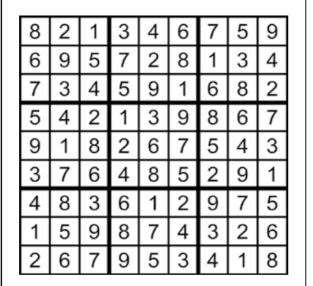
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State's Cannabis Enforcement Taskforce Aggressively Combats Illegal Market

California Department of Fish and Wildlife News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Building upon the momentum in Q1 2023, the Unified Cannabis Enforcement Taskforce (UCETF) seized more than \$109 million in illegal cannabis in Q2 2023. This total represents a 104 percent increase from the \$52 million in unlicensed cannabis and cannabis products in O1 2023.

Additional highlights from the period April 1, 2023, through June 30, 2023, include a 130 percent gain in the number of plants eradicated and a 375 percent increase in the number of firearms seized. The complete details of UCETF's Q2 2023 results are listed below.

"This well-orchestrated taskforce continues to reach new heights on shutting down a variety of illicit operations that range from dispensaries to indoor grow houses to outdoor cultivations sites among other facets in the illegal supply chain," said David Bess, Chief of Enforcement for the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW). "These enforcement numbers speak volumes on the dedication, perseverance, and organization of this multiagency taskforce. I could not be prouder of what we are accomplishing as a team."

"Our enforcement efforts are becoming increasingly diversified along the illegal cannabis supply chain as we served warrants on several unlicensed dispensaries in this quarter in addition to unlicensed cultivation operations," stated Bill Jones, Chief of the Law Enforcement Division for DCC. "As the taskforce continues to evolve and the combined resources of our partners plays an even greater role in our operations, we will be disrupting the illegal market at several different points along their supply chain."

"The Department of Toxic Substances Control brings its mission to safeguard public health and the environment to the Unified Cannabis Enforcement Taskforce, playing a crucial role alongside dedicated partners in promoting responsible growth of the cannabis industry," said DTSC Chief Investigator, Hansen Pang. "Through our expertise in addressing environmental concerns, including contamination, hazardous waste, and banned pesticides, we collaborate to eliminate the adverse impact of the illegal cannabis market.'

UCETF is supporting the legal cannabis market by investigating and disrupting illegal grow sites as well as shutting down illegal manufacturing, distribution, and retail operations. By working closely with state, local, and federal law enforcement agencies, UCETF's enforcement actions protect consumer and public safety, safeguard the environment, and deprive illegal cannabis operators and transnational criminal organizations of illicit revenue that undercuts the regulated cannabis market in California.

In 2023 UCETF has seized \$161,921,709.44 in unlicensed cannabis through the serving of 113 search warrants. The taskforce has also eradicated 173,499 plants and seized 23 firearms.

Created in 2022, the Unified Cannabis Enforcement Taskforce has been charged by the Governor to better align state efforts and increase cannabis enforcement coordination between state, local and federal partners. The Taskforce is co-chaired by the Department of Cannabis Control (DCC) and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) and coordinated by the Homeland Security Division of Cal OES. The taskforce includes more than two dozen local, state, and federal partners working together to disrupt the illegal cannabis market.

"Top States for Business" Report Gives California an "F"

California Business Roundtable News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - In CNBC's annual "Top States for Business" ranking, California's ranking reflects the reality of our economy, which is led by our tech industry and venture capital dollars but bogged down by our ongoing cost of living crisis, high taxes, and unfriendly business policies.

"California's competitiveness, our ability to attract and retain businesses, as well as to provide employees with an affordable qualify of life, continue to show clear warning signs thanks to our ongoing cost-of-living crisis," said Rob Lapsley, president of the California Business Roundtable. "This ranking is an annual reminder of the state's precarious future and economic solvency. Just like the state budget, our business climate relies almost exclusively on the highly volatile Bay Area's tech region to grow or attract business."

According to the survey, California received an "F" in cost of living and business friendliness which directly reflect the impact of the policies that are being passed by state and local government. In addition, the state economy received a "D+" and our cost of doing business scored a "D." The only categories in which California excelled were access to capital and technology and innovation, where we scored an "A+" for each.

"Our overall rankings should come as no surprise to the governor and Legislature, who continue to push higher taxes, fees, and expensive regulations onto businesses," Lapsley continued.

In just the past 30 days, the governor and Legislature have ensured businesses will pay one of the highest tax increases in state history by refusing to provide state funding to pay off the state-created Unemployment Insurance Fund debt (learn more here) and increased labor and litigation costs by proposing to refund the Industrial Welfare Commission in the state budget (learn more here).

"The governor and Legislature's policies continue to give clear signals that California is not a friendly place to expand or grow jobs. Technology and innovation, combined with access to capital, have disguised many of the major impacts that our policies are having on all other sectors in our economy. This report clearly reflects the harm these policies are having on businesses and working families," Lapsley concluded.

Sacramento Kings Unveil New **Uniforms for the 2023–24 Season**



hierarchy of colors, returning to black being the primary color with purple as an accent. Season. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Kings Photo courtesy of Sacramento Kings



Sacramento Kings News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - On Monday, July 3, 2023, ahead of the California Classic Summer League presented by Ticketmaster and the 2023-24 NBA Season, the Sacramento Kings announced three all-new uniforms. The franchise will wear redesigned Nike Association, Icon and Statement Edition uniforms throughout the 2023-24 NBA Season.

"We are excited to unveil a new collection of uniforms that salutes the team's origins while celebrating the organization's future," said Sacramento Kings President of Business Operations John Rinehart. "We believe our fans will appreciate the modernized Kings script and the return of the popular color scheme."

The new uniforms feature a change in the hierarchy of colors, returning to black being the primary color with purple as an accent. In May, the team teased the return of the Kings script wordmark, now a focal point of the Association and Icon jerseys.

Fans will get their first look at the Association and Icon editions July 3 with the uniforms on display in the Grand Entrance of Golden 1 Center during California Classic. The Statement Edition will be revealed on the second day of the event. Kings fans will also be able to sign up to be notified when the jerseys are available for purchase. Related merchandise utilizing the new designs and created in collaboration with Lululemon. Sportige, Authmade, Melin, and the children's brand Sweet Wink, will be available for purchase inside Golden 1 Center.

The three uniforms will debut during the 2023-24 NBA season. The team will wear a simplified version of the new uniform during California Classic and 2023 NBA Summer League in Las Vegas.

For more information and to sign up to be notified about the on-sale, visit Kings.com/ Uniforms



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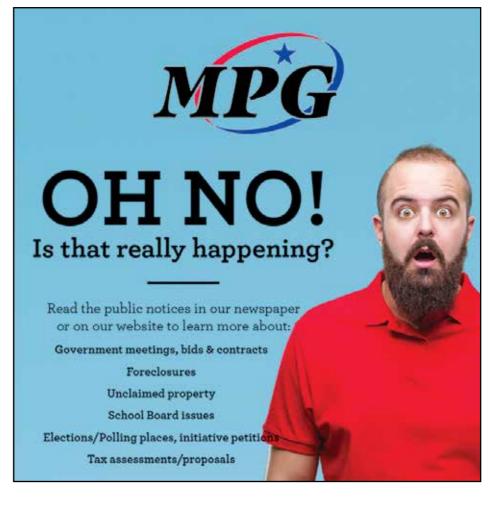


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