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## Youth Sports Gets An Upgrade



Thanks to the Community Enhancement & Investment Fund, local athletes can unleash their track and field potential at Cordova High School. Photo by Rick Sloan

**City of Rancho Cordova News Release**

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - Youth sports have always had a home in Rancho Cordova, and now, with support from the city's Community Enhancement & Investment Fund, Cordova High School is one of only two high schools in Northern California to have a steeplechase pit at its track and field facilities.

A steeplechase pit includes a fixed barrier,



A new steeplechase pit enhances premier track and field events at Cordova High School. Photo by Rick Sloan

like a hurdle, and a pit filled with water. The pit was completed in coordination with the city,

Folsom Cordova Unified School District (FCUSD), Lloyd Sports and Engineering Consulting Group, LLC, Roebelen Contracting, Inc., Curt Roth with Personal Record Sports West, Beynon, and Gill Athletics – just in time to unveil the pit at the 63rd Annual Golden West Track & Field Invitational in June.

The pit complements a series of improvements that have been made at Lancer Stadium over the

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

**SMUD News Release**

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

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

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

SMUD is completely transforming the Sacramento region's power supply and supporting electrification of buildings and transportation for a clean energy future and economy. SMUD's 2030 Zero Carbon Plan is a comprehensive blueprint to achieve regional decarbonization, sustainability and an energy transition that leaves no community behind. The plan is among the most aggressive decarbonization initiatives of any major utility in the nation and centers on several key strategies, including:

Substantial increases in renewable energy sources,

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## California Gets 101 New CHP Officers

**CHP News Release**

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - The newest members of the California Highway Patrol (CHP) were sworn in today during a graduation ceremony at the CHP Academy in West Sacramento. The 101 officers are part of the CHP's multiyear recruiting campaign to fill 1,000 vacant officer positions by hiring qualified individuals from California's diverse communities.

"I want to commend these men and women, not just for the hard work they put in the past several months while training at the Academy, but for their willingness to serve the public," said CHP Commissioner Sean Duryee. "These new officers are valued members of the CHP who are committed to improving safety in California for many years to come."

CHP Cadet Training Class I-23 is one of six cadet classes scheduled to attend the Academy in 2023. After completing



CHP Commissioner Sean Duryee swears in 101 CHP officers during a graduation ceremony at the CHP Academy in West Sacramento. Photo courtesy of the California Highway Patrol

26 weeks of instruction at the CHP's live-in training facility, the newly sworn officers will report to various CHP offices throughout the state.

At the CHP Academy, cadet training starts with nobility in policing, leadership, professionalism and ethics, and cultural diversity. Additionally, cadets receive instruction on mental illness response and crisis intervention techniques. Training also

covers vehicle patrol, crash investigation, first aid, and the apprehension of suspected violators, including those who drive under the influence. Cadets also receive training in traffic control, report writing, recovery of stolen vehicles, assisting the motoring public, issuing citations, emergency scene management, and various codes, including the California Vehicle Code, Penal Code, and

Health and Safety Code.

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## County Recognizes Resource Families at Appreciation Picnic

**Sacramento County News Release**

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Sacramento County's Department of Child, Family, and Adult Services (DCFAS) hosted its first post-pandemic Resource Family Appreciation Picnic. The last time the event was held was in 2019. On Saturday, July 22, staff took time out of their weekend to show their support and gratitude to dozens of resource families at the picnic. Over 70 staff members volunteered at the event, which took place at William Land Park.

There were kids' activities, games, and raffles during the picnic. DCFAS provided meal and dessert tickets for food trucks and families were given tickets to the Sacramento Zoo, Funderland, and Fairytale Town. Several community partners also attended the event and provided information and educational materials to families.

Resource Families, also known as foster families, provide loving homes to children who are unable to be safely maintained with their parents. While reunification is always the primary goal, many resource families also provide legal permanency for children when reunification cannot be achieved.

Sacramento County recognizes the tremendous contributions of resource families and all the ways they make a difference for the children and families in our communities.

"The impact our Resource Families make on the lives of the children and youth we serve is immeasurable. They are both a safety net and a bridge for healing and are often our greatest facilitators of change. We appreciate our partnership with our Resource Families on behalf of all efforts being made for the kids and families we serve," says Sacramento County's Deputy Director of Child Protective Services Melissa Lloyd.

The picnic celebrated current resource families, however, DCFAS also wants to take this opportunity to acknowledge the need for more families to provide this critical service. While there are many homes in the community prepared to care for very young children, the areas of most need are for our adolescent and teen populations, as well as for sibling sets and children with medical needs. The Sacramento County Resource Family Approval (RFA) program offers training, support, and guidance to resource families. Learn more on our Resource Family Website. ★

## Party in the Park Delights Residents at Rosemont Community Park

**By Patrick Owen, Cordova Recreation & Park District**

**ROSEMONT, CA (MPG)** - The sun was shining, and the air was filled with excitement as Rosemont Community Park came alive with the vibrant spirit of Cordova Recreation & Park District's (CRPD) annual Party in the Park event. Residents of all ages gathered at the park to enjoy a day of fun-filled activities, engaging games and delightful experiences, creating a memorable occasion for everyone involved.

The event, sponsored by SMUD (Sacramento Municipal Utility District), brought together the local community to celebrate Park and Recreation month. The park was transformed into a lively carnival, featuring an array of local vendors offering their finest products and services. From artisan crafts to delectable treats from Daisy's Desserts and The Fry Boys, residents had the opportunity to explore and support local businesses.

Children were not left out of the festivities as they reveled in the abundance of games and activities designed especially for them. The obstacle course proved to be a hit, as youngsters raced through it with enthusiasm, showcasing their agility and speed. The mini driving range, generously provided by Cordova



Throughout July 22, 2023, Rosemont Community Park was abuzz with chatter, laughter and the spirit of togetherness. Photo: CRPD

Golf Course, allowed budding young golfers to hone their skills and swing with joy. One of the main attractions of the day was the ever-popular dunk tank. Excitement filled the air as people lined up to take their chance at dunking some of CRPD's Board of Directors and staff into the refreshing water.

Throughout the day, the park was abuzz with chatter, laughter and the spirit of togetherness. Party in the Park was a wonderful time for neighbors to connect and strengthen their bonds with the local community. The event truly exemplified the essence of community spirit and showcased how coming together can create lasting memories and foster lifelong friendships. Until next time, let us cherish these moments and keep

the community spirit alive! Keep an eye out for CRPD's 65th anniversary festivities coming soon, and be sure to save the date for our next community event: Meet the Machines at Hagan Community Park on Saturday, September 16 at 10 a.m.! To learn more, visit [crpd.com/recreation/special-events/](http://crpd.com/recreation/special-events/)

*Cordova Recreation & Park District is one of the largest independent special districts in Northern California serving over 128,00 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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battery storage and related technologies; Adoption of zero carbon innovation to engage the wider community in carbon-reducing activities; Retirement of thermal plants; Strategic partnerships to optimize costs and maintain competitive rates, and; Workforce development programs and education opportunities that support clean energy careers.

Through a long-standing commitment to community connection and engagement, SMUD cultivates innovative pathways for customers to lower utility costs and actively participate in reducing their carbon footprint. Building on our unwavering support for EV adoption that started decades ago, SMUD

continues to be a driving force for positive change, collaborating closely with customers. Through an array of SMUD programs, including virtual power plants, managed-EV charging solutions, electrification incentives, residential and commercial workshops on emerging energy technologies, EV test-drive forums and a variety of related initiatives, all communities are invited to actively participate in shaping a greener future.

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

## Local Museums Aim to be Destinations for Low Income Families

**T-Rock Communications News Release**

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

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

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

**SMUD Museum of Science & Curiosity** - Designed to pique curiosity and spark imagination with interactive exhibits and programming, the museum understands the importance of introducing the wonders of science, technology, engineering, arts and

math to underserved community members. They are proud to offer free admission for up to four people per EBT card (normal parking fees remain in place).

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

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

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

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

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# Track Club Has Big Impact at Junior Olympics

Story by Rick Sloan

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - The Rancho Cordova Track Club (RCTC) is in its third year of existence and the impact this young track club is making at the National level is astonishing. This year's Junior Olympics National Championship Track Meet was held at Hayward Field, in Eugene, Oregon, and is organized by the USA Track & Field organization (USATF). Hayward Field is a historic location for Track & Field at the University of Oregon, and it was recently rebuilt with a \$300M+ donation from Nike, which is headquartered in Oregon and whose founder Phil Knight attended and competed in track in Eugene.

Last year the event was held in Sacramento and the RCTC qualified 11 athletes to compete. This year RCTC sent a record 15 athletes to the 2023 USATF Junior Olympics, and brought back some serious recognition and national stature. Rancho Cordova Track Club founder and Cross Country Coach Josh Gruver said, "Seeing the success of the Rancho Cordova Track Club Athletes has been amazing to witness this season. It's been rewarding to see the program grow in the past three years. Looking forward to seeing more Junior Olympic Qualifiers each season and represent the City of Rancho Cordova on the National Stage."

Rancho Cordova Vice Mayor David Sander and co-founder of the RCTC has been a thrower coach for his son Charles and other athletes for the past eight years. Coach Sander is credited with increasing athlete participation in the javelin, shot put, hammer and discus. Coach Sander's son Charles is a three time Junior Olympian who has competed in Shot Put, Discus, Hammer and Javelin at the national level. He is the only RCTC athlete to have qualified to compete in the national championships three times, and the only RCTC athlete to have competed in all four throwing events at the Junior Olympics. "Hayward Field is perhaps the best Track and Field venue in the world, and it was such a thrill to compete there,



RCTC Coaches and Athletes: (left to right) Throws Coach Alex Knudsen, All-American Hammer Thrower Ben Condrin, All-American Shot Put athlete Tyler Lange, 2-time RCTC Junior Olympian & current U20 hammer thrower and rising youth coach Gian Gonzalez, and Throws Coach David Sander. Photo courtesy of RCTC

to throw a javelin or a shot where Olympians have competed and World Records have been set" said RCTC athlete Charles Sander.

The road to the Junior Olympics is challenging. Athletes need to be top performers at two levels before qualifying for the nationals — their local association meet, and then also at a regional championship. Rancho Cordova Track Club qualified 11 throwers, 3 steeplechase runners and 1 thrower/high jumper for this year's games. RCTC thrower Ben Condrin is a recent high school graduate and has been training about 20 months as a thrower with the club, winning many accolades as a hammer and discus thrower. Condrin threw the 12lb hammer 59.85m, winning an incredible 2nd place in the nation for the event. He was named an All-American athlete, an accolade reserved for the top eight finishers in each Junior Olympic event. Notably, he is the first All-American athlete for the RCTC, and the highest ever finisher for the three year old club.

Two other RCTC athletes taking home All-American honors were recent high school graduate Matthew Palchak and junior Tyler Lange. Palchak outdid himself at these Junior Olympics - winning an amazing double All-American distinction, once for men's shot put (16.89m) placing 7th and once for men's discus (49.10m), placing 8th. He now has two of the distinctive and sought after red hats that are given to the All-American athletes. Lange also won the special red hat



Coaches Adam Mahoney (left) and Jason Devlin (right) with Steeplechase athletes Alex Chavez, Caleb Mahoney and Cameron Laret. Photo courtesy of RCTC

with his men's Shot Put throw of 17.13m. His 4th place finish is an amazing accomplishment since the 17 year old was competing against 18 year-olds from around the nation.

Palchuk and Lange also contributed to a very rare sight - as the RCTC won 2 of the top 8 spots in men's Shot Put - a very rare occurrence at a national competition. To have one club capture 25% of the All-Americans named in a highly competitive event like shot put or discus is quite rare. Amazingly, that very rarely repeated itself in men's discus when Condrin finished 9th, right behind Palchak who was on the podium in 8th.

Not to be outdone, the club's younger athletes also scored big in the Steeplechase. Caleb Mahoney ran the 2k

Steeplechase in 7:06.49 and came in 4th - earning him All-American status as a 14 year old competitor. Cameron Laret (also 14) ran that race and finished very strong in 11th place. Alex Chavez competed in the 17/18 year old Steeplechase race and finished strong as well.

"There is no question that our hard-working athletes made a huge impact and put Rancho Cordova on the map. Particularly among the throwing athletes, fans and coaches - we are suddenly among the teams to be watched in the U.S.," said RCTC Throws Coach Sander. "We now have top athletes approaching us, and asking how they can be part of our Rancho Cordova team."

Other RCTC athletes Lauren Riley, 18, a long-term and

successful athlete in the club competed in women's shot put and women's discus. Elise Blomquist joined her in the shot put competition and as a 17 year-old is looking to returning again next year as a shot put and hammer throw competitor. Another 17 year-old, Magdalena Becerril competed in women's javelin and threw for a personal best. Becerril is also aiming for next year, but as a heptathlete, as well as a shot put and javelin athlete. The Track Club also had some younger than high school competitors who qualified for the Junior Olympics - Gabriella Devlin (age 14) in High Jump and Javelin, Sidney Johnson (age 13) in Shot Put and Discus, Skylar Johnson (age 10) in Shot Put, and Lily Oliver (age 8) in Shot Put.

Throws Coach Henry Sharoyan said, "Some of the younger athletes are developing so fast, and getting so good that we just know they are going to keep our momentum going in this club, inspiring kids here in Rancho Cordova to push their limits and achieve things they didn't think were possible. That's what makes it so rewarding to be involved in this sport, and in this club."

Rancho Cordova Track Club Head Coach Jay Devlin summed it up like this, "These awards are great. The amazing success of the young Rancho Cordova Track Club can be attributed to many things - skilled and dedicated athletes and families, a supportive community that has invested in unique throwing and steeplechase facilities, a City of Rancho Cordova-Folsom Cordova School District partnership, and good positive coaching. But in the end, it comes down to the youth athlete, whose athletic experience will shape their future life by instilling confidence, the ability to do hard work pursuing lofty goals and face challenges with determination. The futures of these young athletes are the real products of the success of this Rancho Cordova Track Club."

For more information about the year-round track & field opportunities offered by RCTC, visit <https://rctrack.org>. Financial help is available. ★

## Upgrade: New Steeplechase Pit Enhances Athlete Events

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last two years, including starting blocks, hurdles, timing equipment and even a hammer throw cage.

"Our city is thrilled to be home to this one-of-a-kind track and field facility, which can now host a variety of premier events," said Vice Mayor Dr. David Sander. "Youth sports

bring a number of benefits to participating athletes - life lessons that they may not get without participating - Track and Field is unique in that it is possible for virtually any kid to participate and reap the benefits. So, while it is great that we can now host these special Track and Field events, it's even more important that our local youth

have access to them, and to the sport."

Since the pit has been completed, one high school student athlete qualified for the 2023 Nike Outdoor Nationals, and three Rancho Cordova Track Club athletes qualified for the Junior Olympics in Eugene, Oregon.

"The addition of the Steeplechase to Lancer Stadium

is a tremendous example of the partnership between FCUSD, the City of Rancho Cordova, our amazing community members and the collaborative and coordinated efforts of the FCUSD facilities team with the organizations in Rancho Cordova. Because of the Steeplechase, our students will have an opportunity and an advantage over

others in the region to prepare for competition at the collegiate level," said Peter Maroon, Director of Athletics for FCUSD.

To receive updates about upcoming events at Lancer Stadium, sign up for the city's e-newsletters at [CityofRanchoCordova.org/ENews](http://CityofRanchoCordova.org/ENews). ★

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# Proposals In California Legislature Would Encourage Government Secrecy



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

In California, sunshine is giving way to darkness.

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



## Firescaping Your Home

We have had a hot few weeks and just about everything has become like hay ready to burn. Let’s face it, forests and homes have no protection against wild fires...except perhaps you. **Dr. Adrienne Edwards**, a plant botanist with **Rachel Schleiger**, a plant ecologist, came together to help us with “**Firescaping Your home.**” They shared some tips on my POPPOFF Radio Show.

**1. FAMILY FIRST.** Know that being prepared to evacuate saves your family and that is more important than your home and landscaping. Have “Go Bag” that includes your wildland fire action plan (house preparation, packing lists, evacuation plans, and contact numbers) so when an emergency arises you and your family are ready to go.

**2. STRUCTURES.** Assess your house and any other structures where you live for fire vulnerability. Then prioritize fireproofing on those structures with respect to degree of hazard, and costs for upgrades. They provide lots of tips in their book, but you can also consult with a professional or contractor with experience in how to make homes fire resistant.

**3. LANDSCAPES.** Noncombustible Zone (0-5 Ft). No more “no more foundation plantings”. During fire season (depending on conditions) nothing combustible should be within 5 feet of any structure. That includes wood fencing. Lean, Clean, and Green Zone (5-30 Fr), or more depending on slope. Research indicates that thinning fuels within 30 Ft of structures, and maintaining a noncombustible zone next to structures, are far more important than anything you might do beyond the Lean, Clean and Green

Zones. Plants should be kept healthy and clustered plantings can be punctuated by noncombustible areas of rock, bare ground, and inorganic mulches etc.

**4. HABITAT SUPPORT.** Think about your neighbors, that is, your plant neighbors, your wildlife neighbors, and your human neighbors. The more land we develop, the more we need to provide oases for native plants. Pollinators and other wildlife need food, shelter, and water. Learn more how to provide those resources in your yard and when. The timing of when you clear vegetation can have huge impacts on pollinators and birds in particular. In a cooler, wetter year, you should leave flowers, seeds, branches and other habitat in place longer prior to fire season to allow organisms to reproduce. In a hotter, drier year you might have to clear vegetation sooner, but many of your wildlife neighbors can be a weak link in the firescaping chain, so fire resilience also should be coordinated at the community level. For example, fences may make good neighbors, but wood fences shed embers like crazy. When attached to houses, fires can burn house-to-house following fence lines toppling like dominoes.

**5. ENJOY.** Enjoy the natural beauty of your region with the confidence you have prepared for evacuation if needed and reduced your fire risks while continuing to support the habitat around you. You can check them out with more at [www.firescapingyourhome.com](http://www.firescapingyourhome.com). Wherever you live, checking some of the boxes for safety can’t hurt. Stay safe.

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## And Another Thing Our American Flag has always meant very much to me

By Bob McGarvey

Our American Flag has always meant very much to me for as far back as I can remember. When I was growing up, I think it meant more to all generations than it does today. I am sure there are still many people who still think highly of our American Flag, but it is harder to find them at times. I was given a picture of a parade in which the military led the parade with the American Flag. What the picture showed was that there was only one person who stood up when our flag went by. He was a Veteran who stood up from his wheelchair and saluted the flag. Everyone else remained sitting.

The VFW had an old mail box that was painted red, white, and blue and was a good place to dispose of worn out flags. I read, "According to the U.S. Flag Code, "The flag, when it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning." Flags should always be treated with respect and honor because of those who worked, fought, and sacrificed their lives for our rights and freedoms. The flags in the mail box were picked up by the V.F.W and honorably disposed of.

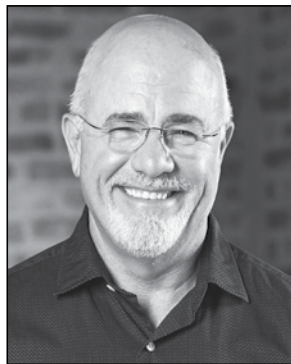
I was told the reason the old mailbox was removed was because some people who were just putting trash and garbage in the mailbox instead of letting us provide a good place for the flags. The V.F.W. removed the box and it hasn't been replaced again. I made calls and was told that if you have a flag which you want to dispose of, you can take your flag to the Rancho Cordova Moose Lodge on 10124 Coloma Rd and ring the bell. Then the Moose Lodge

will accept the flag and pass it on to the V.F.W. who has a meeting there every month and they will be given the flags then. I am glad that the flags which you may have and wish to dispose of can be properly cared for. The flags can be disposed of honorably instead of just putting them in the trash or the garbage. Thank you.

The Rancho Cordova Chamber of Commerce was established in 1963, and they are celebrating their 60th Anniversary this year. I am a lifetime member of the Chamber, and I couldn't be happier or more honored to be given that distinction. There are some great events that are being held for members and their guests. They will have golf players enjoying themselves coming soon, and the Rancho Cordova Chamber of Commerce will be celebrating its 60th Anniversary Gala at Platinum Palace on Coloma Road on October 19th. They help their members in many ways, and we are very fortunate that we have such a great chamber.

My wife and I were able to have a mini vacation at the Clear Lake State Park last week. It is in Lake county, and is the largest natural lake in California. We enjoy fishing there and also just enjoy relaxing there. It is a beautiful place to go, and we have been enjoying that park for years. This year there is more water in the lake than usual because of the rainfall our state received. We were able to see some wildlife there, and I think the extra rainfall affected them this year. If you get a chance to go there you would really enjoy yourself relaxing like I said, and the fishing is really something to enjoy.

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



## Dave Ramsey Says

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

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

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

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

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

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

Thanks, Kaytee!

— Dave

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

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— Kaytee

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CAQ Ventures LLC, 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sisterra Homes" 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 22, 2023  
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SISTERRA 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04289  
Daniel S Funner, 2424 42nd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Catholic School Band (CSB)" 2424 42nd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 6, 2023  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
CATHOLIC 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05216  
Cristian Budean, 7429 Summer Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fine Line" 7429 Summer Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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LITTLEFIELDS 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05202  
Roberta Littlefield, 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Littlefields of Imagination" 9124 Vancouver Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
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LITTLEFIELDS 8-11-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05218  
P & W Karz Inc, 2140 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "American Auto Care & Tires" 2140 Marconi Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 11, 2023  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
AMERICAN 8-11-23

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

Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "CastleDreamer Designs" 8125 Otium Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 7, 2023  
Publish: July 21, 27, August 4, 11, 2023  
CASTLE 8-11-23

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

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05249  
Advancebay Inc., 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Village Venue Rentals" 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 12, 2023  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 18, 2023  
VILLAGE 8-18-23

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05294  
Sierra Christine Wallin, 9493 Dalton Way, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lotus & Sage Beauty" 5120 J Street Suite D, Sacramento, CA 95819. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 13, 2023  
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 18, 2023  
LOTUS 8-18-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05484  
Saad Mahmood Alahmadi, 5124 Modoc Way, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AKAR Mobile Auto Mechanic" 5124 Modoc Way, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
AKAR 8-25-23

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05486  
Balvinder K Balaghan, 9417 Kiefer Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95876, and Noor Kiran Kaur, 2649 Giorno Way, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "N & R Food Mart" 3907 Stockton Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 21, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
N&R 8-25-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05379  
Debra Diane Walker, 6510 Elza Court, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Debbie's Jams" 6510 Elza Court, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 18, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
DEBBIES 8-25-23

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05221  
ELV3 Enterprises LLC, 1401 21st Street Suite 6157, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Significant Affairs" 1401 21st Street Suite 6157, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 12, 2023  
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ELW3 8-25-23

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-04462  
Vladimir Kilyushik and Alena Kilyushik, 8309 Pinefield Drive, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "VAK Siding and Decking" 8309 Pinefield Drive, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
VAK 8-25-23

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

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

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

"Ideal Market/Ideal Halal Market" 646 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 17, 2023  
Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023  
IDEAL 8-25-23

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05272  
Alexander Alvarado, 14916 1/4 Inglewood Avenue, Lawndale, CA, 90260 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bow's Show Kitchen" 2108 N Street Suite #8492 Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 13, 2023  
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BOWS 9-1-23

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

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05693  
Emman Tos, 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "PIE NICE" 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 1, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
PIE 9-1-23

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

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05746  
Blessed Ones LLC, 15 Benoit Court, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Cienna Home Care II" 3866 Sea Forest Way, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 3, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
BLESSUED 9-1-23

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

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

the Clerk of Sacramento County July 24, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
MJ 9-1-23

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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05750  
Jose Ramon Rodriguez, 5600 Rosario Boulevard, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jrods Tow and Transport" 5600 Rosario Boulevard, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 3, 2023  
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JRODS 9-1-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05742  
S. Justice Enterprises, Inc., 3916 Hovnanian Drive, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Scarlett Justice Properties" 3916 Hovnanian Drive, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 3, 2023  
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023  
SCARLETT 9-1-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2023-05744  
Eat Cake LLC, 8139 Sunset Avenue #160, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Eat Cake!" 8367 Hidden Valley Circle, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 3, 2023  
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CAKE 9-1-23

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated: June 20, 2023
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
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ORTEGA 8-18-23

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

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

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on September 19, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #23CV005655

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Marcus Bernard Smith II has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of KALEIYAH MAKARA SMITH to Kaleiyah Makara Smith and MARCUS BERNARD SMITH III to Marcus Bernard Smith III.

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

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

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF EVA JO SANTOS
CASE NO. 34-2021-00312114

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Eva Jo Santos. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Devin Klicker, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Devin Klicker be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows August 16, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

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

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Devin Klicker, 3857 Terra Vista Way, Sacramento, CA 95821; 916-708-7348
Publish: July 28, August 4, 11, 2023
NGAY 8-11-23

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

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Say Menh Lo. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Ngay Lo, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Ngay Lo be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows November 1, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

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

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

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

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of John Thomas Lukens. A Petition for Probate has been filed by James Lukens, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting James Lukens be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows November 30, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. 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: James Thomas Luken, 14 Myrtle Street 2nd Floor, White Plains, NY 10606; 916-712-4161
Publish: August 11, 18, 25, 2023
LUKENS 8-25-23

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
FILE NO. FBNF20232-05249

The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of Village Venue Rentals, 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827. Advancebay Inc., 5210 Excelsior Road, Sacramento, CA 95827. The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on 7/12/2023 in the County of Sacramento. Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: 7/12/2023. Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023
VILLAGE 8-25-23

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City of Rancho Cordova Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, August 23, 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:

HYATT HOUSE SACRAMENTO RANCHO CORDOVA MAJOR DESIGN REVIEW & CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT—PROJECT No. PLND-1122-0057

REQUEST: The Applicant, White Rock Hotel, LLC, is requesting a Major Design Review and Conditional Use Permit for a 112-room extended stay business hotel with associated indoor and outdoor amenities, including meetings rooms, outdoor pool, and future dining opportunities. The City's Zoning Code requires the approval of a Conditional Use Permit and Major Design Review for a new hotel within the OPMU zoning district.

OWNER: White Rock, LLC
579 Clyde Avenue, Suite 340
Mountain View, CA 94043

APPLICANT: White Rock, LLC/Devang Shah
579 Clyde Avenue, Suite 340
Mountain View, CA 94043

LOCATION/APN: 11100 White Rock Road; APN: 072-0260-006
ZONING: Office Professional Mixed-Use (OPMU)
ENVIRONMENTAL: Exempt per Section 15183, Projects Consistent with a Community Plan, General Plan or Zoning of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)
PROJECT PLANNER: Arlene Granados-Jones, AICP, Senior 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.

Members of the public who wish to provide public comment via email will need to submit comments to PlanningClerk@cityofranhocordova.org no later than 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23, 2023. All comments submitted later than 3:00 p.m. will be sent to the Planning Commission for their review and may not be read during the meeting.

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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# American Pickers to Film in California!



Follow Mike Wolfe and Danielle Colby as they hunt for America's most valuable antiques in the hit show American Pickers. Photo courtesy of Cineflix

## Cineflix News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - The American Pickers are excited to return to California! They plan to film episodes of The History Channel hit television series throughout your area in September 2023.

AMERICAN PICKERS is a documentary series that explores the fascinating world of antique "picking" on The History Channel. The hit show follows skilled pickers in the business, as they hunt for America's most valuable antiques. They are always excited to find historically significant or rare items, in addition to unforgettable Characters and their collections.

As they hit the back roads from coast to coast, the Pickers are on a mission to recycle and rescue forgotten relics. Along the way, they want to meet characters with amazing stories and fun items. They hope to give historically significant objects a new lease on life while learning a thing or two about America's past along the way. The Pickers have seen a lot of rusty gold over the years and are always looking to discover something they've never seen before. They are ready to find extraordinary items and hear fascinating tales about them.

We at American Pickers continue to take the pandemic very seriously and will be following all guidelines and protocols



Mike Wolfe of American Pickers will be visiting area private collections to incorporate California stories and relics into The History Channel's documentary program. Photo courtesy of Cineflix

for safe filming outlined by the state and CDC. Nevertheless, we are excited to continue reaching the many collectors in the area to discuss their years of picking and are eager to hear their memorable stories!

The American Pickers TV Show is looking for leads and would love to explore your hidden treasure. If you or someone you know has a unique item, story to tell, and is ready to sell...we would love to hear from you! Please note, the Pickers DO NOT pick stores, flea markets, malls, auction businesses, museums, or anything open to the public. If interested, please send us your name, phone number, location, and description of the collection with photos to: americanpickers@cineflix.com or call (646) 493-2184 facebook: @GotAPick ★

# Sacramento State Welcomes New Public Information Officer Lanaya Lewis

## Sacramento State News Release

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

# Two Fatal, Fentanyl Related Overdoses Reported in North Sacramento

## Sacramento County Sheriff's Dept. News Release

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - On Friday, July 21, 2023, the Sacramento County Sheriff's Office responded to two assist calls for service with the Sacramento Metro Fire Department in the northern part of Sacramento County. The first incident occurred at approximately 9:10 AM, where Sheriff's North Patrol Deputies responded near the 3600 block of Elkhorn Boulevard to assist with a 46-year-old male lying unresponsive behind a business. Fire personnel arrived on scene and conducted life-saving measures; unfortunately, he was

pronounced deceased on scene. The second incident occurred at approximately 1:15 PM, where Deputies responded to a location near the 7400 block of Watt Avenue to assist with a 16-year-old male juvenile lying unresponsive behind a dumpster. Fire personnel arrived on scene and again conducted life-saving measures; unfortunately, he was also pronounced deceased on scene.

Both cases appear to be fentanyl overdoses. The Sacramento County Coroner's Office will determine the cause of death in both incidents and forward its findings as prescribed by law. They will also release the names of the deceased after notification has been made to his next of kin. ★

# FCUSD to Serve Free and Reduced-Price Meals

## FCUSD News Release

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - The Folsom Cordova Unified School District announced an amendment to its policy for serving meals under the National School Lunch/School Breakfast Programs for the 2023-2024 school year.

All students will be served lunch and breakfast at NO CHARGE at all our school sites.

For any additional information, please contact the Food Service Department at the following address 1965 Birkmont Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 or call (916) 294-9011. ★

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**City of Rancho Cordova Notice of Public Hearing**

NOTICE is hereby given that on **Monday, August 21, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.**, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the City Council 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:

**ADOPTION OF THE CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA CLIMATE ACTION AND ADAPTATION PLAN AND INITIAL STUDY/NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The Rancho Cordova Climate Action and Adaptation Plan (CAAP) is a comprehensive roadmap to community sustainability and resilience. The purposes of the CAAP are to identify strategies and measures the City can take to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions to levels that align with State goals and set forth strategies to adapt and promote resilience to the impacts of climate change. The Initial Study/Negative Declaration has analyzed potential environmental impacts of the CAAP and shows that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment.

**APPLICANT:**  
 City of Rancho Cordova  
 Housing Division  
 2729 Prospect Park Drive  
 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

**LOCATION/APN:** The incorporated city limits of Rancho Cordova  
**ENVIRONMENTAL:** An Initial Study/Negative Declaration (IS/ND) has been prepared and circulated pursuant to Article 6 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines  
**PROJECT MANAGER:** Stefan Heisler, Housing Manager

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 City Clerk's office 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 Housing Division at (916) 851-8757.**

**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**  
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**JACKSON PROPERTIES WAREHOUSE STORAGE BUILDING—MAJOR DESIGN REVIEW—PROJECT NO. PLND-0622-0044:**

**REQUEST:** The Applicant is requesting a Major Design Review for the construction of a 118,748 SF warehouse/storage building with accessory office space. The Applicant also proposes a 48-foot tall building (at its highest point) and is requesting an exception to exceed the 40-foot height maximum for the Commercial/Office Park Subarea. An exception may be granted by the approval authority as part of the Design Review Process. The proposal is located on an approximately 7.8 acre parcel located within the Mather Field Special Planning Area (MFSPA). The site plan includes a loading dock area with 9 loading docks as well as required parking for passenger vehicles. The project also includes significant landscaping to enhance the site and provide additional screening for loading dock areas.

**OWNER:**  
 JPI XXIX, L.P.  
 Vincent Fugina  
 155 Cadillac Drive, Suite 100  
 Sacramento, CA 95825

**APPLICANT:**  
 Nacht & Lewis Architects  
 Mike Smith  
 600 Q Street, Suite 100  
 Sacramento, CA 95811

**LOCATION/APN:** 10391 Peter A McCuen Boulevard (APN: 077-0420-001-0000)  
**ZONING:** Commercial Office Park Subarea within the Campus District of the Mather Field Special Planning Area (MFSPA)  
**ENVIRONMENTAL:** Exempt per Section 15183, Projects Consistent with a Community Plan, General Plan or Zoning of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)  
**PROJECT PLANNER:** Nicholas Sosa, Associate Planner

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**NOTICE OF ADOPTED URGENCY ORDINANCE**

The following is a summary of an Urgency Ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Rancho Cordova at its meeting of August 2, 2023:

**AN URGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA EXTENDING A TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON THE ESTABLISHMENT, EXPANSION, OR MODIFICATION OF USES IN THE VILLAGES OF ZINFANDEL SPECIAL PLANNING AREA DESIGNATED THEREIN AS M-1 and MP (OFFICE INDUSTRIAL PARK) ZONES**

Passed and adopted on the 19th day of June, 2023 by the following vote:

AYES: Gatewood, Pulipati, Terry, and Budge  
 NOES: None  
 ABSENT: Sander  
 ABSTAIN: None

The full text of the adopted Urgency Ordinance is available in the City Clerk's office, 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670.

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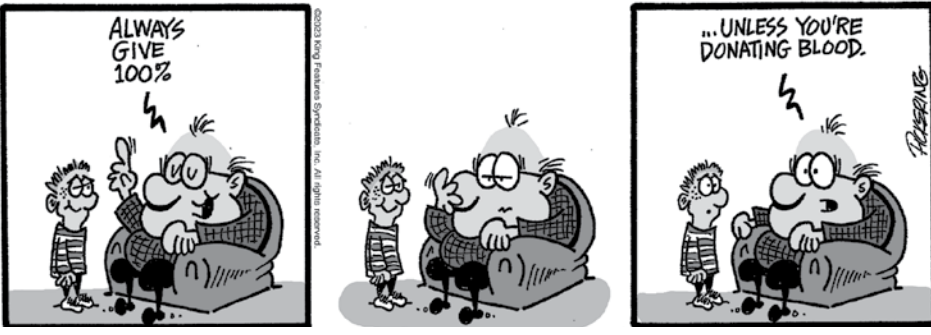
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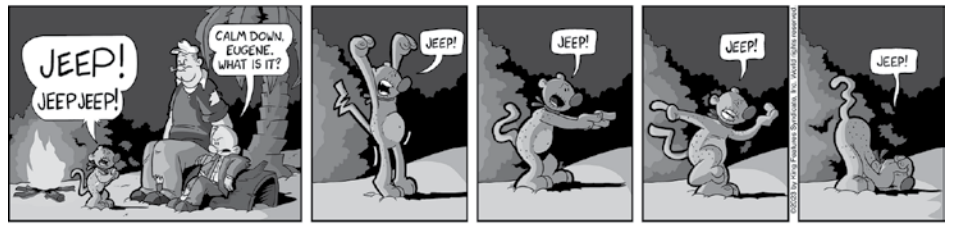
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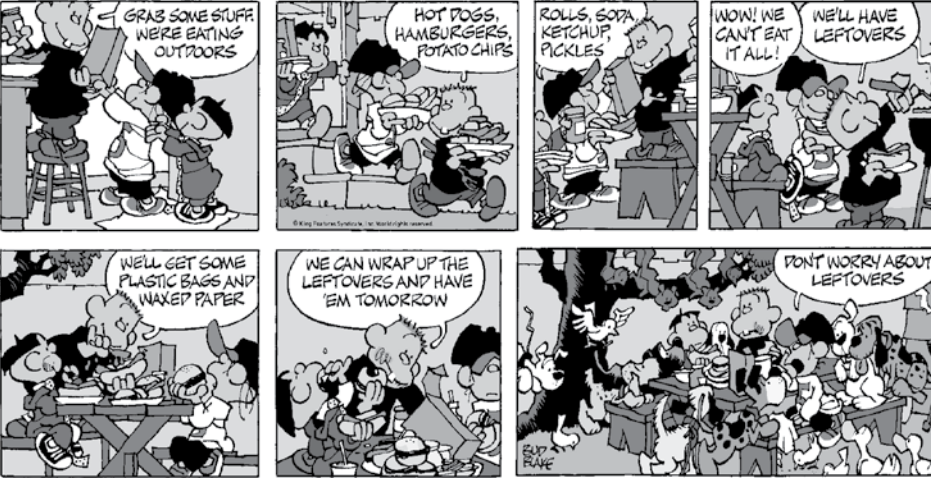


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- \*Robin Williams, "Good Morning, \_\_\_"
- Family memb.
- Blood fluids
- R&R spot
- Standout
- All together (2 words)
- Crafts' companion
- Hyperbolic tangent
- River in Paris
- Traditions typically passed on by word of mouth
- Home of Darfur
- Opposite of base
- Carthage's ancient neighbor
- Have supper
- Condoleezza of politics
- Pleasantly warm
- Type of mine passage
- JFK's brother
- Famous Allen Ginsberg poem
- Band booking
- \*Hello in Normandy region
- \*Hello in Haifa
- Letter-shaped girder
- Female reproductive cells
- Did like a lunatic
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- Nada
- Greet the day
- \*Musical" constellation
- Precedes whiz
- It typically has 4 doors

**DOWN**

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- \*Unspoken greeting in France
- Ned Stark's youngest daughter
- Prevents one from seeing
- Have as logical consequence
- Mosque prayer leader
- \*Japanese greeting move
- To crack, as in case
- Out of shape
- Kindred
- \*Hello in Spain or in Mexico
- Overwhelm like bees
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# Next Phase of Recycled Water Begins for California

**State Water Resources Control Board News Release**

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Achieving a major milestone in the state's efforts to maximize the potential of recycled water, the State Water Resources Control Board announced on July 11, 2023, proposed regulations that would allow for water systems to add wastewater that has been treated to levels meeting or exceeding all drinking water standards to their potable supplies. The process, known as direct potable reuse, will enable systems to generate a climate-resilient water source while reducing the amount of wastewater they release to rivers and the ocean.

This development advances Gov. Newsom's all-of-the-above Water Supply Strategy, which includes the goal of recycling and reusing at least 800,000 acre-feet of water per year by 2030.

This turning point in California's history with recycled water, which began in the mid-20th century with the use of recycled water for crops, comes after an expert panel of 12 scientists and engineers evaluated work by the State Water Board's Division of Drinking Water and determined that the proposed regulations are protective of public health. The regulations are the most advanced in the nation and reinforce California's position as a leader of innovative solutions to climate challenges. They are now open for public comment and subject to revision based on that input.

"This moment has been some time in the making because we have been careful and thorough to produce regulations that ensure, down to a chemical level, that water treated to these standards will be pure and wholesome," said Darrin Polhemus, deputy director for the

Division of Drinking Water. "In fact, the extensive treatment requirements we've proposed mean that direct potable reuse processes in California will produce water of higher quality and lower risk than many traditional drinking water sources."

Direct potable reuse relies entirely on immediate, multi-barrier treatment that can recycle wastewater to drinking water standards in a matter of hours. This contrasts to the method currently being deployed in major projects launched throughout the state, called indirect potable reuse, which further improves treated wastewater over time through groundwater recharge or dilution with surface water. While no formal direct potable reuse projects can be initiated in California until the regulations are adopted, water agencies in Santa Clara, San Diego and the city of Los Angeles have launched pilot projects in recent years.

"We've seen real enthusiasm and interest from major urban water agencies, who are the ones that will take direct potable reuse forward, adding it to their water supply portfolios to increase resiliency," added Polhemus. "California has been a leader for years in water recycling, and this last step—going directly from treatment to usage as drinking water—builds on that experience and the expertise of scientists and engineers who have worked with recycled water for many years."

The board will consider adoption of the regulations before the end of the year.

*The State Water Board's mission is to preserve, enhance and restore the quality of California's water resources and drinking water for the protection of the environment, public health, and all beneficial uses, and to ensure proper resource allocation and efficient use for present and future generations.* ★

# SCOE Teachers and Classified School Employees of the Year Honored



**Sacramento County Office of Education Teachers of the Year for 2023 honored at the Sacramento River Cats game on April 23.**



**Sacramento County Office of Education Classified School Employees of the Year for 2023 honored at the Sacramento River Cats game on June 11.**

**Bouchard Communications News Release**

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union, the largest credit union serving school employees and their families, recognized the exemplary teachers and classified school employees who were honored in the annual Sacramento County Office of Education Teacher of the Year and Classified School Employee of the Year programs sponsored by the Credit Union. Teachers and classified school employees selected for 2023 were honored during recognition events at two Sacramento River Cats games at Sutter Health Park earlier this year.

The Sacramento County Teacher of the Year program recognizes excellence in teaching within the county's public schools. Participating districts nominate individual teachers to receive this special recognition. The Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) also nominates one of its teachers to compete. The Classified Employee of the Year program, open to school district and SCOE staff, is designed to acknowledge and promote the efforts of outstanding classified school employees across the county.

SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union and the Sacramento River Cats are among the partners that support both programs.

Teachers of the Year selected for Sacramento County are:

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Katie Edwards, 4th Grade, Oak Hill Elementary School, Center Joint Unified School District; Debi Lawson, 4th & 5th Grade, Washington Elementary School, Sacramento City Unified School District; Rachel Baird, 11th & 12th Grade (English), Cosumnes Oaks High School, Elk Grove Unified School District; Lisa Bettencourt, 3rd Grade, Pacific Elementary School, Sacramento City Unified School District; Christina Rae, 9th & 12th Grade (English), Vista del Lago High School, Folsom Cordova Unified School District; Kevin Jordan, 7th - 12th Grade (CTE- Horticulture), Leo A. Palmiter Jr./Sr. High School, Sacramento County Office of Education; Mark Bornstein, 2nd Grade, Paso Verde School, Natomas Unified School District; Logan Grinsell, 6th & 8th Grade (Science, Drama, Art), John Barrett Middle School, San Juan Unified School District; Gabino Perez, Principal (former 5th Grade Teacher), Walnut

Grove Elementary School, River Delta Unified School District; Nicolette Pulley, K-5th Grade (Academic Intervention - Reading), Ottomon Elementary School, San Juan Unified School District; Matthew Craine, K-6th Grade (Physical Education), Main Avenue School, Robla School District; Emily Negretot, 3rd Grade, Frontier Elementary School, Twin Rivers Unified School District.

Classified Employees of the Year selected for Sacramento County are:

Troygah Ahmach, Office Manager (Clerical and Administrative Services), Twin Rivers Unified School District; Kerry Wedel, Head Custodian (Custodial and Maintenance Services), Folsom Cordova Unified School District; Antoinette Tanksley, Café Services Team Leader (Food and Nutrition Services), Twin Rivers Unified School District; Amber Dimas, Health Assistant (Health and Student Services), Folsom Cordova Unified School District; Rachel Dennis, Infant Educator (Paraprofessional Services), Sacramento County Office of Education; Terry Douglas, Community Safety Specialist (Security Services), Folsom Cordova Unified School District; Daniel Ericksen, Mechanic (Transportation Services), Folsom Cordova Unified School District.

"These teachers and classified school employees have displayed their unwavering dedication to making a positive impact on students' lives," said Josh Smith, vice president, school and community relations for SchoolsFirst FCU. "Since our founding almost 90 years ago, we have put school employees and their families in the forefront of our mission. We are honored to recognize their many contributions to schools, students and communities."

SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union is the fifth largest credit union in the country. Serving school employees and their families, the organization is dedicated to providing World-Class Personal Service and improving the financial lives of its Members. Today they serve more than 1.3 million Members with a full range of financial products and. SchoolsFirst FCU was founded in 1934, when 126 school employees pooled \$1,200 and established a Member-owned cooperative to help improve each other's lives. In 2022, the Credit Union reported nearly \$28 billion in assets and remains the largest credit union in California. For more information about SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union, visit schoolsfirstfcu.org. ★

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# Rep. Bera Statement on L3Harris Acquisition of Aerojet Rocketdyne

**From the Office of Representative Ami Bera**

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - U.S. Representative Ami Bera, M.D. (CA-06) released the following statement after the acquisition of Aerojet Rocketdyne by L3Harris.

"Throughout its history, Aerojet Rocketdyne has been a vital community partner for the Sacramento region as a driving force of economic growth and job creation. For decades, its pioneering innovation and leadership in space exploration has been instrumental in advancing America's aerospace industry.

The acquisition of Aerojet Rocketdyne by L3Harris marks a milestone in the aerospace sector. As we push the boundaries of space exploration, it is critical that we maintain a strong focus on protecting our environment. I look forward to working with L3Harris and Aerojet Rocketdyne to ensure their continued commitment to environmental stewardship for our region."

Representative Bera joined the House Science, Space, and Technology Committee during his first term in Congress and has been a staunch advocate for U.S. space innovation and exploration. ★



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<h3>BOXED GLASS TANK WITH STARTER KIT</h3> <p>10 Gal Tetra LED Deluxe... <b>\$66.99</b> 20 Gal Tetra LED Deluxe... <b>\$113.99</b> 29 Gal Tetra LED Deluxe... <b>\$136.99</b> 55 Gal Tetra LED Deluxe... <b>\$224.99</b></p>	<h3>AQUEON PRE-PRICED AQUARIUM KITS</h3> <p>10 GALLON... (Pre-Priced \$79.99) <b>\$59.99</b> 20 GALLON... (Pre-Priced \$124.99) <b>\$99.99</b> 29 GALLON... (Pre-Priced \$139.99) <b>\$109.99</b> 55 GALLON... (Pre-Priced \$229.99) <b>\$169.99</b></p>	<h3>TETRA FISH FOOD SALE</h3> <p>TetraFin Goldfish 7.06 oz... <b>\$9.99</b> TetraFin Staple 7.06 oz... <b>\$13.99</b> TetraFin Color 7.06 oz... <b>\$13.99</b></p>	<h3>REEF CRYSTALS</h3> <p>50 Gal. Salt Mix <b>\$22.99</b></p>
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<h3>BONUS COUPON FANCY FEAST GOURMET CANNED CAT FOOD</h3> <p>3 Oz - All Varieties Except Elegant Medley Limit 1 Case Per Family Limit One Coupon Per Family Price Valid Only With Coupon Effective 8/9/23 - 8/15/23 <b>ON SALE Everyday</b> CHM PLU 361</p>	<h3>BONUS COUPON FRISKIES PARTY MIX CAT TREATS</h3> <p>2.1 Oz Pkg •Selected Varieties Limit 2 Pkgs With Coupon Limit One Coupon Per Family Price Valid Only With Coupon Effective 8/9/23 - 8/15/23 <b>\$1.49</b> CHM PLU 573</p>	<h3>BONUS COUPON JONNY CAT PREMIUM CAT LITTER</h3> <p>20 Lb Box Limit 1 Bag With Coupon Limit One Coupon Per Family Price Valid Only With Coupon Effective 8/9/23 - 8/15/23 <b>\$5.39</b> CHM PLU 362</p>
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