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Papa bald eagle is pictured with eaglets Courage and Hope

Story and photos by Susan Maxwell Skinner

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Few experiences could be more lifeaffirming than seeing birds in debut flight. When those creatures happen to be two bald eaglets (fledging auspiciously close to July 4), gasps and tears are among observer reactions.

Among very few of their species in Sacramento County, a mated eagle couple is now completing a fourth breeding season on the American River. Having recorded each of those seasons, I note the 2020 nursery unique for surprise and heartbreak.

In spring, observers were astonished to find three chicks in the eagle

nursery. In previous broods, the parents reliably raised only two babies. Judging by its size, the unexpected baby probably hatched 10 days after the alpha we called Courage; and perhaps a week after middle sibling Hope. We named the surprise baby Miracle. "It'll be a miracle if he survives," predicted a riverside wit. But the smallest eaglet escaped bullying often suffered by raptor runts. His parents favored him with plenty to eat. A feisty, competitive personality quickly developed.

The family dynamic was disrupted when alpha Courage fell from the nest before he was old enough to fly. Though the parents fed him on the ground, coyote and bobcats must also

provide for their own babies. One day the fallen eaglet simply disappeared. Crisis support arrived in the form of an eagle helper that has assisted the family in previous summers. The parents absented themselves as the babysitter we call "Hunter" dutifully mentored, fed and suffered the remaining two eaglets' ingratitude. Mama and Papa took compassionate leave from months of exhausting hunting and childcare.

In their absence, second eaglet Hope reached 12 weeks old and was poised for flight. Her debut promised a muchneeded lift for her kin and for fans who had taken the family to their hearts. Hope did not disappoint. On summer Continued on page 5

Explore Parks and Have Fun with Agents of Discovery

By Ken Casparis, Sacramento County

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - This July, Agents of Discovery, an interactive, augmented reality game is coming to two Sacramento County Regional Parks, Gibson Ranch Regional Park and River Bend Park.

Sacramento County's Department of Regional Parks, in partnership with California Parks and Recreation Society and as part of the Parks Make Life Better campaign, is bringing this app to park visitors, free of charge, from July 1 - 31. While in participating parks, users will be encouraged to explore new areas to find "challenges" that will... well, challenge their knowledge of the parks!

"Our staff has been working hard to set up challenges to make this experience as fun and educational for visitors as possible," said Liz Bellas, Director of Regional Parks. "Agents of Discovery will help teach people of all ages about our local parks and open spaces while demonstrating the benefits of parks and recreation."

If you've ever played games like Pokémon GO or Harry Potter Wizards Unite, you're likely familiar with augmented reality. This technology combines visuals and audio from the game with the user's actual environment in real-time.

When users enter the active park area, they will begin receiving tips through the app that will help them find and complete the challenges.

Agents of Discovery Tips and Disclaimers:

While Agents of Discovery is best downloaded and played using WiFi, it is also accessible using cellular data; Under "Missions" search for the park you plan on visiting, either "River Bend Park" or "Gibson Ranch Regional Park" and download mission prior to visiting; Make sure GPS is enabled; Be aware and cautious of possible traffic, other people, and obstacles that may be in your way when playing Agents of Discovery. Be sure to look around and be safe when playing; Create an account in order to save your progress; Agents of Discovery is fun for all ages. Children should get parental permission before downloading this app; Parks are open from sunrise to sunset;

Please practice social distancing while outdoors:

Maintain at least six-foot social distancing from individuals who are not part of the same household or living unit; Frequently wash

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Golden State Killer Pleads Guilty

DeAngelo is Sentenced to Life Without Parole

Source: Orange County District Attorney's Office

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - According to a press release issued by the Office of Orange County District

Attorney Todd Spitzer:

Joseph James DeAngelo Jr., 74, pleaded guilty to 13 felony counts of firstdegree murder and 13 felony counts of kidnapping to commit robbery during a 13-year multicounty crime spree that terrorized much of California during the 1970s and 1980s. DeAngelo was identified through Investigative Genetic Genealogy (IGG) in 2018, more than three decades after he raped and murdered his last victim in

DeAngelo also admitted to 161 uncharged crimes related to 61 uncharged victims, including attempted murder, kidnapping to commit robbery, rape, robbery, first-degree burglary, false imprisonment and criminal threats. The uncharged crimes occurred in Alameda, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Santa Clara, Stanislaus, Tulare and Yolo counties.

The decision by prosecutors to accept DeAngelo's offer to plead guilty to the 26 charged crimes and admit the uncharged crimes was made in consultation with the victims and their family members. The total- a knife during the commisity of the circumstances, including the age of the victims, the age of witnesses and the death of other key witnesses, and the age of the defendant, were taken into consideration.

This six-county joint prosecution resulted in a guilty plea of:

13 counts of first-degree murder with special circumstances allegations of multiple murders and murder during the commission of rape, robbery, and burglary.

13 felony counts of kidnapping to commit robbery with sentencing enhancements for personal use of a firearm and personal use of

sion of the offenses. DeAngelo also admitted

to the uncharged crimes of: Attempted murder, kidnapping to commit robbery, rape, robbery, first-degree burglary, false imprison-

ment and criminal threats.

DeAngelo's crime spree began in 1975 when he was working as a police officer with the Exeter Police Department. The crimes, which continued long after he was fired from the Auburn Police Department in 1979, escalated from peeping through windows to stalking to rape and serial murder.

The hearing was Continued on page 3

Women's Empowerment **Receives \$10K from SMUD**

By Kristin Thébaud, Thébaud Communications

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Women's Empowerment recently received \$10,000 from SMUD's Sustainable Communities initiative to provide workforce development skills, paid job training and housing search assistance for women experiencing homelessness.

"We are grateful to SMUD for recognizing that communities are only sustainable when women and their families have a safe home and a stable income," said Lisa Culp, executive director, Women's Empowerment. "SMUD's generous donation will help us ensure women and their children have homes and jobs, especially during this pandemic."

Women's Empowerment was featured on NBC's The TODAY Show in 2015 for offering the most comprehensive jobreadiness program in the Sacramento area designed specifically for women who are homeless and their children. The awardwinning organization has graduated 1,681 homeless women and their 3,792 children. Last year, 70 percent of graduates found homes in the midst of the housing crisis,

and 79 percent secured jobs or enrolled in school or training. The program combines self-esteem courses, job training, health classes, support services and paid job training to help homeless women across diverse ages, races and cultures. Women's Empowerment is funded through private donations from the community and grants. To donate: Womens-Empowerment.org.

"Our goal is to enhance the lives of those living in our community, and our Sustainable Communities Initiative focuses on those with the greatest need," said Shiloh Costello, SMUD manager of Sustainable Communities. "We are proud to help an organization that directly impacts hundreds of women and families in our area as they work to become self-sufficient."

SMUD's Sustainable Communities Initiative aligns with SMUD's core purpose and vision to enhance the quality of life for all customers through innovative energy solutions. The program helps bring environmental equity and economic vitality to communities in SMUD's service area, with special attention given to historically underserved neighborhoods. For more information, visit SMUD.org.

VA NorCal Health Offers 'On-Demand' COVID-19 Testing

By Will Martin, VA Northern California Health Care System

MATHER, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento VA Medical Center (VAMC) will offer drive-up, elective COVID-19 testing to Veterans registered as VA patients from 9 a.m. - noon each Tuesday and Thursday in Mather beginning June 23. Other VA Northern California Health Care System sites are also offering COVID-19 tests to Veterans and VA NorCal employees inside their clinics, with plans to establish driveup testing at some sites in the near future.

"An effective response to the COVID-19 pandemic in built on consistent testing," said VA NorCal Director David Stockwell.

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patients, we're ensuring the Veteran community is at the forefront of coronavirus care in Northern California."

VA NorCal medical personnel will conduct the tests using oropharyngeal swabs with results usually available in a

Northern California Veterans should contact their local VA NorCal clinic for details or to register as a VA patient. To schedule a health care appointment during the COVID-19 pandemic, Veterans should contact the VA NorCal Call Center at 1-800-382-VETS (8387).

Follow signs to testing site near Emergency Department.

Location is 10535 Hospital Way, Mather,

Protesters Topple Statues of St. Serra

Catholic League Press Release

NEW YORK, NY (MPG) - Catholic League president Bill Donohue comments on protesters who destroyed statues of Saint Junípero Serra:

Smashing statues of American icons is all the rage among urban barbarians. Ignorant of history, they are destroying statues of those who were among the most enlightened persons of their time. This includes Father Junípero Serra. The 18th century missionary fought hard for the rights of Indians, and was rightfully canonized by Pope Francis in 2015.

A statue of Saint Serra was toppled in San Francisco's Golden Gate Park on June 19, and the next day another statue of the legendary priest was torn down at Placita Olvera in Los Angeles. Archbishop José Gomez of Los Angeles, who is also president of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, singled out Saint Serra for his compassion and his effort to establish rights for Indians and women.

Legacy of Father Serra," that detailed his many accomplishments. In light of the attacks on him, it is worth recalling some of his

Serra got along well with the Indians. His goal, and that of the Franciscan missionaries whom he led, was not to conquer the Indians – it was to make them good Christians. The missionaries granted the Indians right to point out that Serra



statue of St. Junipero Serra in Golden Gate Park in San Francisco on June 19, 2020. Photo courtesy Catholic San Francisco

rights and respected their human dignity, quite unlike the condition of black slaves. The Indians appreciated their efforts, drawing a distinction between the missionaries and the Spanish crown: the former treated the natives with justice; the latter did not. The civil authorities were the problem, not the priests.

Contrary to the conventional wisdom, the missionaries did not eradicate Indian culture. Indeed, they learned the native language of the Indians In 2015, I published and employed Indians a booklet, "The Noble as teachers. Some cultural modification was inevitable, given that the missionaries taught the Indians how to be masons, carpenters, blacksmiths, and painters. The Indians were also taught how to sell and buy animals, and were allowed to keep their bounty. Women were taught spinning, knitting, and sewing.

Archbishop Gomez is

fought for the rights of women, as well. It was the missionaries who sought to protect Indian women from the Spanish colonizers. The Friars segregated the population on the basis of sex and age, hoping to safeguard the young girls and women from being sexually exploited. When such offenses occurred, Serra and his fellow priests quickly condemned them.

A total of 21 missions were established by the Franciscans, nine of them under the tenure of Serra; he personally founded six missions. He baptized more than 6,000 Indians, and confirmed over 5,000; some 100,000 were baptized overall during the mission period.

If the truth were told about Saint Serra, he would be heralded as a friend of the Indians, not as their enemy. But truth matters little to those whose hearts are full of hatred and whose minds are closed to reality.

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Golden State Killer Pleads Guilty

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"The investigation, identification and prosecution of the East Area Rapist/ Golden State Killer has been a long journey for justice - a journey marked rest of his life in prison. by passion, persistence and sheer determination," said Sacramento County District Attorney Anne Marie Schubert. "Through the revolutionary tool of Investigative Genetic Genealogy, this serial rapist and murderer was not only identified and brought to justice but will spend the



Joseph James DeAngelo Jr.,

It is my sincere hope that today brings healing to victims, their families and communities harmed by the atrocious crimes committed by Joseph DeAngelo."

Joseph DeAngelo will be sentenced to life in state prison without the possibility of parole. The sentence will run consecutive and

concurrent to his sentence for the first-degree murders to which he has pled. His sentencing hearing will commence on August 17, 2020. Victims will be given the opportunity to deliver victim impact statements prior to DeAngelo's sentencing on August 21, 2020. The sentencing hearing location will be announced at a later date.

His crimes earned him the nicknames of the Visalia Ransacker, the East Area Rapist, the Original Night Stalker, and the Golden State Killer. It was not until April 2018 that Sacramento authorities announced that Investigative Genetic Genealogy had identified DeAngelo as the person responsible.

Fatal Traffic Collision on I-5 Southbound South of Powerline Road



By A.J. McTaggart, California Highway **Patrol**

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - On June 19, 2020 at approximately 12:37 am, The California Highway Patrol (CHP) received a call of a wrong way driver traveling northbound in the southbound lanes of I-5, south of Powerline

Road. At approximately 12:42 am, the wrong way driver collided with another vehicle traveling on I-5 southbound just south of Powerline Road. CHP units responded to the traffic collision and discovered a Honda Accord was traveling on I-5 southbound when it collided head on with the wrong way vehicle (Subaru Outback) just south of Powerline Road. The 60 year-old male driver of the Honda Accord, from Beiber, California, and the 49 year-old male driver of the Subaru Outback, from Sonoma, California, were pronounced deceased at the scene of the collision. The 56 year-old female

passenger in the Honda Accord was transported to U.C. Davis Medical Center for major injuries sustained as a result of the collision. The cause of the collision is still under investigation. Traffic was diverted from I-5 southbound to the Airport Boulevard exit for approximately three hours while the collision was investigated.

Any persons who may have witnessed this collision or who can provide any additional information regarding this collision should call Officer A.J. McTaggart at the North Sacramento Area CHP office at (916) 348-2317, or by cell phone at (916) 798-0975. ★

Cause Unknown in Motorcycle Fatal Collision

By A.J. McTaggart, California Highway Patrol

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - On June 21, 2020 at approximately 12:23 am, The California Highway Patrol (CHP) received a call of a collision involving a motorcyclist in the area of I-80 westbound just west of Greenback Lane. CHP officers responded to the collision scene and learned that a 25-year old female out of Sacramento, was riding her 2011 Kawasaki Ninja motorcycle. The female rider was immediately transported to Mercy San Juan Medical Center (MSJMC) for major life-threatening injuries sustained in the collision. At approximately

1:50 am, MSJMC advised CHP units at the scene that the rider had succumbed to her injuries sustained from the collision. It is unknown at this time how many vehicles are involved in the collision and the cause is still under investigation. The #1-4 westbound lanes of I-80 west of Greenback Lane were closed for approximately two hours for investigative measures.

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By Bob McGarvey

Happy Fourth of July!!! This celebration is definitely different than ever before, but it still means that even though not everything is exactly perfect in our country, we can be thankful for living in the USA. Speaking of celebrating the Fourth of July, I wondered why our country began celebrating the Fourth of July with fireworks among other things. And what about our celebrating on the Fourth of July in Rancho Cordova?

Well, let's compare. I found some interesting information. For example, according to an online article, "For as long as Americans can remember, the nation has celebrated the Fourth of July by staging grand fireworks shows in public squares and lighting smaller displays at home. Why do we commemorate Independence Day by setting off thousands of small explosions? Because John Adams wanted us to. Before the Declaration of Independence was even signed, he envisioned fireworks as a part of the festivities. In a letter to Abigail listened to our citizens who we'll see you next time.

And Another Thing

We can be Thankful for Living in the USA

he wrote that the occasion should be commemorated 'with Pomp and Parade, with Shews (shows), Games, Sports, Guns, Bells, Bonfires and Illuminations from one End of this Continent to the other from this Time forward forever more.""

"The first commemorative Independence Day fireworks were set off on July 4, 1777. The Pennsylvania Evening Post wrote that in Philadelphia, 'The evening was closed with the ring of bells, and at night there was a grand exhibition of fireworks (which began and concluded with thirteen rockets) on the Commons, and the city was beautifully illuminated."

Thinking about Rancho Cordova's history, before we became a city and since then, we have continued grand parades, and shows, and wonderful fireworks. On our first day as a city on July 1, 2003, we started with your elected City Council members sworn into office, passed the government codes, etc. that needed to be done, and

Adams on July 3, 1776, were truly glad and ready for our future as a city. Then, your council members came in on the light rail and enjoyed the Cordova High School Marching Band that provided music for the celebration. And being on the corner of Mather Field Road and Folsom Boulevard, we had fireworks writing out how we all were celebrating our cityhood.

> I am as sorry as everyone else this year that our Fourth of July parade, and shows, and rides, etc. have been canceled because of the coronavirus. Fortunately, as you can read in last week's The Grapevine Independent, we have collaboration with our businesses, our city staff, Cordova Community Council, and the citizens, and we will still have our fireworks launched from a site on Kilgore Road on the Fourth of July. They will beautifully illuminate our City of Rancho Cordova. And again, Happy Fourth of July to our country, citizens and all of you Rancho Cordovans!

> From Councilman Bob McGarvey, God bless, and

Fourth of July Float to Roll in Folsom Home Town Parade



The Willy Wonka float is ready for some summer action. Left to right: Wayne Harmer, Mike Jones, Charles Norris, son Chase, Tiffany Norris and Pam Norris.

Story and photo by Elise Spleiss

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The year 2020 is the 11th year the Harmer family has created a float for the Rancho Cordova 4th of July parade. Building was well under way by the time the Covid19 pandemic hit and this year's parade was cancelled. Since quitting is not an option for the three generations of Harmers, the family decided to finish the float as a Father's Day present for their float designer dad, Wayne.

On Father's Day an open house was held at the Harmer Home in Rancho Cordova to view the 28-feet-long, eight feet wide, and 10 feet high float which consists of an eight-feet-tall chocolate water fall, eight spinning lollipops, spinning flags strobe lights and a large turning paddle wheel. Forty gallons of nontoxic children's finger paint continuously cycles through the water fall.

Rules for floats require one patriotic feature which will be Harmer's granddaughter, Destiny, as the Statue of Liberty standing 10 feet into the air.

This year's float is based on the 1971 version of 'Willy Wonka and the Chocolate

Factory' a movie which depicts the adventures of five lucky children from around the world who find five golden tickets hidden in chocolate bar wrappers and win a trip to Willy Wonka's secret chocolate factory.

Other Harmer floats include The Wizard of Oz, Flintstones, Flower Power and Eagle Mountain. Harmer's floats are the only nonprofessional, self-propelled parade floats in the region.

Five months of hard work by the Harmers will not be for naught. On August 29, Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory will be rolling down Sutter Street in the oldfashioned Folsom Hometown Parade. Beginning at 9:30 a.m. the route is from Scott Street to Reading Street.

Harmer is pleased he has been able to share his passion for float making with so many over the last 11 years. His love for parades stems from viewing an endless number of military parades as an 'Army brat' growing up. He said he always wanted the parade to go around again so he could see both sides. Now Harmer is creating his own floats and everyone can see them from both sides!

Explore Parks and Have Fun

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hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, or use hand sanitizer that is recognized by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as effective in combating COVID-19; Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue or fabric or, if not possible, into the sleeve or elbow (but not into hands); Avoid all social interactions outside the household

when sick with a fever or cough; Wear a face covering if unable to maintain six-feet of physical distancing from individuals who are not part of your household or living unit.

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Mama bald eagle supplies a really big catch for her eaglets.

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solstice, she scrambled from the nest to a favorite branch. Here she spread massive wings and claimed her sky. An ungainly series of flaps got her 50 yards to an adjacent pine.

Before setting a course for the home tree, the debutante gave a "here I come" squeal. She flew with greater confidence to achieve a high limb. Though Hunter had just delivered a trout, she ignored his celebratory offering and chose flight over food. Off she winged to partly loop the river and descend on a new branch. Thence she sped to a new tree, then another. Alone for the first time in his life, sibling Miracle was beyond consolation. He screamed and screamed. An hour passed before Hope made a clumsy, talons-splayed touch-down in the nest. Hers was a text-book fledge that would have made absent Mama proud.

By last week, brother Miracle had also reached fly-by date and was jumping aggressively on branches outside the nest. Mama and Papa returned, bearing fish and a small rodent as gifts. Unplacated, their runt screamed from noon till sunset, seemingly demanding maternal permission to fly. Perhaps fearing an evening fledge and the risk another of baby on the ground, Mama endured his awful cacophony and kept the wannabe pilot under her yellow thumb. By dawn, the reunited family and faithful Hunter watched Miracle's brave first step into the abyss.

His 250-yard flight achieved a leafy bluff oak. Then he ventured a longer spin to a low, rotted stump. Papa and sister Hope perched encouragingly in a nearby pine. On

an aborted relaunch, they saw him plummet over the bluff. Human observers groaned at the memory of Courage's ill-fated fall, but rookie Miracle did not tumble far. His eager little face soon reappeared and he regained his stump. His next flit – to a mockingbird nesting tree – brought on fierce harassment by its tiny occupants. Off he flew to join sibling Hope on a more hospitable pine. Though the older fledgling tried to bully him into takeoff, the new aviator stood firm.

When Miracle swooped to his next destination, his talons grabbed flimsy pine needles. This common rookie error flopped him upside-down and bat-like till he lost hold and fell to a solid branch. Here he quickly perceived a second error: he was back in the mockingbird tree and under renewed attack. Fleeing over the river, he soon returned to claim familiar cliff pines.

All morning and afternoon of a tripledigit day continued his thrilling adventure. Miracle's fledge was a roller coaster of takeoffs, landings, a trapeze act, a tumbling turn and battles with wee birds. A fish dinner with the family would later crown his

Days before a July 4 historically curtailed by COVID restrictions, the safe launching of new national bird generation came as a balm to nature lovers. May the spirit of Courage – Hope and Miracle's lost brother – forever be the wind beneath their wings.

Footnote: To protect the eagles, their nest location is not published. Susan Maxwell Skinner's American River Nature Blog can be followed on Facebook.



COVID-19 Temporary Outdoor Dining Permit

Overview

Due to social distancing requirements of the Governor's executive order, the County understands that some restaurant establishments will seek alternatives to their existing indoor and outdoor configurations by extending operations to new outdoor areas including walkways, parking lots, landscaping or other required open space areas. On May 19, 2020, the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors Adopted a Resolution (Resolution No. 2020-0309) finding an Overriding Public Interest to allow the Planning Director to issue temporary permits to restaurants to allow for temporary outdoor dining areas.

Purpose of the Temporary Outdoor Dining Permit:

- Allow businesses and shopping centers to meet requirements for social distancing while facilitating restaurant establishments to resume operations.
- Prevent conflicts with other adjacent businesses or residential uses and ensure outdoor dining area will not significantly interfere with pedestrian or vehicular traffic or otherwise constitute a health and safety risk.
- Provide flexible outdoor operations allowances where they may not be otherwise permitted by County Code.

Expiration

Upon approval, the initial permit is good for a maximum of 90 days and so long as the emergency order is in effect. The permit may be extended upon request so long as the emergency order is still in effect and no complaints regarding violations of the permit conditions have been reported.

Fee

The application and permit is free of charge. County costs are being reimbursed through COVID-19 Recovery Funds.

Procedures

Fill out the application form available at: www.planning.saccounty.net

Under the "What's New" section on home page (right side of page) click on the "COVID-19 Temporary Dining Permit (May 2020)" link.

Please send a complete application form to: planning-applications@saccounty.net





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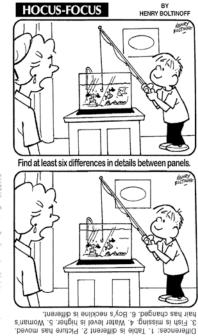
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Administration

DOWN 1. Without a date 2. *American Revolutionary War

spy, Nathan 3. Miscellany

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"Gymnopédies" fame

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CLUES

1. Begone! 5. Blue

8. Instinctive motive

12. Barbershop supply

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18. *King of Great Britain

when America won independence

20. Same as pleaded

22. *Abigail Adams

23 *Preferred cooking

device on the 4th

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Washington was 47. Medal of Honor word

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56. Dirty money

58. Type of wrench 59. Charitable contribution

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6. Steer clear 7. Prefix for half

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48. Wafting pleasantness 49. Aria, e.g. 50. Comrade in arms 51. *It should never touch ground 52. Official flower of the Kentucky

53. Riddle without solution

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03419 Bridgett Locken, 6941 Ellsworth Circle Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Homebaked Creations" 6941 Ellsworth Circle Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 28, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 HOMEBAKED 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03337 Maloof Properties, Inc, 818 University Avenue Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Murphy Business and Financial, Murphy Business & Financial" 818 University Avenue Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 26, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 MURPHY 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03430 Jessica L. Dickson, 5217 Atlanta Way Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "K9 Air Nanny, The Glass Hound" 5217 Atlanta Way Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 29, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 K9 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03577 Mario Estrada, 6929 Sunrise Boulevard #102c Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MOE's Home Services, MOE's Home Décor, Mario Orlando Estrada Insurance Services, Moe's Insurance Services, Moe's Insurance Services" 6929 Sunrise Boulevard #102c Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 8, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 MOES 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03512 Emerald RES Inc, 4732 Minaret Way Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Emerald Real Estate Services, Emerald RES" 4732 Minaret Way Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 3, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 EMERALD 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03503 Calvin Goolsby Jr, 1743 Wright Street Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "G.I.G.S Moving Assistance" 1743 Wright Street Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 3, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 GIGS 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03885 LaQuanda Mckenzie, 10836 Atherstone Drive Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Str8 Laced" 10836 Atherstone Drive Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 8, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 STR8 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03731 Birdco Construction Company, 4437 S Park Drive Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Woodelectric Company" 4437 S Park Drive Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 15, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 WOOD 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03625 Joshua Daniel King Sr., 3717 Keswick Way Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Midgard Garage" 3717 Keswick Way Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2020 Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020 MIDGARD 180201 7-10-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03382 Robert W. Ziegenhirt II, 6733 Folkstone Way Elk Grove, CA 95758 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Valley Wood Window" 7901 Carlton Road Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 27, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 VALLEY 180201 7-17-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03865 Kevin Broderick, 6000 Roswitha Court Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "River City Media Relations, R.C. Media" 6000 Roswitha Court Carmichael, CA 95608, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 18, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 RIVER 180201 7-17-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03631 Tony Yang, 1320 Tumbleweed Way Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Puzzles" 1320 Tumbleweed Way Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 PUZZLES 180201 7-17-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03222 Crane Fitness, 5143 Breese Circle, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762. is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Kaia FIT Folsom" 705 Gold Lake Drive Suite 110, Folsom CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 18, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 KAIA 180201

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03562 Tobacco Enterprises Inc., 1544 Danbrook Drive, Sacramento CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Folsom Cigar and Cigarette City" 711 East Bidwell Street, #3, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 5, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 TOBACCO 7-17-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03542 Stephanie Vick, 638 William Street, West Sacramento CA 95605 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Stephanie's Housecleaning" 638 William Street, West Sacramento CA 95605. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 4, 2020 Publish: June 26, July 3, 10, and 17, 2020 HOUSE 180201 7-17-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2022-03392 Jassalpreet Kaur, 5558 Celebration Street, Sacramento CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Kang Roadways" 5558 Celebration Street, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 28, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 KANG 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF20220-03393 Balagan Roadline Inc, 4408 Truxel Road, Apt 25, Sacramento CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BRL" 4408 Truxel Road, Apt 25, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 28, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 BRL 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03394 Pawar Team Inc, 10108 Grant Line Road, Elk Grove CA 95624 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Team Transport" 10108 Grant Line Road, Elk Grove, CA 95624. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 28, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 TEAM 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03202 Jay Stovel, 7759 Cottingham Way, Citrus Heights CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Get-It-Open" 7759 Cottingham Way, Citrus Heights CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 15, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 OPEN 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03633 David Sedin & Linda Sedin, 3471 Eaton Drive, Roseville CA 95661 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "S & K Properties" 3471 Eaton Drive, Roseville, CA 95661. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 S&K 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03892 Maria Carranza De Velez, 4852 Gibbons Drive, Carmichael CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gibbons Hair" 4852 Gibbons Drive, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 18, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 GIBBONS 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03639 James L. Stirton Jr., 9120 Linda Rio Drive, Sacramento CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "American River Chiropractic", "Rancho Cordova Chiropractic" 2280 Vehicle Drive, Ste. 110, Rancho Cordova CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 AMERICAN 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-02726 Tokuhama Inc., 1217 21st Street, Sacramento CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Kupros Crafthouse, Kupros" 1217 21st Street, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento Courty April 20 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 KUPROS 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03815 American River Holdings and Investments, 6604 Sweet Gum Court, Citrus Heights CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "American River Holdings and Investments, Virtual Imaging Plus, Teeszing, Tender Mercies CA" 6604 Sweet Gum Court, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 17, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 AMERICAN 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-03934 Talia Gonzalez, 1213 Macaulay Circle, Carmichael, CA 95608 is Mame(s) "Talia Eliana Events" 1213 Macaulay Circle, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 19, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 TALIA 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-04142 Hibiscus Management Inc, 4710 Natomas Blvd., #120, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "TC Salon" 4710 Natomas Blvd., #120, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 29, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 TC 180201 7-24-20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2020-04035 Shijie Li, 3925 Samos Way, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "LJ Handyman" 3925 Samos Way, Sacramento CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 24, 2020 Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020 LJ 180201 7-24-20

ORDER TO SHOW FOR

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2020-00279812

Yuping Xue has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Yuping Xue to Mirni Xue Darke. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 4, 2020 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior

Court
Publish: June 19, 26, July 3, and 10, 2020
DARKE 180101 7-10-20

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2020-00280314

Ellie Dao Yuan Wu has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ellie Dao Yuan Wu to Elliott Louis Henne. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 5, 2020 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior

Court Publish: June 26, July 3, 10 and 17, 2020 WU 180101 7-17-20

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#34-2020-00280699

Christina Michele Branche has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Christina Michelle Branche to Christina Michelle Orcutt. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on August 6, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 11, 2020 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior

Publish: June 26, July 3, 10 and 17, 2020 BRANCHE 180101 7-17-2 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2020-00280694

Reza Alexander Nouri has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Reza Alexander Nouri to Raymond Alexander Squire. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on August 6, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 11, 2020 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior

Publish: June 26, July 3, 10 and 17, 2020 NOURI 180101 7-17-20

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#34-2020-00280486
Rebecca Lynn Brady has filed a
petition with this court for a decree
changing the name(s) of Rebecca
Lynne Brady to Rebecca Lynne Spears.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested
in the above entitled matter appear before
this court at 9:00 a.m. on July 28, 2020, in
Department 54, located at 813 6th Street,
2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and
show cause, if any, why the petition for
Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: June 10, 2020 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020

PEARS 180101 7-24SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME

#34-2020-00279832
Rabia Butt and Muhammad Shahbaz has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Noor Fatima Askandar to Noor Fatima Shahbaz. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 4, 2020

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020
SHAHBAZ 180101 7-24-20

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2020-00280806

Alexandra Grace Gough has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Alexandra Grace Gough to Zoey Alexandra Gough. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on August 6, 2020, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 16, 2020

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2020

180101 7-24-2

NOTICE OF PETITION

TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

ESTATE OF GERALD J. GUGLIELMINA CASE No. 34-2020-00276307

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and

contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both of Gerald J. Guglielmina, deceased A Petition for Probate has been filed by Norma Jean Bowman, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Norma Jean Bowman, be appointed as personal representative 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 July 23, 2020 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129 at Superior Court of California, County of 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

2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (844) 477-7869 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.STOXPOSTING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 087789-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may no immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. FOR SALES INFORMATION: (844) 477-7869 -----CLEAR RECON CORP 4375 Jutland Drive San Diego, California 92117 STOX#925923 056-0241-020-0002 CA07001827-19-1 TO No: 200015622-CA-

VOI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/ or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER À DÉÉD OF TRUST DATED November 19, 2004. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On August 11, 2020 at 01:30 PM, at the East Main entrance to the County Courthouse, 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded on November 24, 2004 in Book 20041124, on Page 0589 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Sacramento County, California executed by ANNA LOIS GREENE, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, as Trustor(s), in favor of FINANCIAL FREEDOM SENIOR FUNDING CORPORATION, A SUBSIDIARY

WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1920 BÉNITA DR #2, RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$204,182.60 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding

on this property lien, you should understand

that there are risks involved in bidding at a

OF INDYMAC BANK, F.S.B. as Beneficiary

Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien. not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender may hold more than one mortgage or Deed of Trust on the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the Mortgagee, Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call In Source Logic at 702-659-7766 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale or visit the Internet Web site address listed below for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA07001827-19-1. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 06/11/2020 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA07001827-19-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 866-660-4288 Frances DePalma Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www. insourcelogic.com FOR AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: In Source Logic AT 702-659-7766 Trustee Corps may acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose.Order Number 71956, Pub Dates: 06/19/2020, 06/26/2020, 07/03/2020, GRAPEVINE INDEPENDENT

NOTICE OF GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA

Notice is hereby given that a General Municipal Election will be held in the City of Rancho

Cordova on November 3, 2020. The offices for which candidates may be nominated are:

Title of Office: City Council Member, (Full term of four years)

Number of Positions: Three (3)

CANDIDATE QUALIFICATIONS: Each candidate must meet the following minimum qualifications for office as specified in the principal act or applicable code:

- 1. Must be a citizen of the United States;
- Must be a resident of the City of Rancho

Cordova and otherwise qualified to vote for the office of City Council Member at the time that nomination papers are issued to the person.

CODE REFERENCES: Sections 201, 10220, 10227, and 12101 of the California Elections Code.

Official nomination documents for candidates may be obtained from and filed with the Rancho Cordova City Clerk's Office at 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. The documents will be available on and after July 13, 2020 and must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 7, 2020. Appointments are recommended by calling (916) 851-8805. However, if nomination documents for an incumbent are not filed by 5:00 p.m. on August 7, 2020, any qualified person other than the incumbent shall have until 5:00 p.m. on August 12, 2020 to file nomination documents for the office.

In the event there are insufficient or no nominees for any office, the City Clerk shall submit a certificate of these facts to the Rancho Cordova City Council, and the City Council, at a regular or special meeting, shall adopt a course of action prescribed by Elections Code §10229.

(All Vote Center locations will be open on November 3, 2020 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and regional Vote Centers will be available from October 24 - November 3, 2020.)

Dated this 29th day of June, 2020.

Stacy Leitner, City Clerk City of Rancho Cordova

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The Supreme Court Becomes a Super-Legislature: Vehicle Vs. CHP Motorcycle Collision The Bostock, Altitude, and Harris cases

Commentary by John A. Sparks

The Supreme Court has just rendered historic decisions in three cases concerning Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which prohibits employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Justice Neil Gorsuch and Chief Justice John Roberts joined the liberal wing of the court to produce a surprising 6-3 majority holding that a gay sky-diving instructor (Altitude Express v. Zarda), a gay child-welfareservices-coordinator (Bostock v. Clayton County), and a male funeral employee transgendering to a woman (Harris Funeral Homes v. EEOC), were illegally fired under Title VII.

The issue of employment protection for gays is the central litigated issue in these cases. However, in order to reach its decision, the majority did considerable harm to one of the most important doctrines of American constitutionalism - the separation of powers. The short and long of it is that the high court converted itself into a super-legislature and in a display of raw "judicial" power inserted "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" into Title VII of the Civil Rights Act. In his dissent, Justice Samuel Alito pointedly observed: "There is only one word for what the Court has done today: legislation."

On the first page of the Opinion of the Court, written by Justice Gorsuch, there is a foreshadowing of what is to come: "Those who adopted the Civil Rights Act might not have anticipated their work would lead to this particular result.... But the limits of the drafters' imagination supply no reason to ignore the law's demands.

This is a strange and ominous formulation. Justice Gorsuch seems to be saying that those who passed Title VII of the Civil Rights Act had a list of certain kinds of employment discrimination that they made unlawful, but they lacked the foresight and imagination to expand Title VII's coverage, which the court now in the year 2020 has supplied for them in its decision.

The dissenters (Brett Kavanaugh and Alito) zero in on the majority's lack of respect for the separation of powers. Justice Kavanaugh says that Title VII clearly prohibits discrimination based on "race, color, religion, sex or national origin." However, though the question in this case is whether Title VII should be expanded to include "sexual orientation" and "gender identity," the more important question is "Who decides?"

Kavanaugh says that the Constitution gives a clear answer: "Under the Constitution's separation of powers, the responsibility to amend Title VII belongs to Congress and the President in the legislative process, not to this Court."

The history of the Civil Rights Act supports that view. Whenever Congress wanted to add to this list of protections, it did so by passing new legislation! For example, in 1967 it expanded Title VII protections against age discrimination to employees and later discrimination based on disabilities. Since neither of those categories of employment discrimination were in the original 1964 act, they could only be added by legislation, precisely as called for by the Constitution.

Justice Kavanaugh continues by reminding his colleagues that legislators have attempted to add "sexual orientation" and, more recently, "gender identity" to Title VII, but never successfully. In other words, legislative sponsors were never able to garner enough legislative support. This is undeniable proof that the people's elected representatives have not seen fit to add these categories to the list found in Title VII.

According to Justice Kavanaugh: "In the face of unsuccessful legislative efforts (so far) to prohibit sexual orientation discrimination, judges may not rewrite the law ... may not update the law ... may not predictively amend the law just because it believes that Congress is likely to do it soon anyway.... We are judges, not Members of Congress."

Why is a preservation of the "separation of powers" so important?

First, the American founders believed that dispersing power prevents the concentration of power in one branch which, if left unchecked, leads to repressive rule. The founders also understood that legislative bodies are better suited to engage in nuanced law-making because they can hold hearings, gather and evaluate a variety of conflicting opinions from the citizenry, provide for proper exceptions and exemptions, and better craft enactments which will provide relief but also protect fundamental rights. The judicial branch has a much more limited set of tools which are only properly used to interpret statutes and settle disputes between litigants. The more a court moves away from those essential but limited set of functions – when it dabbles in policymaking, for instance – the more likely it is to fail.

It is apparent that Justice Gorsuch was well aware that the language of Title VII had not been expanded by Congress. Therefore, he attempted to argue that the phrase discrimination "because of sex" had already included "sexual orientation" or "gender identity" since a person's sexuality was involved. He labored over many pages in the majority opinion in an effort to incorporate "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" into the phrase "because of sex." It was a determined effort on his part, but it fails to be convincing for several reasons:

First, it ignores legislative history. Did Congress in 1964 mean to outlaw discrimination based upon sexual orientation and gender identity? Justice Alito does not mince words in answering that question: "It indisputably did not." Instead, the choice of the phrase "discrimination because of sex" was clearly meant to address an employer refusing to hire an applicant simply because the job-seeker was a woman or man. The concern, at the time, was more commonly for women who had qualifications equal to male applicants but who were passed over because they were women. In short, notes Alito, discrimination because of sex "was a familiar and well-understood concept, and what it meant was equal treatment for men and women."

The second objection to Gorsuch's effort to equate "sex" to "sexual orientation" or to "gender identity" is that plainly, over the decades, congressional legislators who sought expanded coverage for "sexual orientation" had themselves viewed the two concepts (sex and sexual orientation) as distinct. The bills they introduced called for the addition of a new term to the statutory list; that is, a different concept, namely "sexual orientation." Such efforts reveal that the phrase "because of sex" already referred to a certain kind of discrimination and therefore, a new concept, encapsulated in the phrase "sexual orientation," was needed to accomplish what they sought - namely, protection for homosexuals.

Thirdly, of the 20-plus states that have anti-discrimination laws that proscribe sexual orientation, those states, almost universally at the same time, separately outlaw discrimination "because of sex." State governments obviously recognized these two concepts as different types of forbidden conduct.

Finally, Justice Kavanaugh points to the findings of the appellate courts on the federal level: "Until the last few years, every U.S. Court of Appeals to address this question concluded that Title VII does not prohibit discrimination because of "sexual orientation." Plainly and simply, the category had not been added to Title VII's list of outlawed employer behavior. Though Gorsuch's efforts convinced some of his judicial colleagues, his reasoning flies in the face of substantial evidence to the contrary. Discrimination "because of sex" that appeared in the 1964 act did not include "sexual orientation" or "gender identity."

In summary, the majority's opinion in this trilogy of cases is a gain for gay rights, but it is most certainly a setback for the separation of powers and for a judiciary dedicated "to interpret statutory terms to mean what they conveyed to reasonable people at the time they were written."

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on I-80 Eastbound at Watt Avenue



Rodriguez. Photo: CHF

By A.J. McTaggart, California Highway Patrol

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - On June 17, 2020 at approximately 8:55 pm, The California Highway Patrol (CHP) received a call of a vehicle vs. a

on I-80 Eastbound at the Watt Avenue overcrossing. Other CHP units responded to the traffic collision and discovered a Chevrolet S-10 Extreme had collided with Officer Arroyo's, ID 19090 CHP patrol motorcycle. Officer Arroyo was immediately taken to a nearby hospital for major injuries sustained in the collision. The solo driver of the Chevrolet (Ulises Emmanuel Briones-Rodriguez, age 36, out of Sacramento) fully cooperated with CHP investigators and was subsequently arrested for suspicion of driving under the influence of alcohol.

CHP motorcycle officer The cause of the collision is still under investigation. Prior to the collision, Officer Arroyo was running a traffic break for a hazard on the freeway in the area. Officer Arroyo sustained major injuries as a result of the collision, however is in stable and alert condition while he recovers.

> Any persons who may have witnessed this collision or who can provide any additional information regarding this collision should call Officer A.J. McTaggart at the North Sacramento Area CHP office at (916) 348-2317, or by cell phone at (916) 798-0975.

Newsom Signs Legislation to Fortify General Election for the COVID-19 Pandemic

Office of California Secretary of State Alex Padilla

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Governor Gavin Newsom has signed AB 860 – authored by Assemblymember Marc Berman with Senator Tom Umberg as a joint author - which codifies that county elections officials must mail a ballot to every registered, active voter ahead of the November 3, 2020 General Election.

"California is moving in a swift, bipartisan manner to fortify our democracy in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic," Secretary of State Alex Padilla said. "Expanding vote-by-mail statewide is a necessity to protect our right to vote and our public health. Voting by mail has worked safely and securely in California for decades. Mailing every voter a ballot for this election is simply common sense."

"A few simple measures in AB 860 will further strengthen and complement the expansion of vote-by-mail. Providing vote-by-mail tracking options to all California voters will improve voter confidence. Allowing lawfully cast vote-by-mail ballots to arrive to elections officials 17 days following the tions in the postal service. And affording Election Night.

elections officials more time to process vote-by-mail ballots will help with the efficiency of the vote count process for this unprecedented election.'

AB 860 provisions for the November 3, 2020 General Election:

Requires county elections officials to mail every active registered voter a ballot; Requires every county elections officials to adopt a vote-by-mail ballot tracking system. Californians can sign up for the Secretary of State's "Where's My Ballot?" tool to receive automatic updates about the status of their voteby-mail ballot by text (SMS), voice call, or email. Californians can sign-up at wheresmyballot.sos.ca.gov; Requires that county elections officials process and count ballots that were postmarked on or before Election Day and arrive to elections officials no later than 17 days after Election Day. Under current law, vote-by-mail ballots that arrive more than three days after the election are not counted; Allows county elections officials to begin processing returned vote-by-mail ballots 29 days before Election Day. Under current law, counties can begin processing vote-bymail ballots 10 business days before an election. Results will still not be election will protect against any disrup- released until after all polls close on

Tax Initiative for Certain Commercial and **Industrial Real Property is Withdrawn**

Office of California Secretary of State

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Secretary of State Alex Padilla announced that an initiative eligible for the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot has been withdrawn by the proponents.

The Attorney General's official title and summary of the initiative is as follows:

REQUIRES CERTAIN COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REAL PROPERTY TO BE TAXED BASED ON FAIR-MARKET VALUE. DEDICATES PORTION OF ANY INCREASED REVENUE TO EDUCATION AND LOCAL SERVICES. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Taxes certain commercial and industrial real property based on fair-market value-rather than, under current law, the purchase price with limited inflation. Exempts agricultural property and certain small businesses. Dedicates portion of any increased revenue to local services and to supplement, not replace, state's minimumfunding guarantee to schools. Provides tax exemption for \$500,000 worth of tangible personal property used for business and all personal property used for

certain small businesses. Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: Net increase in annual property tax revenues of \$6.5 billion to \$10.5 billion in most years, depending on the strength of real estate markets. After paying for county administrative costs and backfilling state income tax losses related to the measure, the remaining \$6 billion to \$10 billion would be allocated to schools (40 percent) and other local governments (60 percent). (17-0055.)

The measure previously became eligible for the ballot on October 16, 2018, through a random sample verification of

Pursuant to Elections Code 9604(b), proponents may withdraw an initiative any time before the Secretary of State certifies it as qualified. The 131-day qualification deadline for the November 3, 2020, General Election is June 25.

The proponents of this initiative, Anthony Thigpenn, Helen Hutchison, and Benjamin McBride did not provide any contact information.

For more information about how an initiative qualifies for the ballot in California, go to www.sos.ca.gov/

Legislative Democrats Pass Legislation to Legitimize Racial Discrimination

By Jacqui Nguyen, California Senate Republicans

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Senate Republican Leader Shannon Grove (R-Bakersfield) and

Senator Ling Ling Chang (R-Diamond Bar) released a joint press release denouncing the passage of Assembly Constitutional Amendment (ACA) 5. Legislative Democrats passed ACA 5 and its purpose is to repeal Proposition

"Prop. 209 states that California shall not discriminate against, or grant preferential treatment to, any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin. For Sacramento

Democrats to pass legislation that Senator Ling Ling Chang. "But does the exact opposite is appalling," said Senate Republican Leader Shannon Grove.

"We need to come together as a state and country to stand against racial injustices,"said

the answer to discrimination is not more discrimination. I support and will continue to support laws protecting minorities and women from discrimination, not

California Unemployment Insurance Claims Increase by 20 percent

California Center for Jobs and the Economy

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) -After a relatively stable level in the prior 4 weeks, total California initial claims (regular UI plus PUA claims by the self-employed) jumped 20% for the week of June 20. As suggested in the separate WARN Act analyses, most layoffs continue to be temporary but an increasing percentage is now shifting to permanent, an indication that the recovery period will face additional difficulties in returning to previous job and employment levels.

Nationally, actual claims (not seasonally adjusted (NSA)) for regular UI were essentially level at 1,457,373, while the seasonally adjusted (SA) level used for trend analysis is being reported as a decrease at 1,480,000. Combined with PUA claims, the national NSA numbers eased 2%. California showed 287,354

initial UI claims (NSA) employment after submitting along with 86,130 initial PUA claims (NSA). As with last week's employment and job numbers, the initial claims data is another indication that the economic downturn has been more severe in California and continues in many sectors, while the US on average appears to be in the initial stages of a recovery.

Combining both the regular UI and PUA initial claims, California had the highest number of initial claims among the states. Total initial claims for California for the week were 2.0% of the May labor force, moving up to the 8th highest among the states. To date, total initial claims of 6.6 million since the beginning of the state's shutdown represent over a third of the labor force. This level, however, does not translate directly into the unemployment level. Not all claims are necessarily approved, filers may have secured their claim, and individuals may have filed more than one claim in this period.

Although not included in the table above, claims under the new Pandemic **Emergency Unemployment** Compensation (PEUC) program continues to show significant numbers. This new category allows an additional 13 weeks of coverage for persons who have exhausted their regular benefits, including eligibility for the additional \$600 a week. California claims were at 296,831 or 35% of total claims nationally. Rather than newly unemployed persons, claim rates for this category are an indicator in the growth of long-term unemployment, a major problem during the shallow recovery from the 2008 Recession that had a depressing effect on wage and longer-term employment prospects for the affected workers.

SMUD Receives State Leadership in Clean Energy Award

SMUD Press Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - SMUD announced that it has received a State Leadership in Clean Energy award for its first-of-a-kind Energy StorageShares program from the Clean Energy State Alliance for its advancement in clean energy technology solutions.

SMUD's Energy StorageShares program is an innovative program that enables eligible commercial customers to make an up-front investment in battery storage in exchange for an on-bill credit for a 10-year term. SMUD bundles the investments with its own capital and installs battery storage in a highvalue location that provides significant grid benefits.

The bill credit reflects the demand charge savings the customer would have received from an on-site battery. The program provides guaranteed savings to the customer without impacting their business operations, creating maintenance obligations, or requiring physical space at their business for a battery system. The economies of scale significantly reduce the cost of battery energy storage, as it is much less expensive to install a large battery system than to install multiple smaller batteries. The program benefits all SMUD customers by reducing demand on the grid and using battery storage to address the locational needs of the entire electrical grid. Learn more about SMUD's battery storage solutions.

"We are excited to have developed a program that offers benefits to our customers and enhances our grid at the same time," said Rachel Huang, director of Energy Strategy, Research and Development. "A program like this lets us partner with our customers to move towards a carbon-free economy."

Electrify America LLC is the largest open DC fast charging network in the U.S. and is investing \$2 billion over 10 years in Zero Emission Vehicle (ZEV) infrastructure,

education and access.

Electrify America was the first company to take advantage of the program and invested \$1.3 million to reduce demand charges and help advance electric vehicle infrastructure deployment. Demand charges are presently the largest operating cost barrier to public EV infrastructure deployment, representing up to 80 percent of a given electricity bill. The program's first utility-scale battery will be a 4-megawatt battery deployed in a grid constrained area in 2021. In addition to the grid benefit, the battery will also provide an opportunity for education and training for SMUD and non-SMUD employees to further workforce development advancement in emerging low-carbon technologies.

SMUD was one of six companies to receive the award from a panel of independent judges.

"There is tremendous clean energy leadership and creativity taking place at the state level," said CESA Executive Director Warren Leon. "The 2020 State Leadership in Clean Energy Award winners are tackling major clean energy challenges, including bringing the benefits of clean energy to low- and moderate-income communities, paving the way for large-scale offshore wind development, reducing emissions in the agricultural sector, and developing new business models for emerging technologies like energy storage."

As the nation's sixth-largest community-owned, not-for-profit, electric service provider, SMUD has been providing lowcost, reliable electricity for more than 70 years to Sacramento County and small adjoining portions of Placer and Yolo Counties. SMUD is a recognized industry leader and award winner for its innovative energy efficiency programs, renewable power technologies, and for its sustainable solutions for a healthier environment. SMUD's power mix is about 50 percent non-carbon emitting. For more information, visit SMUD.org.

Newsom Claims Right to Withhold Federal Grants to Fund California Deficits

New California State Press Release

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) -California Gov. Gavin Newsom responded to a New California State press release regarding illegal borrowing of federal grant monies to fund budget deficits by claiming the right to seize federal grant funds from counties not requiring face masks.

the State of California in full compliance with the intending to fund its \$85 billion budget shortfall through June 30, 2021 by accessing "Borrowable Resources" of over \$59.6 billion, including the over \$27 billion in federal health and financial stimulus dollars to address the COVID-19 pandemic.

Later the same day, Gov. Newsom told reporters, the State of California has the sovereign right to indef-

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"new rules and regulations" in his recent COVID-19 Executive Order.

Newsom stated that after doing what he referred to as a "budget deal" with the California Legislature, "We're going to attach some considerations and consequences" for withholding federal funds from non-compliant counties.

New California believes

a state governor and legislato fund its own budget deficit needs.

New California State calls on the United States gov-

Constitutional precedent that protect the public safety by assuring that the State of ture can withhold spending California is not impropfederal funds during a crisis erly or illegally using federal funds designated for health and financial stimulus as a source of "Borrowing Resources" to fund

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