

Territorial Dispatch Targeted The Public Takes the Hit

Marysville, Ca
Background History
Approximately 10 years ago John Mistler met with a local Postmaster and by phone with a Postmaster in Sacramento to discuss a postal code that did not allow for any publications or bulletin board items in the post office. Mistler made the point that rural post offices are more than a post office because many of the small towns have no stores, just residents and a post office. Furthermore it would be extremely hard for the post office to monitor compliance with all post offices in the United States, thus setting up potential discrimination actions. The post office agreed to informally waive the code and allow the Territorial Dispatch Newspaper (TD) and bulletin board material to be placed in the post office. For 18 years this has worked well for the convenience of the public.

discussed on Mr. Wright's facebook page the possibilities of boycotting the advertisers but one individual decided it would be more fun to force the TD out of the post office. Upon a call from one on Wright's supporters, the post office has decided to strictly enforce the code barring any publications including the Appeal-Democrat from being on postal property. This may have added to the demise of the Appeal-Democrat in the foothills? No publications of any kind except government publications. At that time a couple of the post offices confiscated the papers before having dialog with Mr. Mistler. Let it be clear that no local postmasters were happy with this decision. The unintended action is that no bulletin board materials will be allowed either. If enforced that would mean even Rackerby, which does not have the TD on property would lose their bulletin board. Mr. Wright posted immediately on his facebook page, "The supporter was told by the Brownsville PO that they received confirmation and a decision about the violation from higher level management." Alton Wright then commented, "Time for a kiosk. Candidate Mistler?" The

term violation is not accurate, the post office has been working for the convenience of the people for actually 18 years.

Mr. Mistler said, " We are seeing more and more of the "politics of personal destruction" at every level of government and less and less about issues and facts. These attempts to hurt a local business are a window into the future. I have dealt with the post office before and I believe we are coming to a common sense agreement that will allow us to do business the same as before including bulletin boards. I would ask Candidate Alton Wright to stay out of my business and allow me to work this out for the convenience of the public. His further involvement is only making it harder. I don't understand how his hurting my business and inconveniencing the public in the foothills helps his candidacy.

I would also like to thank Ginger Hughes, the volunteers, and the businesses of Brownsville for picking up the confiscated papers and making sure all were available to the public. The papers that were at the post office will be available at the businesses in Brownsville.

Judge Says Rehire Parker

by Lou Binninger

Last week, Sacramento Administrative Law Judge Coren D. Wong set aside Sutter County District Attorney Amanda Hopper's January 17, 2018 firing of Chief Investigator Jason Parker and ordered his dismissal to be modified to a demotion to Senior Criminal Investigator. Wong also directed the county to pay Parker all back pay, interest, and benefits owed to him had he been demoted to Senior Criminal Investigator rather than fired.

The judge's decision now goes to the Board of Supervisors on November 6 at 3pm according to County Counsel Jean Jordan so they can review the ruling and make their decision. They have some options according to court documents.

Supervisors can agree with the actions of the court. Or, Parker could be given his previous position back and the Board could alter the judge's financial directives. The Board may also impose any appropriate disciplinary action based on the factual evidence but not to exceed the appeal punishment. Finally, the Board could disregard the judge's ruling and impose a greater penalty. In that case the County Counsel must provide a synopsis or transcript of Judge Wong's decision at county expense within 30-days to be reviewed by the Board and then they will vote.

If the Board disagrees with Wong's findings and upholds Parker's firing another lawsuit and financial settlement are likely. The County's method has been to be sued and then settle.

Parker, out of work since his firing, sold his home and moved his wife and children in with other family members to fight his case. To be accused of numerous charges including being a liar in the Appeal Democrat by DA Hopper, Parker's law enforcement career may be over in spite of a financial settlement.

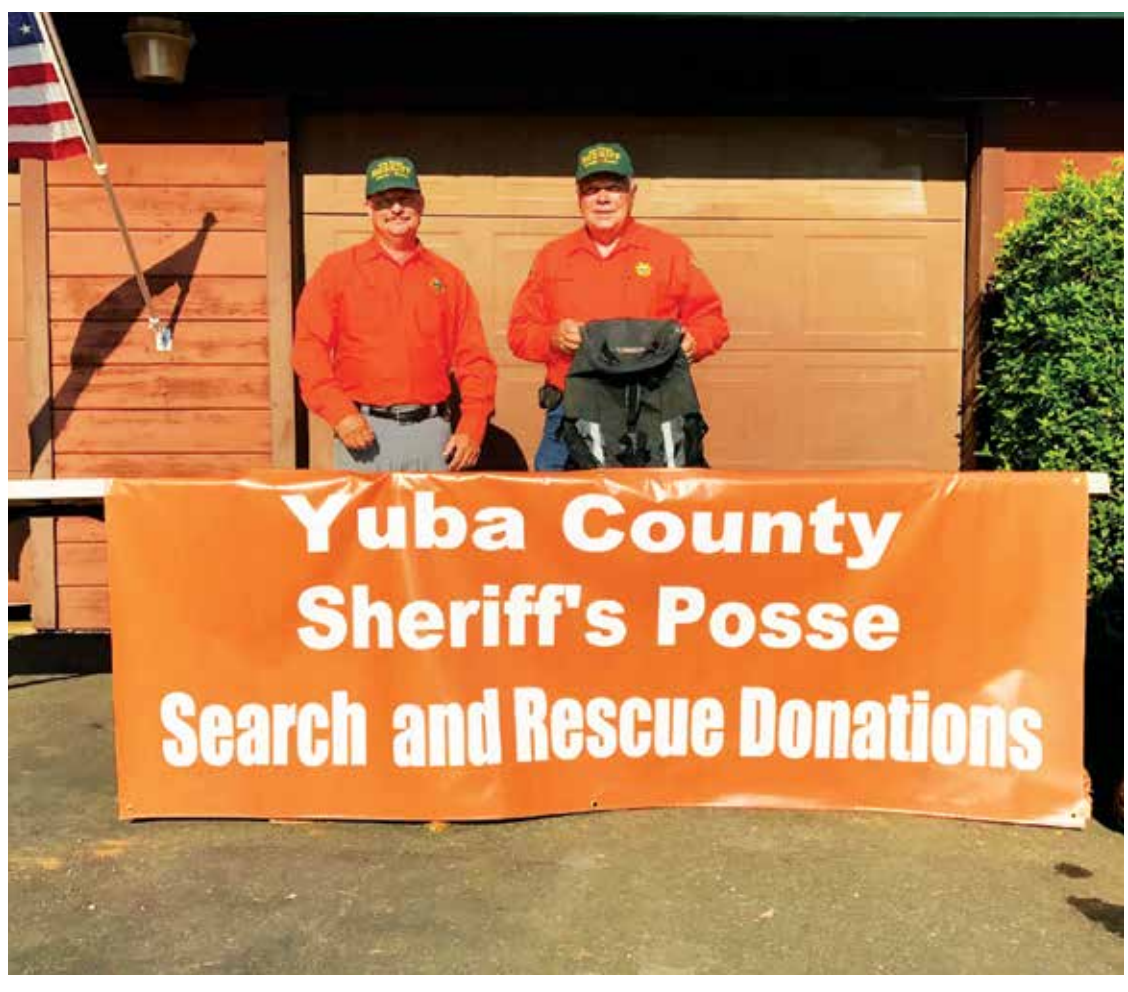
When Yuba County Health Officer Doctor Joe Cassady was harassed by Supervisor Mary Jane Griego in the early 1990s, accused of illegal activities, and his reputation tarnished by lies he won his case for punitive damages against the county and kept his job.

Three other county employees were fired for conspiring to destroy his medical career. Cassady feared his reputation as a doctor had been tainted by the media coverage should he seek future employment elsewhere.

Key evidence kept from Judge Wong and the defense by Sutter County was the Solano County investigators' 34-page interview of the male subject involved in the incident described in DA Investigator Brandon Oakley's complaint against Parker. Oakley alleged Parker threatened to both assault and kill the man. The Solano transcript was discovered by the defense and

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Annual One Day Fill the Pack Donations



The Yuba County Sheriff's Posse for Search and Rescue will be at four locations on Saturday, November 3, 2018 from 8AM-4PM and are asking for your donations to support Search and Rescue activities. Posse members will be at the following locations in uniform with back packs in hand: Sam's Club in Yuba City, Walmart in Linda, 76 Station in Browns Valley, and the intersection of Fruitland and Loma Rica Roads in Loma Rica.

"The Yuba County Mounted Sheriff's Posse is a volunteer group of service-oriented men and women dedicated to providing vital emergency search and rescue services to the Yuba County Sheriff's Department, our communities, and the State of California under mutual aid agreement..." The Posse is a 501c4 organization and your donation is tax deductible.

Your support will help the Posse to be better prepared for the next missing person search or a disaster such as the fire in our foothills last year; where 123 homes were lost and over 1000 animals were either rescued or cared for during the emergency.

Donations may also be sent to: Yuba County Mounted Sheriff's Posse, PO Box 1184, Marysville, CA 95901. A receipt for your donation is available upon request.

Tax Assault

by Lou Binninger

The November 6 election is especially meaningful for Yuba County residents that care about their finances. There are 5 new bonds, a sales tax increase, and a gas tax / DMV fee repeal on the ballot. The outcome will either put money in their pocket or make them poorer.

Last week, Yuba County property tax bills were arriving. Once you take a look then go to HJTA.org, the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association website. At the top of their homepage you can play "The Guessing Game" to determine how much your property tax would have been if you did not have 1978's Proposition 13 protection. Type in the current market value of your home and it computes your property tax without Prop 13 limits.

Since I have lived in the same home since 1987, my taxes would be 8 times or 800% more without Prop 13. The non-Prop 13 protected taxes would take 5.6 months of Social Security (SS) checks to pay. If my tax bill's added bonds and other charges are included it would take 5.8 months of SS money to pay the debt. Can you see how many senior citizens could not afford to remain in their homes after retirement up until 1978?

Be sure to exclude any additional charges like school, levee and utility bonds etc. for comparing 1978 to 2018 property taxes. Marysville residents are now paying off 3 Marysville Joint Unified School District Bonds (MJUSD), 4 Yuba College Bonds and 2 Levee District Bonds. Some Yuba County residents have expensive development fees and utility bonds, as well.

MJUSD put Bond Measure J on ballots in most of Yuba County. MJUSD needs 55% of the voters to ok \$74 million in bonds (borrowing) to be paid off by 2054-2055. The pay back is estimated to be \$ 150,748,926, or 2.04 : 1, interest to principal. But the state code allows up to 4:1 interest to principal, and no one knows for sure what the interest rate will be. The text of the measure says stated projects "may be" not "will be" funded with the bonds. The bonds could start out costing \$60 for each \$100,000 of assessed property valuation annually added to your tax bills.

Before Proposition 13, property tax was based on the current market value of your home. Proposition 13 made property taxes

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THE Brownsville Bailiwick & Beyond



Halloween is Wednesday, October 31 and Trunks with Treats will be taking place in Brownsville and Forbestown. Forbestown will set up the Charles Lynd Hall, on New York Flat Rd., with games, food and candy. Books & More will have a mini haunted bookstore set up. There is a need

for folks to bring their vehicles to the parking lots at Books & More and Brownsville Mercantile, with bags of candy, so the little goblins can trick or treat from vehicle to vehicle. It's a great way to visit with your neighbors while the "little monsters" stock up on Halloween candy. This is all a spooktacular way to give the kids a fun Halloween in the hills. Both events run from 5:00pm to 8:00pm, rain or shine and there is no charge for any of the fun.

The Foothills Christ-

mas Shoppe, to be held at the Ponderosa Communities Center on December 1 and 2, still has a few booths available. If you want further information or are interested in reserving a booth to sell your crafts, etc. please contact Christine Mills at 675-9225 or Susan Adams at 675-2731.

Look Back in Time - In 1924 Chauncey Bean brought his cattle down from the mountains ('tis the season).

Hope to see you in Brownsville soon.

Christine and Yvonne

Food and Farm News

Growers praise 2018 pistachio crop

As pistachio growers finish their harvest, farmers report what one calls "one of the best crops in years." Production could set a record, and crop quality has been high. Pistachio growers saw their largest export market affected when China imposed retaliatory tariffs

earlier this year. But they expect strong demand in the U.S. and throughout the world, in part because of production problems in the world's No. 2 producer, Iran.

Foothill grape growers expect high-quality vintage

In the foothills east of Sacramento, winegrape

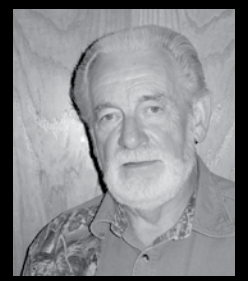
growers say they expect a high-quality harvest after what a farm advisor called "a bit of a tumultuous season." Wet weather at bloom, frost in April and hot weather in July all threatened the crop, but cooler weather in August and September helped the grapes ripen slowly, as desired. The cooler temperatures allowed the grapes to hang on the vines longer and develop their flavors.

Trends lead people to spend more on dining out

As people's incomes rise, they tend to eat out more often and, since 2010, Americans have spent more on food away from home than food bought to be cooked at home. Government figures show people spent about \$869 billion on food away from home last year, up 3 percent from the previous year. An American Farm Bureau Federation analyst says the trend means a smaller proportion of overall food spending goes back to farmers and ranchers.

Technology aids livestock and land management

More ranchers have embraced technology to improve their efficiency and manage information. The innovations range from electronic identification systems for livestock to pasture mapping applications to using drones to manage grazing. Later this month, University of California Cooperative Extension will host a Grazing Technology Field Day to showcase technology that helps ranchers oversee land and livestock effectively.



FISHIN' TALK

by Boots Johnson

Dan "Boots" Johnson has fished and hunted in California for 73 years. Anyone with questions or comments can email him at boots3@syx.com

We talked about Eagle Lake a couple of weeks ago, just prior to the opener of the late deer season which covers the X zones. We advised for those who fish and hunt to take a morning off of the deer hunting and fish Eagle Lake. This advice proved to be right on. Just about everyone who fished Eagle Lake these past weeks have limited out with trout ranging from 2 1/2 to four pounds. The fish were also where we recommended.....almost on the surface and down to five or ten feet. Current weather conditions are excellent for trout fishing with nights in the 20's and days in the 50's up at 6000 feet so it is not to late to fish Eagle Lake for exceptional success.

The salmon are gearing down some and will continue to drop as October ends and November begins. The steelhead has shown in local rivers. Expect them to be around awhile.

The Department of Fish and Wildlife have slowed down their stream plants for the year but we are told they will be doing some plants here and there into the winter season.

Now is the time to head up to Davis Lake. The trout are going nuts with limits of fish almost guaranteed which are in the 16 to 22 inch size

range. This feeding frenzy will not be around long so if you get a chance we recommend going before the forest service pulls the docks at the three boat ramps.

The access road to Hell Hole Reservoir has re-opened. The fishing here is on the slow side but some big browns have been caught, some up to 24 inches. French Meadows is also putting out some nice browns. If you go we recommend

you troll with rapalas which imitate the smaller trout in the Reservoirs.

Collins Lake, above Oregon House, will be planting trout now. Some of the pen fed fish will be large ones. They always release some of the spawners which give anglers a chance for a thrill.

Closing thought: "Charge your cell phone in the "Airport mode", which will get your phone charged faster."

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STANDARDS OF ETHICS AND ACCURACY EXCEED THOSE OF THE NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES TIMES (D)

COME ON, OOP! COME BACK TO LIFE!
HE'S ALIVE!! (GASP!)
OOOHHHHH!
WELCOME BACK TO THE LAND OF THE LIVING, OOP!
DOOHHHHH!
WAS IT REALLY THAT ELECTRICITY THAT BROUGHT YOUR FRIEND BACK TO LIFE?
YES, IT WAS!
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! PERCY AND GEORGE WERE RIGHT!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT NOT GETTING THE PLANT SAMPLE, OOP! ALL THAT MATTERS IS THAT YOU'RE OKAY!
I NEVER SHOULD HAVE LET YOU GO UP THERE AFTER IT!
OOP YOU GOT IT!
GOOD JOB, OOP! I CAN ALWAYS COUNT ON YOU!
NOW WE JUST NEED A BUG AND WE'RE DONE HERE!
GROAN!
LUNGHHH! CAREFUL, OOP!
IT... IT'S... THAT WOMAN!
YES! THIS IS MARY!
OOP, MEET MARY SHELLEY! SHE'S...
GASP!
? WAS IT SOMETHING I SAID?
AAYEEEEEE!

Retired Airforce? Help

by Rod Hisken

While we were created in his image, we are alike and we are different. Our different interests evolve and grow as we become older. If you are somewhat like me, the interest become passions and even maybe broach the definition of a sickness. Yes, I have what is known in my hobby as "Classic Tractor Fever".

My wife claims I can scope out somebody's yard while traveling down the highways of America at sixty miles an hour. A yellow wheel in a fence row, a muffler sticking out of a blackberry mass, or a red wheel in a shot tire leaning up against a fence will catch my eye.

Recently, we had the pleasure of visiting Michigan and participated in

the famous Mackinac Bridge Drive and made a number of new friends.

As we get close to Veterans Day, I fondly remember the several thousand people assembled. When the Pledge of Allegiance was given the part with "under God " had a little extra zest in it. During the National Anthem, no knee was taken. While the activity was not a Veteran's Day Parade and there were thousands of American Flags present. Most of the time as we celebrate our magnificent veterans who through their bravery have made our country a magnet for the world, we forget there are other non-celebrated veterans such as the tractor.

The Holt Five Ton made in Stockton Cali-

ornia was instrumental in the development of the tank. The little Fordson Model F fed England as the German U Boats were sinking the supply ships. Cletrac developed rubber tracks for moving airplanes on carrier decks. John Deere submitted 2 Model A's with gun turrets for evaluation to the Army.

Snow was moved, bomb cratered roads were repaired, debris was cleared, roads were built through jungles, and air bases were built in the "island hopping" of the Pacific Theater. The tractor was of vital importance in the overall effort.

I am always looking for something I haven't seen before. Sitting on a low bed trailer behind the

motel in which we stayed was this gem, a diamond like I had never seen. We became friends with the Dennis Moore Family of Coldwater Michigan. They began to tell us about their pride and joy, a Massey Harris 1244 "Sweeper". This tractor was built in 1955 by the Massey Harris Company to pick up iron debris from air bases. The device under the belly was a magnetized unit from a 35 watt generator powered by 244 cubic inch Continental Engine, The magnet weighs about 4,000 pounds and the total unit tips the scale at about 12,000 pounds. The tractor had 4 hooks on it which I surmised as being installed to lift it on and off of boats. The 44 horsepower engine was the same that was in the MH 101 Senior. The 24 volt system would not be unusual for a military use. The base unit was probably a MH 101 Senior or a MH 55. A check of the internet on how many were built ranges from 50 to 800. The claims are mixed, but a lesser number than 300 is most likely.

The Sweeper was used to pick up pieces of iron from the grounds of airbases. Later as their use diminished, the Airforce recalled them and removed the magnets, a few survived.

The Moore Family was puzzled by the TAFB

813 on the tractor. They suggested the AFB was in California, perhaps Southern. I immediately suggested Travis, but they didn't think so. Since I have an interest in the history of tractors I promised them I would help.

When I came home I began searching the internet. I first contacted the Museum at Wright Patterson but they couldn't provide any information. I called the Museum at Travis and they responded. That contact got me to Kurt Hackemer of the Society

of Military History archives. His guess is that the TAFB813 is Travis, however he is not sure. It could mean Topeka Kansas or a base in Georgia of which both are presently closed.

The Yuba Sutter Basin has quite a few retired Air Force Veterans. So, if there is somebody out there that knows where TAFB 813 is or knows somebody who has access to military archives I would appreciate knowing. I can be reached through the Territorial Dispatch. Thanks, in advance.



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- ✓ Stopped evening Board of Supervisor meetings, which are more accessible to citizens.
- ✓ Recused himself from voting more than any other Supervisor, leaving us with no representation.
- ✓ Takes the side of government over his constituents.
- ✓ Maybe his worst offense was voting to mis-lead the voters of Yuba County on Measure K. He let people believe that they would be guaranteed additional law enforcement and fire protection through passage of Measure K.

The Howard Jarvis Taxpayer's Association has warned that Measure K is a "Special Tax", not a "General Tax" (with no guarantee how the money is spent), as Fletcher has told us. The taxpayers association has said they may sue Yuba County if the measure passes.

We cannot afford another 4 years of Supervisor Fletcher

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The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
Signed:
Robert Sannar.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 12, 2018 indicated by file stamp.
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TERRY A. HANSEN, County Clerk
by BRIDGETTE EVANS Deputy Clerk.
(TD) October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 2018.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2018F-307.

The following person(s) are doing business as
The Goodman Gals Property Management & Real Estate Group
602 D Street
Marysville, CA 95901.
1) Welton Realty INC.
515 Carpenter Way
Wheatland, CA 95692.
This business is conducted as a Corporation.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2/2018.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
Signed:
Timothy Helton.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 2, 2018 indicated by file stamp.
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TERRY A. HANSEN, County Clerk
by BRIDGETTE EVANS Deputy Clerk.
(TD) October 10, 17, 24, 31, 2018.)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2018F-314.

The following person(s) are doing business as
Jack's Custom Leather
11333 Curry Trail
Loma Rica, CA 95901.
1) Robert O Sannar
11333 Curry Trail
Loma Rica, CA 95901,
2) Mary L. Sannar
11333 Curry Trail
Loma Rica, CA 95901.
This business is conducted as a Married Couple.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
Signed:
Robert Sannar.
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TERRY A. HANSEN, County Clerk
by BRIDGETTE EVANS Deputy Clerk.
(TD) October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 2018.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YUBA

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:
William Kilgo. PETITIONER
CASE NUMBER: CVPT 18-001642.
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE:
November 13, 2018
DEPT: 4 TIME:
9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) William Kilgo filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows:
1) from: **Shane Thomas Mendez**
to: **Shane Thomas Kilgo.**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court in Department 4 of the Yuba County Superior Court located at 215 Fifth Street, Suite 200, Marysville, CA on November 13, 2018 at 9:30 A.M. and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in the Territorial Dispatch, a newspaper of general circulation published in this county, at least once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date of the hearing.

DATE: September 27, 2018

STEPHEN W. BERRIER
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

October 10, 17, 24, 31, 2018

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YUBA

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:
Thomas Paul Haltom. PETITIONER
CASE NUMBER: CVPT 18-001702.
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE:
November 13, 2018
DEPT: 4
TIME: 9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) Thomas Paul Haltom filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows:
1) from: **Thomas Paul Haltom**
to: **Thomas Paul Estabrook.**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court in Department 4 of the Yuba County Superior Court located at 215 Fifth Street, Suite 200, Marysville, CA on November 13, 2018 at 9:30 A.M. and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in the Territorial Dispatch, a newspaper of general circulation published in this county, at least once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date of the hearing.

DATE: October 9, 2018

STEPHEN W. BERRIER
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 2018

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2018F-312.

The following person(s) are doing business as
Bear Consultants Real Estate and Right of Way
6790 Penny Way
Browns Valley, CA 95918.
1) Thomas A. Ganyon
6790 Penny Way
Browns Valley, CA 95918.
This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/1/1979.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
Signed:
Tom A. Ganyon.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 10, 2018 indicated by file stamp.
(I Hereby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).
TERRY A. HANSEN, County Clerk
by MANDY LUIS Deputy Clerk.
(TD) October 24, November 7, 14, 21, 2018.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2018F-309.

The following person(s) are doing business as
Smith Ranches
3115 Hammonton
Smartsville Rd.
Marysville, CA 95901.
1) Michele R. Smith
Barker
2437 Ahern Street
Marysville, CA 95901,
2) Gary D. Smith
2842 Hammonton
Smartsville Road
Marysville, CA 95901,
3) Brien H. Smith
2114 Del Pero Street
Marysville, CA 95901.
This business is conducted as a General partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/01/1996.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
Signed:
Smith Ranches by Michele Smith Barker.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 5, 2018 indicated by file stamp.
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TERRY A. HANSEN, County Clerk
by BRIDGETTE EVANS Deputy Clerk.
(TD) October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 2018.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YUBA

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF:
Amanda Mauldin. PETITIONER
CASE NUMBER: CVPT 18-001692.
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE:
November 13, 2018
DEPT: 4
TIME:
9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) Amanda Mauldin, Alexander Brown filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows:
1) from: **Mykkah Roxanne-Marrie Morton**
to: **Mykkah Roxanne-Marrie Brown Mauldin.**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court in Department 4 of the Yuba County Superior Court located at 215 Fifth Street, Suite 200, Marysville, CA on November 13, 2018 at 9:30 A.M. and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in the Territorial Dispatch, a newspaper of general circulation published in this county, at least once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date of the hearing.

DATE: October 4, 2018

STEPHEN W. BERRIER
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 2018

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Linda L. Pullins aka Linda Lee Moon Pullins Case NO. CVPB18-00127

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of (specify all names by which the decedent was known): **Linda L. Pullins aka Linda Lee Moon Pullins**

A Petition for Probate has been filed by (name of petitioner): Melinda Silva in the Superior Court of California, County of (specify): Yuba

The Petition for Probate requests that (name): **Melinda Silva** be appointed as personal representative 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 personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or 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 19, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 4 located at Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street Ste. 200 Marysville, CA 95901.

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 decedent, 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 a person 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.

Attorney for petitioner: Brenda C. Smith 1445 Butte House Road, Suite K, Yuba City, CA 95993
Phone No.: 530-674-7405
PUBLISHED IN THE TERRITORIAL DISPATCH: October 17, 24, 31, 2018

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Pursuant to the California self-storage facility act:
(B&P code 21770 et. sec.)

The undersigned will sell contents of:

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Name: Roy Crabb

Brief description of items being sold: Furniture, clothes
Name: Suzanne Eddings

Brief description of items being sold: Household, misc
Name: Suzanne Eddings

Brief description of items being sold: Household, misc
Name: Clinton McFadyen

Brief description of items being sold: Household, appliances
Name: Kenneth Mierow

Brief description of items being sold: clothes, electronics

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OCTOBER 25 – 2018 TRAILS END DINNER AND DANCE at Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, Franklin Hall. 442 Franklin Ave, Yuba City. Dinner 6-7 pm. Dancing 7-10 pm. \$15 donation per person for buffet dinner and dance or after 8 pm: \$10 donation per person for dance and dessert. More info call (916) 616-5450.

OCTOBER 26-28 – HARVEST HOEDOWN at Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, 442 Franklin Ave, Yuba City. Register online at www.harvesthoedown.org Info call Katie Pearce 916-606-9738

OCTOBER 27 – 8TH ANNUAL AUTUMN CELEBRATION Sponsored by A to Z Farmers Market. We will have our giant pumpkin contest scarecrow contest, costume contest and our raffle. This is the last of our weekly markets for the season. Extended hours for that day 10 am to 4 pm. Contests begin at 3:30. 9765 Marysville Road Dobbins. Vendor info call Cindy at 530-692-9404.

OCTOBER 27 – SPOOKTACULAR RIVER RUN Traverse the Feather River levees, many in costume. 10k run begins from Gauche Aquatic Park on C St, Yuba City at 9 am. 5k starts at 9:30. Participants will be chip times. For complete info visit www.yscunitedway.org or call 530-743-1847 between 8:30 and 4 week days.

OCTOBER 29 – RISE AGAINST HUNGER MOBILE PACK LUNCH (provided at no cost) and Mobile Pack Registration/Check in begins at 12:15. Mobile Pack 1 to 3 pm. Pre-register through the link provided at www.fumcyubacity.com Info call 673-5858 and ask for April. Office hours are M-Th 9 am to 4 pm and Fri 9 am to noon.

NOVEMBER 2 – TURKEY DINNER at Bangor Hall from 5 to 7 pm. Serving Turkey Mash Potatoes, Gravy, Dressing, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce and a Roll. Adults \$8, Kids 4-11 \$4 and kids 3 and under are Free. All proceeds go to the upkeep and maintenance of the Bangor Hall and Park.

NOVEMBER 1-4 – YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU on stage at the South Auditorium of Marysville High School, 12 E. 18th St, Marysville. Performances are Thurs-Sat, Nov.

23rd Annual Nevada County Book Sale

Just a few weeks left to purchase books at incredible prices!

Nevada County is holding its 23rd annual Book Sale at the Rood Government Center Lobby, located at 950 Maidu Ave in Nevada City. The Book Sale runs through November 6th. All proceeds go to United Way of Nevada County. This event is just one of many Nevada County is holding to benefit United Way of Nevada County.

There are just a few weeks left to purchase books at incredible prices! The sale prices range from \$.50 -\$4, and is open to the public, Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm. There is a large variety of books on hand, including children's books, cookbooks, fiction and non-fiction, games and other media. New books are added every day, so visit often to see what is new! The County is still accepting donated books, in good condition, through October 26th. You may drop off your donated books inside the east door in the Rood Center Lobby. For more information, please call or email Lelia Loomis: (530) 265-1498 or lelia.loomis@co.nevada.ca.us.

The United Way of Nevada County's mission is to improve lives by mobilizing the caring power of our community. United Way of Nevada County envisions a community where all individuals and families achieve their desired potential through Healthy Lives, Education and Income Stability. To that end, our service

priority is to assure individuals and families in Nevada County are able to meet their basic needs of Food, Emergency Shelter, and Access to Healthcare. More information can be found at our website www.uwnc.org

~ Community Events ~

1-3 at 7 pm and Sunday, Nov. 4 at 2 pm. Tickets are \$5, general admission. Info is available by calling 749-6155.

NOVEMBER 10 – XI SIGMA OMICRON'S 39TH ANNUAL CRAFT AND GIFT FAIR 6 pm doors open for preview, 6:30 pm Live Auction with Tony Walton. Held at Yuba-Sutter Board of Realtors Building, 1558 Starr Dr, Yuba City. For more information contact Michelle at 207-9055.

NOVEMBER 10-11 – 27TH ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF GEMS & MINERALS Yuba Sutter Fairgrounds, Franklin Hall Raffle, Silent Auction, Kids Table, Door Prizes, Dealers, Exhibits, Gems and Minerals.

NOVEMBER 11 – ELKS ANNUAL VETERANS BREAKFAST. Members of Lodge #783 invite the community to a breakfast prior to the Veterans Day Parade. Served from 7am to 10 am and includes "SOS" (meat gravy over toast

or a biscuit) scrambled eggs pancakes pastries, coffee and juice. For those in a military uniform or showing a military service card and younger kids breakfast is FREE. Others a donation of \$4 is requested. RSVP is requested for large groups and volunteers may contact Duaine Erickson at 530-743-5134. Lodge is next to Ellis Lake at 920 D St, Marysville.

NOVEMBER 11 – PATRIOTIC CAR & BIKE SHOW SEEKING SPONSORS. Event is from 8 am til 3 pm. Registration starts at 7 am at the VFW Post at 4956 Powerline Rd, Olivehurst. Info contact Manny at 329-3035.

NOVEMBER 14 – YUBA WATERSHED PROTECTION & FIRE SAFE COUNCIL MEETING. 9:30 to noon, all ages and attendance is free. Alcouffe Community Center, 9185 Marysville Rd, Oregon House. Info 530-274-6455

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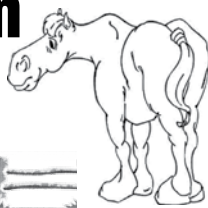
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Rated: PG, Runtime: 1 hr 36 min.

In the mountains of the Himalayas on a tall peak is the village of the Yeti. There the Smallfoot is just a myth and used to scare the children. When a chance encounter with a Smallfoot happens, Migo, questions everything and sets out to learn the truth of their hidden past.

Smallfoot, earns three out of five, Cloud Jumping Monkeys. This is a fun story that teaches the courage it takes to culturally diffuse and not hide. The animation is good and the voice acting is well performed and the little hairy yetis in the theater seemed to like it. The songs weren't catchy so you don't have to worry about a tune getting stuck in your head and singing it in the check out line. Some times you just have to, Let it Go and go build a snowman.

Yuba County Pet of the Week



Meet Bella (A175280) a lovely gray female pit bull mix, approximately 2 years old. This girl has a sweet disposition, and is good with kids and adults alike. She is energetic and active, so training is encouraged to channel some of that energy. If you can provide a secure home and have an active lifestyle, she could be the girl for you. Come take a look!

Upcoming Events

Petco Adoption Event: November 3, 2018

Yuba County Animal Care Services is located at 5245 Feather River Blvd., Olivehurst. The phone number is 530-741-6478. Kennels are open Monday – Friday 10am – 3:30 pm and Saturdays 10 am – 2 pm. You can also go to www.petharbor.com or www.petfinder.com to see all of our adoptable animals and look for your lost family pets, or check out our Facebook page, Yuba County Animal Care Services@yubacountyACS. We also have an Amazon wish list if you would like to help support the shelter. The link to our wish list is; [Amazon.com http://a.co/7qGE7r0](http://a.co/7qGE7r0).

TOPICS OF INTEREST

STARS Volunteers: Volunteers are needed for the animal shelter. If you have time on your hands and would like to help out, become a STARS volunteer. Contact Deneen Barnhill at the shelter to find out how.

Donations: The STARS help support the ACS Shelter. Donations are used to help offset spay and neutering costs, feed costs, and other costs associated with the care of the animals. If you would like to donate, you may send donations/checks to YCACs STARS at the Animal care address: 5245 Feather River Blvd. Olivehurst, CA 95961. You can also donate via our Facebook page. Thank you in advance for any help you can provide.

Wong after the hearing, but Wong nonetheless declined to consider it since it wasn't included in court documents.

The arrestee's testimony did not agree with Oakley's more exaggerated version of the events in the complaint. The Judge concluded Parker was genuinely threatened with being purposely vomited on and infected by a Hepatitis-C carrier in close quarters (front seat of vehicle) but Parker's verbal response was "unsatisfactory and discourteous to the public."

Judge Wong also concluded that Oakley's testimony about the incident was "not persuasive." His memory of the details of the event conflicted with DA Hopper's testimony and his explanation for waiting nearly a year to file a complaint about Parker's behavior "was not credible."

Oakley's complaint surfaced after Parker spoke with Oakley and the DA about office rumors regarding a romantic relationship between Oakley and Hopper.

Wong said the County failed to prove Hopper's claim that Parker was insubordinate in changing trial assignments of investigators when there were scheduling conflicts. There was no cause for dismissal. Parker contended it was a part of his job, but quit making changes without DA approval following being confronted by

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Judge Says Rehire Parker

Hopper.

Wong said the County proved Parker avoided forcing a long-time investigative assistant Francisco Cervantes out of his office to make room for new-hire Investigator David Whiteaker. There were other locations for Whiteaker according to Parker, and Cervantes felt the DA was discriminating against him. Cervantes filed a discrimination complaint against the County after being removed.

The court said the County proved Parker did not cooperate with one of two firms hired by the County to investigate his actions. Parker argued that he feared the firm may be biased since the investigation was directed out of the County Counsel's office while he had a complaint against County Counsel Jean Jordan. The judge concluded Parker's resistance was not justified but had no impact in the findings.

Supervisor Jim Whiteaker's independence to judge Parker may be compromised due to his own legal issues with the DA's office. No formal charges were

ever filed against him regarding numerous accusations of a sexual nature over many years by high school girls. However, Yuba City Unified School District fired him after their investigation.

Also, in late 2013, Supervisor Sullenger was investigated by an

outside firm regarding county employee accusations of gender and race harassment. County employee rules do not include discipline of Supervisors. Otherwise, if considered an employee Sullenger was in violation of county workplace behavior codes.

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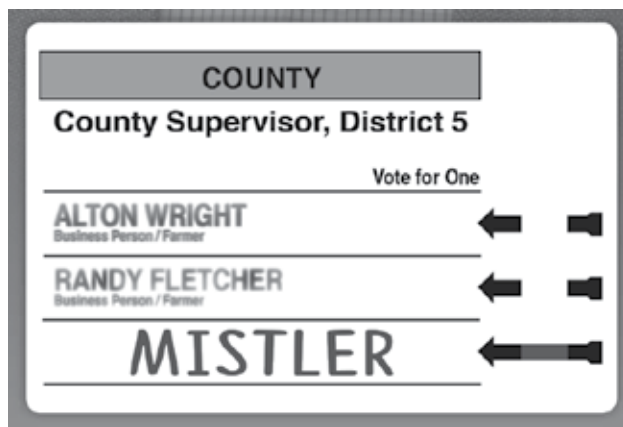
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Incentive Needed

I hate to say it but in my experience non-profits and government agencies just aren't run as well as for profit businesses. The infamous faux pas like Amtrack and the U.S. post office are well known for their inefficiencies and their propensity to burn money with little payback, but anyone dealing with non-profits or government agencies also know all too well on occasion they just can't get out of their own way.

That's not to say all non-profit are buffoon manned or that problematical entities can't get better at what they do. The California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) when I was growing up was a nightmare. Compared to a life sentence on Alcatraz in its heyday, having to go to the DMV wasn't much of an improvement. Lines were long and the employees didn't care about making them shorter. Paperwork was nightmarish. Decades later and the DMV has improved although the paperwork is worse. Paper seems to be the "in thing" at the DMV and indeed most other government agencies.

I find most government agencies lacking however. The employees seem throwbacks to the DMV of old and needless to say expediency is a long forgotten word. From the federal government to the local township, it seems normally intelligent people turn into zombies once taking

a seat at the public pulpit. From overspending budgets to ridiculous hoop they make people jump through, bureaucracy has its bright moments but they are obscured by many moments of darkness, doom and gloom as those having to put up with and get processed through these entities lose a bit of themselves and even more of their wallet before coming out the other end.

Nonprofits unfortunately do little better. I have worked for and been on the board of many. In fact my radio show is carried by a nonprofit so I hope they don't take this too seriously. But seriously folks, the nonprofits and government don't have the most important element that refines efficiency in a for profit endeavor, mainly the incentive to turn a profit. And profit, being the end all and be all of capitalism, one could say nonprofits and government agencies are not capitalistic entities. And drawing one more step from there, one could say the government agencies and nonprofits are the perfect example of what life would be like in a non-capitalistic economy. Without the incentive to turn a profit, or better said, the threat of job loss if one doesn't, the entity limps along with mediocre services or product as no one employed there is really under the gun to perform up to the standards of what a for profit business would have to accomplish to survive. Nonprofits depend a lot on donation, a capital infusion that is not product or service competitive. Their monies come from grants, fundraisers and pledgers, who for the most part do so out of the good of their heart, and not necessarily because of the price or quality. That being said, the quality can be and in

many instances is superior or as good. After all nonprofits serve a part of community need that a for-profit company might not undertake. The point here is not to debate the services nonprofits or governmental agencies provide. Indeed most provide much needed services. The illustration points to how well and how efficiently they provide that service, and in most cases the inefficiencies are legendary and ongoing.

Nonprofits notoriously operate within thin margins if not continually in the red and struggling. Government agencies have the funding of government printing presses so they can essentially burn money and most of them do.

In conclusion, there are those that call for a knife in the heart of capitalism and some push for some sort of socialistic ideal to replace it, but in this analysts opinion, to do so would be to have to go to a DMV like office that has the accounting losses of an Amtrak for almost everything you would need in daily life. And the thought of that folks, makes a stay in Alcatraz seem only half as bad.

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Stop The Greed! No On K! Measure K Equals Korrruption!

YOU! The Voter's need realize the reality of who we are dealing with in Yuba County, exclusively our "Elected Officials"

Upon more detailed research, I have in fact discovered the following to be true:

>Ordinance-1307Title: "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2.30 of the Yuba County Ordinance Code relating to Supervisors Compensation".... "The following Ordinance consisting of three (3) sections, was duly regularly passed and adopted by The Board of Supervisors of the Yuba County, State of California at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors held on the 3rd day of December, 2002, by the following vote: "Ayes Supervisors Amaro, Simmons, Griego, Schrader, Stocker" The County Counsel signed the Ordinance.

>This Ordinance-1307, was in fact "Passed and Adopted" Exclusively by ALL of the Board of Supervisors on December 3, 2002 allowing "Pay Raises" which proves my point! They all voted "Ayes" for their own pay raises and this same Ordinance is still being used 16 years later!

>The Yuba County Board of Supervisors does in fact give themselves "Pay Raises", because they "Passed and Adopted " the County Ordinance to do so. I've been told they don't give themselves a pay raise, but the Ordinance-1307 proves otherwise.

>The Board of Supervisors "Pay Raise percentage" is in relation to the fact that it must be equal to the same percentage amount that "Superior Court Judges" receives and at the same time their salaries are increased by the State of California. Per Section 2. (b) of the Ordinance.

>The fact remains, that the "Board of Supervisors" are the only ones who "Passed and Adopted" the Ordinance. This Ordinance has nothing to do with any California State Agency approving this Ordinance, because it's a Yuba County Ordinance, not a State Ordinance. It only mentions the "Super Court Judges by the state of California in relation to the pay percentage amount and time line the percentages are to be given".

>I have since learned how this particular Ordinance-1307 occurred in Yuba County by the Board of Supervisors. There was a major housing boom in Yuba County back in the year 2000, which meant there was a lot of revenue pouring into the county. In 2002, Yuba County decided to "Increase their pay raises equal to percentage amount and time line of the Superior Court Judges receiving their pay raise percentage and salary increased" per the Ordinance section 2. (b).

>This County Ordinance needs to be

amended; it is almost 16 years old. I also believe that due to the fact the Yuba County is the "Poorest" County in the state! No Board of Supervisor in Yuba County should get a pay raise "Percentage" that is equal to a Superior Court Judge in California; This is absolutely ridiculous!

>Yuba County is the "Poorest" county in the state! If the county is so desperate for revenue and many County Employee's are being let go, because there's a lack of revenue, than there needs to be revenue cut from ALL "Elected Officials" salary. It was conveyed at a Public Safety meeting, that the county has had to reduce the number of county employee's due to lack of revenue.

>The Sutter County Board of Supervisors hasn't had a pay increase in years! And when a pay increase almost occurred, the "Citizens" stepped up and said NO! And the pay increase was never sent to the Board of Supervisors! Yuba County Citizens We Need To Do This Too!

>Randy Fletcher a current Board of Supervisor! Shame on you as an elected official for not reducing your pay for the last 4 years and suggesting the Ordinance-1307 be changed.

>The housing boom is over! The massive revenue is gone! There is a revenue crisis in Yuba County! The Board of Supervisors in my opinion are the top Elected Officials who should follow suit to what Sutter County Board of Supervisors have been doing for years! "No Pay Raise".

>The Yuba County Board of Supervisors received two pay raises on July 1, 2017 (Fiscal Year 2018): .0833% and 4.23%; this information was verified by Yuba County Clerk of the Board. There was no pay raise given for fiscal year 2019; starting July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, but if Measure K is passed, I bet they will get another pay raise in July 2019, because there were will be amply revenue to do so in the "General Fund". Prior to fiscal year 2018, they all received pay raises and several years before that too.

>There is also no accountability for the Board of Supervisors work hours. They are all paid a monthly salary wage regardless if they work 160 hours in the month.

Randy Fletcher owns a private insurance company and he is a Board of Directors member; Vice Chairman for the Yuba County Water Agency. How can Randy Fletcher operate his own private insurance business full time, work for the Yuba County Water Agency and still devote 160 hours of work each month to the Yuba County citizens? The Yuba County Board Meetings have also been reduced during the week. How can our current Supervisor work 40 hours a week when he has other obligations during the month. Why is the Board of Supervisors being paid full-time wages for part-time work! There needs to be some kind of monthly tracking system set in place for work time accountability.

>All of the other Elected Officials in Yuba County received a pay raise on July 1, 2018 for Fiscal Year 2019. The Assessor, Audit Controller, County Clerk Recorder, District Attorney, Sheriff-Coroner and Treasurer-Tax Collector. The Board of Supervisors "Approves" all pay raises for County Employees. The pay raises range from 2.00% to 2.75%. $2.75\% \times 5 = 13.75\%$ (Other Elected Officials) and $2.00\% \times 1$ (Sheriff-Coroner) = 2.00% which equals a grand total of 15.75% that is taken out of the county budget to support the pay raises. I only support the Sheriff's pay raise, but no one else.

>If the county is in such a dire need for revenue for "Public Safety", why is the Board of Supervisors approving pay raises for the other Elected Officials! After attending the community safety meeting in my area and hearing some of the elected officials who attended, tell me they have cut every area in the county they could possible cut, I say to them, why did you accept another pay raise? The County Administrator makes over \$250K a year! He is the one who manages the county budget. We are the poorest County in California and our elected officials keep on getting pay raises! Do you really think the money from the Sales Tax increase that will go into a "General Fund" will be used in the right way? I think NOT! Our Elected Officials lack Integrity!

Ms. Shawn Robinson
Brownsville
Retired Army Veteran

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Fire Protection? – Not OUR Responsibility – Says NYWD

At the May 24, 2018 board meeting, NYWD informed the public, that irrigation water isn't used for fire protection. As an example, NYWD said that irrigation water wasn't used for fighting the Cascades fire – because firefighters “couldn't get to the water as the fire was moving too fast”. That comment doesn't make sense, since the nature of a fire is one thing- the availability of water is something different. You can't predict where or how fast a fire will happen - but you still do everything possible to prepare for a fire. If water is available – then it can at least be used to wet down homes and adjacent vegetation.

During the Williams Fire of 1997 – Sacramento River Fire Dept. and Calfire staged at a local resident's property and water from their irrigation-filled pond was used to fill the fire trucks. The water was used to put out the fire on Don and Jean West's property saving the structures there at the time. Those structures have since been replaced by the residence owned and occupied by Lori Callahan and her significant other, Donnie Ferguson, for the past four years. I am sure they are happy that the property was NOT burned to the ground in 1997.

So clearly fire departments CAN and DO use

water from our private irrigation water-filled ponds to fight fire.

Calfire has developed maps of all water sources (including private ponds filled by irrigation water) that can be used for fire suppression throughout California. This includes NYWD service territory which is considered to be at the highest fire risk. Our local water sources, including private ponds and irrigation ditches, are on this fire department map so first responders can quickly locate available water for fire suppression purposes. This map is not publicly available due to privacy concerns.

NYWD claimed 2018 was a drought year - it wasn't - we received 94% (20.7 inches) of our average annual rainfall (22 in.). All other water districts released irrigation on time and at the full allotments. “We had a slow start to the water year, but several late spring storms greatly improved conditions and have left us in a good position heading into the summer,” said Scott Matyac, water resources manager for the Yuba County Water Agency. “The snowpack was much less this year compared to last, but the late storms provided significant reservoir inflow, so we have plenty of water in storage at this time,” he said (Appeal Democrat May 23,

2018). “**Because reservoir storage is good this year**”, Matyac said “**the agency's member units can expect full deliveries.**” And some of those districts use the same watershed that NYWD does.

NYWD board members clearly do not know the conditions of their own permits. *A review of Permit 1270 (Dry Creek) states that we have a: “..right to the use of the water of Dry Creek in Yuba County tributary to Yuba River thence Feather River thence Sacramento River for the purpose of Irrigation and Fire Protection”. Permit 1270:* https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/e8b3fe_8b134131fb0c4279b2a725a9d52dfe87.pdf.

A video clip of the Board meeting: <https://youtu.be/tx7KqoPFOLI>. If you want to see the entire board meeting: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lnHZGfbrsUU>. Please visit my Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/gretchen.flohr.73> <https://www.facebook.com/gretchen.flohr.73>.

Dr. Gretchen Flohr
Oregon House, Ca.

Attention!

No new controversial opinions will be placed in the October 31st issue.

Any controversial opinions in the October 24th issue will be allowed to rebut in the October 31st issue.

Not Just Coffee

By now you have heard that Starbucks Coffee has opened in Williams. This new store adds to the City's array of stores geared for travelers. However this is not just another “travel” store. The opening of this business at this location is a significant step for the City and the region.

This business does more than just pour coffee - it removes an eyesore from the City's front door, enhances our gateway Arch, sets a design standard for E Street, cleans and reuses an abandoned gas station site, and demonstrates the City's commitment to commerce and ability to help redevelop

downtown. Holding forth through many obstacles, the City brought this project from a telephone inquiry to opening one of the world's most popular and in-demand traveler's stops.

Williams is literally and figuratively at crossroads. The crossroads of two major industries - agriculture and travel, and the crossroads of highways - highways 20 and 5. The County is the locale of one of the most intense agriculture in the country, the County's primary industry, and the cities are the locale for the producers, workers, equipment shops that support this industry. These highways,

with its plethora of gas stations and restaurants, have been and continue to be the basic revenue for the cities.

When the State removed Highway 99 West and Highway 20 from the heart of Williams in the 1960s, the City lost its core revenue and endured an extended economic downturn. After this downturn, the City contemplated bringing in a truck stop to bring back the City's travel industry and help balance the loss of the through-town highways.

Decades of attempts at this truck stop ran out of energy and into dead ends. However, over the past few years, with an

sustained and continued effort by recent administrations, the City has realized this goal. Not only is a truck stop now under construction, more commerce is following in its wake along with jobs and a bright municipal future. As you can see all over Williams - the truck stop, downtown, Orv's expansion, senior housing, and soon to come - stores for groceries, auto parts, pancakes, and an industrial park.

The opening of this coffee shop has been more than just filling an unsightly gap at the City's entrance, more than just meeting a demand from the traveling public, and is more than just coffee. This store signals to the public, to industry, to Northern California, and to the community, that Williams is committed and accomplished to acquire future businesses and jobs, professional opportunities, education, and recreation.

CHUCK BERGSON,
Mayor City of Williams

oversight. Functions like registrations and driver licensing could be split into separate management. Clerks could be given incentives like being paid commissions for each customer they serve. Bonuses could be given to employees that have innovative suggestions that would improve service or reduce costs. Voter registration should definitely be separated from this agency's responsibility. Who knows, maybe your transaction could be handled at a drive through window like a fast food restaurant some day. After all it's purpose is to serve the citizens instead the bloated bureaucracy that we have now.

Mick Dousman
Dobbins, Ca.

THINK About It!

By Charlie McNiff



VOTE ... & Think of Your Children's Children .. & THEIR Children!!

We can't have the Hard Left in positions of power to use Mob Rule to dictate ruinous socialistic policies on the people of this country.

Just imagine Chuck Schumer running the Senate, Nancy Pelosi being the Boss Lady of 435 members in the House, Adam (Shifty) Schiff Chairman of the Intelligence Committee, Maxine Waters Chairwoman of the Finance Committee jetting back and forth from her \$4.5 Million Dollar L.A. Mansion located outside the district she represents... and a whole slew of other hard lefties chairing important committees... plus those heading up various departments of government.

Do you REALLY want this (Getting Greater) country to slide into the muck and grime of a Socialist country. Venezuela

used to be a prosperous country. Why has over ONE MILLION people fled their homes into neighboring countries? Hugo Chavez took them down the socialist road...and after his death, Nicolas Maduro grabbed the reins of El Presidente and really put Socialist Squeeze on the country and ran it into the ditch.

Socialism...Communism...Same breed of cat. It has been tried many, many times...and has failed every stinkin' time!

This country tried it... right from the Get-Go. The Pilgrims dabbled with it for one year and it was a disaster. They decided that because there were too many freeloaders they had to set up a different system that evolved into a Republic built out of capitalism (Webster's: An economic system in which the means of production and distribution are privately owned and operated for profit).

Remember “Good Ole” Ben Franklin, when asked what kind of country we have (out of the Constitution) and he responded, “A Republic, if we can keep it.”

Which brings us to Mark Levin's show last Sunday night on Fox (airs every Sunday). His guest was George Gilder...author, investor and economist...and they talked about his most recent book, “Life After Google.”

I almost switched the channel but I'm glad I didn't. In summary, a few of his bullet points were (1) Creativity is the Foundation of Capitalism, (2) Learning is the Heart of Capitalism and (3) Socialistic government policies Suppresses Creativity through Regulation thereby Handcuffing the Freedoms of Creativity.

Well, Sports Fans, I don't know if President Trump knows George Gilder beings “Life After Google” was published this year...but the first day in the White House in January 2017 he started in keeping his campaign promises by signing an Executive Order mandating that two regulations must be eliminated for every regulation created in the administration.

The administration actually, to date has elimi-

nated 22 regulations for every new regulatory action.

The regulation cutting is one of the main reasons for the recent economic boom (in only 20 months) that has the most new jobs number (4.2 million) in the entire history of the United States.

President Trump announced after his first 11 months in office, “My administration has cancelled or delayed over 1,500 regulatory actions...more than any president in the history of the United States.”

HELLO...that's one of George Gilder's “bullet points”... (3) Socialistic government policies Suppresses Creativity through Regulation... thereby Handcuffing the Freedoms of Creativity.

“Burdensome Regulation Busting” and absence of tens of thousands of regulation writing bureaucrats and autocratic inspectors, etc., etc., loosened the strictures of creative entrepreneurs and filled them with consumer confidence that resulted in over 4 Million new jobs in only 20 months. That, along with tax cuts and other conservative policies has had the economy humming. Remember the stock market at 20,000 only 20 months ago...and now it's over 25,000...inching to 26,000...Another HELLO!!!

Remember President Obama during his reign referring to the 2.0 GDP (Gross Domestic Product) as “the norm and we should get used to it.” In the past 20 months, President Trump's policies have hit the 3.0 mark many times...and even a 4.2 GDP. How about those apples!

So when you vote in a couple of weeks, you determine what you want... Jobs or Mobs!

And don't forget what kind of country your children's children...and their children will be living in down the road... one with chockfulls of holes and ruts that you can hardly drive on... or one that you can smoothly ride on singing Zippety-Do-Dah-Day!

This mid-term is actually That Important for Future Kidlets and their Kin!

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Your One Minute News Digest

by Don Rae

• Isn't it simply amazing that a person who allegedly sent death threats to Feinstein has been swept up? Has anyone been arrested for making death threats and actually committing violence against Republicans lately?

• Gavin Newsom wants Californians to spend billions on early age indoctrination centers owned and controlled by government. The purpose of this early childhood education is not education, but to indoctrinate children from the age of two or three that they belong to the government.

• Newsom must like the sanitation practices of medieval times. He left San Francisco a dead ringer for open sewage flowing down the middle of streets. Perhaps if the City by the Bay has residents throwing "honey buckets" out of windows on top of passing pedestrians, he'll be even prouder.

• The FISA Court is in need of some thorough cleansing. Since the court's inception it has received some 35 thousand or more requests to spy on US citizens. How many of these requests were denied? Twelve. Less than .0003%. A secret rubber-stamp court?

• Even with the recent tax reform Americans on average spent more on taxes than on food and clothing combined in 2017, reports the Bureau of Labor Statistics. "Consumer units" spent an average of \$9,562 on food and clothing in 2017 but they spent \$16,749 on federal, state and local taxes.

• Did you really think that Democrats are opposed to abuse of women? For years the Hollywood and CBS/NBC organizations have been protecting sexual predators. Democratic National Committee Vice Chair Keith Ellison has a domestic violence charge outstanding. Remember Ted Kennedy who admitted he left a woman to die in his car which he drove off a bridge into the water? The Democrats loved him. Then there is the famous blue dress of the Clinton era. Feinstein and her merry band of hypocrites have no credibility. They need to oppose all who commit violence against women or shut up.

• Of course the Democrats are screaming nepotism in the event Ivanka Trump is offered a job in the current administration. Where was their outrage

when Bobby Kennedy was appointed Attorney General in JFK's administration? Just another example of hypocrisy.

• Cameron Harsh, of the NGO, Center for Food Safety, recently denied that organic farmers use harmful chemicals. In fact, many organic-approved pesticides may pose significant environmental and human health risks. They include nicotine sulfate, which is highly toxic to warm-blooded animals; another is copper sulfate, a widely-used broad-spectrum organic pesticide that persists in the soil and is the most common residue found in organic food. The European Union claims copper sulfate may cause cancer but backed off banning it because organic farmers don't have good alternatives. Organic? No, just a different set of pesticides and additives. Organic provides emotional therapy which makes the consumer feel good.

• Environmental laws are holding up the border wall? It goes to show how insane the environmentalists have become. Nothing is to be built. Ever. Back to the caves.

• The mainstream media simply can't help itself. Huge headlines and paragraph after boring paragraph about how the world is coming to an end. Climate change is the religion of the day. Believe in it or die. Can't the press find anything real to write about? All these articles accomplish is to scare little children.

• Obama did a campaign event in Ohio recently. Hardly anyone showed up. Have you heard of any follow up events? Maybe he got the message.

• Another brilliant quote from Winston Churchill: "The main vice of capitalism is the uneven distribution of property. The main vice of socialism is the even distribution of misery."

• Again we refer the reader to the experience of the early settlers on the East Coast. Look up and read what William Bradford writes about his experience with socialism in the budding colony in the 1600s.

• Why aren't the Democrats putting out policy statements to entice voters? Just look at a few policies and decide how well they worked in the past: War on Drugs. War on Poverty. The Great Society. Want more of those?

FPPC Finds Probable Cause That LA County Violated Campaign Laws

COUNTY SPENT NEARLY A MILLION DOLLARS IN PUBLIC FUNDS PUSHING MEASURE H

Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association announced that the Fair Political Practices Commission has finally taken action against Los Angeles County for using taxpayer money to fund political ads touting Measure H, a sales tax increase. **Specifically, the FPPC found probable cause to charge LA County, as well as the individual members of the Board of Supervisors, with 15 counts of campaign finance violations.**

"This is obviously welcome action by the FPPC. We've waited a long time for this." said Jon Coupal, President of the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association, which filed

the original complaint against the county on March 2, 2017. "As we head into the November election, local governments up and down California are illegally using taxpayer funds for political advocacy and failing to report the same as political contributions. We hope these findings by the FPPC serve as a huge shot across the bow to all government entities in California not to abuse taxpayers by using public funds for political activity."

HJTA also filed a lawsuit against the County in Los Angeles Superior Court arising out of the same illegal activity. The courts have ruled "use of the public treasury to

mount an election campaign which attempts to influence the resolution of issues which our Constitution leaves to the 'free election' of the people (see Const., art. II, § 2) ... presents a serious threat to the integrity of the electoral process." *Stanson v. Mott* (1976) 17 Cal.3d 206, 218.

"Clearly, the county's expenditure of public resources to advance Measure H violates core democratic principles by presenting unbalanced advocacy," said HJTA President Jon Coupal.

Editors Note: There are close similarities to what Yuba County did in their promotions of Measure K

With Local Government Collecting Record Revenue Why Are Voters Facing Hundreds of Tax Measures in November

by Stephen Frank

The budget of the State of California is \$202 billion. The actual, full budget is north of \$250 billion—lots of tax increases in the budget. Brown also took money from health care. Prop. 56, and gave it to his favorite special interests. Yet, the State and local government want increased taxes, more bonds and bigger spending programs. You are being used as an ATM.

"When Californians vote in the November election, they will choose a new governor, decide

11 statewide propositions and face hundreds of local tax measures.

On the November ballot alone, there are 254 local tax measures – a 65 percent increase compared to the 2014 gubernatorial election – along with more than 100 bonds that would be repaid with property tax increases. Earlier this year, voters approved 55 of 85 local tax measures.

The influx of local taxes comes during of a time of steady economic growth and fiscal pros-

perity in California. Since July 2009, the beginning of the economic recovery, California's general fund budget grew from \$89.5 billion to \$138.6 billion, an increase of 54.8 percent. During the same period, California built up a \$19 billion rainy day reserve. "

Your pay check is being used to payoff the special interests and totalitarians. You work for the government—the government does not work for you. Get used to it, stop it or leave the State.

Yuba Water Agency Unveils New User-Friendly Website

Marysville, Ca.

Yuba Water Agency today revealed its redesigned, more interactive website, further helping the nearly 60-year-old public agency develop a stronger relationship with the people of Yuba County.

The updated website follows the recent rebranding as Yuba Water Agency, and uses a simplified, user-friendly platform to house pertinent information about agency operations, current news, public documents and more.

"Our website is like a digital 'front door' to our organization," said Yuba Water Agency General Manager Curt Aikens. "As we continue to grow our community outreach program and connect

more with the people we serve in Yuba County, we want our website to better represent us as the high-performing organization we are, and - at the same time - to make it easier for us to be transparent about our operations."

"For years, we have gone largely unnoticed by the public," said Yuba Water Agency Board Chairman Brent Haste. "We're really making an effort to change that. This more engaging and interactive website will allow us to do a much better job of educating people about who we are and all of the great things we do for the people of Yuba County."

The revamped website additionally allows members of the public

to subscribe to updates for more information on agency operations, public meetings and specific topics of interest.

As part of the updated branding and new moniker, the website address has changed to www.YubaWater.org.

Yuba Water Agency is a stand-alone public agency governed by a board of seven elected officials to serve the people of Yuba County. Established by a special act of the California State Legislature in 1959, the agency's primary missions are flood risk reduction, water supply, fish habitat protection and enhancement, hydroelectric generation, and recreation.

SOJ Special Informational Meetings

S-Y Committee for the Formation of the state of Jefferson will be having additional meetings each month at different locations in Sutter and Yuba counties. The purpose of these smaller meetings is to allow you to ask the questions that concern you the most. You can have a one on one conversation with one of the regular members of the committee and get a more in depth answer if necessary.

First Informational Meeting will be from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
November 13th at Round Table Pizza , 202 Ninth St., Marysville
Come early at 6:00 pm to get some pizza and a drink.

We will still have our regular monthly meetings on the 4th (fourth) Monday of each month. OCTOBER 22ND is our next fourth Monday general meeting, at 1179 Eager Road, Yuba City, Church of Glad Tidings, Building 500, Room 209. (Please note the room change) We will hear from one of the attorneys about some new information on the CfFR (Californians for Fair Representation) court case and other great news. Doors open at 6:00 pm for social time and the meeting will start promptly at 6:30 pm.

For more information contact Becky: becky4soj51@outlook.com

PS: We are gathering raffle prizes for our big event next year. We already have a gorgeous silver belt buckle and will start selling tickets for that next month. (Who knows what kind of gun or? we will secure for raffle prizes.)

New CCW Process for Application and Renewal

Yuba County, Ca.

Beginning December 3, 2018, the Yuba County Sheriff's Office will be implementing an online process for issuing Concealed Carry Weapon (CCW) licenses. The CCW process is currently a paper application submittal with hard copy files and multiple in-person visits to the office for the applicant during office hours, which YCSO will now be modernizing to a web-based digital process beginning in December.

The computer program is called "Permitium". It allows for new applicants and existing CCW hold-

ers to electronically apply, modify, renew, pay permit fees, and communicate with the Sheriff's CCW staff from the comfort and convenience of your own home, on your own schedule.

In California, over 50% of all County Sheriff's offices are using "Permitium" to process CCW licenses. We believe this new system will eliminate the need for applicants to make multiple trips to the Sheriff's office and make the process of receiving and renewing CCW licenses faster and easier, as well as saving YCSO staff time and resources.

In order to transition from a paper system to a digital one; YCSO will be placing a temporary hold on CCW Processing beginning November 1 and resuming December 3, 2018; to allow us time to prepare the new system and procedures for launch. Current requirements and fees for a CCW in Yuba County can be viewed on our Sheriff website at <http://sheriff.co.yuba.ca.us/CCW.aspx>, which will be updated with the new website link and instructions when the program goes online in December

Tax Assault

by Lou Binninger

affordable and predictable by using the purchase price as the base and capping the property tax rate at 1% of the assessed value. (Before Prop. 13, the statewide average property tax rate was 2.67 % of the value.)

Prop. 13 also limits annual increases in the base to 2%, regardless of any changes in market value, and makes it harder for politicians to raise other taxes, requiring a two-thirds vote instead of a simple majority.

In 2020, liberal legislators plan to repeal the Prop 13 protection on commercial property. If that passes then the repeal of 13's help on residential real estate will be next.

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) data on consumer spending Americans on average spent more on taxes than on food and clothing combined in 2017.

"Consumer units" (which include families, financially independent individuals, and people living in a single household who share expenses) spent an average of \$9,562 on food and clothing in 2017, according to BLS. But they spent \$16,749 on federal, state and local taxes.

In 2017, there were 130,001,000 consumer units in the United States. These consumer units had an average before-tax income of \$73,573 and their largest average expenditure was \$19,884 for housing--a sum that included the average property tax bill of \$2,065.

Last week, columnist Dan Walters reported that in California, jurisdictions desperate for cash have 254 local tax increases on the November ballot -- sales taxes, parcel taxes, utility taxes and hotel/motel taxes, mostly -- according to the California Taxpayers Association, 65 percent more than there were four years ago.

All entities are holding hands going over the CalPERS government employee pension cliff together while dishonestly begging money for police and fire. Bureaucrats realize that the more citizens know about the CalPERS pension scam the angrier they get.

Few and possibly no private enterprises can afford to hire someone and commit to pay them for the rest of their lives after working 20-30 years. Depending on their occupation government retirees are making 60-90% of their peak annual salary till they die. And most of the pensions are funded by taxpayers versus employee contributions. Only a corrupt socialist government thinks this make sense.

150 Year Anniversary Levee Distr. 1

Yuba City, Ca.
The public is invited to attend an event celebrating the 150-year anniversary of Levee District No. 1 of Sutter County.

What: Sesquicentennial Celebration of Levee District No. 1

Date: Friday, October 26th

Time: 10:00am-11:30am, program begins at 10:30am

Location: Levee District No. 1 Office

Address: 243 Second Street, Yuba City

Who: Levee District No. 1 Board Members
Central Valley Flood Protection Board
Representatives

Office of Congressman John Garamendi

Office of Congressman Doug LaMalfa

State Senator Jim Nielsen

Assemblyman James Gallagher

Sutter County Officials

Yuba City Officials

Sutter Butte Flood Control Agency

Representatives

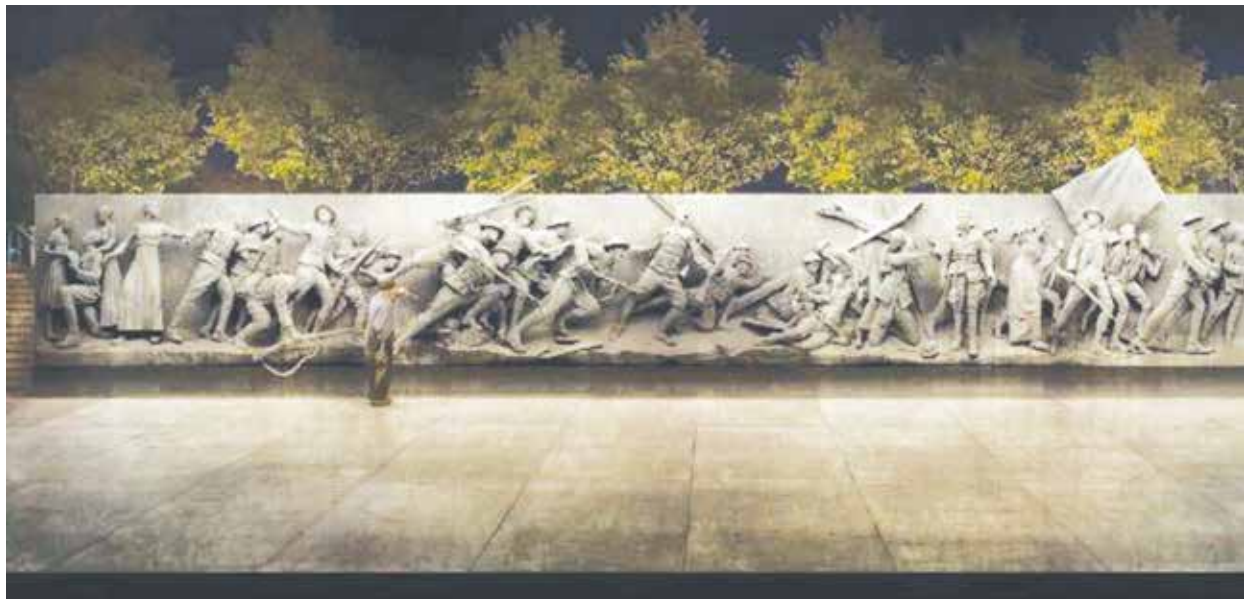
Members of the public

Additional Information:

- Levee District No. 1 is the first and oldest continually operated tax-supported agency created specifically to build and maintain levees to prevent flooding of an entire region.

- Levee District No. 1 is responsible for 16.15 levee miles protecting \$7 billion in property and assets.

- Celebration event is paid for by private donations.



World War I Armistice Film Festival

to be shown at Yuba Sutter Arts

Marysville, Ca.

Yuba Sutter Arts and American Legion Post 42 based in Marysville are collaborating on a World War I Film Festival to help raise funds for the new WWI Memorial in Washington, DC. the only major 20th-century war that lacks a national memorial in the nation's capital. This year's Veterans Day, November 11th, marks the 100th anniversary of the signing of the World War 1 armistice.

The National World War I Memorial is a planned memorial commemorating the service rendered by members of the United States Armed Forces in World War I. The 2015 National Defense Authorization Act established the United States World War I Centennial Commission which was given the authority to build the memorial in Pershing Park, located at 14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue NW in Washington, D.C. The groundbreaking for the Memorial was held just before Veterans Day in 2017.

The films, curated by the Commission, will be shown at the Burrows Theater at Yuba Sutter Arts, 630 E Street in Marysville. Admission is free, but good will offerings will be greatly appreciated and then sent to the Commission to help with construction of the memorial. No public funds are being used for the construction of the memorial. These films offer learning and sharing opportunities about World War I, and the significance of the War that Changed the World.

Here is the schedule of films to be shown along with running times and brief descriptions.

On Friday, November 9th, doors will open at 5:30pm.

6pm "Lafayette Escadrille" (10 minutes) From the producers of The Millionaires' Unit, a preview

will be shown of the first comprehensive documentary about the Lafayette Escadrille, the all-true story of the American pilots who volunteered to fly for France in World War I.

6:15pm "A Soldiers

Journey" (10 minutes)

The premiere showing of the new U.S. World War I Commission sponsored short film tells the story of World War I through the elements of the sculpture being created by sculptor Sabin

Howard for the National World War I Memorial.

6:30pm "Pershing's Path to Glory" (40 minutes) This is a new documentary film that traces the story of Blackjack Pershing, the General who led American forces in World War I.

7:15 "The Hello Girls" (55 minutes) A new documentary playing to standing room only audiences around the country, this is the inspiring story about the first women to serve in the US Army and their 60-year struggle to get their veteran's benefits and their 100-year struggle for deserved recognition.

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