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The Neighborhood Improvement Partnership Grant Program poses at a previous meeting. Photo courtesy of the City of Citrus Heights

By Shaunna Boyd

CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA (MPG) - At the April 25 meeting, the Citrus Heights City Council considered several applications for the Neighborhood Improvement Partnership (NIP) Fund, which is intended to support activities that increase community engagement at the neighborhood level.

One request was from Sunrise Ranch (Area 6), which requested \$2,908.01 to replace welcome signs

in their neighborhood. The other two requests, from Area 3 and Area 4, were for \$1,800 each to cover the cost of attending the Neighborhood USA (NUSA) conference being held in May in Lubbock, Texas.

At the April 11 meeting, Council considered similar funding requests for NUSA attendance, and at that time Vice Mayor Jayna Karpinski-Costa requested stricter guidelines be implemented for NIP eligibility. Economic Development and Community Engagement

Director Meghan Huber said that staff is drafting potential amendments, which will come to Council for consideration at a future meeting. Staff evaluated the current requests and found all three meet the existing eligibility criteria for NIP funding.

Approval of the three requests would total \$6,508.01, leaving \$2,391.99 in NIP funding available through the end of the fiscal year on June 30, 2024.

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Volunteers Needed for Public Emergency Response

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - When disasters occur that require onsite medical assistance, first responders can become overwhelmed by the number of victims who need help.

There is a group of medical and non-medical volunteers in Sacramento County who answer the call and assist the injured in their time of need. The Sacramento Medical Reserve Corps (SMRC) was created to strengthen public health, emergency response and community resiliency.

The group is looking for more volunteers dedicated to public service, along with assisting on large-scale disasters, public health emergencies, or extreme weather events. SMRC is also always ready to help in various capacities. SMRC staffs first aid stations at large community events, provides health screenings at health fairs, supports public health with flu clinics, and promotes emergency preparedness to service organizations and neighborhood groups.

The volunteers of SMRC are critical to help keep Sacramento County protected and prepared for any situation. For one volunteer, that dedication has not gone unnoticed. SMRC member, Michael Joseph, was selected as one of three finalists for the 2024 Outstanding Medical Reserve Corps Responder by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services National Medical Reserve Corps program office. The award will be announced at the 2024 National Medical Reserve Corps Conference in May.

SMRC is looking for others who want to join Michael in helping assist residents in our area. To become a member of SMRC, you can apply online. What if you don't feel qualified or don't have time, but still want to help? Donations are also accepted via the non-profit SMRC Foundation. This foundation helps to offset the costs during emergency responses and assists in purchasing needed supplies.



County Nurses Prepare for Disasters



Nurses train with a dummy in a hospital bed. Courtesy photo

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Sacramento County's Department of Health Services (DHS) is taking a proactive approach

by providing four Nurse Disaster Worker Trainings to ensure County nurses are prepared and well-educated ahead of a disaster.

prepared and well-educated ahead of a disaster. According to Director of Public Health Nursing, Lynnan Svensson, this training is important because, in an emergency, County public health nurses would move into a situation that's different than their normal workday and comfort level. By collaborating with local

nursing professionals, our nurses will be equipped to provide safe and effective care to our community. The four-part nurse train-

ing series covers a range of topics, including disaster

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SacRT Orders Nine Additional **Low-Floor Light Rail Vehicles**

SacRT News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento Regional Transit District (SacRT) is adding to its order of new low-floor light rail vehicles from Siemens Mobility (Siemens) with an additional order of nine S700 vehicles. This order builds on the previous order of 36, bringing the total number of trains ordered to 45. SacRT's contract with Siemens is for the purchase of up to 76 new low-floor light rail vehicles.

"As we continue to prioritize the enhancement of our transit system, I am thrilled to announce the purchase of nine additional new low floor light rail vehicles," said SacRT General Manager/CEO Henry Li. "By investing in these state-of-the-art trains, we are not only elevating the transit experience for our riders but also reinforcing our dedication to a sustainable future for the Sacramento region."

"We are grateful to Sacramento Regional Transit for this latest order of nine light rail vehicles, and excited to continue our long-standing partnership," said Michael Cahill, President Rolling Stock Siemens Mobility North America. "Bringing SacRT's fleet of S700 LRVs to 45 new low floor vehicles is an exciting feat that highlights our dedication to the region. These American made trains built right here in Sacramento by our team of more than 2,500 will help to elevate rail travel in our community."

"Once again, Sacramento is at the forefront of innovation in public transit, thanks to the collaborative efforts of SacRT and Siemens Mobility," said Congresswoman Doris Matsui. "This investment underscores the importance of federal support for our region's transportation infrastructure. By leveraging resources from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, we are creating job opportunities and paving the way for a more sustainable and efficient transit

"This order for nine additional light rail trains will enhance the rider's experience and improve accessibility for all members of our community," said Congressman Ami Bera. "I applaud SacRT's proactive approach to investing in the future of transportation, and I look forward to seeing the positive impact these new trains will have on our region."

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rail trains marks a significant milestone in SacRT's ongoing efforts to modernize its fleet and provide reliable, accessible transportation options for Sacramento residents," said SacRT Board Chair and Sacramento County Supervisor Patrick Kennedy. "We are not only improving the quality of service for our riders but also reaffirming our commitment to sustainability and inclusivity. These new trains will play a vital role in enhancing the overall transit experience and supporting the continued growth and development of our region."

The S700 low-floor vehicles have platform boarding at every doorway and allow riders in mobility devices to board using a deployable ramp at the two center doors instead of having to use a mini-high ramp. Each vehicle features four dedicated wheelchair locations. The spacious seating design with larger windows allows for better light and views. In addition, the vehicles have better temperature control for heating and cooling and improved reliability with remote diagnostics and predictive maintenance.

Siemens has already delivered 20 new S700 low-floor light rail vehicles to SacRT's light rail facility in north Sacramento where they are undergoing rigorous testing procedures. These tests are vital to ensuring the trains meet stringent safety and performance standards before being integrated into service, which is expected to begin on the Gold and Green lines in summer 2024. The Blue Line will continue to operate the current high-floor light rail trains, which still require riders in mobility devices and those unable to climb stairs to use the mini-high ramps at the ends of the station platforms. SacRT will begin construction on Blue Line station platforms to meet the height requirements of the new low-floor trains in late 2024 and construction is expected to be completed by 2027. Learn more about SacRT's Light Rail Modernization Project at sacrt.com/ modernization.

The S700 vehicles for SacRT are manufactured by Siemens Mobility in south Sacramento, keeping jobs in the region. The plant is one of the largest and most sustainable facilities in the U.S. and is part of Siemens Mobility's larger U.S manufacturing network of eight facilities, nearly 4,500 employees and 2,000 suppliers.

Baa-aad News for Fire Fuels



Goats receive captions from Sacramento County. Image courtesy of Sacramento County

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - We've goat some exciting news for ewe (ok, no more puns)! The Sacramento County Department of Regional Parks is gearing up for its multi-pronged efforts to reduce fire risk, defend wildlife habitats and protect our natural resources and the neighborhoods adjacent to the parks.

For its 2024 Fire Fuel Reduction Action Plan, the Department of Regional Parks has lined up sheep and goat grazing contracts, is utilizing park maintenance crews (and other manned crews through contracts with the California Conservation Corps and Sacramento Regional Conservation Corps) to maintain fire breaks, and is issuing fuel break maintenance permits to properties bordering Regional Park properties.

"We had another wet winter and a surprisingly wet spring, so we anticipate a similar vegetation situation that we found ourselves with last year," said Liz Bellas, director of Regional Parks. "As all this vegetation dries out, the fire risk increases, so the work we are doing, and the work our contractors are doing is going to be critical this year."

To decrease the number and size potential of wildfires in our parks system, the techniques used will be applicable for each area and will include:

Firebreaks – A combination of mowing, soil discing and targeted herbicides will be used where appropriate to create perimeters around open fields, along fence lines and behind neighborhoods. This work is scheduled to be completed by the end of

Ladder Fuel Hand-Crews - In limited, hard-to-reach areas, hand-crews will remove vegetation that allows the potential for a fire to climb up or move into urban

Grazing - There are hundreds of acres of undeveloped or protected land in our Regional Parks. Goats and sheep are ideal for vegetation management and are great at eating down weeds, bushes and grass that manned crews cannot get to. Grazing is expected to occur through the end of June.

Annual Encroachment Permits -Residents who live adjacent to Regional Parks' properties are able to apply for free annual encroachment permits to maintain a fire break behind their property line. These allow residents to string-trim grass and weeds for up to 50 feet beyond their private property line. To request a permit, provide your name, address and contact information to Regional Parks at parksinfo@ SacCounty.gov.

Additionally, the Ranger Division will continue its increased education and enforcement efforts related to illegal fires and cooking along the parkway in an effort to reduce the number of new fire outbreaks.

"These efforts have been paying dividends over the last two years," said Leonard Orman, chief ranger. "In 2023, there were a total of 65 fires in our parks, down from 85 in 2022, and 170 in 2021."

Visitors to Sacramento County Regional Parks should be aware of the following regulations: Open flame fires are NOT allowed, and barbequing is only permitted in designated picnic areas. Smoking is only allowed in developed picnic areas, asphalt surfaces, golf courses and levee tops along the American River Parkway.

Visit the Regional Parks website to learn more about the 2024 Fire Fuel Reduction Action Plan for Sacramento County Parks. If you see a fire burning in our Regional Parks, please call 9-1-1.



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Area 4 representative, John Kane, addressed the Council. He explained that he is in the process of resurrecting the Area 4 neighborhood group, and he thought attending the conference would help him find ways to increase interest and engagement in his neighborhood.

Vice Mayor Karpinski-Costa felt that using the funding for conference attendance would reduce the amount of money available for neighborhood projects. In particular, she mentioned a bench project her neighborhood group is working on, but due to various delays, they have been unable to submit an application at this time. The vice mayor also said that the presentations scheduled at this year's NUSA conference would focus on tips for established neighborhood groups, not for getting a neighborhood group started.

Kane said that the goal was to "simply be more effective in my community."

Councilmember Tim Schaefer said NUSA is a "great reflection of what a neighborhood can be," providing examples of positive neighborhood engagement. "It's an eye-opening experience." Schaefer said attending the conference provides many opportunities to discover new ways to get people involved.

Councilmember Porsche Middleton said to Kane, "I think it's great that you want to go. I believe that in order for you to tell a story to your neighbors, in order to say, 'This is what we can be'...you have to have some ideas." She said he could talk to other attendees who have gone through similar struggles to get a neighborhood group started, and he can bring that passion to Citrus Heights to enhance the community.

Councilmember Schaefer added that after these requests there would still be more than \$2,000 available for other



Community members join the Economic Development & Community Engagement Department for office hours regarding the Community Projects Grant in March. Photo courtesy of the City of Citrus Heights

projects before the end of June, and starting in July there would be a whole new pot of money available for the next fiscal year.

Council unanimously approved the request for Area 6's new signs. NUSA attendance for Area 3 was approved 4-1, with Vice Mayor Karpinski-Costa dissenting, because she said that member attended the conference last year with NIP funding. NUSA attendance for John Kane from Area 4 was approved 5-0, with Karpinski-Costa saying she was "swaved to ves."

The Council also considered allocations for the second round of the Citrus Heights Community Projects Grant Program, which was first launched in March 2023 with funding from the City's federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) award. In the first round, funding went to the Citrus Heights Women's Club, Citrus Heights Arts, Junior Achievement of Sacramento, Royal Stage, and Sunrise Christian Food Ministry.

This is the second round of allocations for the program for the 2022/2023 fiscal year, which ends this June. The program was open to any nonprofit, community group, or organization with projects or events that improve the quality of life for local residents and promote community engagement. For the second round, the City received 12 applications with a total of \$249,000 in funding requests. There is \$50,000 available in the fund.

Ten community groups were recommended for approval, with several of the groups actually receiving awards from other more applicable funds, for a total Round 2 award of \$67,000. From the Community Projects Grant, the requests recommended for approval were Citrus Heights HART (\$5,000), Empact (\$5,000), Junior Achievement of Sacramento (\$8,200), Kiwanis (\$3,000), Purple Pageant (\$8,000), International Association of Human Values (\$9,800), and The Foundation Inc./The Glass Slipper (\$10,000). The Healing Palette was recommended to receive \$1,000 from the Community Projects Grant and an additional \$2,000 from the History and Arts Grant, since they are proposing a mural project. Staff recommended two requests be awarded through the Community Support Fund: Sunrise Chrisitan Food Ministry (\$10,000) and the Veterans Community Center (\$5,000).

Council voted unanimously to approve the recommended awards from the Community Support Fund and the History and Arts Grant. They approved the Round 2 awards of the Community Projects Grant 4-0 (Councilmember MariJane Lopez-Taff recused herself from this vote due to a previous professional relationship with one of the applicants).

Council then considered moving their meetings from the second and fourth Thursday of each month to the second and fourth Wednesday, at 6:00 p.m. City Council meetings were originally held on Wednesdays but were moved to Thursdays in 2005 in order to obtain live broadcasting on Metro Cable's local government affairs channel.

But staff found that Thursday evenings tend to be busier-with more community events and other regional board meetings. Those busy Thursday evenings mean that less community members are able to attend City Council meetings, and Councilmembers aren't available to attend those other events. And some Council meetings have even had to be cancelled in the past when too many members had schedule conflicts on Thursdays.

Metro Cable advised staff that they can now provide live coverage on Wednesday evenings, with only an occasional potential conflict if an earlier meeting's coverage ran long. And with the advance in technologies, the City in recent years has been able to live broadcast the meetings online.

Planning Commission meetings are currently held on the second and fourth Wednesdays, so moving the Council meetings would require also moving the Planning Commission meetings, to the second and fourth Tuesdays at 6:00 PM—which posed no scheduling conflicts for the current Planning Commissioners.

Council unanimously approved the schedule change for City Council meetings and Planning Commission meetings. Staff will launch a public notification campaign, and the change will take effect this July.

The next meeting of the Citrus Heights City Council is scheduled for May 9.

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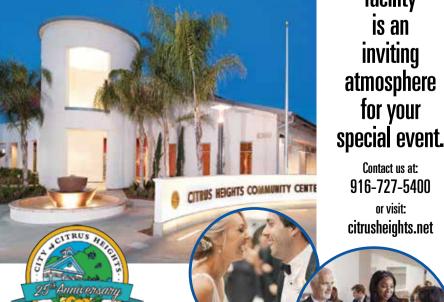
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Credit Union SACTOWN Run Raises \$216,500



Participants get off to a good start at the Credit Union SACTOWN Run. Photo courtesy of California and Nevada Credit Union Leagues

California and Nevada Credit Union Leagues News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The annual Credit Union SACTOWN Run on April 7 in Sacramento raised more than \$216,500 for 11 Children's Miracle Network Hospitals (CMN) and helped local kids throughout California and Nevada receive the medical care they need.

More than 2,000 runners participated in this year's run, including 986 credit union employees and credit union members from across California and Nevada. The event, which started and ended on the Capitol Mall in front of the California State Capitol, featured a 10-mile race, 5K run/walk and Miracle Mile.

The run was hosted by the Sacramento Running Association

(SRA), a community-based nonprofit that promotes the sport of running in the greater Sacramento area, including the California International Marathon. It serves as the USA Track and Field's Pacific Association 10-Mile Championship.

"Thanks to incredible partners like the Sacramento Running Association and generous sponsors, runners and volunteers from California and Nevada, we are helping countless children at Children's Miracle Network Hospitals receive critical medical attention," said Diana Dykstra, president and CEO of the California and Nevada Credit Union Leagues (Ontario). "Because of the amazing work of so many credit union movement supporters, we're making a real difference for kids across both states. These funds directly support the CMN Hospital system, ensuring children and their families receive the best possible care and support. Thank you once again for creating even more miracles."

The annual Credit Union SACTOWN Run wouldn't be possible without the tireless efforts of credit union leaders and professionals from across California and Nevada.

Credit Union SACTOWN Run Champions, Race Times and Results

The following champions clocked the best times during the race:

-10-Mile Run Champion (men): Silas Frantz (San Luis Obispo, CA) — 47:44 (time); 4:46 (pace). -10-Mile Run Champion (women): Cali Hauger-Thackery (Flagstaff, AZ) — 52:06 (time); 5:13 (pace). -5K Run/Walk Champion (men): Anthony Mallory (Folsom, CA) — 16:18 (time); 5:14 (pace).

-5K Run/Walk Champion (women): Sara Wolf (Sacramento, CA) — 19:12 (time); 6:10 (pace).

- 1 0 - M i 1 e A D A Accommodations Champion: Johnny Comilang (Sacramento, CA) — 1:38:21 (time); 9:50

Keep an eye out for Calli Hauger-Thackery at the 2024 Summer Olympics in Paris this August.

(pace).

CMN 'Champion:' Shine Duby's Story

Each year, CMN Hospitals across the United States identify a "champion" in their local community to represent kids treated at the local children's hospital. This year's champion is Shine Duby, a "miracle baby" who beat all the odds

through medical care and support, and who ran this year's Miracle Mile!

His story is living proof of the survivability of individuals with Popliteal Pterygium Syndrome (PPS) — Bartsocas-Papas type. He's a "shining" example of resilience in the face of adversity. Shine wouldn't be where he is without this team at UC Davis Children's Hospital. From the beginning, everyone supported him and always made his mother and family feel like he was cared for with loving attention and treatment. He's now living his best life and representing CMN at UC Davis.

The annual Credit Union SACTOWN Run is for kids such as Shine and so many others across California and Nevada. Thank you to everyone who participated in this year's event. ★

Supervisors Hold Housing and Infill Workshop

Sacramento County News Release

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SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The Board of Supervisors conducted a workshop at its April 10 meeting to discuss a range of policy considerations related to process improvements, hearing body authority and regulatory and financial incentives to streamline development of housing in infill areas.

The Board of Supervisors directed Community Development Department staff to return with a Resolution of Intention to amend the County's Zoning Code and County Code in ways that would facilitate streamlined housing production and accelerate infill development.

"We're taking this feedback from the board and will put together a Resolution of Intention to present back to the board in the coming months," said Todd Smith, planning director. "Our overall goal is to increase the amount of infill development in the unincorporated county and this guidance will become our north star as we move forward with this process."

High quality infill development benefits the region through investments in aging communities, reducing vehicle miles traveled and associated emissions, and generally improving the quality of life for residents.

In February 2023, the Board of Supervisors adopted a Resolution regarding the County's Development Review Process Improvements that provided general direction to staff to address process-related constraints to improving the built environment in Sacramento County.

The Board subsequently discussed infill and housing at the September 19, 2023, Board retreat. As it relates to housing and infill, the Resolution

acknowledges the unprecedented housing supply and affordability crisis, identifies the need to facilitate equitable investment in and economic development of existing communities, particularly within aging commercial corridors and Environmental Justice communities, and public improvements to help catalyze such investments.

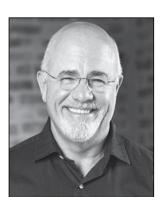
The Resolution further expresses the Board's general support for amendments to County codes and regulations that allow for more ministerial/by-right development and more approvals at the staff level or lower hearing

bodies. Infill development is highlighted as a priority in the goals, policies, and implementation measures of the Sacramento County General Plan.

The recommendations made and potential process improvements suggested at the housing and infill workshop are very much in line with the February 2023 Resolution. A Resolution of Intention related to this workshop will come before the board in the coming months. To stay up to date on all of the County's infill efforts and to subscribe to project updates, visit SacramentoCountyInfill.com



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Plug In or Promote from Within?

Dear Dave.

I own a small business with about 20 team members, and we're doing pretty well. Last year, we had revenues of about \$1.2 million and profits of \$250,000. How do I find leadership within my company that cares about the vision and value of my company enough to help me grow it to the next level? I have two people in mind here who have impressed me a lot in the last two years, and I'd like for one of them to take a step up in the company. I'd like for this person to also challenge me and help me grow as a leader.

- Troy

Dear Troy,

I want leaders on my team who aren't afraid to bring things to my attention. If there are things they feel I need to work on, or look at differently, I want them to let me know. I'm not perfect, that's for sure. And I've

Dave Ramsey Says

made plenty of mistakes during my 30-plus years in business. But when it comes right down to it, it's not their job to challenge me and help me grow. As a leader, that's on me. It's my responsibility to make sure I'm constantly challenging myself and growing as a leader and businessman.

Now, developing your team members and getting them to actually care and align with your mission? That is part of your job. You don't want leaders within your organization who aren't aligned with what you're trying to accomplish. When that happens, you've got a leader working a J-O-B. And at that point, they're no longer a leader. They're just a boss. Leaders lead. They show the way, they encourage and they lead by example. A boss just tells people what to do.

Over the years, I've had more luck promoting from within than I have bringing in someone new and plugging them in. Maybe there's someone there who's smart, already showing potential and demonstrating they care about the place and your mission. That's someone you can tap on the shoulder and start to move in a leadership direction. That kind of person is already fired up and wired up, so take

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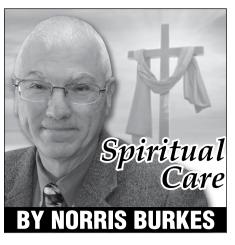
Here's an easy step: Find a really good small-business and leadership book, buy three copies and start a series of study sessions with you and the two team members you mentioned earlier. Let them know you feel they have real leadership potential, then read through the chapters together and discuss one or two over a lunch each week. Open up the discussions, and just let them talk. After a few weeks of this, it'll start to become clear really fast if either one is suited for a bigger role in the company. It'll become the ultimate interview process.

Great question, Troy. Best of luck to you and your company as you take this next big step!

Dave

Dave Ramsey is an eighttime national bestselling author, personal finance expert and host of The Ramsey Show. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people take control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions

What's In a Name?



Do you know anyone whose last name appropriately describes them?

Such names are called an aptronym because their name "aptly" matches their job or personality in a humorous or ironic way.

During the years I served as an Air Force chaplain, I knew a few chaplains fittingly named. For instance, Chaplain Grace was a Universalist minister whose theology extended grace to all. And Chaplain Love was a caring and popular Catholic priest.

But it was 2nd Lieutenant Friend, who tried a little too hard to become his aptronym, that really made an impression. I met him 35 years ago when I began my career as a 1st Lieutenant.

He was a "Chaplain Candidate," a seminary student, who is granted the rank of 2nd Lieutenant for a 90-day trial period. The program provides on-the-job orientation for potential chaplains. "Just try it," candidates are told by recruit-

ers. "You can quit anytime without further commitment."

But if candidates don't show the aptitude, the USAF can jettison the "butter bar" with little cause. In other words, the candidate can be "fired." (The single gold bar of the 2nd Lieutenant rank resembles a butter bar.)

During his short summer stay, Friend was given the opportunity to preach in the chapel, make ministry visits on a busy flightline (airport) and make hospital calls to sick airmen.

Friend made his aptronym known all over base, introducing himself as a "Friend of Jesus." He was, as vets say, "Living the

Yet with all his responsibilities, he sought more recognition.

One summer day, he approached our boss with a question.

"Is there a way I can earn a medal while

"No, we don't give out medals to

candidates," said our Senior Chaplain, a fullbird colonel (the rank below general).

The request must have sounded a bit self-centered because the boss asked his chapel staff for feedback on Friend.

"He told me that parishioners think he's the best chaplain on base," I said, "and they wish he was preaching every Sunday."

Our staff priest volunteered that Friend had interrupted flight line staff meetings with his tardiness.

Finally, the chaplain assistants chimed in. "He thinks chaplains should be able to carry guns like other officers." "I'll talk to him about that," our boss

said. "He should know that the Geneva

Convention classifies chaplains as non-combatants so we can neither train with, nor carry, weapons." (Chaplain Assistants remain armed in combat zones to protect their chaplains.) Sadly, I'm not sure Friend got clar-

ity about the weapons training prohibition. That's because one day, he returned to the chapel office with a blue-yellow-green ribbon on his chest.

"What's that for?" I asked.

"It's a Small Arms Expert Marksmanship Ribbon," Friend boasted. "I stopped by the range, and they invited me to qualify."

Before I could respond, the boss bellowed from his office.

"Lieutenant Friend! Get in here."

I don't know what our boss said. Perhaps he quoted Jesus' words in Luke 14:11, "For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled...." Or maybe he made his point with James 4:10, "Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up."

I can't say, but I do know the boss delivered some not-so-friendly-fire on the candidate's written evaluation. Sometimes the best spiritual lessons don't come in lectures.

A few weeks later, the colonel brought

that eval to the Base Headquarters for the commander's signature. "Is this report true?" the base commander

asked. "Did your candidate really say and do all this?" "Yes, but I think he deserves another

chance next summer," said our boss, always full of grace.

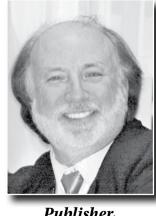
"Not on my base," said the commander. And with that final word, our chaplain office became...

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Minister Wants to Maximize Social Security Benefit



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: I want to apply for Social Security, but I want to make sure I get all the benefits I have earned. I am a veteran with a 10% disability rating (not sure if that matters). I am 68 years old. I am a minister and have been exempt from Social Security taxes for most of my income since I was about 30, but I still have the 40 quarters needed. I have also worked off and on in the secular workplace and continued paying Social Security taxes.

One hears a great deal about those who want to "help" us apply for Social Security, but which turn out to be a scam or want a fee. How do I apply and maximize my benefits with my unique situation? Signed: Seeking Answers

Dear Seeking: Don't worry about fees here at the AMAC Foundation - there is never a fee for the services we provide (we are non-profit). And I want to thank you for your military service - you may find the "For Veterans" section at our AMAC Foundation website interesting - www.amacfoundation.org.

To your question: Your VA disability rating does not affect your Social Security benefit. At 68 years old, your Social Security benefit payment has been earning Delayed

Retirement Credits (DRCs) since you reached your full retirement age (FRA) of 66 years and 4 months in July 2022. That means that your benefit, if you claim now, will be about 13% more than it would have been had you claimed at your FRA. FYI, if you continue to delay, your SS benefit will continue to grow (by 8% per additional year you delay), up to the month you turn 70. At that time, your SS benefit will be 29% higher than it would have been at your FRA. Nevertheless, if you wish to claim a smaller amount now, you can do so in a couple

· You can call Social Security (at 1.800.772.1213, or your local SS office) to request an appointment to apply. They will most likely set a date/time to call you to take your application over the phone (they discourage office visits these days). Once you have applied, it typically takes a month or two to process your application, but they will pay your benefits effective with the month you say you want them to begin. Note, they will likely also offer you six months of retroactive benefits but be aware that if you accept that offer your monthly payment will be permanently reduced by 4%.

• You can apply for your SS retirement benefit online at www.ssa.gov/apply. Applying online is, by far, the most efficient method, as shown in this short video: www.ssa.gov/ hlp/video/iclaim r01.htm.

However, to apply online you will need to first create your personal "my Social Security" online account at www.ssa. gov/myaccount. Once you have your personal online account set up, you will be able to see what your SS retirement benefit will be now, and at future ages should you plan to wait longer to claim. Your SS retirement benefit will be based on your lifetime record of earnings from which Social Security FICA taxes were withheld (or self-employment earnings on which SS payroll taxes were levied). In any case, your SS benefit will be based on your lifetime earnings record contributing to Social Security, as well as your age when you claim. You'll get your maximum benefit based on those factors.

Although your situation is somewhat uncommon, it is not exceptionally unique. Your VA disability rating does not affect your Social Security benefit and, because you are a member of the clergy, you are not subject to Social Security's Windfall Elimination Provision (WEP) – a rule which reduces SS benefits for those with a pension earned while not contributing to Social Security. In other words, your SS benefit will be based entirely on your lifetime record of earnings from which Social Security payroll taxes were withheld, and your age when your benefit starts.

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Social Security Matters County Nurses Prepare for Disasters

Continued from page 1 readiness, a clinical refresher and training for shelter leaders.

In March, DHS held its third training event, partnering with California State University Sacramento's School of Nursing faculty, local hospital nurses, nursing honor society members, and student nurses to provide three sessions of the Nurse Disaster Worker Clinical Skills Refresher which began with a classroom lecture followed by lab work.

"We went through a little bit of dyadic information, as far as taking care of nonobvious emergencies, in shelter situations. They will also be practicing some hands-on skills, basic patient assessments, mobility, how to use some of the equipment, and how to use some of the first aid equipment that's going to be available to some of these nurses," said Laura Cravens-Ray, assistant professor, California State University, Sacramento.

"Something I really wanted to learn, even before this, was wound care. So, I am really glad that we got to learn," said Darya Eslamian, public health nurse II at Sacramento County. "It's very important to have these trainings so when a disaster does happen, we are not trying to scramble and trying to learn everything. We are as prepared as possible."

To learn more about the third part of the nurse disaster training series, which included collaboration efforts with Sacramento State, watch the "Sacramento County Nurses Prepare for Disasters with a Training in Partnership with Sac State" on the County YouTube channel. More information regarding the fourth part of the training series will be provided as it becomes available.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005370 Brittney Roberts has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Arriana Harper Abbott to Arriana Levi

Roberts. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 4, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at

813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 18, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 2024 5-3-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #24CV002984

Raitavea Casey has filed a pe-

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sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 7, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 21, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 2024

5-3-24 SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME**

Maksym Heorhitsa has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Maksym Heorhitsa to Maksym Nahuliak. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

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sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 31, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: Apil 3, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 2024 5-3-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE #24CV006033 Alaa'i Ezzeldin Ahamed has filed

a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Alaa'i Ezzeldin Ahamed to Alaa'i Ezzeldin Alshabrawy. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 30, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 29, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 2024 SUPERIOR COURT OF

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #24CV006411 Faegheh Ghaderinasrabad has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s)

of Faegheh Ghaderinasrabad to IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 1, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at

813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: Apil 4, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 2024 **GHADERI** 5-3-24

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV006751 Kimberly Duvall-Hoehn

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filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Kimberly Duvall-Hoehn to Kimberly Contreras Hoehn. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 2, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 8, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 2024 HOEHN 5-10-24 SUPERIOR COURT OF

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV006114 Melinda Van Egdon and Jason Van Egdon have filed a petition with this court for a decree

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changing the name(s) of Bo Dale Anderson to Beau David Van IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this

court on July 2, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 25, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 2024 5-10-24 SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA**

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV007185

Kelvin Lawson Jr and Kassev Jenae Lawson have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Knoel

Jewel Lawson to Knoelle Jewel Lawson. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 3, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at

813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA

95814, and show cause, if any,

why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 12, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 2024 LAWSON

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005355 Shaunte', Mostecki,

Arielle Shaunte' Mostecki have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Arielle Shaunte' Mostecki to Arielle Shaunte Buchanan and Aydon Troy Buchanan Neal to Aydon Troy Buchanan. ÍT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on June 4, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 20, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

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CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #24CV007595 Natalia Regina Rinker has filed

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a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Natalia Regina Rinker to Natalia Regina Hannahan. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this

court on July 10, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 17, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 2024

RINKER 5-17-24 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005850

Jesus Enrique Hinostroza Jr has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jesus Enrique Hinostroza Jr to Jay Enrique Hinostroza.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 12, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 27, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 2024 **HINOSTROZA**

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#24CV007012 Eric Deon Silas has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Eric Deon Silas to Fric Deon Barnes IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en titled matter appear before this court on August 7, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 10, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 2024

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#24CV007324

Carla Annette Smith has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Carla Annette Smith to Carla Annette Manchester.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on August 14, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 15, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 2024

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #24CV007963

Abiyah Olivia Ehindero has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Abiyah Olivia Ehindero to Sizannah Emet Hesed-Wells. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on July 16, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 23, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 3, 10. 17, 24, 2024 **EHINDERO**



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SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV007958

Monique Lee Davis has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Monique Lee Davis to Monique Lee Davis-DeRobertis.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 27, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 23, 2024

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SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

CHANGE OF NAME

#24CV006981 Cynthia Louise Plattner aka Cynthia Louise Fonseca has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Cynthia Louise Plattner aka Cynthia Louise Fonseca to

Cindie Loue Fonseca.

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IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 7, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 10, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 3, 10. 17, 24, 2024

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005911 Rene John Osgood aka Rene J

Osgood has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Rene John Osgood aka Rene J. Osgood to Rene Kline. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 25, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 25, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 3, 10. 17, 24, 2024

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF WALTER A MCCULLOUGH SR CASE NO. 24PR000551

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Walter A McCullough Sr. Probate Petition

has been filed by Walter A McCullough Jr, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Walter A McCullough Jr be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the dece-

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 May 28, 2024, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129, Room 214; Superior Court of California, County Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

ing 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 de-

ceased, you must file your claim

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

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and tele-

phone number of the Petitioner is: Walter A McCullough Jr, 6297 Dial Way, San Jose, CA 95129; 408-398-2950 Publish: April 19, 26, May 3, 2024 MCCULLOUGH

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOHN PATRICK MYERS CASE NO. 24PR001056 To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of John Patrick A Petition for Probate has been

filed by Linda S. Rasmussen, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Linda S. Rasmussen be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority

to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will granted unle 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 May 22, 2024, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written obections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or

a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under CITY OF CITRUS HEIGHTS

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: Heather S. Mayer, Esq, 400 Plaza Drive, Suite 145, Folsom, CA 95630; 916-631-

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARY ALICE JONES CASE NO. 24PR001000

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To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Mary Alice Jones. A Petition for Probate has

been filed by Robert Jones, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Robert Jones be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority

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

be held in this court as follows May 21, 2024, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129: Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour objections or file written obections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
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a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is: Robert Jones, 6228 Jack

London Circle, Sacramento, CA 95842: 916-956-5610 Publish: Month April 26, May 3, 10, 2024 **JONES** 5-10-24

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOE WHITTIE WALTERS SR CASE NO. 23PR000410 To all heirs, beneficiaries, cred-

itors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Joe Whittie Walters Sr.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Kasandra Leann Walters, the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Kasandra Leann Walters be aprequesting pointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the 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 May 28, 2024, 1:00 p.m. in Dept Probate, Room Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826 IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

ing of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written obiections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or

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

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is: Kasandra Leann Walters, 6221 Riverbelle Court, Rio Linda, CA 95673; 916-812-2174 Publish: Month April 26, May 3, 10, 2024

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF KURT WALTON BUEHLER CASE NO. 23PR002139 To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Kurt Walton Buehler. A Petition for Probate has been

filed by Lorelee Ann-Walton, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Lorelee Ann-Walton be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority

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

be held in this court as follows May 28, 2024, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129, Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826

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IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the de-

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

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: Thomas K. Porta, 1410 Georgia Street, Vallejo, CA 94590 707-643-7678

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ADMINISTER ESTATE OF **DOLORES ANITA JONES PYNE** CASE NO. 23PR001113 To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Dolores Anita Jones Pyne. A Petition for Probate has been

filed by Charlotte Jones, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Charlotte Jones be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority

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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows May 23, 2024, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

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kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request to Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is: Charlotte Jones, 7655 Poppy Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610; 916-201-0581 Publish: May 3, 10, 17, 2024 5-17-24

SUMMONS

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(FAMILY LAW) CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO): 22FL00626 NOTICE TO RESPONDENT

AVISO (Name): DEMANDADO (Nombre): Jamin Kieran Ewell YOU HAVE BEEN SUED.

Read the information below and on the next page. PETITIONER'S NOMBRE DEL DEMANDANTÈ): Stephanie Anna Louise Ewell. You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this Summons and

Petition are served on you to file a response (form FL-120) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone call or court appearance will not protect you. If you do not file your response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage or domestic partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. For legal advice contact a lawyer immediately. Get help finding a lawyer at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courts. ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California Legal Services website (www. lawhelpca.org) or by contacting your local county bar associa-Usted tiene 30 DÍAS

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

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

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court are: (El nombre v direccion de la corte es): Sacramento Superior Court, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner's attorney, or the petitioner without an attorney are: (El nombre, dirección y número de teléfono del abogado del peticionario, o del peticionario sin abogado es:) Matthew D. Roy, 770 L Street, Suite 950, Sacramento, CA 95814; 916-361-6028

Date: (Fecha) May 10, 2022 By: Christy Andrade, Clerk of Court K. Grady, Deputy STANDARD FAMILY LAW

RESTRAINING ORDERS Starting immediately, you and your spouse or domestic partner are restrained from:

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2. cashing, borrowing against, canceling, transferring, disposing of, or changing the beneficiaries of any insurance or other coverage, including life, health automobile, and disability, held for

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NOTICE OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 2024-002

CITY COUNCIL COMPENSATION The foregoing is a summary of an ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Citrus Heights at its meeting of April 25, 2024.

The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the Citrus Heights Municipal Code Section 2-32 regarding City Council compensation. On January 9, 1997, the Citrus Heights City Council enacted Section 2-32 of the Citrus Heights

Municipal Code which set the City Council's compensation at \$600.00 per month pursuant to the provisions of Government Code Section 36516. The compensation for Citrus Heights City Council has not been adjusted since 1997.

On June 29, 2023, Governor Newsom signed Senate Bill 329 (SB 329) into law amending Government Code Section 36516, which allows the first increase to the city councilmembers pay maximums since 1984. Effective January 1, 2024, the maximum allowable compensation rate for a city with a population of 75,00 up to and including 150,000, the bracket Citrus Heights falls in, is \$1,900 per month. The amendment will increase the City Council compensation to the maximum

allowable compensation, effective when a new council member is sworn into office or when a member of the City Council beings a new term. AYES: Council Members: Lopez-Taff, Middleton, Schaefer, Daniels

ABSTAIN: Council Members: None The full text of the ordinance is available in the City Clerk's Office, 6360 Fountain Square Drive,

ABSENT: Council Members: None

Council Members: Karpinski-Costa

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By Scott Knight, The Jason Foundation

Since 1949, Mental Health America and its affiliates across the country have led the

observance of May as Mental Health Awareness Month by reaching millions through the media, local events, and screenings. It raises awareness of trauma and the impact it can have on the physical, emotional, and mental well-being

of children, families, and communities. Cities and businesses across the country hold various events to support mental health and open up the lines of communication. Many websites provide ideas for businesses to support their employees during May and beyond. According to the CDC, suicide rates in

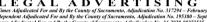
our country increased by 36% between 2000-2021. Suicide was responsible for 48.183 deaths in 2021 alone, which is about one death every 11 minutes. We know that many mental health disorders-including depression, bipolar disorder, borderline personality disorder, and PTSD-come with heightened risk of suicidal thoughts or attempts. While seeking help for suicidal thoughts or behaviors is critical regardless of the cause, securing a specific diagnosis may help the individual receive treatment-especially ongoing treatment -that is best suited to their mental health needs.

Mental Health America says that up to 60% of people who die by suicide have major depression, and research suggests that the majority of suicides are related to a psychiatric condition. If you or some-

> one you know is depressed, there are effective treatments available. Talking to your doctor is a fantastic first step, and you can also visit the National Alliance on Mental Health Illness to learn more about support groups that

you might find helpful.

The Jason Foundation is another valuable resource. JFI is dedicated to the prevention of the "Silent Epidemic" of suicide through educational and awareness programs. On its website, you will learn about warning signs and risk factors associated with people who may be struggling with mental health issues and suicidal ideation. JFI's website also has more information about finding a Jason Foundation location near you. We know that four out of five individuals considering suicide give some sign of their intentions, either verbally or behaviorally. In 80% of those considering suicide, we have an opportunity to recognize the warning signs and intervene. Take the time to educate yourselves on the warning signs and risk factors associated with suicide. This knowledge may help you save the life of a friend or



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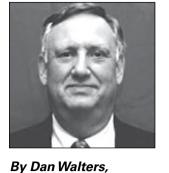
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It Descended Into Secrecy and Opacity



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California once was a national leader in making government more transparent, requiring state and local agencies to conduct their business in public meetings and giving Californians easy access to public records.

In recent years, however, transparency has eroded. The Legislature has retreated into semi-secrecy, particularly on the state budget but also on other major legislation. Due to a construction project, legislative offices have been moved from the Capitol to an almost impenetrable building, making in-person contact more difficult.

Behind those well-guarded doors, decisions are made and deals are cut and the outcomes are simply announced and enacted with sometimes little or no meaningful debate. In recent years, governors and legislators have been using budget "trailer bills" to pass major changes in policy with little or no notice.

The descent into secrecy has, for obvious reasons, coincided with the advent of one-party government. The dominant Democrats can ignore media and the larger public because they know their numbers insulate them from accountability. The increasing opacity of

state government decision making is compounded by its having data systems that are clunky and often offer

only outdated information. Cal-Access, the system that contains political information, such as campaign contributions and lobbying expenditures, is especially difficult to use and efforts to improve it have themselves been sporadic.

Projects to modernize the state's information technology have been underway for decades, but have experienced numerous delays and failures despite costing billions of

A poster child for the data shortcomings is the Financial Information System of California, which has the catchy acronym of FI\$Cal. It was envisioned many years ago as a comprehensive financial management tool for all state agencies but is only partially operational. One aspect of FI\$Cal's sit-

uation is that California is chronically tardy in reporting its financial picture. State Controller Maila Cohen recently released the state's "Comprehensive Financial Report," a nearly 400-page document required by law to be prepared each year. It was a report on the 2021-22 fiscal year that should have been issued a year earlier, but wasn't because FI\$Cal and other data systems could not generate timely and accurate numbers.

Cohen acknowledged its tardiness in a cover letter, saying it "will mark the fifth consecutive year that California has published its financial statements well beyond the regulatory deadline of nine months after the fiscal year end," and blamed it on FI\$Cal and other technical shortcomings. The state auditor's office,

which is charged with reviewing the annual financial report, has been highly critical of FI\$Cal's implementation in a series of audits for the Legislature. Three years ago, the office issued a report saying that FI\$Cal's deficiencies were chronically delaying the state's annual economic reports, and noting that delays were hindering the state's ability to borrow money and execute funding agreements.

Obviously little has happened since to rectify that embarrassing failure. The 2022-23 financial report should have been released this month, but it will probably be a year late as well. California's shortcom-

ings in transparency have not gone unnoticed outside the state. This week, an organization called Truth in Accounting, which monitors financial information management across the nation, issued a 50-state scorecard on transparency and California scored third from the bottom.

States were graded on such issues as the timeliness and accuracy of their financial reports, and their candor or lack of it – in reporting financial obligations such as unfunded liabilities of their public pension systems. A perfect score would have

been 100. New York was rated No. 1 with 86 points, followed by Wyoming and Hawaii. California's score was 48, higher than only Illinois and Georgia.

That's shameful. Dan Walters has been a

journalist for more than 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. He began his professional career in 1960, at age 16, at the Humboldt Times in Eureka, while still attending high school, and turned down a National Merit scholarship to continue working as a

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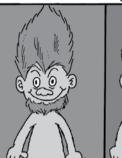






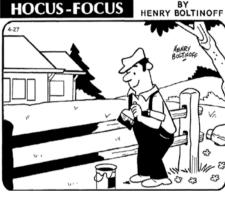
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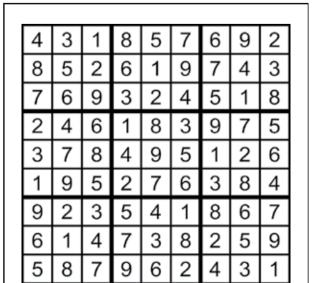
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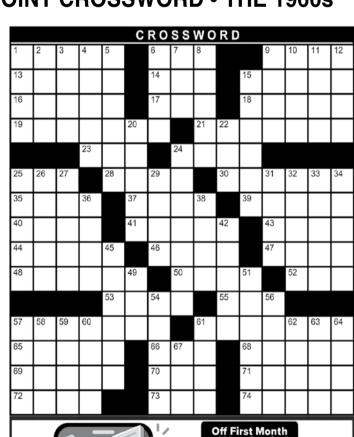
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Californians Get Hacked All the Time



Audits have found that California state agencies are unprepared for cyber attacks. The state's top cybersecurity post has been empty for some time. Image by Nikita Belokhonov - Pexels

By Khari Johnson **CALMatters.org**

You might think the home of Silicon Valley would rush to hire a cybersecurity chief, but you'd be wrong: California has left its top cybersecurity post vacant for nearly two

A spokesperson said there is no current timeline for Gov. Gavin Newsom to appoint anyone for the position, commander for the Cybersecurity Integration Center.

"We are a target," as a tech industry leader, the most populous state in the country, one of the busiest ports in the world, and the fifth largest economy in the world, said former cybersecurity integration center commander Jonathan Nunez in a video posted to YouTube two years ago. He took the helm in June 2020 and was the last commander appointed by Newsom, leaving the position in June 2022.

State officials say the vacancy hasn't hampered the state's ability to respond to threats, but experts outside the state government are concerned that an acting commander is spread thin.

The commander job entails assisting law enforcement agencies with criminal investigations and safeguarding California's economy and critical infrastructure. Other job duties include maintaining a security operation center that disseminates actionable information to all state entities, forming public and private partnerships, and developing state cybersecurity strategy. The commander is paid a salary of up to \$187,000 a year.

tion like cybersecurity commander is it's not a matter of public or media interest until something goes wrong, said Dan Schnur, a former spokesperson for Gov. Pete Wilson who now teaches political communication at

The challenge of a posi-

the University of Southern California and University of California, Berkeley. There's no set timeline for appointments and depends almost entirely upon the urgency to fill the job and quality of applicants, but in his experience, taking more than a year to appoint is an unusually long amount of time.

"Either they're going through a painstaking process to pick the right person or it slipped through the cracks and there's no way to know which of the two it is," he said. "Unless you find a unicorn who's willing to forego that kind of financial compensation in exchange for public service, you're already starting out with a compromise."

There have been four full-time commanders prior to the current

acting

commander. Keith Tresh was appointed by former Gov. Jerry Brown and acted as commander from 2016 to 2018. He is now chief information security officer at consultancy firm AMEG. Mario Garcia served as acting commander from 2018 to 2020 and now works as state coordinator for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency. Jonathan Nunez was appointed by Gov. Newsom in 2020 and now works as an analyst at consultancy firm Gartner. David Lane served as act-

ing commander for an

unspecified period of time

in 2022. Deputy Director

of homeland security Tom

Osbone is also the acting

commander.

Tresh previously served as chief information security officer for the states of California and Idaho and was the first Cybersecurity Integration Center commander. He said he jumped at the opportunity because the job acts as a second set of eyes for public institutions like city and county governments, not just the state of California.

"We helped school districts and regional transit authorities when they had breaches," he said. "That's why I think it's absolutely a perfect position to continue on."

Cyber attacks on public institutions like local governments, hospitals, and school districts are on the rise. Hospitals and health care providers

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Former Gov. Jerry Brown

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the governor carries out a nationwide search for a qualified candidate. Over the course of the past month CalMatters repeatedly asked

> reports and compliance with additional duties assigned to the commander and cybersecurity integration center by a five-year cybersecurity plan approved in 2021 but received no comment.

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Liana Bailey-Crimmins

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A spokesperson for

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CalMatters reached out to the office of Attorney General Rob Bonta for the latest data breach report. The attorney general's office referred CalMatters to the cybersecurity center, which did not share new information but said it would post new data publicly later cially in California,

works with the Department "this spring." of Technology to investigate

state agencies were woefully unprepared for cyber attacks, California Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin, a Democrat from Thousand Oaks, coauthored a 2018 law that made the Cybersecurity Integration Center a permanent state agency and required development of a state cybersecurity strategy. Irwin, who is also chairperson of the Assembly cybersecurity committee, told CalMatters in a statement that finding a new commander has not been

tank R Street Institute and former digital forensics examiner for law enforcement agencies in Sacramento. Ward said the vacancy is reflective of a number of trends: First, the cybersecurity threat landscape moves quickly, and public agencies move slowly.

"The state has struggled to recruit and retain cybersecurity specialists, just as many businesses have, with their skill set in high-demand," she said.

Competition with private sector

Former state cybersecurity employees told CalMatters they think it's difficult for the cybersecurity center to keep commanders because the pay is less than for similar jobs in the private sector. State employees may treat an acting commander who will be in the job temporarily — differently than a commander appointed by Newsom.

A former cybersecurity center employee who spoke to CalMatters on background for fear of professional reprisals said the biggest issue with the position is lack of real authority; the commander has limited capacity to act and hold people accountable.

are major targets for

Second, it mirrors a larger cybersecurity workforce shortage. California has the second-highest in the U.S., according to a 2022 report by the nonprofit **International Information** System Security Certification Consortium. Third, public agencies can't compete with pay and benefits offered by private companies.

cybercriminals seeking

confidential information

or just want to cause

panic, said Steven Ward,

a cybersecurity fel-

low at center-right think

Another 2022 study found that the private sector pays 14% more than government agencies. The pay gap creates a situation in which entry-level employees are responsible for guarding highly sensitive systems. It's hard to say what the consequences of the vacancy are, but since the center develops the state cybersecurity strategy and is a hub for sharing attack threat information and how to patch vulnerabilities, Ward said he's worried that the acting director might be spread too thin.

be filled," he said. "It's important that this type of work continues without interruptions." Khari Johnson is

"It definitely needs to

CalMatters' first tech reporter. He previously covered artificial intelligence use by businesses and governments as a senior writer for WIRED and VentureBeat with an emphasis on policy, power, human rights abuses and telling the stories of people demanding accountability after being harmed by automation. ★

details about data breach

state compiled a report detailing the kinds of data breaches, number of records compromised, and number of Californians affected in cyber attacks was back in 2016, before the cybersecurity integration center

Public agencies, espe-

After audits found that

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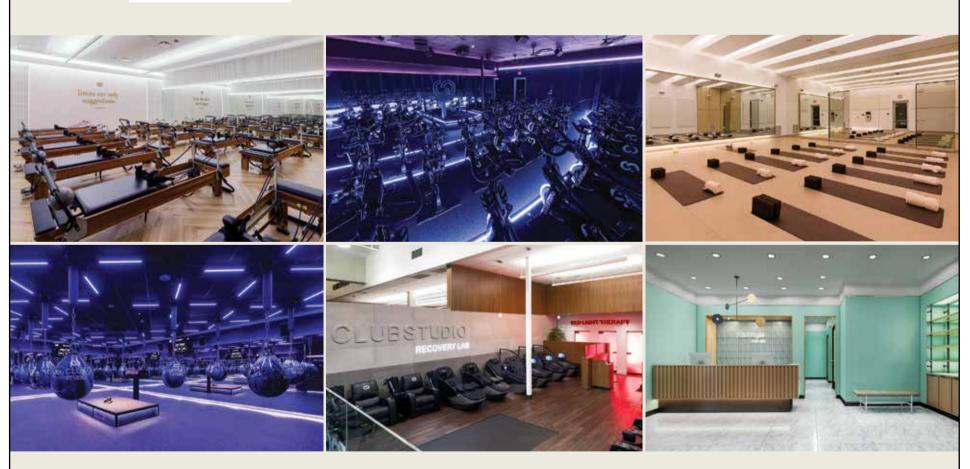


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