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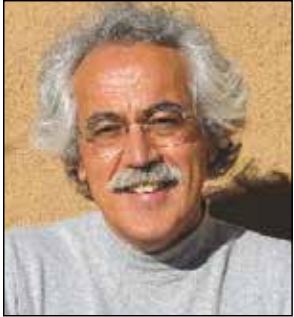
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## Giving It Life Again

*Bryte VFW To Become A Community Center*



L to R: Mike Despain, Jessalynn Pastran, Rhonda Pope Flores and Armondo Martinez. Photo provided by Michele Townsend

By Michele Townsend

**YOLO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - In August of 2021, Bryte Veterans of Foreign War (VFW) Post 9498 closed its doors permanently. The community was saddened to see it go, as it has been a place that families have gathered for parties, hosted countless celebration of life events, held fundraising events for our schools, little leagues and other groups and of course hosted many veteran and military based affairs.

Built in 1925, the building was originally a movie theater and barber shop. In fact, the projector room

is still a part of the structure. Then the Ramos family bought the building so that Mrs. Ramos could open and run a VFW while her husband was deployed. Once again the building has been sold.

Due to close escrow this week, The Buena Vista Rancheria Community Fund is once again stepping up to help out the North side of West Sacramento. Longtime resident and advocate of the Broderick/Bryte area, Rhonda Pope-Flores is a board member of the Buena Vista Rancheria Community Fund and has played a big part in the purchase. Rhonda and Buena Vista have a respectable

history of focusing on the needs of this area and carry a lot of weight when it comes to pushing the City of West Sacramento in to following through with promises made.

Rhonda doesn't just complain to the city about not getting things done. When the city says that projects are not being completed due to funding, Buena Vista steps in and donates large chunks of money towards the projects.

"A community center is really needed on this side of town. The city promised it to us years ago, when they promised us a pool, but they

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## Community Shares Concerns For The Police

WSPD Special Release

**WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Two community meetings were held for the WSPD to get community input on their concerns, priorities, likes and dislikes in regard to the work being done by the West Sac PD. In an email from Taylor Nelson, Division Manager Community Outreach & Support, she wrote:

"The community engagement sessions held on August 22nd & 23rd are part of an ongoing operational assessment and strategic plan of the West Sacramento Police Department. The sessions were each planned to be one hour long, however, they ended up being about one hour and 45 minutes each. They were focused on gathering community input to figure out what is important to our West Sacramento Community. The meeting was facilitated by Citygate Associates, LLC consultants who asked a series of four questions focused on what works, what needs improvement, and what the community wants to see going forward. I do not have the notes, as I was present solely to ensure that the facility was available and fit their needs; however, the overarching themes were around concerns for traffic, speeding, side shows, speed bumps, and general traffic enforcement, staffing, and community engagement.

Citygate is a public sector consultancy dedicated to "the business of better government" and the community engagement sessions, coupled with the digital community survey, their internal, and city wide interviews and data review will result in them presenting the Chief and City Manager with a comprehensive operational assessment and Strategic Plan. While the exact date of the final result is not yet available, it is expected to be shared with council and the larger community once available." ★

## Mediterranean Festival a Favorite

By Patrick Larenas

**WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - The Holy Virgin Mary Antiochian Orthodox Christian Church of West Sacramento is inviting the community to the 18th Annual West Sacramento Mediterranean Food and Music Festival on Saturday, September 17, 2022.

Jean Baba, the festival's coordinator for this year, said that over the years the event has grown in size and has become a local favorite thanks to the heavy participation of volunteers young and old, and to the beauty of the land in which it's hosted as well.

The church's land features over 50 fruit trees and a vineyard, said Baba, which really attracts people and has really helped, "our parish [to] integrate into the community and



Experience Mediterranean music and dancing with your dinner at this year's festival on Saturday, September 17. Photo courtesy of Majestic Photography

help local high school students to fulfill their community service hours

by volunteering." "It allows each child to learn about serving,

teamwork and service to the public," Baba said.

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# UC Davis Research: What a Monarch-Milkweed Interaction Project in North Davis Revealed

**UCD Department of Entomology and Nematology News Release**

**DAVIS, CA (MPG)** - Newly published UC Davis research investigating wild monarch-native milkweed interactions in rural Davis over a three-year period has yielded three key findings in the search for what factors constrain monarch development. “This study collected a high-resolution temporal dataset on milkweed-monarch interactions during the last three years prior to the precipitous single-year population decline of western monarchs in 2018,” said community ecologist Louie Yang, a professor in the Department of Entomology and Nematology.



Monarch on a native milkweed at the UC Davis research site in north Davis. Photo courtesy of Larry Snyder

Yang organized and led a 135-member team, all co-authors of the paper, “Different Factors Limit Early- and Late-Season Windows of Opportunity for Monarch Development,” published in the journal *Ecology and Evolution*. (This document is open access at <https://bit.ly/3volFal>.)

From 2015 through 2017, the team monitored the interactions of monarchs, *Danaus plexippus*, on narrow-leaved milkweed, *Asclepias fascicularis*, planted in December 2013 on city-owned property adjacent to the North Davis irrigation channel.

“This study has three key findings,” the UC Davis professor said. “First, we documented early and late seasonal windows of opportunity in the wild, migratory western monarch population. Second, our data suggest that early and late seasonal windows were constrained by different factors. Third, climatic and microclimatic variation had a strong effect on the timing and importance of multiple factors affecting monarch development. Broadly, we hope that this study contributes to a more temporally

detailed understanding of the complex factors that contribute to year-to-year variation in monarch breeding success.”

The project, funded by two of Yang’s National Science Foundation grants, involved UC Davis, Davis Senior High School and the Center for Land-Based Learning. Among them were 107 high school students and a K-12 teacher, 18 UC Davis undergraduate students, three graduate students and two post-graduate researchers.

Fearing on its way to extinction, the migratory monarch is now on the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Red List of Threatened Species as Endangered threatened by habitat destruction and climate change. Statistics show that the overwintering population of western monarchs along coastal California has declined by more than 99 percent since the 1980s, according to the Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation.

The UC Davis-based team set out to answer three questions: (1) How do the developmental

prospects of monarchs vary in time, within- and across years? (2) How do the combined effects of bottom-up, top-down, and abiotic factors interact with seasonal variation in monarch density to constrain the timing and extent of seasonal windows of opportunity? and (3) How do climatic variation and microhabitat heterogeneity affect these constraints?

The researchers also noted: “Throughout this study, climatic and microclimatic variations played a foundational role in the timing and success of monarch developmental windows by affecting bottom-up, top-down, and abiotic limitations. More exposed microclimates were associated with higher developmental success during cooler conditions, and more shaded microclimates were associated with higher developmental success during warmer conditions, suggesting that habitat heterogeneity could buffer the effects of climatic variation.”

“Together, these findings show an important dimension of seasonal change in

milkweed-monarch interactions and illustrate how different biotic and abiotic factors can limit the developmental success of monarchs across the breeding season. These results also suggest the potential for seasonal sequences of favorable or unfavorable conditions across the breeding range to strongly affect monarch population dynamics.”

Yang and his team planted 318 narrow-leaved milkweeds adjacent to the seasonal irrigation channel, which carries runoff water with a “seasonal pattern of generally increased flow during summer irrigation periods and immediately following winter precipitation events. As a result, this site combines several elements representative of the California Central Valley at a landscape scale.” The Davis site typifies a “Mediterranean pattern of cool, wet winters and hot dry summers.”

The researchers recorded daily temperatures and precipitation in one dataset, and in a second dataset, sub-hourly temperature observations, approximately every 20 minutes. They defined

the “early season” as days 90–180 (approximately the end of March to the end of June) and the late season as days 180–270 (approximately the end of June to the end of September) each year.”

They measured and recorded the milkweed growth and leaf area removal by herbivores and counted and measured the eggs and larvae. They also gathered information on the predator and herbivore community.

Participants in the Monitoring Milkweed–Monarch Interactions for Learning and Conservation (MMMLC) Project, directed by Yang, collected most of the observations. Yang provided hands-on, in-person training in milkweed-monarch biology, data collection, and data entry protocols, partnering with the Environmental Science internship program led by Eric Bastin at Davis Senior High School and the Growing Green internship program led by Karen Swan at the Center for Land-based Learning, Woodland.

“We documented 674 weekly observations of monarch eggs and 997 weekly observations of monarch caterpillars across the three years of this study,” the researchers wrote. “Monarchs were most numerous in 2016. We observed 2.7 times as many monarch eggs in 2016 as in 2015 and 2.2 times as many as in 2017. We observed 3.0 times as many caterpillars in 2016 as in 2015, and 2.5 times as many as in 2017. Separated by year and normalized by the total number of emerged plants each year, we observed 137 eggs and 193 caterpillars (0.49 egg and 0.69 caterpillar observations per plant) in 2015, 369 eggs and 576 caterpillars (1.55 egg and 2.42 caterpillar observations per plant) in 2016 and 168 eggs and 226 caterpillars (0.74 egg and 1.0 caterpillar observations per plant) in 2017. ★

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# Honoring Harry Fonseca Exhibition

By Louisa R. Vessell

**WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - The Honoring Harry Fonseca Exhibition is now on view at the Arthur F. Turner Library (1212 Merkley Avenue in West Sacramento) for the months of September and October. The exhibition will celebrate the life and work of the nationally and internationally known West Sacramento artist of Nisenan Maidu, Portuguese and Hawaiian Descent. Fonseca grew up in the Bryte district of West Sacramento, eventually living in Santa Fe, New Mexico, where he located his Fonseca Studios.

The exhibition contains many Fonseca family photographs that have not been seen by the public before and other memorabilia related to Fonseca. Also, included in the exhibition are pertinent books, catalogs and other publications. The exhibit is unique in what it reveals about Fonseca's personal life and what evolved from his artistic endeavors.

Fonseca's paintings are housed in numerous museums, including the Linden

Museum, Stuttgart, Germany; Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento; Autry Museum of the American West, Los Angeles; Oguni Museum, Oguni, Japan; National Museum of the American Indian, Smithsonian, Washington, D.C., and many private collections.

Fonseca has lectured at the Crocker Art Museum; Amerika Haus Berlin, Germany; University of New Mexico, Albuquerque; National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution, Washington D.C. and many other museums and educational institutions.

Louisa R. Vessell organized the exhibition and was a childhood friend of Harry Fonseca. She states, "My goal for the exhibit was to honor Harry as someone from a small community in northern California who pursued his passion for art and made a huge contribution to the art world as a Nisenan Maidu artist."

For more information, contact Louisa R. Vessell at 916-451-2113 or send a text to 916-799-9932 or email at lvessell@sbc-global.net. ★

# Mediterranean Food and Music Festival a Favorite



The Mediterranean Food and Music Festival hosted at Holy Virgin Mary Antiochian Orthodox Church's property has become a local favorite, featuring the beauty and shade of over 50 fruit trees and a vineyard. Photo courtesy of Majestic Photography

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The West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce, City of West Sacramento and the patrons of the greater Sacramento and Bay area have always supported us and "people look forward to every third weekend in September," she stated.

According to the festival's press release, the food available will be a blend of traditional Middle Eastern and Mediterranean cuisine homemade by parish members:

"Gyros with Taziki Sauce on a softpita, the combination plate, consists of marinated chicken in aromatic spices served over basmati rice paired with our homemade hummus, salad and pita bread;

"Dolmas are grapeleaves stuffed with meat, rice and 7-spice, steamed and served as an appetizer;

"And, a Roasted Lamb Plate prepared during 4 hours of slow roasting

which makes it fall off the bone leg, served along with traditional spice [and] a la cart too."

The parish priest also prepares his signature 'Zalabyeh Donut' which is "deep fried bread served warm and coated in sugar, cinnamon and a few secret ingredients [which] is a crowd pleaser and kids' favorite."

According to the menu, there will be a selection of a few more delicious food items for meat lovers and vegans including: "Tabouleh Salad, Kibbie, Spanakopita and Baklava."

Curbside pick-up will be available by pre-ordering by September 10.

Another feature of the festival is its music and entertainment. The Janho Brothers of Los Angeles will be providing the music and accompanying the Dabke dances, and local performers Gabriella Baba (vocalist) and Tamalyn Cervin (pianist) will be

performing, Baba said.

"The Mediterranean Food and Music Festival also supports the Music Boosters at River City and the Jazz Association," she added.

Admission is \$3 for 12 and older and kids get a wristband for \$5 that admits them into the jump house and petting zoo.

Locals are encouraged to please use public transportation. "The City of West Sacramento VIA Rideshare has partnered with us to offer \$1 rides. The promotional code can ONLY be used to and from the Mediterranean Festival September 17th," informed festival coordinator Baba.

Holy Virgin Mary Antiochian Orthodox Christian Church is located at 3060 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento, Calif.

Please contact Jean Baba for more information about the festival at (916) 955-4736. ★

# Giving It Life Again

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are not coming through with either" said Rhonda. "The building needs a lot of work! We are going to assess what needs to be done, fix it up and give it life again" she said.

According to Rhonda, Buena Vista Rancheria has multiple nonprofits. They plan on combing those nonprofits into one... the Community Fund, and this building will be its home.

In addition, they want to collaborate with other local groups and nonprofits to find out what their needs are and how they can help. Buena Vista plans on keeping it available to all of the organizations that have a history with the place (or that would like to create one), as well as making it available for celebration of life gatherings and other private events for the community.

As part of the assessment, Buena Vista plans on doing a historic inventory. They want to maintain the integrity of the history of all that has gone on there. Once the building is repaired and fixed up, they plan on holding family movie nights and other community events. Watch for the Grand Re-opening, as I'm sure it will be an unforgettable event. ★

# West Sacramento Man Convicted of 1995 Murder Denied Resentencing

From Melinda Aiello, Asst. Chief Deputy DA

**WOODLAND, CA – (MPG)** - On August 26, 2022, Yolo County Superior Court Judge Steven Mock denied a petition for resentencing for Michael Todd, that would have reversed his 1996 murder conviction. Todd, now 56, lived in Sacramento at the time of the murder and is currently serving his prison sentence in the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

In March of 1995, Kenneth Buffer and Michael Todd brutally attacked the victim, James Williams, at a home in West Sacramento. During the trial, witnesses testified that Williams owed Buffer and Todd \$10,000, as the result of drug deal. Buffer severely beat Williams with his hands and feet until Williams went into a coma. While Buffer watched, Todd burned Williams multiples times with a knife that had been heated on a stove. Also, caustic liquid was poured over Williams' body which caused severe burns. Buffer later drove Williams, who was nearly dead, to his friend's house where he was abandoned in the back seat of his own car. Williams died ten days later of "blunt force trauma," after being taken to the hospital. A jury convicted both Buffer and Todd of 1st degree murder and torture, and both were

sentenced to 25-years-to-life in prison.

On January 1, 2019, changes were made to the felony murder law eliminating prosecution of an individual who agrees to commit a felony crime that results in a murder if that individual did not harbor actual malice or was not a major participant who acted with reckless disregard during specified felony offenses.

Todd argued that he did not participate in any physical beating of the victim and denied burning the victim. He claimed his actions did not contribute to the victim's death and, as such, he did not act with malice.

Judge Mock found that while the victim's main cause of death was blunt force trauma, the death resulted from a constellation of injuries. The Court determined beyond a reasonable doubt that Todd's repeated burning of the victim with a hot knife contributed to the victim's death and supported a finding of implied malice murder. The Court denied Todd's petition for resentencing. Todd is scheduled for a parole suitability hearing on March 24, 2023.

District Attorney Jeff Reisig stated "we are very thankful Judge Mock found that the evidence satisfied the burden of proof. We believe strongly that Michael Todd is still a murderer even after the changes in the law." ★

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Items to be sold are new/hand-made. This will not be a "garage sale" but an event to showcase your wares and business items.

If you would like to be put on the mailing list as a potential vendor, and to receive future mailings about this event, please contact Lori Casias via text message at 916-719-4991 and leave your name, email address and cell phone number.

We plan to heavily advertise this event through Facebook, Marketplace, News Ledger, WestSacWeb.com, Instagram, Channel 31, and the West Sacramento Community Discussion Board. We will also be sending out mailers to the community of West Sacramento and surrounding areas.

We are looking forward to reaching out to the community through this event and sharing the love of God. We hope you will consider being a part of this event and if you have any questions, please contact Lori.

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# Raising Awareness of Unintentional Overdose Deaths

By John Fout, Public Information Officer

YOLO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - International Overdose Awareness Day, an annual commemoration to raise awareness of overdose prevention and reduce the stigma of drug-related deaths, will be recognized this year on August 31. Yolo County has seen the number of deaths due to unintentional overdose risk increase throughout 2022, largely due to the presence of fentanyl, which can be lethal in very small doses and is undetectable to users. Fentanyl is 50 times stronger than heroin and 100 times stronger than morphine. According to recent national data, over 99 percent of all oxycodone pills submitted to crime labs contained fentanyl.

As part of the effort to end the overdose epidemic, CommuniCare Health Centers and the Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA) are partnering to present a fentanyl awareness video campaign to encourage Yolo County residents to carry Narcan and act quickly when they suspect an overdose. Narcan, or naloxone, is a nasal spray that reverses the effects of an opioid overdose.

"Throughout history public media campaigns have proven to be one of the most effective ways to decrease the negative effects of substances and increase prevention, harm reduction, and treatment

engagement, raise awareness and decrease stigma," states Ian Evans, Yolo County Alcohol and Drug Administrator. "As a community, we must begin rallying around individuals struggling with substance use the same we would with anyone struggling with a disease or illness, bringing connection and support in the same way we would to a friend, family member, or co-worker who was fighting cancer, heart disease, or diabetes. We must do this through partnership and collaboration, and we're incredibly grateful to have partners like CommuniCare here in Yolo that can help us spread that message, get lifesaving Narcan out into the community, and treat substance use like any other health care issue."

We are encouraging the community to help share the awareness videos linked below and use the tag line: Carry the Narcan, Save a Life. Yolo County CAN end opioid overdoses. For more information on HHSA's substance use continuum of care options in Yolo County, please visit [bit.ly/YoloSUDS](http://bit.ly/YoloSUDS). For more information on International Overdose Awareness Day, please visit [www.overdoseday.com](http://www.overdoseday.com).

"We recognize the devastating impact fentanyl and other opioids have on individuals, their families, and the larger community," says Sara Gavin,

Chief Behavioral Health Officer for CommuniCare. "CommuniCare is committed to continuing to bring awareness, education, and access to high-quality, de-stigmatized, accessible services to anyone who needs them. Having safe, readily available life-saving resources like Narcan in the event of an opioid overdose is imperative. We all need to work together to get messaging out to the local community that Narcan is available and partner on normalizing substance use treatment services as a part of overall health care."

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# Riley Reviews

## US OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT BACK IN FULL SWING OF BIG CROWDS

A Special Article by Tim Riley

Due to limits placed on the participation of the media last year and the pandemic having excluded just about everyone in 2020, we were finally able to attend the US Open tennis tournament in-person for the first time since 2019.

With higher gas prices, more expensive groceries, rents escalating and sporting event ticket prices less affordable for a family outing, inflation affects everything, even the US Open.

Grounds passes that allow you to visit all the field courts and the Grandstand and Louis Armstrong Stadium could cost a couple about one hundred bucks for a standard ticket on Ticketmaster and that doesn't even get you into the main venue of Arthur Ashe Stadium

Back in 2017, a flute of Moët & Chandon Brut Imperial champagne was priced at \$25 but now it's \$32 a pop, while the Open's signature cocktail of the Grey Goose Honey Deuce will only set you back \$22.

The fabulous Oyster Bar offers plenty of tasty treats, with the New England Lobster and tarragon on a toasted potato bun priced at \$31, which is the same cost for a serving of East Coast Oysters.

The Franks and Sausages concession delivers a more affordable selection of the Coney Island Foot Long Frankfurter at \$10.50 and the plain all beef frankfurter at \$8. The New York Style Italian Sausage commands a \$12 price tag.

Anyone who has been to a major league baseball game knows that food and beverage prices are for the most part not really affordable, but it's clear that the US Open is not catering to a crowd with a more refined palate.

Just recently the big

names in professional tennis were players like Serena Williams, Roger Federer, Rafael Nadal and Novak Djokovic, all of them winners of Grand Slam tournament trophies from the US Open to Wimbledon to Roland Garros and the Australian Open.

The Swiss legend Federer has been out of action since injuries required knee surgery, and Novak Djokovic, who remains unvaccinated and apparently has had Covid, has been sidelined by a U.S. vaccine requirement for foreign travelers.

The US Open, consistent with CDC guidelines, has no vaccine mandate for either players or fans, so it is unfortunate a champion like Djokovic is unable to compete, and that leaves the men's field to Spain's Rafael Nadal, who is ranked number 2.

All eyes were on Serena Williams, the six-time US Open champion, who recently announced her plans to "evolve away" from tennis, as she began what figures to be her final foray in Flushing Meadows.

Fittingly, Serena held center stage on opening night at the Arthur Ashe Stadium, which was packed with the largest crowd ever of more than 29,000 fans yelling and clapping their support for a player with the GOAT moniker.

Seemingly apprehensive in the early stages of a match with Danka Kovinic, the 27-year-old from Montenegro, Serena lost her serve twice after leading 2-0, and then falling behind 3-2. But Serena eventually won four consecutive games to take the opening set.

Closing out the opening match with a win before an enthusiastic crowd that included celebrities like Mike Tyson, Bill Clinton and Gladys Knight, Serena would live to fight another day, telling the crowd that she has "absolutely nothing to lose."

The Serena farewell tour rolled to another exciting match on the third day, with the more challenging test of facing 26-year-old Estonian Anett Kontaveit, ranked number 2 on the strength of a stellar 2021 season in which she won four tournament titles.

The first game on Wednesday night, once again taking the main stage at Arthur Ashe and with a crowd just as boisterous as opening night, was even more exciting as Serena battled to a tie-break that she eventually won.

Even more compelling was the thrill of one game in the first set taking longer than ten minutes to complete, which meant a back-and-forth of endless deuces, break points and advantages for both players.

Losing by a score of 6-2 in the second set didn't faze the "Queen of Queens" as she bounced in the third and final set to win the match by the same score. Yet, this would be her last hurrah for a single's match.

Thursday night united the Williams sisters, Serena and the one-year older Venus, in a doubles match they would go on to lose. Does this mean the end of Serena on the tennis stage, or will she pull a Tom Brady?

In any event, Serena Williams has achieved an enduring legacy but now represents the past. For an American player, teenage phenom Coco Gauff seems appears to be the future.

Just three years ago, Coco was a 15-year-old from Delray Beach, Florida who captured plenty of attention, which is not abating anytime soon as she is rolling to one victory after another, at least so far.

The thrills and excitement of the US Open are not confined to just the tennis matches. It's the entire experience that is worth the visit. ★

# Newsom Calls GOP Governors 'Bullies,' But What About Him?



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

Politicians who claim to have an elevated moral purpose risk being branded as hypocrites if they fail to live up to the standards they set for others.

California Gov. Gavin Newsom runs that risk as he denounces the Republican governors of other states, particularly Ron DeSantis of Florida and Greg Abbott of Texas, as "bullies" for their states' policies on abortion, gay rights and other issues.

Newsom has run ads critical of the two governors and donated \$100,000 to DeSantis' challenger, Charlie Crist. At the very least, Newsom is raising his national political profile. But it could be the beginning of a presidential campaign, which he denies.

"People keep asking why I'm calling out DeSantis and these Republican governors," Newsom tweeted late last month. "The answer is simple: I don't like bullies."

Newsom's tweet contained his interview with ABC news, including a lengthy rant beginning with "I can't take what's going on in this country."

"I can't take what these governors are doing state after state affecting minorities, affecting vulnerable

communities, threatening the Special Olympics with fines, going after the LGBTQ community, saying if you've been raped by your father you don't have the right to express yourself and rights over your own body," Newsom told ABC's Matt Gutman.

"My entire life I don't like bullies," Newsom added. "I don't like people who other other people. I don't like people who demean other people and that's being celebrated in American politics today and you got to call it out. DeSantis is the worst of it but Abbott and these other guys, they're right there and forgive me, I'm naming them because we have to and I think people need to understand what's going on in this country and there's too much at stake."

On the issues that Newsom cites, particularly abortion and LGBTQ rights, his criticism is more than warranted. But calling rival governors "bullies" is over the top. After all, they were duly elected to their positions, as was Newsom, and like him, probably will be re-elected this year. Their positions on these hot button issues would not fly in California, but they apparently do in their states.

That's not bullying; it's governing, which often means compelling people to do things they'd rather not do. Newsom has done a lot of it since becoming governor nearly four years ago, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic, when he was governing by decree.

Was Newsom being a bully or governing when he

ordered thousands of small businesses to shut down to stop the spread of the deadly coronavirus? Those affected, including more than 2 million workers who lost their jobs, might say he was being a bully, since larger businesses were often exempted.

Likewise, parents complained that Newsom arbitrarily closed schools and forced their children into "Zoom school" even though COVID-19's threat to children was scant.

Many of California's city officials have complained that Newsom is bullying them into building high-density housing that their constituents don't want, threatening legal action or financial sanctions if they don't comply. Newsom says the state must act aggressively to solve its housing shortage.

California gun owners complain constantly that Newsom and the Legislature impose nonsensical, harassing regulations on their constitutional right to bear arms.

Newsom considers all of those acts, and many others, to be governing — just as DeSantis, Abbott, et al, consider what they do to be governing. But in the eyes of beholders, he could be just as easily branded a bully.

Finally, doesn't Newsom's name-calling make him one of the "people who demean other people" he professes to despise?

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

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9. **Disqualification of Bidder:** If there is a reason to believe that collusion exists among any Bidders, none of the bids of the participants in such collusion will be considered and the City may likewise elect to reject all bids received.

10. **Relief of Bidder:** Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code section 5101 and the following, concerning relief of Bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the Bidder claims a mistake was made in its bid, the Bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.

11. **Wage Rates:** Bidders are hereby notified that the California Department of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work. Copies of the current schedules for prevailing wages are on file in the City's office, and the contents of those schedules are included herein as if set forth in full.

It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any Subcontractor under it to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

12. **Bonds:** The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inambao Lifanu, Project Manager II  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
09/09/2022

West Sac News Ledger 9-9, 9-16-2022

**Architect and Design Services for Fire Station 43 Bathroom Remodel Project**

**INTRODUCTION**

This request for proposal ("RFP") is to identify and retain a qualified firm to provide engineering, design, construction administrative services, and post-construction services for the City Hall HVAC Replacement Project.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:**

The Capital Projects Department, is accepting proposals from qualified firms for Engineering and Design Services to complete the tasks as outlined in the RFP by the date listed below:

**PROPOSALS:**

Proposals will be submitted and received **electronically** through the City's Procurement system at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid> until **2:00 PM local time on Friday, October 6, 2022** at which the results will be posted for public review.

**TENTATIVE CITY SCHEDULE**

- RFP Released September 9, 2022
- Mandatory Site Walk September 21, 2022 – 9:30am
- Cutoff for RFI Questions September 27, 2022
- Proposals Due October 6, 2022
- Proposal Review and Selection October 2022

**INQUIRIES**

Questions about this Request for Proposal should be submitted through the City's procurement link at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>. If appropriate, the City will post responses to Bidder questions through the Procurement system.

**A Copy of the RFP is posted on:**  
<https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>

West Sac News Ledger 9-9, 9-16-2022

**Mechanical Engineering Services for the WEST Sign Re-design Project**

**INTRODUCTION**

This request for proposal ("RFP") is to identify and retain a qualified firm to provide engineering, design, construction administrative services, and post-construction services for the WEST Sign Re-design Project.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:**

The Capital Projects Department, is accepting proposals from qualified firms for Mechanical Engineering Services to complete the tasks as outlined in the RFP by the date listed below:

**PROPOSALS:**

Proposals will be submitted and received **electronically** through the City's Procurement system at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid> until **2:00 PM local time on Friday, October 7, 2022** at which the results will be posted for public review.

**TENTATIVE CITY SCHEDULE**

- RFP Released September 9, 2022
- Mandatory Site Walk September 20, 2022 – 1:00pm
- Cutoff for RFI Questions September 27, 2022
- Proposals Due October 7, 2022
- Proposal Review and Selection October 2022

**INQUIRIES**

Questions about this Request for Proposal should be submitted through the City's procurement link at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>. If appropriate, the City will post responses to Bidder questions through the Procurement system.

**A Copy of the RFP is posted on:**  
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West Sac News Ledger 9-9, 9-16-2022

**Engineering and Design Services for City Hall HVAC Replacement Project**

**INTRODUCTION**

This request for proposal ("RFP") is to identify and retain a qualified firm to provide engineering, design, construction administrative services, and post-construction services for the City Hall HVAC Replacement Project.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:**

The Capital Projects Department, is accepting proposals from qualified firms for Engineering and Design Services to complete the tasks as outlined in the RFP by the date listed below:

**PROPOSALS:**

Proposals will be submitted and received **electronically** through the OpenGov at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid> until **2:00 PM local time on Friday, October 7, 2022** at which the results will be posted for public review.

**TENTATIVE CITY SCHEDULE**

- RFP Released September 9, 2022
- Mandatory Site Walk September 20, 2022 – 9:00am
- Cutoff for RFI Questions September 27, 2022
- Proposals Due October 7, 2022
- Proposal Review and Selection October 2022

**INQUIRIES**

Questions about this Request for Proposal should be submitted through OpenGov at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>. If appropriate, the City will post responded to Bidder questions through OpenGov.

**A Copy of the RFP is posted on:**  
<https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>

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**Notice of Public Review Period for the 2021 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program**

The draft City of West Sacramento CAPER summarizing goals accomplished with fiscal year 2021/2022 CDBG funding received from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will be available for review and comment from September 9, 2022 through September 26, 2022. The CAPER will be made available to the public for review either electronically or by U.S. mail. Please submit your request by U.S. mail to the City of West Sacramento, Economic Development and Housing Department, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 or by email to [Isaah Alford@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:Isaah Alford@cityofwestsacramento.org). The CAPER can also be accessed online at the following website:

<https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/residents/housing/community-development-block-grant>

Written comments may be submitted by September 26, 2022 to: Isaah Alford, Community Investment Specialist, City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691; by email to [isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org) or by calling Isaah Alford at (916) 617-4555. Technical assistance is available to groups representing low-income residents that are interested in learning about CDBG funding for programs or projects. Questions or comments may be directed to Isaah Alford, Community Investment Specialist, at (916) 617-4555 or by email to [isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org).

The City of West Sacramento promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low- and moderate-income households regardless of age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual preference, marital status or disability.

Aviso del Período de Examen Público para el Informe Anual Consolidado de Desempeño y Evaluación (CAPER) de 2021 para el Programa de Subsidio Globales para el Desarrollo Comunitario

(CDBG)

El borrador CAPER de la Ciudad de West Sacramento, que resume las metas logradas con fondos CDBG del año fiscal 2021/2022 recibidos del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano (HUD) de EE. UU., estará disponible para revisión y comentarios del 9 de septiembre de 2022 al 26 de septiembre de 2022. El CAPER se pondrá a disposición del público para su revisión por vía electrónica o por correo de los Estados Unidos. Envíe su solicitud por correo postal a la Ciudad de West Sacramento, Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Económico, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 o por correo electrónico a [Isaah Alford@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:Isaah Alford@cityofwestsacramento.org). También se puede acceder al CAPER en línea en el siguiente sitio web:

<https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/residents/housing/community-development-block-grant>

Comentarios escritos pueden presentarse antes del 26 de septiembre de 2022 a: Isaah Alford, Especialista en Inversiones Comunitarias, City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691; por correo electrónico a [isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org) o llamando a Isaah Alford al (916) 617-4555. La asistencia técnica está disponible para grupos que representan a residentes de bajos ingresos que están interesados en aprender acerca de la financiación del CDBG para programas o proyectos. Las preguntas o comentarios pueden ser dirigidos a Isaah Alford, Especialista en Inversiones Comunitarias, al (916) 617-4555 o por correo electrónico a [isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org](mailto:isaaha@cityofwestsacramento.org).

La ciudad de West Sacramento promueve una vivienda justa y pone todos los programas a disposición de los hogares de ingresos bajos y moderados independientemente de su edad, raza, color, religión, sexo, origen nacional, preferencia sexual, estado civil o discapacidad.

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220615**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Capri Mobile Home Park, 504 Glide Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.  
MHP Holding LLC, 9390 Central Avenue, Orangevale, CA 95662. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 31, 2015. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/2/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Aug. 19, 26, Sept. 2 & 9, 2022  
CAPRI 9-9-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220592**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Atlantis Diving & Salvage Co., 1045-D Triangle Court, West Sacramento, CA 95608.  
Gary L. Borton, 2535 La France Drive, Carmichael, CA 95608. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on January 1, 1981. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 7/27/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Aug. 19, 26, Sept. 2 & 9, 2022  
ATLANTIS 9-9-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220576**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Jiayou Mandarin Crosswords, 170 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Apt. 1, West Sacramento, CA 95605. Skylar Siah Panganiban, 170 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Apt. 1, West Sacramento, CA 95605. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 7/20/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Aug. 19, 26, Sept. 2 & 9, 2022  
JIAYOU 9-9-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220580**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Honda Financial Services, 1919 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90501. American Honda Finance Corporation, 1919 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90501. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/17/2002. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 7/21/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 9 & 16, 2022  
HONDA 9-16-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220642**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Vision Center Brought To You By Walmart, 1720 East Main St STE 700, Woodland, CA 95776, County of Yolo. Address: 2435 Commerce Ave Bld 2200, Duluth, GA 30096 National Vision Inc., 2435 Commerce Ave Bldg 2200, Duluth, GA 30096 This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 07/16/1997 /s/ Jared Brandman, SVP, General Counsel, Secretary National Vision Inc. This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Yolo County on 08/12/2022.  
Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Recorder  
By: kquam, Deputy  
8/26, 9/2, 9/9, 9/16/22  
CNS-3616774# NEWS-LEDGER  
DJ\_774 9-16-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220677**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Greenwest, 1540 South River Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Greenwest LLC, 1540 South River Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/30/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2022  
GREENWEST 9-30-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220672**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: 911 Relief 4 Tax, 3041 Rumsey Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Rochelle Margucci Enrolled Agent Inc., 3041 Rumsey Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/28/2022. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/29/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2022  
911 9-30-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220670**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Low Cost Check Cashing, 964 Sacramento Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95605. Waseem Fadel Dhalai, 3670 Silverwood Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/26/2022. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/26/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2022  
LOW 9-30-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220621**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: River Valley Investors / Southport 90, 5010 Jefferson Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Kimberli Johas, 5010 Jefferson Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691 and George Psihos, 1001 Begonia Drive, Alameda, CA 94501. This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/20/2017. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/3/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2022  
RIVER 9-30-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20220617**  
The following person(s) is doing business as: Blue Demon Transport, 507 Cottonwood Street, Apt. 13, Woodland, CA 95695. Blue Demon Transport LLC, 507 Cottonwood Street, Apt. 13, Woodland, CA 95695. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on

8/1/2022.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 8/2/2022.  
By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy  
Publish: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2022  
BLUE 9-30-22

**ORDER TO SHOW FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

COUNTY OF YOLO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME  
#CV2022-1256  
Stacy Breckenridge and Armando Albarran have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jacie Ann Albarran to Jacie Ann Breckenridge.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on September 28, 2022, in Department 10, Room: ZOOM, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 11, 2022  
Samuel T. McAdam, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: Aug. 19, 26, Sept. 2 & 9, 2022  
STACY 9-9-22

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME**

COUNTY OF YOLO  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME  
#CV2022-1191  
Anna Borisovna Gavalyan has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Anna Borisovna Gavalyan to Anna Borisovna Albertov; David Dumov to David Albertovich Albertov; Emmanuel Davidovich Gavalyan to Emmanuel Davidovich Albertov.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on October 11, 2022, in Department 9, Room: Zoom, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.  
Dated: August 19, 2022  
Samuel T. McAdam, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: Sept 2, 9, 16 & 23, 2022  
ANNA 9-23-22

**NOTICE OF LIEN SALE**

Extra Space Storage will hold a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at the location indicated: 975 F ST West Sacramento, ca 95605 on 09/20/2022 @ 2:00PM: Patrick Leesha household goods. Helena Helmod xmas stuff. West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project xmas stuff. Steve Favis furniture FarCorp furniture. Eric Webster Home furnishings. Brian Shahon house hold items collectables. Patrick Leesha Household items. Helena Helmod Household items. Dean Montgomery painting supplies This auction will be listed and advertised on www.storagetreasures.com. Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.  
9/2, 9/9/22  
CNS-3616838# NEWS-LEDGER  
DJ\_838 9-9-22

**NOTICE OF LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given pursuant to California Business and Professional Codes #21700-217 Section 2328 of the UCC of the Penal Code, Section 535 the undersigned, StorQuest Express Self Storage/Ramco St. of West Sacramento, will sell at public sale by competitive bidding the personal property of Christopher

Haase, Santra Young, Louis Latini, Melanie Martinez, Channa Gates, Nicole Rydman, Esteban Gonzalez, Matthew Barraza, Jeanne Randall. Property to be sold: Misc. Items. Auctioneer Company: www.storagetreasures.com The Sale will end at 10:00 AM, September 24th, 2022. Goods must be paid in CASH at site and removed at completion of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between the owner and obligated party. 3005 Ramco St. West Sacramento, CA 95691 (916)241-8600  
9/9, 9/16/22  
CNS-3621561# NEWS-LEDGER  
DJ\_561 9/16/22

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE**

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF OSVALDO QUEZADA  
CASE NO. PR2022-0175  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Osvaldo Quezada deceased.  
A Petition for Probate has been filed by Alejandro Quezada, in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, requesting Alejandro Quezada be appointed as personal representatives to administer the estate of the decedent.  
The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.  
The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.  
A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows September 20, 2022, 9:00 a.m. in Dept. TBD, Room: TBD. Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 1000 Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695.  
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.  
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative ap-

pointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.  
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Sasha D. Collins, JD, L.L.M., 2043 Anderson Road, Suite C, Davis, CA 95616; 530-601-3311  
Publish: Aug. 26, Sept. 2 & 9, 2022  
QUEZADA 9-9-22



**INVITATION TO BID**

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Capital Projects, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 1st Floor, West Sacramento, California until **2:00 PM. local time on Tuesday, October 4, 2022.** at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the:

**CORPYARD MODULAR TRANSITIONAL BUILDINGS PROJECT [51032]**

This request for proposal ("RFP") is to identify and retain a qualified firm to install modular transitional buildings to accommodate all respective departmental administrative, operations and maintenance staff and storage area. The floor plan is designed and complete and the facility is setup for installation of the modular units. This project is funded by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). All project work must meet all applicable codes and requirements.

- September 2, 2022 Bid Publication
- September 20, 2022 Mandatory Pre-Bid walk through 11 AM  
West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95605
- September 27, 2022 Question Submission Deadline Due 5 PM
- October 4, 2022 Proposal Submission Deadline
- October 19, 2022 City Council
- October 26, 2022 Notice to Proceed (TENTATIVE)

PROJECT ESTIMATE: \$800,000

1. **Completion of Work:** All work shall be completed by within thirty-five (60) working days of the Notice to Proceed
2. **Obtaining Contract Documents:** Contract documents and plans are available for downloading free of charge through the Virtual Project Manager services of CIPList.com. You must sign up to use this service which will automatically inform you of updates and amendments. Plans and specifications are available for download at www.OpenGov Procurement Sign up or sign in to download the project documents including bidder's list etc. Hard copies are not available from the City.
3. **Questions:** Questions about this Request for Proposal should be submitted through the City's procurement link at <https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/business/invitation-to-bid>. If appropriate, the City will post responses to Bidder questions through the Procurement system. The cutoff date for submittal of questions is Wednesday, Tuesday, September 27, 2022, by 5:00 PM local time.
4. **Bid Security:** Each proposal must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the form of a cashier's check, certified check, or Bid bond executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total Bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento.  
Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Public Contract Code section 22300, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.
5. **Construction License:** Bidder must possess a current Class "A" General Engineering Contractor's License issued by the State of California, at the time the Bid is submitted.
6. **Contractor Registration:** All Bidders, and Subcontractors subject to Public Contract Code section 4104, must have registered with the California State Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 prior to submitting a bid. Furthermore, a Contractor, and all Subcontractors subject to Public Contract Code section 4104, must be registered pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 before entering into a contract to work on a public project.
7. **Preconstruction Conference:** A preconstruction conference will be convened after the Contractor has delivered the necessary bonds, insurance certificates, and signed agreement in proper form as required in the invitation to bid, Bid proposal, and general conditions of these specifications. Prior to any work, the Contractor shall provide the Engineer with a list of key personnel assigned to the project and the telephone numbers where they may be reached at any time. The list shall be made available in sufficient copies and presented at the preconstruction conference.
8. **Award:** The award shall be made to the lowest responsible Bidder whose proposal complies with the specified requirements. The award of the Contract will be made by the West Sacramento City Council, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after it has received the Contract from the City. The City reserves the right to waive any irregularity in the proposals. No Bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.
9. **Rejection of Bids:** The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to waive immaterial irregularities in any bid. Any Bid not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Contract Documents may be rejected. The City reserves the right to make all awards in the best interest of the City.
10. **Disqualification of Bidder:** If there is a reason to believe that collusion exists among any Bidders, none of the bids of the participants in such collusion will be considered and the City may likewise elect to reject all bids received.
11. **Relief of Bidder:** Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code section 5101 and the following, concerning relief of Bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the Bidder claims a mistake was made in its bid, the Bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.
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It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any Subcontractor under it to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

13. **Bonds:** The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inambao Lifanu, Project Manager II

Date: 09/02/2022 \_\_\_\_\_ West Sac News Ledger 9-2, 9-9-2022

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE SELF STORAGE AUCTION**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to the California Storage Act (Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code.)

**West Sacramento Self Storage:** Property is located in separate storage units at 2274 Lake Washington Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691. The auction will be conducted entirely online at: <https://bid13.com/> Auctioneer: Bid13.com 1-844-348-2776; agent for Owner. Contents such as household goods, clothes, children's toys, furniture, tools, and other miscellaneous items for the following lien units will be sold:

E135-MALINDA CRICHTON

Pictures of unit contents can be seen online. Bidding is held online beginning Tuesday, September 13th, 2022 at 9am and closes Tuesday, September 20th, 2022 at 12pm PST.

Payment must be paid for at the time of purchase. Cash only accepted. All items in the unit are sold as is and must be removed within two days of the time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party  
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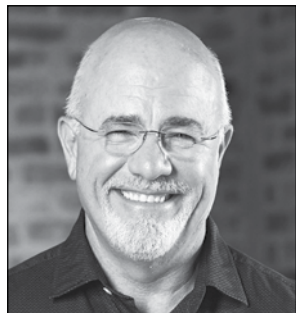
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Purpose: The Governing Board of the Washington Unified School District, in order to comply with the requirements of Education Code Section 60119 will hold a public hearing on September 22, 2022, at 5:30 p.m., which is on or before the eighth week of school, for the purpose of determining the sufficiency of instructional materials provided to students.

Date: Thursday, September 22, 2022

Time: Meeting begins at 5:30 p.m.

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West Sac News Ledger 9-9, 9-16-2022



## Dave Ramsey Says

### Change Tactics

Dear Dave,

I recently had a judgment filed against me for an unpaid, old hospital bill. Is it possible to negotiate things with the lawyer? Originally, the charges were \$2,700 but now they have increased to \$3,500, and I am not sure why the amount has risen. I have made several phone calls asking him for a detailed statement of the account, but all I have received is a payment booklet. What is your advice?

– Ronnie

Dear Ronnie,

Are you sure you've been speaking directly to the lawyer? I'm guessing

the reason you haven't gotten a real answer to your question is because you've actually been talking to some low-level staffer or paralegal. If you have been talking to the lawyer, there's a pretty good chance he's running a small debt collections or debt lawsuit machine. If this is the case, he probably gets a piece of whatever he collects. That means he's out to collect as much as possible, as quickly as he can.

You might consider changing tactics, and see if you can talk to the hospital administrator. Propose giving them \$2,000, or whatever reasonable amount you can afford, on the agreement that the hospital accept it as payment in full. Hospitals and doctor's offices are often some of the easiest folks to work with when it comes to paying off debt, but people

have to be proactive and make an honest, good faith effort to make it happen.

There's a moral, as well as legal, responsibility involved when it comes to paying off bills or debt, Ronnie. You should always pay what you owe if at all possible.

– Dave

*Dave Ramsey is a seven-time #1 national best-selling author, personal finance expert, and host of The Ramsey Show, heard by more than 18 million listeners each week. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today Show, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions.* ★

## Democrats Think the Inflation Reduction Act Will Help Their Midterm Fortunes



### Commentary by Sally C. Pipes

Congressional Democrats are increasingly optimistic about this fall's midterm elections. They believe their recently enacted Inflation Reduction Act, especially its healthcare provisions, will win them plaudits from voters.

But they could be in for a rude awakening. Contrary to lawmakers' claims, the Inflation Reduction Act won't reduce inflation or bring down drug prices for most Americans. Many voters will ultimately feel duped, and they could take their frustrations out at the ballot box for years to come.

Consider a recent analysis of the IRA by the Penn Wharton Business Model, the authors of which reported "low confidence that the legislation will have any

impact on inflation." The Congressional Budget Office reached a similar conclusion, finding that the bill would have "a negligible effect" on inflation in the coming years.

So much for addressing voters' chief concern.

In fact, it's entirely possible that the legislation won't merely fail to reduce inflation, it could actually cause prices to rise further in the years ahead.

The new law extends generous Obamacare subsidies to middle and even high-income households through 2025, at a supposed cost of \$64 billion. In reality, the three-year cost may well be higher. Those same subsidies have cost about 50% more than anticipated this year alone, according to health economist Brian Blase.

If a future Congress ultimately makes the subsidies permanent, as Democrats clearly hope to do the ten-year cost will balloon, pumping hundreds of billions more in deficit spending into the economy and driving up inflation.

Or consider the IRA's price controls on prescription drugs. Democrats promised consumers cheaper medicines — but the vast majority of Americans won't notice

any difference at the pharmacy counter.

Here's why. The price controls only apply to Medicare, so by definition, Americans with private insurance won't derive any savings from the price caps. Even seniors won't notice much change, since their out-of-pocket copays and coinsurance are set by insurance plans, not drug companies.

Plus, these price controls don't kick in until 2026, and will only impact 10 drugs. That figure will steadily increase to 20 by 2029.

Democrats are doing their best to downplay this inconvenient reality in the hopes of improving midterm prospects. It's a desperate, cynical strategy, and it's unlikely to work. Voters will find out soon enough that, with the IRA, they've been sold a bill of goods and an expensive one at that.

*Sally C. Pipes is President, CEO, and Thomas W. Smith Fellow in Health Care Policy at the Pacific Research Institute. Her latest book is False Promise, False Promise: The Disastrous Reality of Medicare for All (Encounter 2020). Follow her on Twitter @sallypipes.* ★

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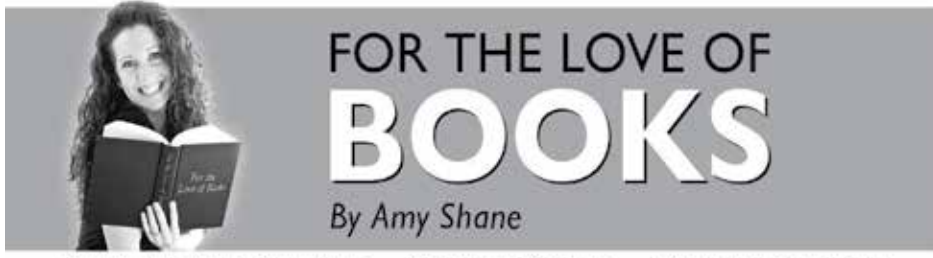
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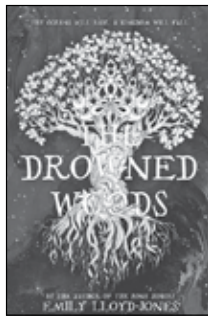
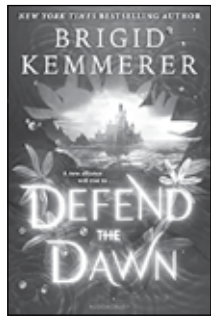
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**Defend The Dawn**  
by Brigid Kemmerer;  
Bloomsbury

It's time for the heart-stopping fantasy adventure to return in the next book in the

Defy The Night series. The Story of a Kingdom at the edge of peril from a deadly curse and the only cure is controlled by that of the rich and powerful and divided by political lines. But one girl is determined to change that, becoming a Robin Hood for the people in need. But what happens when the Prince will not decipher between stealing for self-gain or for others to survive? Continue this high stakes, a high-seas adventure between rebels and royals, and the pursuit of more than just a rare flower to make an elixir; it's about defying those who threaten a kingdom. Electrifying

and fast-paced, Defend the Dawn will plunge its readers into a story filled with adventure, new alliances, morally grey characters, and star-crossed lovers, leaving them just at the very edge.

**The Drowned Woods**  
by Emily Lloyd-Jones;  
Little Brown

A story of a falling Kingdom, magic, a fae-cursed young man, the lady of thieves, a girl named Mer, and a corgi that may be a spy.

As the last water diviner of her time, Mer found herself at the helm of the Prince's demands. Her job was to seek out the wells of his enemies, unaware of his plans to poison them. Once she discovers the truth, the only thing left for Mer to do is flee, becoming out of reach to the Prince. But when she is offered a proposition to turn the tables and bring down the Prince. Now it

is up to Mer and a crew of misfit allies to bring down a prince to save the Kingdom and themselves. All set in the same world as The Bone Houses, this story intertwines dark fantasy, fairytale elements, and the fight for what is right.

**The King Will Kill You**  
by Sarah Henning;  
Tor Teen

The conclusion readers have been waiting for is finally here. Everything is finally coming together for Princess Amarande, she is able to rule as Queen and be with her one true love, but everything is not that easy. Some oppose her views and are willing to take revenge at any cost, even if it's deadly. Start this epic fantasy with *The Princess will Save You* and be taken on an adventure that interlaces, twists, and turns around every page, forbidden love, betrayal, and even pirates. ★

# Crime Reports

## WEST SACRAMENTO

August 13, 2022 - August 30, 2022



- 8-13-22 ISAAH FENNEMAMONTOYA Notice to appear for exhibition of speed and reckless driving.
- 8-13-22 MAIWAND MAIWANDI Notice to appear for exhibition of speed and reckless driving.
- 8-19-22 CODY MILLER Arrested for possession of a controlled substance, possession of controlled substance narcotic, vandalism after police responded to burglary call.
- 8-20-22 JEFFERY BARRETTO II Arrested for DUI alcohol, DUI alcohol/0.08 percent, VC Hit and Run: property damage.
- 8-20-22 CORNELIO SANCHEZ Arrested for disorderly conduct: alcohol.
- 8-20-22 CHRISTOPHER TRENT Arrested for 9 warrants after police responded to a shoplifting that turned into a trespassing call.
- 8-24-22 JUSTIN FREY Arrested for warrant.
- 8-24-22 ANTHONY GOODSON Arrested for warrant.
- 8-26-22 DASEAN BETTIS Arrested for evading peace officer and obstruction after driver failed to stop for police, then ran into a house. Suspect eventually came out of house and surrendered.
- 8-27-22 BRIAN MCDONALD Arrested for violation of parole:felony, obstruction and a bench warrant.
- 8-27-22 BENNIE RAYE Arrested for robbery and threaten a crime with intent to terrorize after allegedly robbing victim for purse and bike by knife point. Subject was found with items and knife in his possession.
- 8-27-22 STEVEN GILL arrested for 5 warrants.
- 8-28-22 ANGEL NEGRETE Arrested for taking vehicle without owner's consent for allegedly stealing a tractor.

### INCIDENT/CRIME REPORTS

- 8-16-22 Victim's tires were slashed while parked at Post Office overnight. Vandalism approx. value \$500.
- 8-19-22 Victim's apartment was burglarized. Entry point was bathroom window and the only item taken was prescription medication (xanax). Burglary.
- 8-23-22 Stolen catalytic converter.
- 8-23-22 Vehicle ignition damaged.
- 8-23-22 Stolen catalytic converter.
- 8-25-22 subject showed up at victim's house. Victim told subject to leave multiple times. Subject punched victim in face, hit victim on head with a flashlight and bit victim's finger in physical altercation then fled by car. Victim did not know subject. Assault with a deadly weapon Not f/arm.
- 8-25-22 Stolen catalytic converters.
- 8-25-22 Unidentified suspect broke the window of three vehicles and stole the registration out of one of them. Burglary, vandalism.
- 8-27-22 Unknown suspect broke into the window of victim's vehicle. Victim was not located.
- 8-27-22 Unknown subject made unknown kind of entrance into a residence and stole items.
- 8-27-22 Driver almost caused an accident, showed signs of intoxication and blew a 0.16 and was arrested and released to AMR for medical reasons. DUI, DUI alcohol above 0.08.
- 8-28-22 Unknown suspect burglarized business and stole a saw.
- 8-28-22 Catalytic converter theft.
- 8-29-22 Catalytic converter theft.
- 8-30-22 Victim's work truck was broken into by broken window. Victim confronted suspect and recovered battery pack that was stolen from truck. Suspect unknown.

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 15. Move sideways  
 16. Southeast Asia org.  
 17. Hula dancer's garland  
 18. Like the Vitruvian Man  
 19. "New type of movie in the 1920s"  
 21. "Jack Dempsey's sport  
 23. Triple \_\_\_ liqueur  
 24. Prep flour  
 25. "Hamilton: An American Musical" singing style  
 28. Floppy data storage  
 30. Smack  
 35. Not much (2 words)  
 37. "Prolific playwright \_\_\_ Coward  
 39. Sacrum, pl.  
 40. "Nana" author Émile  
 41. Flash of light  
 43. Not kosher  
 44. Convex molding  
 46. "Football legend Graham, born in 1921  
 47. Furniture wood  
 48. Not wholesale  
 50. Aquatic snakes  
 52. Reggae precursor  
 53. Animal den  
 55. Café alternative  
 57. "Assassinated Villa  
 60. "St. \_\_\_, 1928 Olympic site  
 63. East Asian peninsula  
 64. Nope  
 66. "Bite the bullet," e.g.  
 68. Relating to Quechuan people  
 69. B&B, e.g.  
 70. Foul smell  
 71. Challenge  
 72. Langley, VA agency  
 73. Decorates, as in Christmas tree

DOWN  
 1. Type of undergarment  
 2. \*Like generation described by Gertrude Stein  
 3. Brain wave  
 4. Shades of blue  
 5. Very tired  
 6. "The Fighter" actor Christian  
 7. Bass or Redhook  
 8. Defendant's excuse  
 9. Longer than mini  
 10. Port in Yemen  
 11. Smelting waste  
 12. \_\_\_ Aviv  
 15. 6 equal parts of 6  
 20. Cake layer  
 22. Short for oftentimes  
 24. Mosquito, slangily  
 25. Schick's product  
 26. Beyond's partner  
 27. \*Amelia Earhart, e.g.  
 29. \*Like Charles Lindbergh's 1927 transatlantic flight  
 31. W on a bulb  
 32. TV classic "Green \_\_\_"  
 33. Floorboard sound  
 34. "The Trial" and "The Castle" author Franz \_\_\_  
 36. Samoan money  
 38. Not on time  
 42. Much, in Italy  
 45. Tin Man's prop  
 49. Follows soh  
 51. Confession, archaic  
 54. Not Doric nor Corinthian  
 56. Downy duck  
 57. Kind of cornbread  
 58. Rainbows and such  
 59. Like a drink in a snifter  
 60. Mimicking bird  
 61. \_\_\_caca, South American lake  
 62. Type of modern meeting  
 63. \*American Girl character born in 1923  
 65. American cuckoo  
 67. Robinson to "The Graduate"

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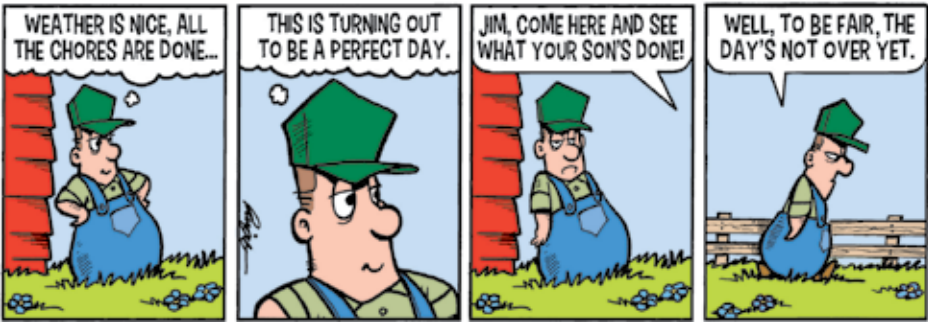
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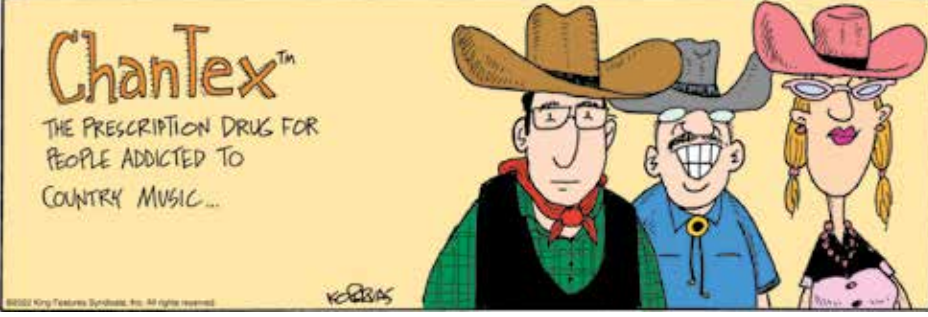
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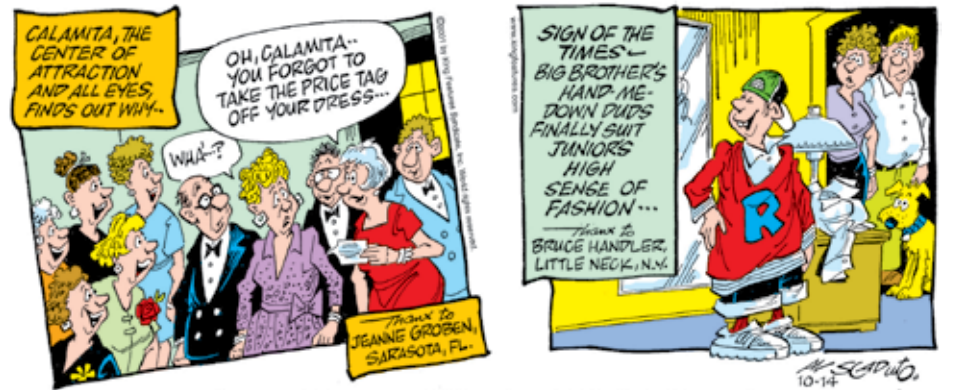
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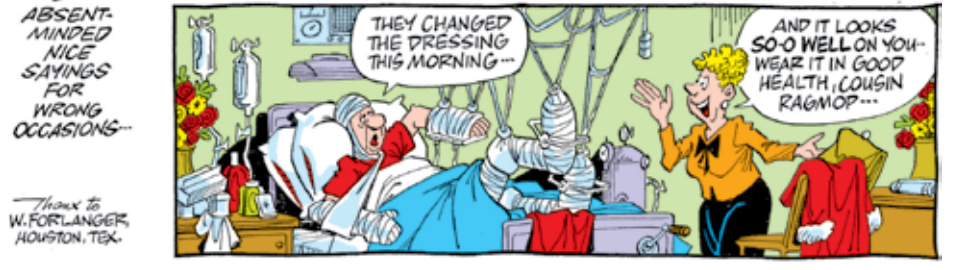
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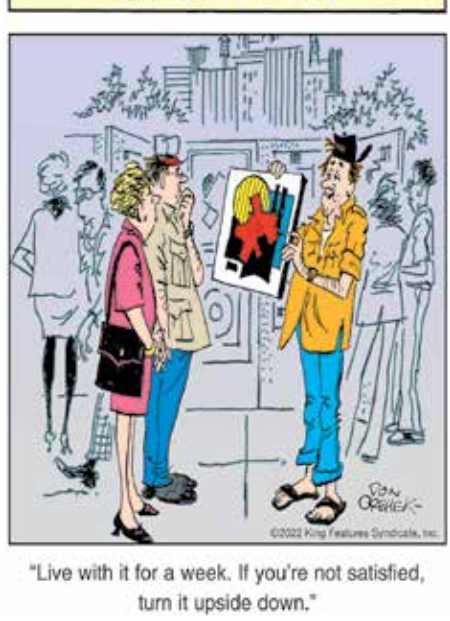
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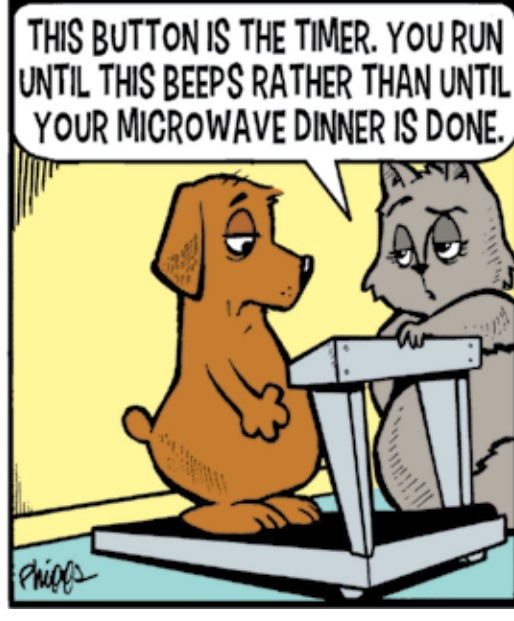
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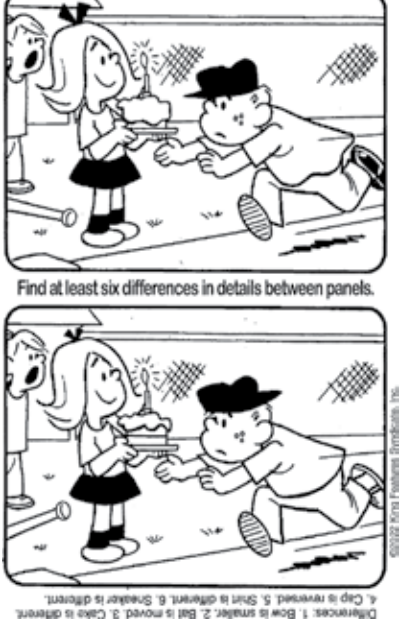
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# We Can Do It - Together! - Inspiring Girls in STEM



STEM mentors from the St. Francis High School Genesis Robotics Team and student mentors from Echelon Catapult at the Aerospace Museum of California in McClellan. Photo courtesy of the Aerospace Museum of California

## Aerospace Museum of California News Release

**MCCLELLAN, CA (MPG)** - On Saturday, September 24, 2022, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., the Aerospace Museum of California will host the second annual We Can Do It - Together! - Inspiring Girls in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math).

This event is a perfect opportunity for families and youth organizations with middle school and high school-age girls to meet and learn from Sacramento area women role models who will share their journey in STEM. Students and families will be able to connect with diverse women in a variety of STEM careers at our meet and greet table talks, as well as participate in fun STEM-based demonstrations, activities, and scavenger hunts.

Linda Martin, the Aerospace Museum of California's Board President stated, "As a former Associate Superintendent, I know how important it is to inspire our

young people, especially girls, with engaging hands-on STEM education. Our Museum's upcoming event We Can Do It - Together: Inspiring Girls in STEM pays homage to Rosie the Riveter, who became an iconic symbol and inspiration to women, who stepped up and took on previously male-dominated roles in factories during World War II.

"Today, we aim to inspire another generation of women to explore, discover and dream of a career in STEM. Currently, women are underrepresented in STEM careers, accounting for only 27% of the workforce. This makes our Museum's incredibly important mission all the more relevant. We believe that fun and engaging hands-on experiences in STEM learning will spark interest and passion, and events like We Can Do It - Together will help connect young girls with role models and explore future careers opportunities."

The Aerospace Museum of California is pleased to host dozens of professional women in

diverse fields and backgrounds to be STEM/STEAM role models for this event. Students and families will be inspired as these incredible women describe how they became interested in their field, and share what they have learned from their experiences. Career path information will be available as well as interactive demonstrations and fun hands-on STEM-based activities and experiments such as parachute engineering, rocket launching and so much more!

Partners for the event are SMUD, the San Juan Unified School District, Girl Scouts, UC Davis (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department), Echelon Catapults, the St. Francis High School Robotics team and the Kiwanis Club of Carmichael.

We invite families and youth organizations to help these girls to imagine their dreams and help them take flight. Family/Group tickets are \$10 for up to 6 people. Please see our website for more information: <https://www.aerospaceca.org>.



STEM event attendees construct paper airplane launchers at the Aerospace Museum of California in McClellan. Photo courtesy of the Aerospace Museum of California



Aerospace Museum of California Board President Linda Martin (left) and Committee Member Donna Miller pose for a photo at the 2021 Girls in STEM event at the Aerospace Museum of California in McClellan. Photo courtesy of the Aerospace Museum of California



Table Talk Presenter Monique Day, a Water Resources Engineer from West Yost Associates, speaks at the 2021 Girls in STEM event at the Aerospace Museum of California in McClellan. Photo courtesy of the Aerospace Museum of California



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