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Meeting the Machines



Community kids enjoyed the Cordova Recreation & Park District's Meet the Machines event out at Hagan Community Park. Photo by Rick Sloan

By Patrick Owen, Cordova Recreation & Park District

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Hagan Community Park was buzzing with excitement the morning of Saturday, September 16 as children and families gathered for Meet the Machines, a thrilling and educational event hosted by the Cordova Recreation & Park District. This unique event provided kids



Various local law enforcement agencies take the opportunity to share valuable information about the roles these machines play in our daily lives. Photo by Rick Sloan

with the unique opportunity to get up close and personal with a variety of 25 machines including

large machinery, vehicles and trucks – turning the park into a playground of mechanical marvels.

One of the highlights of the event was the chance for kids to climb aboard some of these machines. The joy and amazement on their faces as they ascended into the driver's seats of dump trucks, fire engines, and construction equipment were priceless. Meet the Machines was more

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Teachers Say, "Erase and Start Over" on 2% Job Raise

By Sharon Pearce

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Folsom Cordova Unified School District Board focused Thursday, September 21, 2023 meeting on the success of the new working policy requiring students to turn off and pack away electronics in secure bags while on campus.

It also heard that a proposed teacher pay raise of only 2% – much below the COLA recommendation – was unacceptable. Much discussion was given to a proposed new instructional calendar that would result in two spring breaks with a longer school session in the spring and it reviewed the effects of supplementary funding that has been allocated for unrestricted, use at school sites.

A motion was approved to revise Board Policy 5131.8 on mobile communication devices being turned off and put away from the time the student steps on campus until the student leaves. Dissatisfaction was had with "Yonder" bags being used for securing the electronics. Board member Kara Lofthouse said she was shocked at the loss of \$85,000 spent on purchasing this product. It was recommended the policy be rewritten to say that such devices simply be placed in a secure bag.

Fewer violence videos were recorded on campus and uploaded to Instagram, it was stated, and consequently there were fewer reports of violence generally. Elly Abel, PE Teacher, reported if teachers see cell phones in middle school, they can order students who have them to go to the office. "Whatever can be done to remove cell phones is good," she said. Board Member Christopher Clark asked for another workshop on current social media tools.

The Education Association found the September 13 budget pay offer of 2.2% demeaning, as Sacramento received over 10%. It was stated that administrative salaries had gone up \$1.1 million and California's Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) to Staff was 8.22%. That, maybe a little less, had been expected locally. The problem, it was stated, is how money is spent, as District is spending less of new budget money on schools and teachers than it is required to do. Recruit, Train and Retain is the year's theme, but the budget is already running at 98.6% ADA.

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River Gravel Project Roars Ahead



Carmichael's iconic water tower stands amid the \$3.6 million project to restore salmon spawning beds on the American River. Water Forum Habitat manager Erica Bishop watches excavation progress near Ancil Hoffman Park.

Story and photos by Susan Maxwell Skinner

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Bulldozers and monster truck sightings are now as common as wildlife on the Ancil Hoffman Park walking trail. Though small boys

might delight in the roaring excavators, big fish are the real beneficiaries. The area defined as Upper River Bend is the sight of a \$ 3.6 million project to help threatened salmonids. Started last month, the eight-week project continues annual Sacramento Water Forum efforts.

Chinook salmon and steelhead populations must have movable stones for nesting and egg laying. To this end, 30,000 cubic yards of small-diameter gravel will be moved from an adjacent bar into the river flow. Excavated areas will become a side channel and

11 acres of spawning and rearing habitat will result. New native plantings will provide shelter and attract insects to feed baby fish before their swim to the Pacific. For millions of years, salmonids managed the process unaided. But since

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New Coach Reaps a Victory

Big Red Delivers against Highlands High

Story and photos by Rick Sloan

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - When you step into the head coaching position for the Cordova Lancers, you become part of a legendary athletic program that dates back 60 years. John "JP" Dolliver became a member of this historic roster this year and finally was rewarded with his first win as a Cordova head coach. Congratulations go out to JP, his coaching staff, and players.

For the victory on Friday, September 22nd, the Lancers fought off a tough opponent in Highlands High at home, much to the delight of the many fans in attendance by a score of 49-34. This victory against the Scots couldn't have come at a better time as the Lancers start league play on the 29th at Foothill.

After trailing at halftime by a score of 20-22, the Lancers were able to hold the Scots to only 12 points in the second half as they added 29 points to their total. The Lancers scored 7 touchdowns for the 2nd time in a row. Like the previous game against Rio Vista, they scored 4 touchdowns by land and 3 by air. One of the ground touchdowns came on a 90-yard kickoff return in the 3rd quarter by junior running back Elijah Wallace.

The other 6 touchdowns were scored by four Lancer players. Damajae Moses caught two touchdowns from passes by senior



Jabari Davis scores the first of two TD's against Highlands.

quarterback Jayden Ryce. One of Damajae's TD catches was on a 37-yard strike from Ryce. The other touchdown by air was a 13-yard toss from Ryce to junior Tre Carter for the game's first score.

The TD's on the ground were scored on a short run by senior Aleksey Medvedev in the 2nd quarter and the other two were scored by Cordova's big senior tailback Jabari Davis runs up the middle. Davis was the game's leading ground gainer with 144 yards in 17 carries for an average of 8.5 yards per carry. His longest run was for 20 yards. Just behind Davis in rushing

yards was Ryce with 101 yards in 9 carries for an average of 11.2 yards per carry. Ryce also threw for 109 yards with 7 completions in 14 attempts for a 15.6 yards average per catch. Wallace also contributed 63 yards on 10 carries for an average of 6.3 yards per carry.

A dominant running game is usually a coach's dream, and it seems like the Lancer coaches are crafting that attack with each game. With a successful running game, the passing game tends to improve. Both of these categories have really stepped up in the last two games. The Lancer's have accumulated 1,083

passing and running yards in the last two contests. That's a whole lot of real estate.

One very big reason for this dominant running attack is 6-foot 4-inch, 230-pound tailback Davis. Davis has been referred to as a "Mack Truck" by the Cordova announcer. All I know is that when he gets his speed up, he's very difficult to stop. Another big reason for the success in the running and passing game is the improvement of the offensive line. Senior Rodrigo Gonzalez, senior Nezziah Poole-Alston, junior Orlando Gomez and sophomore Ryker Woolfe have

been able to hold off the rush and open up big holes.

The Lancer's defense came through big time as they were instrumental in forcing the Scots to fumble twice in the 4th quarter both of which Cordova recovered. They also came up big time with a 20-yard interception return by Moses late in the 4th quarter, which resulted in the Lancer's last score of the night. Cordova was without senior defensive end and tight end Michael Brown who was resting a sore foot from an injury sustained late in the game against Rio Vista. Moving into the defensive end position for the first time was Armani Curtis.

Also stepping up on the defense for the Lancers were sophomore Julian Drahn, sophomore Anthony Gomez, freshman Terryn King, senior Ruvim Kravchuk and senior Joseph Huckabay. Drahn had 8 unassisted tackles for the evening and Gomez had 5. Huckabay and Ryce both had 4 solo tackles each. King was instrumental in breaking up possible receptions by Highlands' receivers at crucial times during the contest.

The Lancers start league play on September 29th at Foothill High School. The next home games will be on October 20th (Homecoming) against Natomas and October 27th (Senior Night) against Johnson. Come on out and cheer your Big Red Lancers on to victory.

GO BIG RED!



Damajae Moses takes a 13-yard pass in for the score.



Joseph Huckabay brings the Highland ball carrier down.



Jayden Ryce on a short run towards the Scots' goal.

River Gravel Project Roars Ahead

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the Gold Rush, man-made river alterations have threatened migratory species. The American River and its tributaries once offered 200 miles of breeding sites. More than 150 years of river development have reduced possibilities to about 12 miles.

Dam construction blocked spawning paths and barred natural gravel movement. "The lower part of the American River is gravel-starved,"

explains Water Forum Habitat Manager Erica Bishop. "Some salmon and steelhead return to home waters and can't find a place to spawn. Fish can't build nests without the right physical conditions.

"Though the Nimbus Hatchery has a role in juvenile fish production, the Water Forum's focus is to help adult salmonids complete life cycles naturally."

The current project must wrap before fall salmon



Water Forum Habitat Manager Erica Bishop explains the 2023 habitat restoration project to Ancil Hoffman Park hiker Al Trivett.

migration crowds the giants, steelhead nest in the same gravel beds.

"Our work is targeted over time frames least likely to affect migrating fish," says Bishop. "Swings between drought and flood condition create challenges; we focus on long-term habitat improvement."

A nearby 2021 Water Forum project supported 30 percent of threatened steelhead reproduction for that season. "Results are immediate," notes Bishop. "Fish begin to spawn as soon as we finish our projects. Our restored habitats certainly work."

The Ancil Hoffman project will wrap by mid-October. Though construction areas are fenced, park trails are still operational and rafting is not impacted. In-river work pauses at weekends.

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CDPH Recommends All Californians Stay Up to Date on COVID-19 Vaccine

CHPH Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Following federal approval of the updated COVID-19 vaccine and recommendations for the upcoming winter respiratory virus season, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) is recommending all Californians stay up to date on the vaccine and get the updated shot when available.

For renewed protection against severe illness, hospitalization and death, all Californians 5 years and older should receive one dose of the updated COVID-19 vaccine, as long as it's been 2 months or more since their most recent dose. Getting vaccinated may also minimize your symptoms if you do become infected so you can return to your daily activities more quickly. Recommendations for younger children depend on the number of doses received previously.

CDPH strongly urges vaccination for individuals who are at high risk of serious illness from COVID-19 due to advanced age or underlying illness as this is the group of individuals most vulnerable to severe disease and the worst outcomes.

"Staying up to date on the COVID-19 vaccine is the best way to keep your immunity strong and protect yourself and others from severe illness, hospitalization, and death," said CDPH Director and State Public Health Officer Dr. Tomás Aragón. "As we enter the winter season, it is crucial that all individuals remain up to date with vaccinations when they're eligible, including flu, COVID-19 and RSV."

WHO SHOULD GET VACCINATED

•Everyone Age 5 and Up: Everyone 5 years of age and older, regardless of previous vaccination, is eligible to receive a single dose of the updated COVID-19 vaccine as long as it's been at least 2 months since the last dose.

•Younger Children and Infants: Infants and younger children, 6 months through 4 years of age, who have previously been vaccinated against COVID-19 are eligible to receive one or two doses of the updated vaccine. The timing and number of doses depends on the previous COVID-19 vaccine received.

•Unvaccinated Younger Children and Infants: Unvaccinated infants and younger children, 6 months through 4 years of age, are eligible to receive three doses of the updated Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine or two doses of the updated Moderna COVID-19 vaccine.

WHEN & HOW TO SCHEDULE YOUR UPDATED COVID-19 VACCINE: Initial supplies of updated COVID-19 vaccine are expected in California in the coming weeks. For added convenience, COVID-19, flu, and RSV vaccines can all be administered in the same visit. Schedule a vaccine appointment by visiting MyTurn.ca.gov or contacting your local pharmacy or health care provider.

HOW TO PAY FOR A COVID-19 VACCINE: COVID-19 vaccines will continue to be free for most Americans through their health insurance plans, including Medi-Cal and regular health care providers.

The CDC's Bridge Access Program will provide limited quantities of COVID-19 vaccines to uninsured and underinsured adults through December 2024. The Vaccines For Children (VFC) program is a federally funded program that provides vaccines at no cost to children (18 and younger) who might not otherwise be vaccinated because of inability to pay.

CDPH'S VIRUS PREVENTION TIPS: The best defense against COVID-19 and other winter viruses starts with good prevention. Follow these five tips to protect yourself and others:

•Stay Up to Date on Vaccines: Vaccines reduce the chances of infection and are the best defense to limit severe illness and death. COVID-19, flu, and RSV vaccines will all be available for this winter season.

•Stay Home if You're Sick, Test for COVID and Treat if Needed: Staying home when you're sick slows the spread of COVID-19, flu, RSV, and even the common cold. If you have symptoms, test for COVID-19 and contact your doctor immediately to seek treatment. Treatments work best when started right after symptoms begin.

•Consider Wearing a Mask in Indoor Public Places: Wearing a mask significantly reduces the spread of respiratory viruses, especially in crowded or poorly ventilated spaces.

•Wash Your Hands: Frequent handwashing with soap and warm water, for at least 20 seconds, is an easy and very effective way to prevent getting sick and spreading germs.

•Cover Your Cough or Sneeze: Remember to cough or sneeze into your elbow, your arm, or a disposable tissue to help prevent the spread of winter viruses. Wash or sanitize your hands and dispose of your tissue after.

For more information visit www.cdph.ca.gov ★

Meeting the Machines



CRPD inspires community kids at the Meet the Machines event on Saturday, September 16. Photo by Rick Sloan

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than just fun exploration, it was also an opportunity for children to learn about the importance of these vehicles in our community. Representatives from various local organizations were present, sharing valuable information about the roles these machines play in our daily lives. Kids had the chance to gain insight into careers like construction, firefighting and public works, inspiring dreams of future vocations.

Aside from the hands-on exploration, Meet the Machines also hosted local organizations offering goods and services to the community.

Thank you to our vendors and generous donations from our sponsors – Republic Services and the Sacramento Area Sewer District for their support of this event. Meet the Machines continues to be a successful local event that offers an exciting learning opportunity for the community!

Cordova Recreation & Park District is one of the largest independent special districts in Northern California serving over



Kids had the chance to gain insight into careers like construction, firefighting and public works, inspiring dreams of future vocations. Photo by Rick Sloan



Future truck driver here! Photo by Rick Sloan

128,000 residents and four school districts in the greater Sacramento area. CRPD provides over 44 parks and recreation facilities, a full-service 18-hole golf course, as well as youth & adult sports, camps, enrichment classes, education programs and special events for the community. ★

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Where's the money seemed to be the question?

On the Recommended Instructional Calendar for the School Year 2024-2025, the Board indicated it was working under a Memorandum of Understanding to develop a different schedule, but no decision was taken. There are 181 instructional days, one professional development day and

two workdays set out, it was reported; paychecks are spread out over 10 months. If an extra spring break is added, the year would run to June, and pay spread over 11 months. One question was why Spring Break is tacked closely to the Easter holiday as colleges aren't doing that. It was also asked, with two breaks, why would one be in February? Board Member Kara Lofthouse would not

make a decision on a new calendar without receiving input from staff and parents. Teacher Melanie Pasavoy argued for parent input "...because if children have two spring breaks, what do they do if both parents are at work?"

Board Member Christopher Clark said he would like to talk to teachers and that "they should sit on it for a minute." It was decided to bring it back Oct.

19. Board President David Reid requested parent feedback by the 19th.

Schools received a grant funding boost of \$7 million. Of the Title One Schools, Cordova received \$3.2 million and Folsom plus River Heights, Mather Heights and Folsom schools, \$300K, plus additional teachers and counselors and bilingual aide hours were added. Supplemental, or flexible,

funds can be allocated for all students to attend fun and educational sites, where Title One funds cannot be used flexibly. Teachers expressed gratitude for the supplemental funding.

Four schools were recognized for Positive Behavior Intervention ("PBI") awards, with the Board noting this represented an improved positive culture and climate. Adjourned – 8:32 pm. ★

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California Legislature Whiffs On Insurance Crisis, Punting To Newsom And Lara



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

Before the California Legislature adjourned this month, it managed to fulfill most of wishes of majority Democrats' favorite interest groups, most notably labor unions.

However, legislators left town without doing anything concrete about something that threatens the psychic and economic wellbeing of millions of homeowners and those who aspire to ownership: the rapidly shrinking availability of residential fire insurance.

One by one, insurers have been reducing or eliminating their exposure in California, having paid out billions of dollars to cover losses from years of major wildfires and, they say, facing a fire threat that is likely to increase with climate change.

With Gov. Gavin Newsom and Insurance Commissioner Ricardo Lara involved in the background, there were weeks of private negotiations among legislators, insurance lobbyists and other stakeholders on how to bolster the state's insurance market.

However, the negotiations ended a week before the Legislature adjourned without agreement, signaled when state Sen. Bill Dodd, a Democrat whose Napa-centered district is one of the state's most fire-prone regions, sent a text

message: "Deal is dead. Very frustrating."

The discussions revolved about changing the way insurers calculate risk, from basing it on past experience to including potential future risk. Such a change would probably increase premiums and legislators wanted ironclad assurances that the companies would continue writing policies in fire-prone areas if the change was made.

As the session ended, there were public assurances that the issue would not be forgotten.

"We hear loud and clear from our residents that access to insurance is a problem," Assembly Speaker Robert Rivas said in a statement.

The Legislature's departure punted the issue, at least for a few months, to Lara and Newsom, who said, "We can do a lot of things. And I'm very mindful. We can do all of that."

However, Newsom didn't list any specifics. Last Thursday, he issued an executive order urging Lara to "take action to stabilize and improve California's property insurance marketplace."

Almost immediately, Lara issued new rate-setting regulations, which he had described earlier as "a package of regulatory solutions that will streamline the department's rate review process, opening it equitably to public input – not just the entrenched interests that have benefited materially from the status quo."

Newsom, Lara and the regulations drew praise from the American Property Casualty Insurance Association, which said, "Everyone understands that California's insurance market is in a spiraling crisis that requires immediate

policy solutions to protect consumer access to the coverage they need."

Insurance Commissioner Ricardo Lara unveils a plan to shore up the California insurance market for homeowners. Insurers would return to.

Given industry support, it's likely that the new regulations will allow it to include, at least to some extent, estimates of future risk from wildfires in their rates which would probably lead to premium increases.

Newsom stopped short of declaring an emergency in Thursday's executive order, which would have given Lara the authority to issue new rate-setting rules without going through the usual procedural hoops.

Earlier in the day, Consumer Watchdog, the organization that sponsored a 1988 overhaul of insurance regulation, Proposition 103, and has been a critic of Lara from virtually his first day on the job, issued a warning to Newsom and Lara about proceeding on an emergency basis.

Later, the organization said, Lara's move "would allow insurance companies to use secret algorithms to set rates for homeowners' coverage for wildfire and to add reinsurance costs to premiums will lead to higher insurance premiums."

So, there it is, a complex mélange of economic, political and societal factors and a huge tradeoff between the availability of coverage, which is mandatory for anyone having a mortgage, and the costs.

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

And Another Thing

"Artificial intelligence is a machine that's able to learn, make decisions, and take action – even when it encounters a situation it has never come across before"



By Bob McGarvey

I know this is after the California Capital Air Show, and I hope that as many of you who were able to go to the show went. It is difficult at times to work on my column about events before they happen, but it usually works out, and I am not predicting the future. I remember a show on TV in which the star of the show would get the newspaper for the next day, and it's headlines showed events before they actually happened. It would be different types of events like those in which people were injured, or someone would win something, a plane was crashed etc. Our air show has been wonderful in the past, and there is no reason to think it won't be wonderful again this year.

Now on to something which is actually happening now and that is (AI) artificial intelligence. On line it is defined as, "Artificial intelligence is a machine that's able to learn, make decisions, and take action—even when it encounters a situation it has never come across before." It can be used well in factories, in teaching, and other human events, but it is also a rather uncomfortable machine that reminds me of science fiction and its many robots.

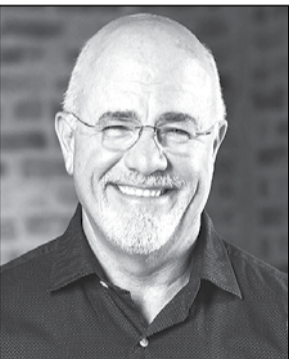
In 1942, science fiction author Isaac Asimov created "three fundamental Rules of Robots". Something came known as "Asimov's Three Laws if Robots". 1. A robot may not injure a human being, or, through inaction, allow a human being to come to harm. 2. A robot must obey the orders given it by human beings except

where such orders would conflict with the First Law. 3. A robot must protect its own existence as long as such protection does not conflict with the First or Second Law." Personally, I thought such rules for robots would rule for Artificial Intelligence machines too. We will have to see how AI can or can not really work for or against people and the robot laws.

On to different things which we are all paying attention to. In Congress in Washington D.C., we all have to watch and see if congress will pass spending bills on time. The new federal fiscal year begins on October 1. So far Congress, hasn't passed any of the appropriations bills it is supposed to enact before October 1, 2023. It hasn't passed a stopgap spending law to give itself more time either. There are many people and organizations which are depending on congress-members to do their jobs! I can't begin to say what would happen to our country if our elected officials don't do their jobs. Our military personnel are just one of the organizations or people who will be hurt.

Another thing which just happened locally was the decision of our City Council at its latest meeting to draw the city council member districts. Personally I am sorry that decisions like that had to be made by Rancho Cordova citizens, and they were forced to do so by attorneys from out of our city. I don't know of any citizens who asked that our city change from a general law city, to a city forced with districts.

From Bob McGarvey, God bless, and see you next time. ★



Dave Ramsey Says

Dear Meagan,

Take the bigger check! That's a quick and easy decision, but give me a minute to explain why. It's not about being greedy — it's a little more complicated than that.

If you had \$19,000 in your pocket, would you go buy a \$6,000 hail-damaged, salvage-title vehicle for everyday driving? Of course, you wouldn't do that! The insurance company is probably hoping you'll overlook the \$19,000 offer and essentially pay \$6,000 for this beat-up car. No. Thank. You. I'll pass on that deal.

With \$19,000, you'll have plenty of cash to rent a car for a couple of weeks and take time to find a great-quality used car at a good price. You might even be able to negotiate with the insurance company to give you a little time to look for another ride before they come pick up the old one.

But no, you don't want that messed up, old car. Why would you? That thing probably looks like a kid with a bad case of acne right now. Go find yourself a nice car, hon. There are plenty of affordable, slightly used vehicles on the market right now. There's no reason for you to drive around in something that's all beat up if you don't have to.

Best of luck, Meagan!

– 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. ★

Take the Bigger Check

Dear Dave,

My car was declared totaled because of hail damage, and my insurance company says I have two options. One is to take a higher total loss settlement check of \$19,000 and use it toward the purchase of another car. The insurance company would then take possession of the car. The other option is to accept a check for \$13,000 and have the car on a salvage title. The car is worth \$15,000, and I have 20% car replacement assistance on my policy that increases the total loss settlement to the \$19,000 amount I mentioned earlier. I'm on Baby Step 3 of your plan, and I owe nothing on the car. What should I do?

– Meagan

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FINDINGS OF AN EMERGENCY FOR THE ORIENTAL FRUIT FLY

Between September 12, 2023 and September 17, 2023, the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) confirmed that eight oriental fruit flies (OFFs), *Bactrocera dorsalis* (Hendel) group, were trapped in the cities of Rancho Cordova and Sacramento in Sacramento County. These detections indicate that a breeding population exists in the area. Unless emergency action is taken, then there is high potential for sudden future detections in Sacramento County. The OFF is a devastating pest of a wide variety of important fruit, vegetables, and native plants.

In order to determine the extent of the infestation, and to define an appropriate response area, an additional survey took place, centered on the detection site. Based on the survey data, and findings and recommendations from the CDFA *Bactrocera* Science Advisory Panel (BacSAP), the including Oriental Fruit Fly *Bactrocera dorsalis* representatives who are knowledgeable on OFF, I have determined that OFF poses a statewide imminent danger to the environment and economy.

The results of the additional survey also indicated that the local infestation is amenable to CDFA's OFF response strategies, which include chemical treatments and removal of host fruit. These options were selected based upon minimal impacts to the natural environment, biological effectiveness, minimal public intrusiveness, and cost.

The OFF is an exotic insect originating in Asia, and has been accidentally introduced into a number of Pacific Islands, including Hawaii. It is a member of a closely related group of species, known as the OFF group, which are difficult to distinguish based on individual specimens. Several of the group species are major fruit and vegetable pests, and collectively members of the OFF group are known to attack over 230 types of fruits and vegetables. Important California crops at risk include pome and stone fruits, citrus, dates, avocados, and many vegetables, particularly tomatoes and peppers. Damage occurs when the female lays eggs in the fruit. These eggs hatch into larvae, which tunnel through the flesh of the fruit, making it unfit for consumption.

A life cycle is an estimate of insect phenology based on a heat degree day temperature driven model. Warmer temperatures lead to faster lifecycles, while colder temperatures slow lifecycle development. Daily minimum and maximum temperatures are collected from nearby

regional data stations and used to calculate estimated temperature value curves. These temperature curves are used to project the length of fly lifecycles against established models specific to the OFF. Because the third (F3) life cycle of the OFF detected between September 12, 2023 and September 17, 2023 is not projected to be complete until June 13, 2024, it is likely that there are additional flies in the environment that will lead to sudden future detections.

This pest presents a significant and imminent threat to the natural environment, agriculture and economy of California. Exotic fruit flies are internal feeders of fruit, and their presence therefore makes the fruit unfit for consumption. There is a loss of marketability and ability to ship food to other states and nations. The combined 2020 gross production value of host commercial commodities potentially affected by OFF was over \$19.33 billion. The permanent establishment and spread of this pest would result in increased production and postharvest costs to safeguard commercial fruit from infestation, increased pesticide applications on both production agriculture and residential properties to mitigate damage, and lost economic activity and jobs from trade restrictions imposed by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and foreign trade partners.

This decision to proceed with treatment is based upon a realistic evaluation that it will be possible to eliminate OFF from this area and prevent its spread using currently available technology in a manner that is based on an action plan developed in consultation with the Pest Prevention Committee of the California Agricultural Commissioners and Sealers Association, the USDA, and scientists on the BacSAP. Due to the size of the infested area and the number of flies detected, historical data indicates that eradication is possible. The first California OFF detections occurred in Orange and Santa Barbara counties in 1960, and since that time, multiple re-introductions have been delimited and successfully eradicated.

The CDFA has evaluated possible treatment methods in accordance with integrated pest management (IPM) principles. As part of these principles, I have considered the following treatments for control of OFF: 1) physical controls; 2) cultural controls; 3) biological controls; and 4) chemical controls. Upon careful evaluation of each these options, I have determined that it will be

possible to address the imminent threat posed by OFF using currently available technology in a manner that is recommended by the BacSAP.

Based upon input from the BacSAP, the Primary State Entomologist, USDA experts on OFF, and County Agricultural Commissioner representatives who are knowledgeable on OFF, I find there are no cultural or biological control methods that are both effective against OFF and allow CDFA to meet its statutory obligations and therefore it is necessary to conduct physical and chemical control methods to abate this threat. As a result, I am ordering that male attractant treatments, consisting of methyl eugenol, a pesticide (spinosad), and a time-release matrix be applied to utility poles and street trees to eliminate this infestation. Additionally, in the event of evidence of a breeding population on a property, foliar bait spray treatments will be applied to host trees using ground-based equipment and host fruit removal will occur.

SENSITIVE AREAS

CDFA has consulted with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife's California Natural Diversity Database for threatened or endangered species, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, the National Marine Fisheries Service, and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife when rare and endangered species are located within the treatment area. Mitigation measures for rare and endangered species will be implemented. The CDFA shall not apply pesticides to bodies of water or undeveloped areas of native vegetation. All treatment shall be applied to residential properties, common areas within residential development, non-agricultural commercial properties, and rights-of-way.

WORK PLAN

The proposed treatment area encompasses those portions of Sacramento County which fall within a 1.5-mile radius around each property on which an OFF has been detected and any subsequent detection sites within the program boundaries. The Proclamation of Emergency Program is valid until June 13, 2024, which is the amount of time necessary to carry out the treatment plan across three life cycles of OFF as required by the treatment protocol for OFF. A map of the project boundaries is attached. The work plan consists of the following elements:

1. Delimitation. Traps will be placed in a 4.5-

mile radius from each detection site to delimit the infestation and to monitor post-treatment OFF populations. The cardboard Jackson sticky trap is baited with the attractant methyl eugenol mixed with the pesticide naled (Dibrom® 8 Emulsive), and the McPhail trap is an invaginated glass flask baited with Torula yeast and borax in water. The Jackson trap is strongly attractive to sexually maturing males, while the McPhail trap is attractive to both sexes of the fly. Jackson traps and McPhail traps will each be placed at a density of 25 per square mile within a 0.5-mile radius of each detection site, and Jackson traps will be placed at a density of five per square mile in the remaining delimitation area going out to 4.5 miles from each detection site. Additional traps may be added to further delimit the infestation and to monitor the efficacy of treatments. These traps will be serviced on a regular schedule for a period equal to three OFF generations beyond the date of the last OFF detected. In addition, host fruit may be sampled for the presence of eggs and larvae in a 200-meter radius around each detection property.

2. Treatment. Any OFF detections within the original and/or expanded eradication area(s) will be treated according to the following protocol.

- The male attractant technique (MAT) will be used to eliminate all sexually-mature male OFFs. MAT applies small bait stations using STATIC Spinosad ME, which is a pre-mixed solution containing the attractant methyl eugenol and an organically registered pesticide spinosad, mixed into a waxy time-release matrix (SPLAT®). The methyl eugenol lures male flies to the bait stations, where the flies ingest the insecticide as they feed. The flies are killed when they feed at the stations. In each square mile within the eradication boundary, a targeted density of 300 evenly spaced five- to ten-milliliter bait stations are applied to utility poles, street trees, and other

unpainted surfaces using pressurized tree marking guns mounted on specially modified trucks. The bait stations are placed six to eight feet above the ground. The size of the eradication area is defined as that area within 1.5 miles of each detection site, and adjusted to create a nine-square-mile block marked by existing features, such as roads. Applications are repeated every two weeks for one life cycle if no quarantine is triggered (typically two to three months), and for two life cycles if a quarantine is triggered (typically four to six months). Life cycle durations are dependent on temperature.

- If evidence that a breeding population exists on a property (i.e., immature stages, mated female, or multiple adults are detected), foliar bait treatments will be used within 200 meters of each detection site in order to mitigate the spread of OFF by eliminating those adult life stages not directly affected by MAT (i.e., females and sexually-immature males). The foliage of host trees and shrubs within 200 meters of each detection site will be treated with an organic formulation of spinosad bait spray (GF-120 NF Naturallyte® Fruit Fly Bait) using hand spray or hydraulic spray equipment. Treatments are repeated every seven to 14 days for one life cycle of the fly (typically two to three months, dependent on temperature).

- If evidence that a breeding population exists on a property (i.e., immature stages, mated female, or multiple adults are detected), all host fruit from each detection site and all properties within a minimum of 100 meters of each detection site will be removed and disposed of in a landfill in accordance with regulatory protocols. Fruit removal will occur at the beginning of the project, but may be repeated if additional flies are detected.

PUBLIC INFORMATION

For MAT applications in

public areas, notification is given to the general public via mass media outlets such as newspapers or press releases.

Residents whose property will be treated via foliar bait sprays or host fruit removal will be notified in writing at least 48 hours in advance of any treatment, in accordance with the Food and Agricultural Code (FAC) sections 5771-5779 and 5421-5436. Following the treatment, completion notices are left with the residents detailing precautions to take and post-harvest intervals applicable to any fruit on the property.

Treatment information is posted at http://cdfa.ca.gov/plant/PDEP/treatment/oriental_ff.html. Press releases, if issued, are prepared by the CDFA information officer and the county agricultural commissioner, in close coordination with the project leader responsible for treatment. Either the county agricultural commissioner or the public information officer serves as the primary contact to the media.

Information concerning the OFF project shall be conveyed directly to local and State political representatives and authorities via letters, emails, and/or faxes.

For any questions related to this program, please contact the CDFA toll-free telephone number at 800-491-1899 for assistance. This telephone number is also listed on all treatment notices.

FINDINGS

Due to the detection of OFF, there exists a significant, clear, and imminent threat to Calif natural environment, agriculture, public and private property, and its economy.

Unless emergency action is taken during the life cycles of recently detected OFFs, there is high potential for sudden future detections in Sacramento County.

The work plan involving physical and chemical control of this pest is necessary to prevent loss private and public property, and food supplies.

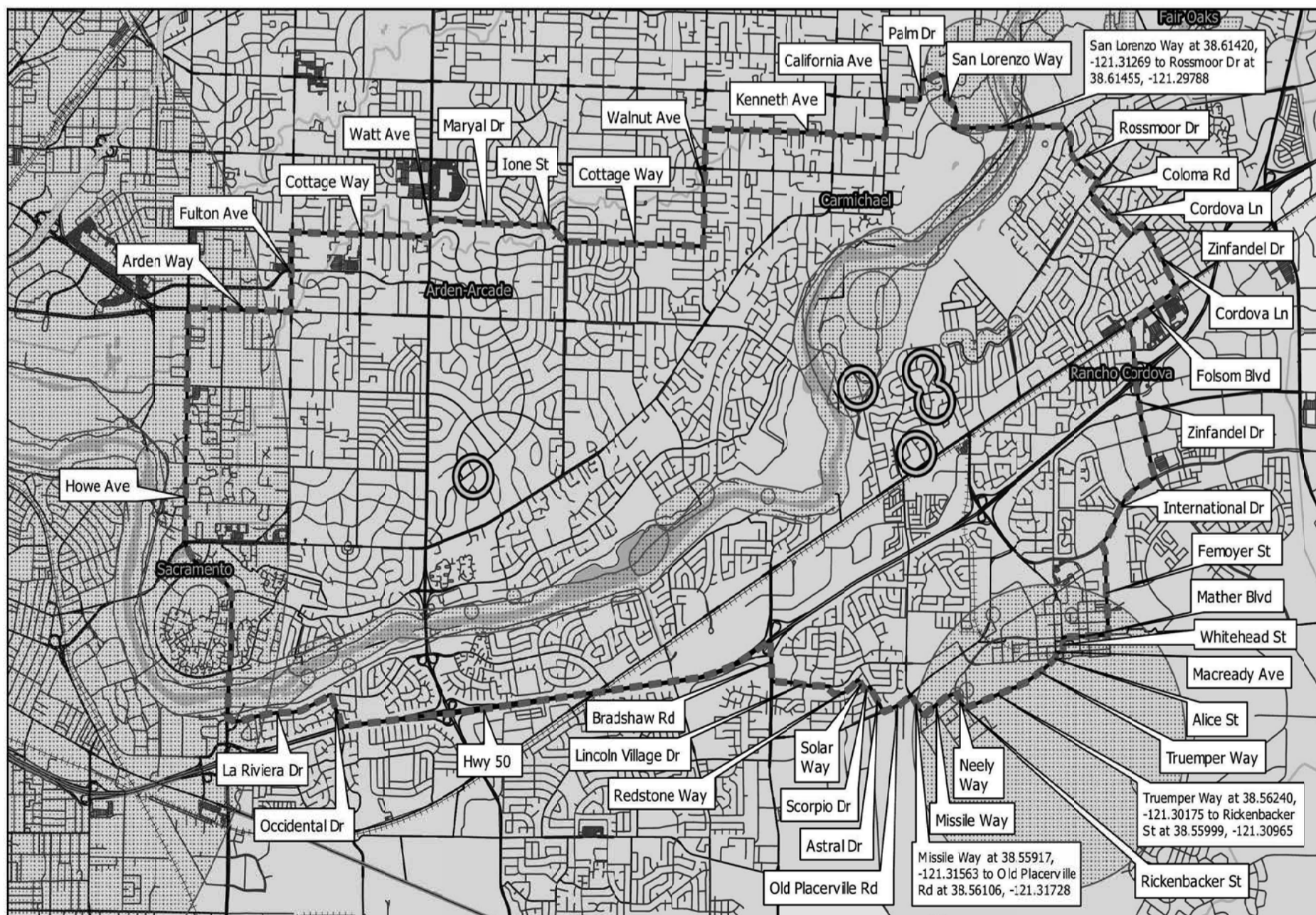
Therefore, I am invoking Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(4) to carry out immediate

emergency action to prevent this loss and damage.

My decision to adopt findings and take action is based on Sections 24.5, 401, 401.5, 403, 407, 408, 5401-5405, and 5761-5764 of the Food and Agricultural Code, and title 3 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR) Section 5388.

Karen Ross, Secretary
Date: 9-22-2023

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MAT Treatment Boundary
 Possible Foliar Treatment Area
 Sensitive Environmental Area/Treatment Mitigations In Place

Oriental Fruit Flies Detected in Sacramento County

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento County Agricultural Commissioner, in cooperation with the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the United States Department of Agriculture, have initiated an extensive survey and eradication plan in response to the detection of nine male oriental fruit flies (OFF), *Bactrocera dorsalis*, near the city of Rancho Cordova and the American River Parkway in Sacramento County.

The initial detection was confirmed on Sept. 12, 2023. The detections were made as part of our coordinated pest prevention system that protects our agriculture and natural resources from invasive species, with early detection as a key component to successfully eradicating an infestation before it can become established.

The extensive survey, also known as a delimitation survey, consists of multiple oriental fruit fly traps at prescribed densities going out 4.5 miles in each direction from the oriental fruit fly detection sites. These nine OFF will trigger a quarantine, which will be announced



Bactrocera dorsalis, the oriental fruit fly, can enter the state by "hitchhiking" in fruits and vegetables brought back illegally by travelers. Photo Courtesy of Martin Hauser/California Department of Food and Agriculture

shortly by the California Department of Food and Agriculture.

Following the principles of Integrated Pest Management (IPM), agricultural officials use "male attractant" technique as the mainstay of the eradication effort for this invasive species. This approach has successfully eliminated dozens of fruit fly infestations in California. Trained workers squirt a small patch of fruit fly attractant mixed with a very small dose of Spinosad, a natural pesticide made by a soil bacterium and approved for use on organic crops,

approximately 8-10 feet off the ground on street trees and similar surfaces; male fruit flies are attracted to the mixture and perish after consuming it. The male attractant treatment program is being carried out over an area that extends 1.5 miles from each site where the oriental fruit flies were trapped.

While fruit flies and other invasive species that threaten California's crops and natural environment are sometimes detected in agricultural areas, the vast majority are found in urban and suburban communities. The most

common pathway for these pests to enter the state is by "hitchhiking" in fruits and vegetables brought back illegally by travelers as they return from infested regions of the world or from packages of homegrown produce sent to California. Help protect California's agricultural and natural resources; please don't pack a pest when traveling or mailing packages.

"Invasive non-native fruit flies are serious pests for California's agricultural industry and backyard gardens," said Sacramento County Agricultural

Commissioner Chris Flores. "These recent detections remind us that we need to remain vigilant in protecting our agricultural and natural resources. When traveling abroad or mailing packages to California, we urge the public not to bring back or ship fruits and vegetables as they are pathways for oriental fruit flies and other invasive species entering our state."

The oriental fruit fly is known to target over 230 different fruit, vegetable and plant commodities. Important California crops at risk include grapes,

pome and stone fruits, citrus, dates, avocados, tomatoes and peppers. Damage occurs when the female fruit fly lays her eggs inside the fruit. The eggs hatch into maggots, which tunnel through the flesh of the fruit, making it unfit for consumption.

The oriental fruit fly is widespread throughout much of the mainland of southern Asia and neighboring islands, including Sri Lanka and Taiwan, and it has invaded other areas, most notably Africa and Hawaii.

Federal, State and County agricultural officials work year-round, 365 days a year, to prevent, deter, detect, and eliminate the threat of invasive species and diseases that can damage or destroy our agricultural products and natural environment. The efforts are aimed at keeping California's natural environment and food supply plentiful, safe and pest-free.

Residents with questions about the project may call the Sacramento County Agricultural Commissioner's office at 916-875-6603 or the California Department of Food and Agriculture's Pest Hotline at 1-800-491-1899. ★

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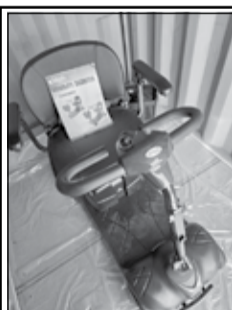
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06974 Igor Ryshko, 6425 Muana Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "ProTile" 6425 Muana Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 14, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-07115 Armina Afzal, 7759 Truffle Court, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AA Global Trade" 5839 Manzanita Avenue Suite #10, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 20, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06328 Advanced Tech Inc., 4100 Gaddi Drive #2, Sacramento, CA 95824 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AT Construction" 4100 Gaddi Drive #2, Sacramento, CA 95824. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06395 Northwest Restoration Inc., 5704 Dry Creek Road, Rio Linda, CA 95673 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Water, Smoke and Mold/Water, Smoke, Mold and Asbestos Removal" 5704 Dry Creek Road, Rio Linda, CA 95673. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 29, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05470 T.L.S. Park, Inc., 3811 Recycle Road Suite B, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Benzeen Auto Sales" 3811 Recycle Road Suite B, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06563 Kazim Arsalan, 5840 Watt Avenue Apt A, North Highlands, CA 95660 and Amanullah Rasoli, 3600 Karl Drive Apt B, North Highlands, CA 95660 and Shafiqullah Faizi, 570 7th Street Apt #272, West Sacramento, CA 95605 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Watt Halal Market" 5840 Watt Avenue Suite A, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 5, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-07013 Tisha Torres, 848 U Street, Rio Linda, CA 95673 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Riverview Realty One" 731 M Street, Rio Linda, CA 95673. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 15, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-07120 Bryan Diaz Rios, 37 Monaghan Circle, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "On Time Pressure Washing" 37 Monaghan Circle, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 20, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06328 Advanced Tech Inc., 4100 Gaddi Drive #2, Sacramento, CA 95824 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AT Construction" 4100 Gaddi Drive #2, Sacramento, CA 95824. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06299 Gagik Avdalyan, 7730 Antelope Run Drive, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gays Auto Sales" 7730 Antelope Run Drive, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06519 Martin Clay Smith, 6860 Woodlock Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "United People Rights Defense Group" 6860 Woodlock Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06517 TLC Distribution LLC, 8001 Stutz Court, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "TLC Distribution" 8001 Stutz Court, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06988 Elizabeth Donham, 8274 Mediterranean Way, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Writer's Block Candles/Writer's Block" 8274 Mediterranean Way, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 21, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-07133 Addis Girma, 2392 Coolidge Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Plus General Cleaning Services" 3512 Marconi Avenue 2115, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 20, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05709 Happy Auto Parts Inc., 3430 Sunrise Boulevard, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A & M Auto Dismantling" 2179 716 Bell Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 2, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06448 Jeffrey Valeno, 4708 Orono Court, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "CaliCulture" 4708 Orono Court, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 30, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06285 Jeremy Fischer, 4111 Anatolia Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Take Flight" 7443 Murieta Drive, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06573 Nar Fine Carpentry, Inc., 5600 Elvas Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95819 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Nar Design Group" 5600 Elvas Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95819. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 5, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06988 Yannah Brown, 2450 Wurth Court, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sweet as a Queen" 2450 Wurth Court, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 14, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06601 T. Phillips LLC, 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Street in Fitness" 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 6, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06369 Paula Gerette Donovan, 3613 Voleyn Street, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Therapy With Paula" 3613 Voleyn Street, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 29, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05401 Comfort Wheels LLC, 2847 Walnut Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A&T Automotive" 2847 Walnut Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 19, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06264 Sandra D. Holman, 9487 Golden Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662, and Susan D. Raines, 7947 Charlene Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610, and David L. Chambers II, 6180 Stone hill Drive, Rocklin, CA 95677 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Monier Building Projects, A California General Partnership" 9487 Golden Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 24, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05780 Lisa Lingham, 9270 Sungold Way, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sparkling Rose Cleaning Service" 9270 Sungold Way, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 4, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-07014 Café Floracion LLC, 1793 Azurite Way, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "La Café Flora" 1793 Azurite Way, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 15, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06869 Michelle Sund, 8123 Sunrise Boulevard #229, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Michelle's Mobile Notary" 8123 Sunrise Boulevard #229, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 13, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06323 Emily Strobaugh, 6850 Kittery Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Kat Tails Farm" 6850 Kittery Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05723 Jeffrey Aaron Morris, 6904 Stanford Oak Drive, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Under My Thumb Massage" 6904 Stanford Oak Drive, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 2, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06597 Todd Pollock, 4421 Valmonte Drive, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BluCC/BluCC Photos" 4421 Valmonte Drive, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 6, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06833 B Family LLC, 4810 Morgan Oak Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MJ Residential Cleaning Pro's" 4810 Morgan Oak Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 13, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06988 Levon Karapetyan, 11070 Hirschfeld Way Apt 1, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "L Sky Services" 11070 Hirschfeld Way Apt 1, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 14, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06619 Olga Zhertovskaia, 2702 Bravado Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Your Favorite cleaning Service" 2702 Bravado Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 23, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06176 Rockhardt LLC, 5650 Auburn Boulevard Suite B, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Rockhardt/Majara" 5650 Auburn Boulevard Suite B, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 21, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06380 Jose J. Rojas Armenta and Ana G. Rojas Rodriguez, 9569 Gardella Way, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A&S Lawn Service" 9569 Gardella Way, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 29, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06621 Orangevale Hospice Inc., 9198 Greenback Lane Suite 115, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A1 Hospice of Sacramento" 9198 Greenback Lane Suite 115, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 6, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06899 Ecodriveusa LLC, 2183 Benita Drive Suite B, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "EV's Republic" 2183 Benita Drive Suite B, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 13, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06619 Olga Zhertovskaia, 2702 Bravado Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Your Favorite cleaning Service" 2702 Bravado Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 23, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV004391 Michael Cleveland has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michael Wame Loyd Cleveland to Michael Wame Salabogi. 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 10, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023 MICHAEL 9-29-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06348 AGH Cousins LLC, 1537 Howe Avenue #116, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gyro & Kabob House" 1537 Howe Avenue #116, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 28, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05927 Helena Gimelli, 5131 Monetta Lane, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Adventures Travel Planner/makemyvacationadvisor.com/makemytripplanner.com" 5131 Monetta Lane, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 9, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06480 Maria Gonzalez, 6000 Landing Point Way, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "All Seasons Cleaning Services" 6000 Landing Point Way, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 31, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06713 Giambro Consulting LLC, 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sacramento Community Events" 1401 21st Street #4351, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06726 Wholesome Creations, LLC, 3501 Broadmoor Way, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "FOCUSSED. Mindset & Success Coaching Company" 3501 Broadmoor Way, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 11, 2023

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV007443 Ronald Rush Assad has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ronald Rush Assad to Ronald Rush Marchese. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 7, 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 25, 2023 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023 RONALD 9-29-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06076 Veniamin Fedorov, 6878 Butterball Way, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fedorov Unlimited Home Improvement" 6878 Butterball Way, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 15, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06227 Norcal Auto Works LLC, 7808 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Wrench Rat" 7808 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 23, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06480 Maria Gonzalez, 6000 Landing Point Way, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "All Seasons Cleaning Services" 6000 Landing Point Way, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 31, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06742 Cook Psychotherapy, Inc., 418 Alhambra Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sage River Psychotherapy" 418 Alhambra Boulevard, Sacramento, CA, 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 11, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-06655 Rafaella Guimaraes Peres Freire and Murilo Soares Martins, 12813 Scholarly Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV007427 Morgan Cutter has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Donnavon Royal Wayne Schiffrer to Donnavon Royal Wayne Cutter. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 7, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street,

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Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.
Dated: August 25, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
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CUTTER 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007175

James Kenneth Riechers has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of James Kenneth Riechers to James Kenneth Dunn.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 7, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department TBA, 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 21, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
JAMES 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007694

Kalvin Kao Saetern and Kera Faye Chen have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Calvin Kao Saetern to Calvin Kiri Patarawong and Kera Faye Chen to Kera Su-Jin Patarawong.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 30, 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 31, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
KALVIN 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007572

Cyndall Dawnyale Nicole Haysbert aka Cyndall Elle Marie has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Cyndall Dawnyale Nicole Haysbert aka Cyndall Elle Marie to Cyndall Elle Burton.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 28, 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 29, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
CYNDALL 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007331

Ahmad Abdulrahman Alhamadani has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ahmad Abdulrahman Alhamadani to Ethan Hamadani.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 22, 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 23, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
AHMAD 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007458

Andrea Colasanti has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Giovanni Angelo Colasanti to Giovanni Colasanti Holaran.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 28, 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 25, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
GIOVANNI 9-29-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV008143

Tyler Khalil Simmons has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Tyler Khalil Simmons to Tyler Khalil Frederick Marshall.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 16, 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: September 8, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
TYLER 10-6-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV006000

Jameelah Love has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jameelah Love to Erica Renee Parker.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on October 18, 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 4, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
JAMEELAH 10-6-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007752

Chenyale Ja'Nest Staples-Ware has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Chenyale Ja'Nest Staples-Ware to Ja'Nest Staples-Chenyale Staples.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 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: September 5, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
CHENYALE 10-6-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007746

Pavel Anatolyevich Verbovshchuk has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Pavel Anatolyevich Verbovshchuk to Paul Verbovshuk, and Victoria Drobkov to Victoria Verborschuk.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 30, 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: September 1, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
PAVEL 10-6-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007184

Mandie Dorene Blake has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of David Erik Hall JR to David Anthony Blake.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 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: August 22, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
BLAKE 10-6-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV008449

Jennifer Marie Mullen AKA Jennifer Marie Morgan has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jennifer Marie Mullen AKA Jennifer Marie Morgan to Jennifer Mullen Morgan.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 22, 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: September 14, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 13, 2023
JENNIFER 10-13-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007231

Xavion Ray - Earl McDaniel has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Xavion Ray - Earl McDaniel to Xavion Ray Casey.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 2, 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 23, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 13, 2023
XAVION 10-13-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV008052

Julie Anne Hull has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Julie Anne Hull to Julieanne Bird.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 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: September 7, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 13, 2023
JULIE 10-13-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007614

Miguel Gutierrez has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Khaled Adel Awad to Khaled Adel Awad-Gutierrez.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 8, 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 29, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 2023
KHALED 10-20-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007245

Sophia Grace Jackson has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sophia Grace Jackson to Pharen Grey Jackson.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 7, 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 18, 2023
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 2023
SOPHIA 10-20-23

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#23CV007644

Deeba Khorami has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Deeba Khorami to Deeba Kamal.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 29, 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 30, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 2023
DEEBA 10-20-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MICHAEL D. SPROUSE
CASE NO. 23PR001298

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Michael D. Sprouse.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Jay Sprouse, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Jay Sprouse 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 October 17, 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: Nicholas D. Yonano, Esq., 4944 Windplay Drive Suite 119, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762; 916-817-4422
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
SPROUSE 10-6-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF BARBARA GALLIMORE AKA BARBARA ANN GALLIMORE
CASE NO. 23PR000286

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Barbara Gallimore aka Barbara Ann Gallimore.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Michelle Gallimore, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Michelle Gallimore 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 October 17, 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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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: H. Douglas Duncan, 214 W. Lockford Street Suite 2, Lodi, CA 95240; 209-810-2936
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
GRAHAM 10-6-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF RICHARD OLIN BORAH
CASE NO. 23PR000352

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Richard Olin Borah.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Jacqueline Marie Borah, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Jacqueline Marie Borah 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 October 24, 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.

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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: Michelle Gallimore, 9523 Clarke Farms Drive, Elk Grove CA, 95624; 916-879-0209
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
GALLIMORE 10-6-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JANINE L. GRAHAM
CASE NO. 34-2021-00309782

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Janine L. Graham.

sons 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 October 12, 2023, 1:30 p.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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GRAHAM 10-6-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF RICHARD OLIN BORAH
CASE NO. 23PR000352

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Richard Olin Borah.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Jacqueline Marie Borah, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Jacqueline Marie Borah 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.

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Publish: Month Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 2023
CARSEY 10-13-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF HARUKO MARIA GILLIAM
CASE NO. 23PR001350

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Haruko Maria Gilliam.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Mamoru Gilliam, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Mamoru Gilliam 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 October 18, 2023, 1:30 p.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.

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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: Jacqueline Marie Borah, 109 Cakebread Circle, Sacramento, CA 95834; 916-658-3747
Publish: Sept 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
BORAH 10-6-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MICHAEL D. CARSEY
CASE NO. 23PR000786

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Michael D. Carsey.

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Michael D. Carsey.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Daina Adams, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Daina Adams 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 December 7, 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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YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are

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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: Mamoru Gilliam, 5584 Dalhart Way, Sacramento, CA 95835 916-730-1444
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GILLIAM 10-13-23

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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Publish: Month Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 2023
SIEBERT 10-13-23

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
FILE NO. FBNF2022-03969
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Asurion Tech Repair and Solutions, 1537 Howe Avenue Suite 120, Sacramento, CA 95825.
Allstar Tech Solutions, LLC, 19655 East Ivy Lane, Queen Creek, Arizona 85142.
The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on 5/23/2022 in the County of Sacramento.
Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: 5/23/2022.
Publish: September 8, 15, 22, 29, 2023
ASURION 9-29-23

SUMMONS

SUMMONS (FAMILY LAW)
CASE NUMBER
(NUMERO DEL CASO): 23FL03475
NOTICE TO RESPONDENT (Name): AVISO AL DEMANDADO (Nombre): Crystal Irene Farinias
YOU HAVE BEEN SUED. Read the information below and on the next page. PETITIONER'S NAME IS: (NOMBRE DEL DEMANDANTE): Ricardo Garcia Vega.
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a response (form FL-120) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone call or court appearance will not protect you. If you do not file your response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage or domestic partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. For legal advice contact a lawyer immediately. Get help finding a lawyer at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California Legal Services website (www.lawhelpca.org) or by contacting your local county bar association.
Usted tiene 30 DÍAS CALENDARIO después de que

se le presente esta Citación y Petición para presentar una respuesta (formulario FL-120) en el tribunal y tener una copia notificada al peticionario. Una carta, llamada telefónica o comparecencia ante el tribunal no lo protegerá. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, el tribunal puede hacer órdenes que afecten su matrimonio o pareja de hecho, sus bienes y la custodia de sus hijos. Es posible que se le ordene pagar la manutención y los honorarios y costos de los abogados. Para obtener asesoramiento legal, póngase en contacto con un abogado de inmediato. Obtenga ayuda para encontrar un abogado en el Centro de Autoayuda en Línea de los Tribunales de California (www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp), en el sitio web de Servicios Legales de California (www.lawhelpca.org) o comunicándose con el colegio de abogados de su condado local.

NOTICE: RESTRAINING ORDERS ARE ON PAGE 2: These restraining orders are effective against both spouse or domestic partners until the petition is dismissed, a judgment is entered or the court makes further orders. They are enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of them.

AVISO: LAS ÓRDENES DE RESTRICCIÓN ESTÁN EN LA PÁGINA 2: Estas órdenes de restricción son efectivas contra ambos cónyuges o parejas domésticas hasta que se desestime la petición, se dicte una sentencia o el tribunal dicte más órdenes. Son exigibles en cualquier lugar de California por cualquier oficial de la ley que haya recibido o visto una copia de ellos.

FEE WAIVER: If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form. The court may order you to pay back all or part of the fees and costs that the court waived for you or the other party.

EXENCIÓN DE TARIFAS: Si no puede pagar la tarifa de presentación, pídale al secretario un formulario de exención de tarifas. El tribunal puede ordenarle que devuelva la totalidad o parte de los honorarios y costos que el tribunal renunció para usted o la otra parte.

The name and address of the court are: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es): Sacramento Superior Court, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner's attorney, or the petitioner without an attorney are: (El nombre, dirección y número de teléfono del abogado del peticionario, o del peticionario sin abogado es): Ricardo Garcia Vega, 7474 Winkley Way, Sacramento, CA 95822; 916-969-0546
Date: (Fecha) 7-26-2023
Clerk, by (Secretario, por) R. Ruiz, Deputy (Asistente)
Publish: Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 2023
RICARDO 10-6-23

**City of Rancho Cordova, Planning Department
Notice of Intent to Adopt a
Mitigated Negative Declaration**

DATE: September 29, 2023
TO: Responsible Agencies, Interested Parties, and Organizations
SUBJECT: Mine Shaft Digital Billboards Project
CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA, SACRAMENTO COUNTY

The City of Rancho Cordova Planning Department (City) is the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Lead Agency for the proposed Mine Shaft Digital Signs Conditional Use Permit, Minor Design Review, and Operating Agreement (Proposed Project). The City has directed the preparation of an Initial Study (IS) Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) in compliance with CEQA.

Project Location: The Project is located within a 11.38-acre site at 2300 Mine Shaft Lane (APN: 072-0231-014-0000)

PROPERTY OWNER:
Cordova Community Council Foundation
2729 Prospect Park Drive, Suite 117
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

APPLICANT/DEVELOPER:
RSC Engineering, Inc.
1420 Rocky Ridge Drive, Suite 150
Roseville, CA 95661

Project Description: The Cordova Community Council (Council) is proposing to construct two advertising billboards with electronic displays on the south side of U.S. Highway 50 (US 50) and Folsom Boulevard between Sunrise Boulevard and Hazel Avenue in the City of Rancho Cordova. The signs would be located in two separate areas on an 11.4-acre parcel. Each sign would have a monopole that would support two electronic displays angled to provide line-of-sight for highway travelers. Each billboard would be 60 feet wide by 20 feet tall. The top of the east location sign would be 60 feet above ground surface. The top of the west location sign would be 70 feet above ground surface. The project would require Design Review and approval of Conditional Use Permits and an Operating Use Agreement by the City of Rancho Cordova.

Hazardous Waste Sites: Pursuant to Section 15087(c)(6) of the Guidelines for California Environmental Quality Act, the City of Rancho Cordova acknowledges the Project site is not part of a designated hazardous waste site.

IS/MND Document Review and Availability: The public review and comment period for the Draft IS/MND will extend for 30 days starting September 29, 2023 and ending October 30, 2023. The Draft IS/MND can be viewed and/or downloaded at the following website: <https://www.cityofranhocordova.org/departments/community-development/planning/planning-division-document-library>

Comments/Questions: Comments and/or questions regarding the IS/MND may be directed to:
Arlene Granadosin-Jones, AICP, Senior Planner
City of Rancho Cordova Planning Division
2729 Prospect Park Dr.
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
or agranadosin-jones@cityofranhocordova.org

City of Rancho Cordova Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE is hereby given that on **Wednesday, October 11, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.**, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the Planning Commission of the City of Rancho Cordova will hold a Public Hearing at the **Rancho Cordova City Hall, located at 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova**, to consider the following:

**THE RANCH ACTIVE ADULT WINTER PRODUCT—MAJOR DESIGN REVIEW —
PROJECT NO. PLND-0523-0072**

REQUEST: The Applicant, K. Hovnanian Homes, is requesting a Major Design Review for their Winter products as part of their Four Seasons active adult community. The Winter product includes 5 floor plans (all single story) each with 3 elevations styles and 4 color schemes. These homes would be placed in Villages 20 & 22 which is a total of 145 lots with a typical lot size of 57' x 67'. These lots have been designed to be "auto-court style" which has a portion of the homes designed in 4-unit clusters in which two homes face the street while two homes are in the rear with access through a shared driveway.

OWNER:
K. Hovnanian Homes
Ethan Meltzer
3721 Douglas Boulevard
Roseville, CA 95661

APPLICANT:
K. Hovnanian Homes
Ethan Meltzer
3721 Douglas Boulevard
Roseville, CA 95661

LOCATION/APN: Located east of Rancho Cordova Parkway and West of Americanos Boulevard, south of Chrysanthy Boulevard (Portion of APN: 067-2420-021-0000 and 067-2420-025-0000)
ZONING: The Ranch Special Planning Area (Medium Density Residential 57' x 67' lots)
ENVIRONMENTAL: Exempt per Section 15183 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)
PROJECT PLANNER: Nicholas Sosa, Associate Planner

The City of Rancho Cordova encourages interested parties to attend public meetings and comment on the issues being discussed. If you wish to provide testimony and are unable to attend the meeting, written comments that are delivered to the Planning Commission Clerk prior to the time of the hearing will be made a part of the public record.

Questions regarding this matter should be directed to the City of Rancho Cordova Planning Division at (916) 851-8750.

NOTICE REGARDING CHALLENGES TO DECISIONS

Pursuant to all applicable laws and regulations, including without limitation, California Government Code Section 65009 and/or California Public Resources Code Section 21177, if you wish to challenge in court any of the above decisions (regarding planning, zoning and/or environmental decisions), you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing(s) described in this notice/agenda, or in written correspondence delivered to the city at, or prior to, this public hearing.

ADA COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the Planning Division at (916) 851-8750. Notification 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting.

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THE RANCH VILLAGE 1 — MAJOR DESIGN REVIEW— PROJECT NO. PLND-0623-0074

REQUEST: The Applicant, K. Hovnanian, is requesting a Major Design Review for 86 finished lots located within the Ranch Special Planning Area. The applicant is proposing a total of four (4) house plans with three (3) elevation styles each. The proposed units include one-story plans and two-story plans. Proposed square footages range from 2,270 to 3,434 square feet. The project submittal also contains preliminary landscape and fit list plans for the development.

OWNER:
K. Hovnanian Homes
3721 Douglas Boulevard, Suite 150
Roseville, CA 95661

APPLICANT:
K. Hovnanian Homes (Ethan Meltzer)
3721 Douglas Boulevard, Suite 150
Roseville, CA 95661

LOCATION/APN: Located north of Chrysanthy Boulevard between Rancho Cordova Parkway and Americanos Boulevard; APN: 067-2410-008-0000
ZONING: Ranch Special Planning Area (Residential)
ENVIRONMENTAL: Exempt per California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15183 "Consistent with the Community Plan, General Plan or Zoning."
PROJECT PLANNER: Chance Finley-Ross, Assistant Planner

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**Publisher,
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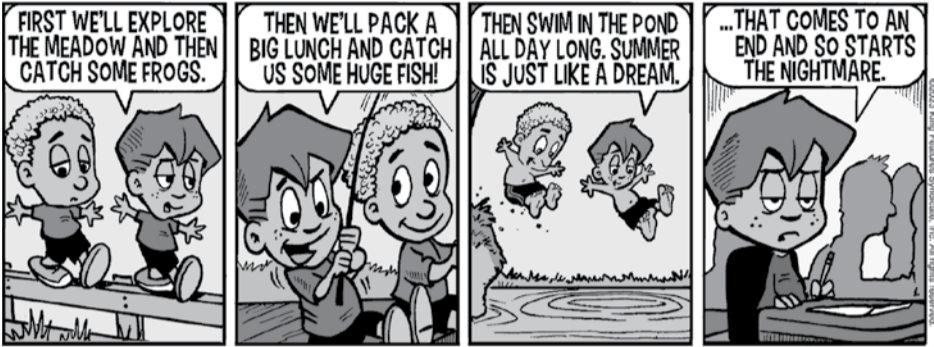
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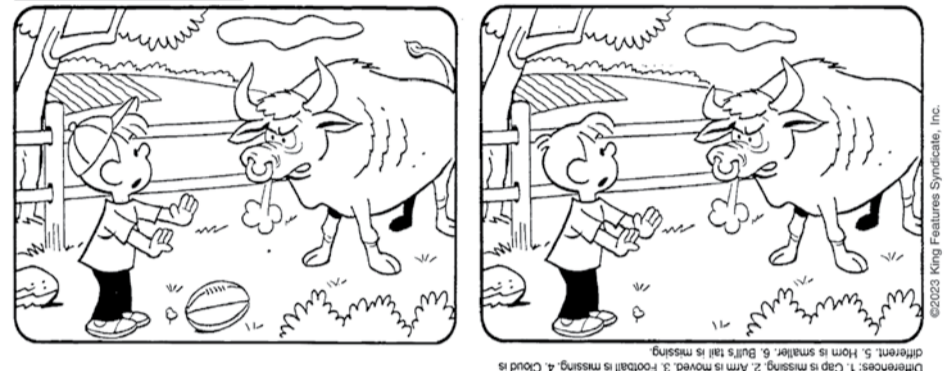
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CLUES

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- Interest in a venture
- Hundredweight, acr.
- Med. sch. requirement
- _____ the tail _____ the donkey
- Duran Duran's 1982 hit
- All plants and animals
- Part of an eye, pl.
- Go for the bull's eye
- Reduction/oxidation portmanteau
- *Best selling author of the 2000s
- *Billboard's music artist of the 2000s
- Chicken _____ king
- From a thrift store
- Class-conscious grp.
- Formerly, once
- Marine mammal in famous Beatles' song
- Fabled fliers
- Jehalous biblical brother
- Averse
- *"He's Just Not That _____ You" (2009)
- Acrylic fiber
- Arabian chieftain
- Apartments, e.g.
- *Friendster or Facebook, e.g.
- 5,280 feet
- Metal detector, e.g.
- Goose egg
- Cry of horror in comics
- Made a basket
- *Frodo Baggins and Samwise Gamgee or Nemo and Dory, e.g.
- *Name for 2000s
- *Popular social network of the 2000s
- K-pop country
- Woody creeper
- Teletype machine, for short
- Picture within a picture, e.g.
- *"Smart" (2008)
- Make a canyon, e.g.
- Furniture wood
- Utmost degree
- Financing values

DOWN

- Horse prod
- *Popular DVR device
- All over again
- Eucalyptus-eating marsupial
- Store in a silo
- Mountain goat terrain
- *Xbox competitor
- Libraryful
- Dignified manner
- *"The Da Vinci _____" best selling book of the 2000s
- A-bomb particle
- Levy
- Like "something new" boutique
- Beginning of sleeping disorder
- Feline sound
- Put to work
- *Toyota Hybrid introduced worldwide in 2000
- 1,000 kilograms
- Play a part (2 words)
- *2002-2004 zoonotic epidemic cause, acr.
- Rich soil
- China grass
- Handy
- *First ever recipient of Oscar for Best Animated Feature
- Chronic drinkers
- Post-it slip
- Like #59 Down
- *Pink's 2008 hit (2 words)
- Break down
- Dismissal or ejection
- "Peace" with fingers
- "Madame Butterfly", e.g.
- First rate (2 words)
- Sky's Major one
- *Like Best Buy's Squad
- Urban legend
- Tons (2 words)
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Rancho Cordova Resident Thrives After Vision Loss

By Kristin Thébaud,
Thébaud Communications

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Robert Edwards of Rancho Cordova remembers the sound of the screeching tires as the moment when he finally admitted he was going blind. The now 53-year-old was riding his bicycle through an intersection three years ago when a car suddenly stopped and the driver yelled, "What, are you blind?!"

"I said yes, walked my bike home and never rode it again," Edwards said. "That's when I knew I needed help."

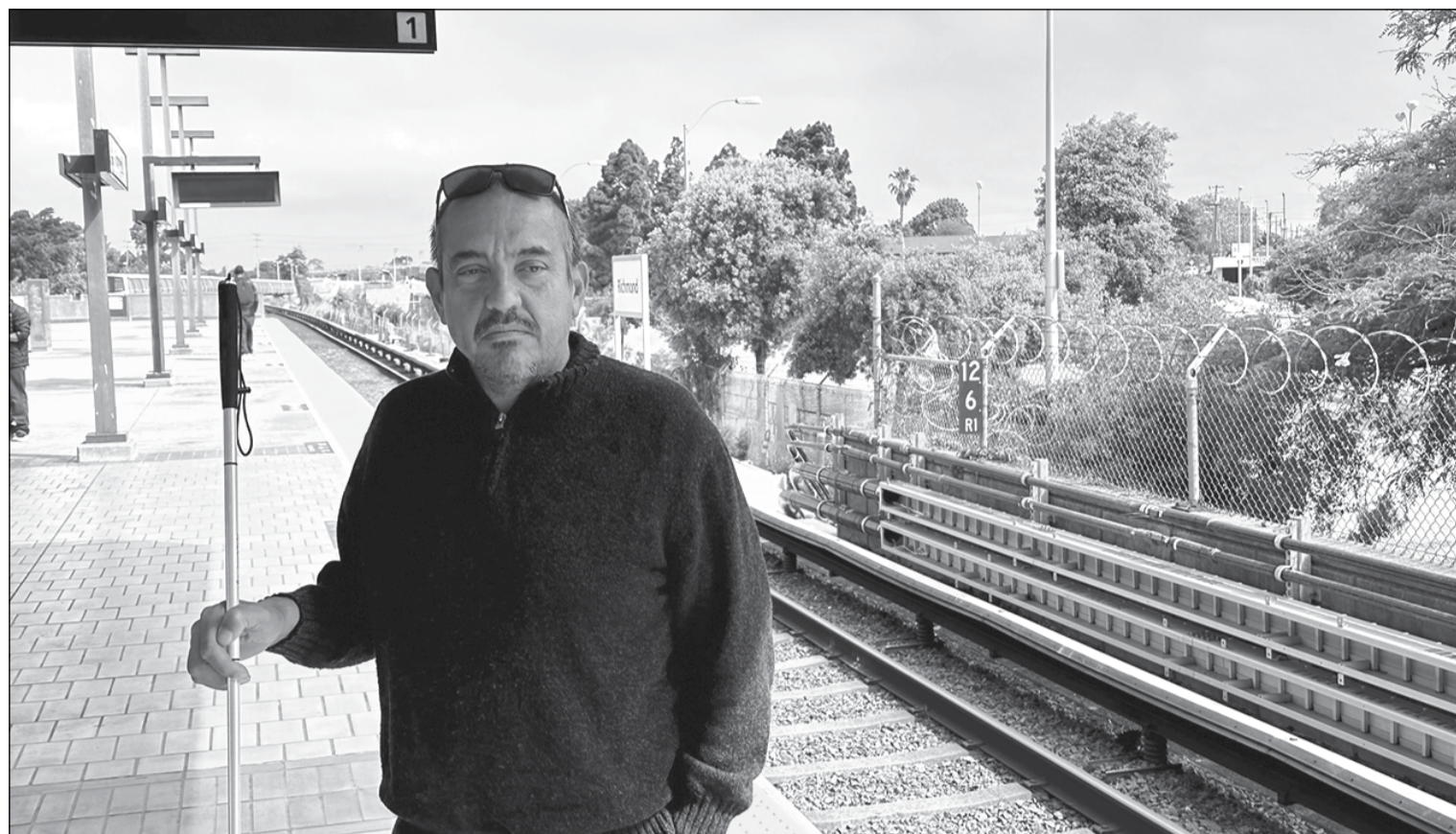
Edwards was 350 pounds when he was diagnosed with diabetes at age 27. He had started to notice minor vision loss depending on his blood sugar level, but he was focused on losing weight. He got down to 185 pounds, corrected his diabetes and continued his career in the painting field.

But in 2017, he stepped on a nail that infected his foot so badly, he had to have part of his leg amputated. That is when his vision entered a steep decline, but he was focused on learning how to live with a prosthetic leg.

"I hadn't gone to doctors for my vision loss because in my head I wasn't blind," Edwards said. "But really, I was pretty much there."

For several months, Edwards refused to wear his prosthetic leg. He wheeled himself everywhere, sometimes two miles a day. One day a man at his amputee support group encouraged him to wear his prosthetic leg whether he was walking or not. He not only started wearing it, he began walking everywhere, beginning with a mile or two a day. He now walks up to 10 miles a day.

He also learned to ride his bike again by practicing on a stationary bike. Yet as his movement improved, his eyesight continued to decline. After the bicycle incident, he was diagnosed with a detached retina. His left eye



Robert Edwards, 53 years old, of Rancho Cordova has taken several classes from Society for the Blind to learn how to cope with his mobility and vision loss. Photo courtesy of Thébaud Communications

is now completely dark, and his right eye only has 20% vision.

He could no longer work as a painter because he could not climb ladders. He lives with his brother and nephew, who he had worked with, and they would leave each morning while he stayed home with the dogs surrounded by the paint equipment he could no longer use.

"The hardest part was seeing them go off to work and then come home, and I would be excited to see them and do something, but they were tired," Edwards said. "I started feeling like I was one of the dogs. And I was getting really good at falling down, so I didn't want to walk."

One evening, a good friend who had relatives with vision loss took Edwards out to dinner and told him about nonprofit Society for the Blind in Sacramento. In January 2023, Edwards joined Society for the Blind's Core program, taking all four classes at

the same time – orientation and mobility, independent living skills, assistive technology and braille – so he could feel like it was a more immersive experience. His teachers gave him extra assignments at his request. He even built a braille alphabet board for Society for the Blind.

His mobility instructor suggested he practice walking with his white cane to the corner of his street and back, so he did that every day for a week – his instructor exclaimed, "Wow, no one ever does their homework like that!"

Edwards still has other effects from having been diabetic, including kidney failure, so he goes to dialysis three times a week two miles from his house – but he walks there and back. He credits his grown daughter Sydnie for being his advocate through his journey of losing his leg and his vision, as well as his decision to stop drinking.

"Sydnie has done so much for me," Edwards said. "She really sometimes flipped roles and became like a parent and voice of reason."

He also is grateful for his service dog, Bruce, who he calls his "125-pound baby," and his faith in God, for helping him get through the dark times.

When he initially joined Society for the Blind, he hoped to return to the painting field as an instructor for painting companies who wanted employees to learn how to sell paint and understand its molecular structure. Now he hopes to work at Society for the Blind and is actively engaged as a volunteer in the group's CareersPLUS Youth and music programs.

"I just can't get enough of Society for the Blind," Edwards said. "I show up an hour early. Society for the Blind got me up off the couch and back into society, so I want to give back. I feel

like they're a family there. I'm a pretty strong-willed person, but depression runs thick, and they gave me my will back."

For nearly 70 years, Society for the Blind has created innovative ways to empower individuals living with low vision or blindness to discover, develop and achieve their full potential. Based in Sacramento, Society for the Blind has grown from a dedicated group of volunteers to a nationally recognized agency and the only comprehensive rehabilitative teaching center that provides services for a 27-county region of northern California and the state of Nevada. The nonprofit provides low-vision eye care, life and job skills training, mentorship, and access to tools to maintain independence for more than 5,000 youth, working-age adults and seniors experiencing vision loss each year. To make a donation, visit SocietyfortheBlind.org ★

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Record-breaking Year at The California Capital Airshow

By Lindsey Nelson,
Niche Communications

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The California Capital Airshow (CCA), presented by Sacramento County in partnership with the City of Rancho Cordova, successfully wrapped its 2023 Airshow on Sunday, September 24, with more than 105,000 attendees at the two-day full-capacity event. The 17th Annual Airshow featured performances from the world's most talented pilots and thrilling aircraft, including the legendary United States Air Force Thunderbirds jet demonstration team.

To kick-off the weekend, the Airshow hosted a free community event on Friday at Village Green Park in Rancho Cordova. Attendees met airshow performers, including the USAF Thunderbirds, and enjoyed live music, food trucks, and activities provided by local STEM and sports organizations.

On Saturday and Sunday, the Sacramento skies were filled with the sound of U.S. Air Force A-10 Thunderbolt II Demonstration Team, the return of the U.S. Air Force C-17 Globemaster Demonstration, U.S. Navy F-18 Super Hornet, an awe-inspiring lineup of world-class civilian aerobatic performers, and an extraordinary selection of rare World War II aircraft.

"The feeling of bringing the Airshow back to full capacity for the first time since 2019 is indescribable," said Darcy Brewer, CCA Executive Director. "It was a perfect weekend, made even more memorable by seeing the joy and excitement the event brought to the Sacramento region's families and aviation enthusiasts."

True to CCA's mission of nurturing young people's interest in STEM careers, the Airshow hosted a special 'Girls in Aviation Day' on Saturday, where girls ages 8-18 were invited to learn more about what their future may look like in aviation, aerospace, or related career fields. The event featured mentors from Travis Air Force Base, UPS, Beale Air Force Base, Metro Fire, Mach 5 Aviation, Aerospace Museum of California,



Two of the F-16Cs performing daredevil acrobatics for the legendary United States Air Force Thunderbirds team during this year's California Capital Airshow. Photo by Rick Sloan



A sold-out crowd of more than 105,000 attendees enjoyed 204 acres of event space on September 23-24. Photo by Rick Sloan



The United States Air Force Thunderbirds F-16 demonstration team soared through the Sacramento region's skies this September. Photo by Rick Sloan

and William Jessup University.

"The greatest thrill for us this weekend is knowing that we have inspired young people to dream big and explore the world of aviation and STEM," said Terrence McNamara, CCA Board Chairman.

At the center of the Airshow was a 'Cold War Legacy' pop-up museum, which honored Mather Air Force Base's integral role in the Cold War and efforts such as the Korean War, Cuban Missile Crisis, and Vietnam War. Attendees took in informational exhibits and were able to get up-close to Cold War-era aircraft throughout the event including Colonel Douglas MacArthur's "Connie."

"We are especially grateful to the over one thousand volunteers who work tirelessly to produce this thrilling and meaningful community event every year," said Darcy Brewer. "We simply couldn't do it without them."

Special thanks also to CCA sponsors Sacramento County, the City of Rancho Cordova, Knight Elk Grove Dodge, 7Up, Lockheed Martin, Modern Aviation, Michelob Ultra, Visit Rancho Cordova, Thunder Valley Casino Resort, Matheson, SMUD, Atlas Disposal, Fox 40, and iHeart Media.

The Airshow's performances, themes, exhibits, and activities are new and different every year, and planning is already underway for 2024. CCA will be releasing more information about that event in the coming months. For more information on the Airshow, go to www.californiacapitalairshow.com.

Established in 2004, the California Capital Airshow 501(c)3 plans and operates the exciting, family-friendly annual event designed to honor the Sacramento region's rich aviation heritage and veterans while using the power and magic of flight to inspire young people. CCA gives back to the community through STEM scholarships, charitable group donations, and exciting educational youth programming throughout the year. For more information, please visit the California Capital Airshow website. ★

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