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Cordova Recreation & Park District Directors and staff pose alongside Julie Hagan Belka, accepting the Partnership for Quality Living Hall of Honor award on behalf of her late grandfather, Paul Hagan, at the Cordova Recreation & Park District July 17 board meeting. Neil Orchard, Cordova Recreation & Park District's longest-serving district administrator, also attended with his wife, Rosealié Orchard. Photo courtesy of Cordova Recreation & Park District

By Elena Burgé

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Former Cordova Recreation & Park District (CRPD) District Administrator Paul Hagan was recognized posthumously for his outstanding contributions to recreation, leisure and wellness within the Rancho Cordova community at the Cordova Recreation & Park District July 17 board meeting.

His award was presented by Wayne Lowery, former El Dorado Hills Community Services District general manager on behalf of the Partnership for Quality Living (PQL). The prestigious award was accepted on his behalf by Hagan's granddaughter, Julie Hagan Belka.

Best known as the namesake of Rancho Cordova's beloved Hagan Community Park, Hagan was Cordova Recreation & Park District's first district administrator from 1960 to 1985. During his tenure, Hagan

worked to significantly expand the acquisition and development of parks and recreation facilities throughout Rancho Cordova, developing 21 parks and recreation facilities under his leadership.

Besides his Rancho Cordova work, Hagan was engaged in the broader development of the parks and recreation industry as an active member of the National Recreation and Park Association and the California Park & Recreation Society for more than 20 years.

Among his many accomplishments, Hagan contributed to developing a nation-wide model for joint land usage between school districts and parks administrations, advocated for bringing nationally-recognized events to Rancho Cordova and received numerous awards for his dedication, including Rotary International's highest award. Hagan's dedication to the Parks

and Recreation industry was apparent throughout his life and even after his passing, his legacy continues to be worthy of recognition and celebration.

The Partnership for Quality Living Hall of Honor recognizes historical contributions of individuals in the development of leisure, recreation and parks services. In recognizing individuals such as Hagan, the Partnership for Quality Living hopes to chronicle influential developments in the field, further encouraging and celebrating future engagement and progress.

The Partnership for Quality Living recognizes recreation, parks and leisure as essential to promoting and maintaining a high quality of life for communities and their residents by enhancing public health and wellness.

Elena Burgé is with the Cordova Recreation & Park District. ★

Help Your Pets Beat the Heat



Be cautious with swimming: Supervise pets when swimming in pools or natural bodies of water. Use life jackets and avoid swimming in strong currents or water that is too cold. Image by Joshua Choate from Pixabay

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Extreme heat waves continue to affect Sacramento County and it's crucial for pet owners to ensure their furry friends stay safe and comfortable. When temperatures rise, pets face increased risks of heat-related illnesses. Here are some essential tips to help your pets beat the heat:

Never leave pets in parked cars: Even on mild days, the temperature inside a parked car can rise rapidly, turning it into a deadly trap. Leaving pets unattended in cars is both dangerous and illegal in California.

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Be cautious with swimming: Supervise pets when swimming in pools or natural bodies of water. Use life jackets and avoid swimming in strong currents or water that is too cold.

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Zinfandel Drive Project Merges Safety and Art



Here is an initial sketch of one of the sites for the Zinfandel Drive Bicycle and Pedestrian Overcrossing. Photo courtesy of the city of Rancho Cordova

By Omella Rossi

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - During the Aug. 5 Rancho Cordova City Council meeting, council members debated and passed initial details of the Zinfandel Drive Bicycle and Pedestrian Overcrossing and its accompanying art project, aiming to enhance

connectivity and safety across U.S. Highway 50.

The Zinfandel Drive project, estimated to cost \$27.32 million, will build a dedicated bicycle and pedestrian facility along Zinfandel Drive from White Rock Road to Folsom Boulevard. The project is designed to enhance connectivity

between the north and south sides of the city as well as improve access to the Zinfandel light rail station, residential areas, jobs and schools.

Funding for the project includes \$3.99 million in Traffic Mitigation Impact Fees, \$3.38 million in Federal Highway Improvement Program

Grants and \$19.96 million in State Active Transportation Program Grant Funds. An additional \$1.4 million is needed for the proposed art walk and signage enhancements. The proposed internal funding source includes the General Fund or the Community Enhancement

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CRPD Supplies a Success

By Elena Burgé

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - This summer, the Cordova Recreation & Park District (CRPD) continued their commitment to supporting the community through their Community Engagement Program.

Over the last few weeks, the Cordova Recreation & Park District Board of Directors and staff contributed donations to a school supply drive for the Folsom Cordova Unified School District's (FCUSD) Families in Transition (FIT) Services program. More than 700 items were collected and included supplies such as calculators, binders, scissors, art supplies, notebooks and paper.

The Families in Transition Services program offers vital support to students and families facing challenges such as housing, food and health-care insecurity. To ensure every student can start the school year prepared and focused on their academic success, the program provides essential supplies to those in need. In supporting this program, Cordova Recreation & Park District



Cordova Recreation & Park District and Folsom Cordova Unified School District staff stand with school supply donations for the Families in Transition Services program. Photo courtesy of Cordova Recreation & Park District

hopes to continue their commitment to community upliftment and youth empowerment.

“Here at CRPD, our staff focus on their professional strengths and in supporting Families in Transition and providing school supplies to students in FCUSD, we are excited to support our youth in the community to focus on growing their strengths, rather than focusing on where their school supplies or resources are coming from,” said Cordova Recreation and Park District General Manager Patrick Larkin. “We fully support this program, and we are committed to

fostering this partnership with FCUSD throughout the year.”

Though the Families in Transition Services program accepts school supplies, monetary donations also allow the program to better support the community and continue to provide an essential array of resources to families in need. To learn more about the program or donate, visit www.fcusd.org/educational-services/social-emotional-learning-sel-and-educational-equity/families-in-transition.

Elena Burgé is with the Cordova Recreation & Park District. ★

School Board Puts Bonds on Ballot

By Matthew Malone
Staff Writer

ELK GROVE, CA (MPG) - Elk Grove Unified School District residents will decide in November whether to approve \$542 million in school bonds. The board of education's vote to place the question on the ballot came at a special meeting on July 24, after the board approved a facilities master plan that projects the district's highest-priority improvements to cost nearly \$2 billion.

With annual levies averaging 3.4 cents per \$100 of assessed value, the bonds would bring in about \$37 million annually.

Deputy Superintendent Kristen Coates said the bond funds would be used for a variety of district needs, including upgrades to classrooms; construction and repair for roofing and HVAC systems; and student safety improvements.

“What Elk Grove residents really say is that maintaining the learning environment in schools is their top priority,” Coates said, adding that the bonds would forward that goal.

Trustee Nancy Chaires Espinoza called the bonds “an incredibly positive step forward.” She commended the district's accomplishments with funding from the Measure M bonds that voters approved in 2016.

Trustee Sean Yang asked whether the district has a “backup plan” should the initiative fail.

Coates pointed to a statewide education bond measure, Proposition 2, as a possible alternative.

Board President Gina Jamerson said the community is committed to providing a high-quality education.

“I think that, in order to continue to provide quality for our students, that we're going to need the community to let us know that they're ready to commit to that,” Jamerson said.

The board voted 6-1 to approve the ballot initiative, with Perez opposed.

Coates presented the proposed update to the facilities master plan. She said the document was informed through inspections of the district's school sites, as well as community and stakeholder surveys and five community forums.

The master plan lays out the district's facilities needs and goals for the next decade, through 2035, along with projected costs for the highest-priority updates.

The plan places greatest priority on improvements to comply with safety codes — keeping students “warm, dry and safe.” The next highest priority went to projects related to education program efficiency.

The estimated cost of the first- and second-priority items is nearly \$2 billion. The figure comprises \$1.3 billion for the first category and \$662 million for the second.

Coates acknowledged that the price tag may seem “daunting.”

“The team has a strong history of leveraging multiple funding sources to get this done, so Measure M became a model for

that,” Coates continued.

Coates said the plan puts special focus on certain areas of education, based on input from the board, the public and site surveys: special education, kindergarten and transitional kindergarten, safety and security, educational technology, overcrowding, and school support facilities.

Survey respondents commonly wanted improvement in bathrooms, technology, parking lots, playground accessibility, and visual and performing arts facilities.

While overall enrollment in the district has remained flat, Coates pointed to two parts of the district with “off-the-charts” growth: Rancho Cordova and south Elk Grove. Rancho Cordova is projected to get two additional elementary schools and one additional middle and high school site in the next 10 years, and south Elk Grove is planned to see three additional elementary schools.

During public comment, Nisreen Assaf, whose children attend Miwok Village Elementary School, said the school needs to have better shade structures because its shade trees aren't mature yet.

“For the most part, I think our schools are very welcoming and very well designed,” Yang said, adding that some older campuses may need renovations to be more welcoming.

Trustee Michael Vargas asked staff to be “thoughtful” about how they allocate money, focusing on school sites with the greatest need; he said that some elementary schools need attention.

Trustee Carmine Forcina asked whether the master plan could include the district's intent to build schools, noting the potential for voters to reject the new bond initiative. He said this language would help “alleviate the fears of the people in the Rancho Cordova area.”

Forcina represents Trustee Area 7, which includes Rancho Cordova.

Superintendent Christopher Hoffman said the district has stated its intent to build the schools, assuming growth continues as projected, but he did not consider such a statement “appropriate” for the master plan. He said milestones such as building the first planned elementary school and reaching full enrollment would prove the district's intent.

Chaires Espinoza objected to the idea of “creating a higher level of promise” for some residents compared to others.

Forcina ultimately asked that the district hold a meeting with Rancho Cordova residents to assuage their concerns.

Later in the meeting, a Rancho Cordova resident identified as Heidi said her community has doubts about whether the planned schools will be built.

“Many feel hopeful and positive, but many still question how genuine your intention is to prioritize these schools,” Heidi said, asking for a commitment to complete the schools within five years.

Trustee Tony Perez raised concerns that the master plan does not adequately factor in population change, but Hoffman said that the document does account for it.

The facilities master plan passed by 6-1 vote, with Perez casting the sole no vote. ★

Student-Made Film Premieres at City Hall

By Charles Lago

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The Rancho Cordova Film Office, in association with the Rancho Cordova Police Activities League, presented a film screening of "The Mineshaft" at Rancho Cordova City Hall on Aug. 3.

The film's screening was the finale of a film project that took 16 weeks to complete.

The Rancho Cordova Film Office worked hand-in-hand with a group of 12 students ranging in ages from 14 to 17 and taught them aspects of film-making techniques. This program was made possible thanks in part to a Community and Investment Enhancement Grant from the City of Rancho Cordova.

The program's goal was to produce a 60-minute professional suspense film that featured some of the students as the actors and the others as the crew.

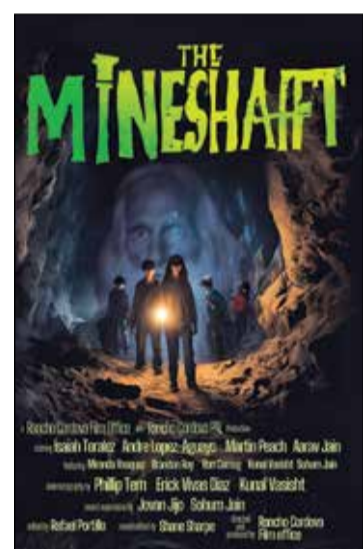
The Rancho Cordova Film Office was able to secure the use of Heartstoppers Haunted House as the main location to shoot the film. This provided a great backdrop as well as an authentic location to bring life to the film.

Set in 1999, a group of youth decide they will make a vampire film. The group's leader, John, (Isaiah Toralez) finishes the script and recruits his two best friends, Mike (Arav Jain) and Timmy (Brandon Roy) to be in the film but they need one more actor. Mike suggests that they approach Paul (Martin Peach) as they heard he is a great actor. There is one problem: Paul's brother (Andre Lopez-Aguayo) is more interested in training his younger brother in boxing, as their father is an abusive drunk and Matt wants to make sure his brother can take care of himself.

The first day of filming approaches and Paul is late, so the boys think he isn't going to show up but he does and brings his neighbor, Paula (Miranda Vasquez), to help with makeup.



Cast and crew of "The Mineshaft" pose with Rancho Cordova Mayor David Sander, City Councilmember Linda Budge and Sacramento County Supervisor Pat Hume at the award ceremony. Photo by Rick Sloan



"The Mineshaft" was produced by the Rancho Cordova Film Office and Rancho Cordova PAL. Image courtesy of Rancho Cordova Film Office

The first day of filming went well and the friends arranged to meet the next day to continue filming.

However, that night, Timmy



Cast and crew members of "The Mineshaft", Rancho Cordova Police Activities League officers and Rancho Cordova Film Office staff pose for a photo before the premiere. Photo by Rick Sloan

did not return home and went missing. His friends decide they are going to look for him at a local cave which they know is dangerous as several years ago other boys went missing. As they approach the caves looking for

Timmy, they run into "creepy guy" (Ron Cornog). Creepy Guy really frightens the boys, which causes them to run into the caves and immediately become trapped and lost.

What follows is 30 minutes

of suspense, drama, fear and heroism.

The film was shot by two of the students, Philip Tren and Erick Vivas, boom was by Kunal Vasisht and sound was by Jovan Jijo and Sohun Jain. The film was edited by Rafeal Portillo and sound design by Shane Sharpe.

"The Mineshaft" is available for viewing for free on the Rancho Cordova Film Office YouTube channel.

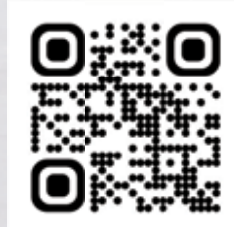
From Aug. 12 to Dec. 20, the Rancho Cordova Film Office will teach a film class at Kinney High School that will result in the production of another film featuring Kinney High School students.

For more information on "The Mineshaft" or any of the Rancho Cordova Film Office projects, call Charles Lago at 916-706-2000.

Charles Lago is the Rancho Cordova Film Office executive director. ★



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Monster Jam Roars into Sacramento

Monster Jam News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Experience big-time family fun at Monster Jam. An unexpected, unscripted and unforgettable motorsports experience for families and fans returns to Sacramento for an adrenaline-charged weekend at Golden 1 Center on Aug. 16 to Aug. 18.

At Monster Jam, world champion athletes and their 12,000-pound monster trucks tear up the dirt in wide-open competitions of speed and skill.

The excitement begins at the Monster Jam Pit Party held in Sacramento prior to the events on Saturday, Aug. 17 and Sunday, Aug. 18. Fans can see the massive trucks up close, meet their favorite drivers and crews, get autographs and take pictures. Activities include the Sand Box play area, UNOH tire demonstration, coloring and temporary tattoo station, and new photo ops, including the chance to take a photo with the Series trophy. This fun-filled experience is the only place that allows people to get up close access to the Monster Jam teams and get an insider's look at how these trucks are built to stand up to the competition.

Fans will be on the edge of their seats as the world's best drivers show off massive stunts, big air, backflips, crazy skills and all-out racing in fierce head-to-head battles for the Event Championship. Engineered to perfection, the 12,000-pound Monster Jam trucks push all limits in Freestyle, Skills and Racing competitions.

Fans are encouraged to get to their seats early to experience Monster Jam Trackside approximately one hour before the event start time. Featured festivities include competition previews, driver interviews, giveaways, opening ceremonies and power rush truck introductions.

Monster Jam drivers are



Driver Fernando Martinez returns to Monster Jam at Golden 1 Center as the El Toro Loco driver from Aug. 16 to 18. Photo courtesy of Monster Jam

trained, world-class male and female athletes. They have mastered the physical strength and mental stamina needed to compete, and the vital dexterity to control 12,000-pound machines capable of backflips, vertical two-wheel skills and racing at speeds up to 70 miles-per-hour to produce jaw-dropping, live motorsports action seen throughout the world.

Enjoy big-time family fun at Monster Jam. The competitions start at 7 p.m. Aug. 16, 7 p.m. Aug. 17 and 1 p.m. Aug. 18.

Also on Aug. 17 is a pit party from 4:30 to 6 p.m., which

requires an event ticket and pit pass for entry.

On Aug. 18, the pit party from 10:30 a.m. to noon requires an event ticket and pit pass for entry.

Golden 1 Center is at 500 David J Stern Walk, Sacramento.

Tickets are affordably priced for the whole family. Tickets and pit passes are available for purchase at the Monster Jam website at MonsterJam.com, which will direct you to Ticketmaster.com. If not sold out, tickets will be available at the door.

For more info about a Monster Jam event near you, follow Monster Jam on its social media

channels: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and TikTok. Subscribe to the Monster Jam YouTube Channel at <http://www.youtube.com/MonsterJam>.

About Monster Jam

Monster Jam features world-class athletes competing for championships on perfectly engineered dirt tracks that push these ever-evolving, state-of-the-art trucks to the limit. Beyond the 350 global live events each year, the Monster Jam brand extends off the track into the home through products, content and merchandise that keeps the

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And Another Thing

70 More Apartments Added to the Mather Veterans Village

By Bob McGarvey

I first began writing an article (or column) to the Grapevine in 1999 when I was the Honorable Mayor of Rancho Cordova. The owner of the Grapevine, Bob Ling, said he thought since I was the Honorable Mayor I might write a "Mayor's Corner." I hadn't done that before, but I gave it a try, and had to thank him for giving me the chance to do something new like that. I have very nice thoughts of Bob Ling.

Something which I wrote about was the negotiations between our Incorporation Committee and Sacramento County. Our committee brought the details needed about Rancho Cordova's incorporation. Then, while that was going on, something happened on September 11, 2001 which shocked our whole country and the world. It was the first time that our country had ever been attacked on our soil. That will always be remembered, and so will the wars which followed that event on 9-11-2001. We will all remember what happened that day. It is hard not to remember it.

Now we have other wars going on today, with Russia invading Ukraine. It is the largest conflict in Europe since World War II. Unfortunately, Israel is fighting with Arab countries again. I know that

there are different ways to cover that conflict, but I wish there was a way to stop all of the wars going on right now. As President Ronald Reagan said, "All of us denounce war. All of us consider it man's greatest stupidity, and yet wars happen; and they involve the most passionate lovers of peace, because there are still barbarians in the world and they set the price for peace at death or enslavement; and their price is too high."

On to other things like the next phase of the apartments at Mather Veterans Village. The only thing that has moved forward it looks like is that the money has been collected from different sources. I am still waiting for the city to say when it will begin building. There are still many Veterans who are living on the streets, but I am looking forward to getting some of them off of the streets again. That will happen soon I hope. Having 70 more apartments added to the Mather Veterans Village will make me very happy indeed.

There is a special place in our City Hall parking lot for the Veterans who have received a Purple Heart Medal. Perhaps you may see some of the parking places at Lowe's store parking places for Veterans. It is very nice of them to do that for Veterans.

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

Zinfandel Drive Project Merges Safety and Art

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Investment Fund, pending future budget decisions.

Public works director Albert Stricker emphasized the project's potential as a landmark.

"It presents an exceptional opportunity to create a unique environment through architecture, design and public art," he said.

Stricker noted that the overcrossing will serve as a focal point for a new Art Walk, featuring four artwork sites, four signage locations and four wayfinding signs.

"There will certainly be people utilizing this corridor functionally for travel, to access dining establishments or walking to and from work on either side of Highway 50 and we expect that they will enjoy the artwork as they are walking," he mentioned. "We also believe this will be a destination for people visiting Rancho Cordova. With completion of this project, we will have this iconic bridge structure so people driving along the freeway know they are in Rancho Cordova."

During public comment, Sacramento Area Bike Advocates (SABA) executive director Deb Banks and Bike Advocates for Rancho Cordova (BARC) project manager Fayzah Mughal expressed concerns about prioritizing safety and connectivity over art.

"Public art is a desirable enhancement for the community. However, improving access, safety and the connectivity of the project that can reduce vehicular violence injuries and deaths should be the focal point," said Banks and Mughal in a letter sent to the council. They also cautioned against potential delays of the project caused by seeking additional funding for the art components.

Council members addressed these concerns with reassurances about safety.

"The project is definitely making people safer. We can do both things at once," said Mayor David Sander, Ph.D.

Councilmember Donald Terry added, "That is exactly why we are putting infrastructure there—to slow cars down."

Council members also explored ideas for the artwork and lighting. Garret Gatewood suggested integrating Artificial Intelligence technology into the artwork, while Linda Budge emphasized the

importance of local artists.

"I appreciate the concept that local artists would have preference, we need this to be local. We have absolute pros here," said Budge.

Councilmember Budge did however express concern about potential distractions for drivers.

"I'm concerned about the lighting and what we put on the side of the road that is a distraction to the motoring public. We need to make sure that whatever we do is attractive, and it supports the project as opposed to creating something that can be seen from a satellite view," Budge said.

Stricker and principal engineer Edgar Medina assured the council that safety remains the top priority.

"The California Department of Transportation has a huge priority on safety, and we will ensure that as we go through the details of the design process this is something that is beautiful but not a distraction," said Stricker.

Vice-Mayor Siri Pulipati advocated for visually striking artwork, suggesting it should be "Insta-worthy" with the use of bright colors instead of something that blends into the background.

"We need something where people will be coming to our city to see it and generate revenue. Should be something that attracts people and a place for our city residents to go to," said Pulipati.

Council member Terry addressed the differing opinions from fellow council members by saying, "I feel like a design committee may need to be put together. We have people that want to do a lot of light and someone who is concerned about the light plans as they are."

The timeline for the Zinfandel Drive Pedestrian Overcrossing project is designed to ensure completion by 2027. The City Council meeting on Aug. 5 featured the presentation of the art plan, with the artists selection process beginning after that. By spring 2025, the City Council will approve the chosen artists. Construction awards are expected by the Summer of 2025 with art installation scheduled for 2026.

The next City Council meeting will be at 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 3 at City Hall, 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova. ★



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By V.G. Harris



The NBA summer league is over, but changes to the Kings ultimate roster for the upcoming season are not nearly over.

GM Monte McNair has earned his stripes by consistently making solid moves that will give Sacramento Kings fans potentially the best NBA team they've seen since the Webber/Bibby era, in which the Kings won a gaudy 61 games in 2021/22.

At this juncture, making predictions that would rival that season seems ludicrous, but make no mistake about it, McNair has his sights on a 60-win season, and he's scouring the NBA and beyond to find components that will get this franchise to that end.

The power forward position continues to be a point of focus, and although the Kings recently acquired Orlando Robinson, the search continues for a true rim protector that can play defense and add even a modicum of scoring while he's on the hardwood.

Potentially, that player could be a bench player for the Portland Trailblazers by the name of Robert Williams III. At 26 years of age, Williams' best playing days are still in front of him, and his seven points and six rebounds a year ago for the Trailblazers doesn't tell the full story. At 6'9" and 250 lbs., Williams is a true shot blocker, and the thinking here is given more playing time, this young man could become a true double-double threat.

The Kings are all too familiar with a double-double threat, as big man Domantas Sabonis has led the NBA in double-doubles the past two seasons, while leading the entire NBA in rebounding at the same time. Imagine if the Kings could surround this stevedore with just a little more support around the rim!

The only Sacramento King currently playing basketball in the Paris Olympics is none other than Trey Lyles, and although he's had a less than stellar performance so far for his home country of Canada, I remain convinced that if used correctly for the Kings, Lyles not only could give the Kings a boost in the upcoming season, he could actually break into the starting lineup.

Most pundits think I'm crazy, but I have

always seen a higher ceiling in Trey, and the only way we will ever know if I'm right, is to increase his playing time.

Trey is a consistent three-point shooter and solid rebounder behind Domantas, and I believe as the Kings continue to search for power-forward solutions, they should look no further than their own bench.

I have to believe that Monte McNair shares some of my zeal for this talented big man, or we would have already seen him in either a trade or trade rumors.

The real question is not McNair, but coach Brown. During last season's campaign, there was no consistent rotation for Lyles coming off the bench, and he went through stretches in which his minutes were sparing to say the least.

For any player, and particularly a big man, there must be that vote of confidence, that is demonstrated by his consistent time on the court, and that includes hardwood time during the last five minutes of a game. Show him that you trust his game when it means the most, and watch his confidence grow.

I give Mike Brown high marks for understanding how to bring along Keon Ellis, but his reluctance to use Trey Lyles when the Kings are starving for front-court players, remains a mystery to me.

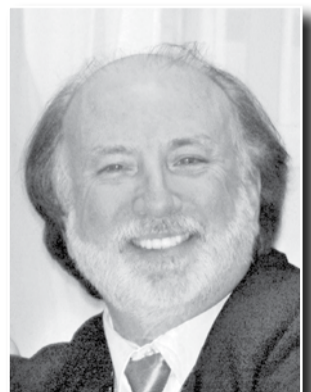
The summer league did reveal that the Kings have a burgeoning star in your Boogie Ellis, who did pretty much what he wanted to against opposing summer league players. Boogie has been invited to training camp, and although the Kings remain guard heavy, Boogie's instant offense and frenetic defense means he deserves a closer look. At only 23 years of age, the Kings want to make sure they don't pass on a guard that may very well portend happy times for their future.

The big man/power forward rumors are ubiquitous, but I'm convinced that Monte McNair has at least one more notable move to make, and it's my educated guess it will come in the form of a power forward.

Stay tuned this off-season as its roster moves aren't over yet!

All the best, Kings fans! ★

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Social Security Matters

Does Congress Pay Into Social Security?



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: I've been told that members of Congress do not have Social Security deducted from their pay; Additionally, that their retirement dollars come from the Social Security Administration purse even if they only serve as a member of Congress for a short number of terms. Also, if this is true, are there other individuals that enjoy these advantages?

Thank you in advance for your service as a Social Security Advisor. **Signed: Concerned Senior**

Dear Concerned Senior: I'm afraid this is one of those "urban legend" kind of rumors that just seems to keep popping up, especially when the issues surrounding Social Security's financial problems come up. In addition to being untrue, it often is used to display the public's animosity toward elected officials and the feeling that Congress—and other elected officials—are

above the fray, so to speak, and therefore not affected by the implications of Social Security's looming insolvency problem.

Here's the reality. Since January 1, 1984, all members of Congress, the President and Vice President, Federal judges, and most political appointees, are covered under the Social Security program. The rumor that these elected officials do not pay Social Security tax most likely is attributable to the fact that from 1920 to 1983, they were participants in the Civil Service Retirement System – CSRS – the federal retirement plan federal workers used even before the Social Security Act was passed. CSRS provided a pension for federal employees, so they were exempted from contributing to or collecting from the new Social Security program.

In 1987, then, the federal government officially changed over to FERS – the Federal Employee Retirement System – and all employees hired from that point forward are now covered under FERS. There are multiple parts to FERS, and one of them is mandatory FICA contributions. So, all federal employees—including members of Congress—are subject to the 6.2% FICA tax, are eligible for Social

Security retirement benefits, and are governed by the multitude of rules and regulations associated with Social Security. But other than standard SS benefits which they may normally be entitled, no Social Security funds are used to supplement Congressional retirement.

In other words, the rumor that Congress didn't pay into Social Security was actually true prior to 1984, but today it is a misstatement of fact. And the federal employee retirement plans (both the prior CSRS plan and the current FERS plan) are totally independent of Social Security and do not negatively affect program solvency.

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California Has Seen Many Towns Created, But as Population Drops a Big Project Has Stalled



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

When California emerged from its colonial beginnings nearly two centuries ago and began coalescing into a distinct society, its towns and villages tended to be located either on navigable rivers, such as Sacramento, or around the 21 missions that Spanish explorer priests had established, such as San Diego.

In the late 19th century, with California having experienced a massive population boom during the Gold Rush and become a state, entirely new communities sprung up. These settlements were often carved out of farm and ranch land by developers and railroads, the small San Joaquin Valley city of Hanford being one of the latter.

For example, the small villages south of San Francisco, such as Hillsborough, were designed as refuges for the wealthy from the noise, pollution and violence of San Francisco — and eventually led to the formation of San Mateo County as a protective bulwark.

The creation of new towns continued for most of the 20th century. In Orange County, the descendants of 19th century ranchers converted chunks of their vast holdings into new towns to absorb the region's massive post-World War II population growth.

The most spectacular example was — and still is — the City of Irvine, named for a

ranching family, and home to a quarter-million people and a major University of California campus. Dick O'Neill, heir to a huge Orange County cattle ranch, created two cities — Mission Viejo and Rancho Santa Margarita.

On the outskirts of Sacramento, along the Cosumnes River, another ranching family successfully created a stand-alone community called Rancho Murieta.

Creating new towns can be a risky endeavor. Developers can spend millions to plan their new communities and install infrastructure but may wait decades to see a profit.

California City, in the Antelope Valley 100 miles north of Los Angeles, was founded in 1958, but its remote location and somewhat inhospitable terrain and climate made attracting residents difficult. It's still there and has about 15,000 residents, but that's way short of the original ambition.

Mountain House, created three decades ago in a corner of San Joaquin County to attract commuters to Bay Area jobs, also struggled, particularly during the collapse of the housing market during the Great Recession. However, it survived: Today it has about 25,000 residents and on July 1 became an incorporated city.

The Tejon Ranch, an immense cattle ranch in the Tehachapi Mountains, has been trying for decades to create a new residential community, but it has faced massive opposition from environmental groups. It is finally beginning construction on an apartment complex.

That brings us to California's latest effort to carve out a new community, this one in a rural portion of Solano County.

California Forever, a

company backed by Silicon Valley billionaires, quietly — even sneakily — bought more than 50,000 acres of ranchland, after which it finally revealed plans for a new community that would eventually have 400,000 residents.

The secrecy and scope of the project generated immediate opposition, particularly after the company said it would seek approval via a November election ballot measure, bypassing hurdles such as the California Environmental Quality Act.

With approval by Solano County voters in doubt, California Forever has shelved its ballot measure. Company officials say they now will strive to gain popular support before proceeding.

The explosive growth that California experienced in the first 170 years of its existence as a state has now abated, probably for good. California has been losing population in recent years and at best it will probably see population stagnation in the future.

That said, California still has a housing shortage, and state policy is to encourage infill projects in or near cities rather than developing open spaces, which California Forever would do.

The chances for California Forever to join the ranks of new town developers are slim at best.

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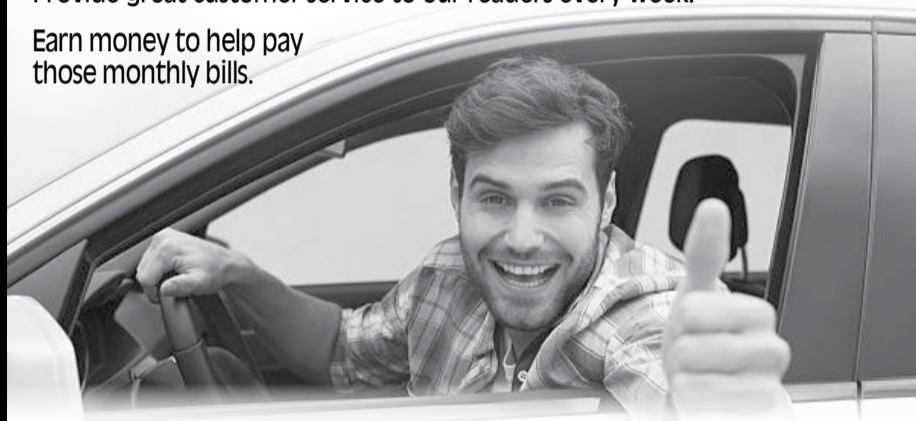
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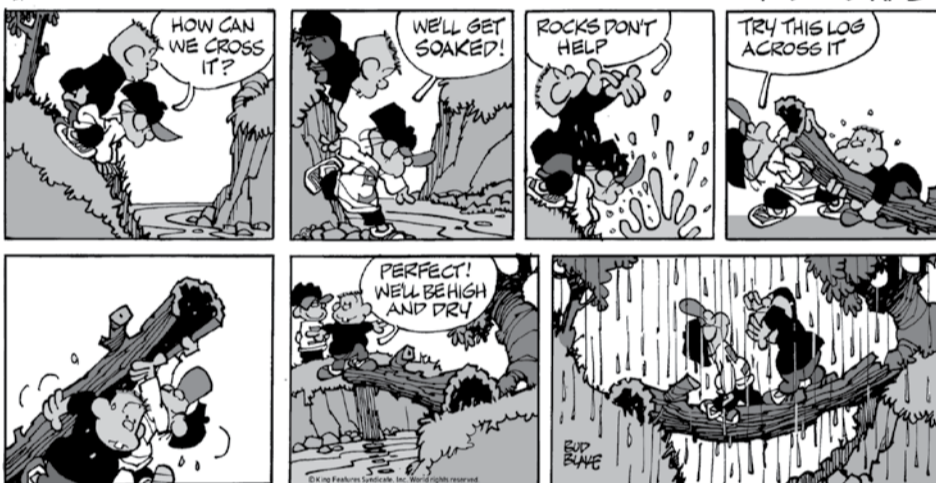
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Davis Overcomes Obstacles En Route to Hall of Fame

By James Damell

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Kia Davis may have taken the road less traveled, but arriving at the destination is all that matters.

Davis, a 2009 graduate of Cordova High School, was recently elected to the Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame. Despite not playing basketball for the Lady Lancers during her junior and senior seasons, her contributions to the varsity team during her freshman and sophomore years along with a stellar collegiate career have placed Davis in elite company. She will be honored at Rancho Cordova City Hall during an induction ceremony on Sept. 14.

For Davis, the news came as a shock.

"It's definitely an honor," she said. "To know that I'll be a part of that is a special thing and an honor that I didn't think I would receive."

As a 5'5" guard, Davis averaged better than 17 points per game during her freshman and sophomore seasons at Cordova, where she was a two-time All Sierra Valley Conference selection under the tutelage of former Lady Lancers' head coach Sherry Burch. But after her mother passed away during her freshman year, and with Burch being relieved of her coaching duties during Davis' sophomore season, Davis found herself somewhat lost. Her issues outside of the classroom soon began to impact her in school, where she



Kia Davis was named an All-Big 8 Conference Honorable Mention in 2009-10, and First Team All-Big 8 in 2010-11, while at Our Lady of the Lake University. Photo courtesy of Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame

would get into fights, and ultimately elected not to play basketball during her junior and senior years. But under the guidance of her former coach, Davis would still graduate.

From there, Davis was encouraged to try out for the basketball team at Sacramento City College. She not only made the team, but parlayed that opportunity into an impressive career at Our Lady of the Lake University in Texas. Quickly becoming a team leader, Davis was named an All-Big 8 Conference Honorable Mention in 2009-10, and First Team All-Big 8 in 2010-11. All along, Davis received advice and encouragement from her mentor who

remained in her corner.

"She's everything," Davis said of Burch. "She took me under her wing once my mom passed. Any time I come out to California I still meet up with her. She's been a great figure to me and held me accountable during times that I felt like giving up. She's always been there."

These days, Davis lives in Texas where she is a juvenile probation officer.

The Cordova Sports Hall of Fame ceremony is being held at 6 p.m. Sept. 14 at Rancho Cordova City Hall. Tickets to the event can be purchased online for \$30 at this link: <https://form.jotform.com/cordovacouncil/rcaa-reception-tickets-2024>. ★

Pat Lashinsky Joins Late Father in Cordova Sports Hall of Fame

By James Damell

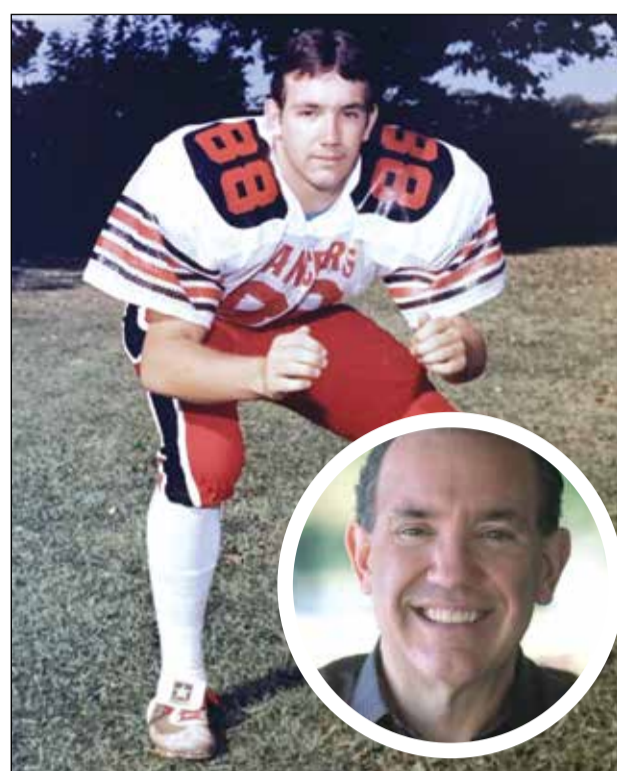
RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Pat Lashinsky has been a trailblazer since his days at Cordova High School, where he made record-setting plays as a punter/defensive back for the Lancers' varsity football team. His play on the field, along with an impressive professional career after football, have earned him his latest accolade, as he was recently named to Cordova Sports Hall of Fame Class of 2024.

Lashinsky, 57, played under legendary head coach Max Miller during his time at Cordova. In his senior season in 1984, Lashinsky snatched a school record six interceptions while playing all four positions in the secondary for a team that would go on to be Metro League champions. One of those interceptions would be returned for a state record 100 yards in a 25-6 victory against McClatchy.

Those accomplishments are nothing to scoff at. But for Lashinsky, the honor of being named to the Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame has a deeper meaning.

"I'm incredibly humbled and honored by it," he said. "It's really surprising and fantastic. It's particularly moving to me because my dad (Joseph Lashinsky) was inducted last year. To be joining him after he just passed away the year before just feels like an extra incredible honor to be given and makes it extra meaningful to me."

After graduating from Cordova with the Class of 1985, Lashinsky attended Cal Berkeley where he



Pat Lashinsky was a punter and defensive back for Cordova High School. Inset: Pat Lashinsky, 57, played under legendary head coach Max Miller during his time at Cordova. Photos courtesy of Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame

played football for two seasons before injuries cut his gridiron dreams short. He would then go on to earn his master's in business administration from UCLA, but that was just the beginning. As a product and technology innovator in his post-athletic endeavors, Lashinsky was credited as the creator of the popular portable food product "Go-Gurt" during his time working with General Mills. He has also been the CEO of multiple companies including ZipRealty, which is known as the first to list homes for sale online.

Lashinsky credits his time playing football at Cordova for being the springboard for the success he has enjoyed as a professional. "We won because

we put in the hard work and it was about effort," he said. "There was an expectation of greatness that was expected. That was something that was built-in from the first day you got on campus, the first day you started practicing, and the first day you started doing 'We Are Big Red.' There was an expectation of excellence. It's carried through to the rest of my life. That's an expectation you have to set with people and build."

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Bipartisan Effort by California Congress Members Drives Modern Multi-Modal Transportation Project Forward

By Derek Minnema, Connector JPA Executive Director

While Congressional bi-partisanship is an endangered species these days, three members of Congress from California are demonstrating how diverse political perspectives can unite to support a road project that will literally save lives and greatly alleviate traffic congestion in the state's capital city.

Democratic Representatives Ami Bera and Doris Matsui, along with Republican Kevin Kiley, are collectively pushing for federal funding to support the Capital Southeast

Connector project. This multi-modal transportation project represents a new way of thinking about transportation.

Recently, the United States Department of Transportation allocated \$25 million to the Capital SouthEast Connector project. This funding will play a pivotal role in transforming a segment of Grant Line Road into a 4-lane expressway in Rancho Cordova, addressing longstanding safety concerns and improving traffic conditions on this route traveled heavily by commuters and commercial vehicles.

Bipartisan collaboration enhances public trust and

confidence in the project, highlighting it as a community-centric initiative rather than a politically motivated endeavor. This approach sets a positive precedent for future infrastructure projects, emphasizing the importance of cooperative governance in long-term strategic planning. By working together, these three representatives have created a model for effective governance that might inspire similar collaborations on other critical issues.

The next step to fully fund the Connector improvements in Rancho Cordova will be to secure matching funds from the State of California. Federal support

creates the opportunity to leverage the funding for more dollars by the State, potentially amounting to over \$50 million in federal and state funds to greatly improve traffic flows and safety throughout the entire Sacramento region.

"This project is really a testament to what is possible when everyone in our region is working together," Congressman Kevin Kiley said recently. "When you think of the political divisions that exist in this country, one of the ways we can overcome them is through local regional projects that affect people's lives in a tangible way."

The Capital Southeast

Connector project aims to improve access and connectivity for all users and modes of transportation. It includes an all-weather bike and pedestrian trail connecting communities, a wildlife crossing, roundabouts and other improvements to dangerous intersections, and generally modernizes an old and dilapidated road. The project has already received 50-year environmental permits approved by federal resource agencies.

The goal is to create a comprehensive transportation network in California's capital, including non-motorized transportation options that encourage eco-friendly

commuting, reduce traffic congestion, and promote healthier lifestyles. More importantly, the modernized roadway will eliminate dangers that have already led to deaths.

The Capital Southeast Connector project is more than just a roadway; it is a testament to the power of collective thinking to meet shared community needs and promote smart regional development.

To learn more about the work underway visit www.ConnectorJPA.com or visit our YouTube channel at youtube.com/@southeastconnectorexpressway ★

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The Capital SouthEast Connector is the largest and most significant road project in Sacramento and El Dorado Counties, but its value to the region is often unknown to residents.

The Capital SouthEast Connector Joint Powers Authority (the agency responsible for designing and building the expressway) hopes to change that through a series of ads appearing over the next several weeks. The ads will explore the Connector's history and future, its financing, its challenges, and its successes.

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Q What is the Capital SouthEast Connector Expressway?

A The planned Connector is a four-lane expressway that will link Interstate 5 and Highway 99 near Elk Grove to Highway 50 in El Dorado County, by-passing downtown Sacramento and alleviating traffic congestion on existing highways, especially Highway 50.

The expressway will greatly lessen traffic congestion during commute hours and re-route many commercial trucks away from the metropolitan area.

The Connector will also link communities along the route with a parallel 30-mile regional bike and pedestrian trail that connects residents to recreational, entertainment and retail facilities, and to each other.

The route follows Grant Line Road and White Rock Road south of Highway 50 from El Dorado County to Kammerer Road west of Highway 99 in Elk Grove. The new roadway will eliminate dangerous curves and properly drain areas prone to frequent flooding.

Existing roads along the Connector's path are poorly designed with sharp curves and narrow or no shoulders. During flood or fire emergencies the roads are frequently closed or greatly congested,

hindering access for first responders and evacuation efforts.

Q What has been done to date, and what remains?

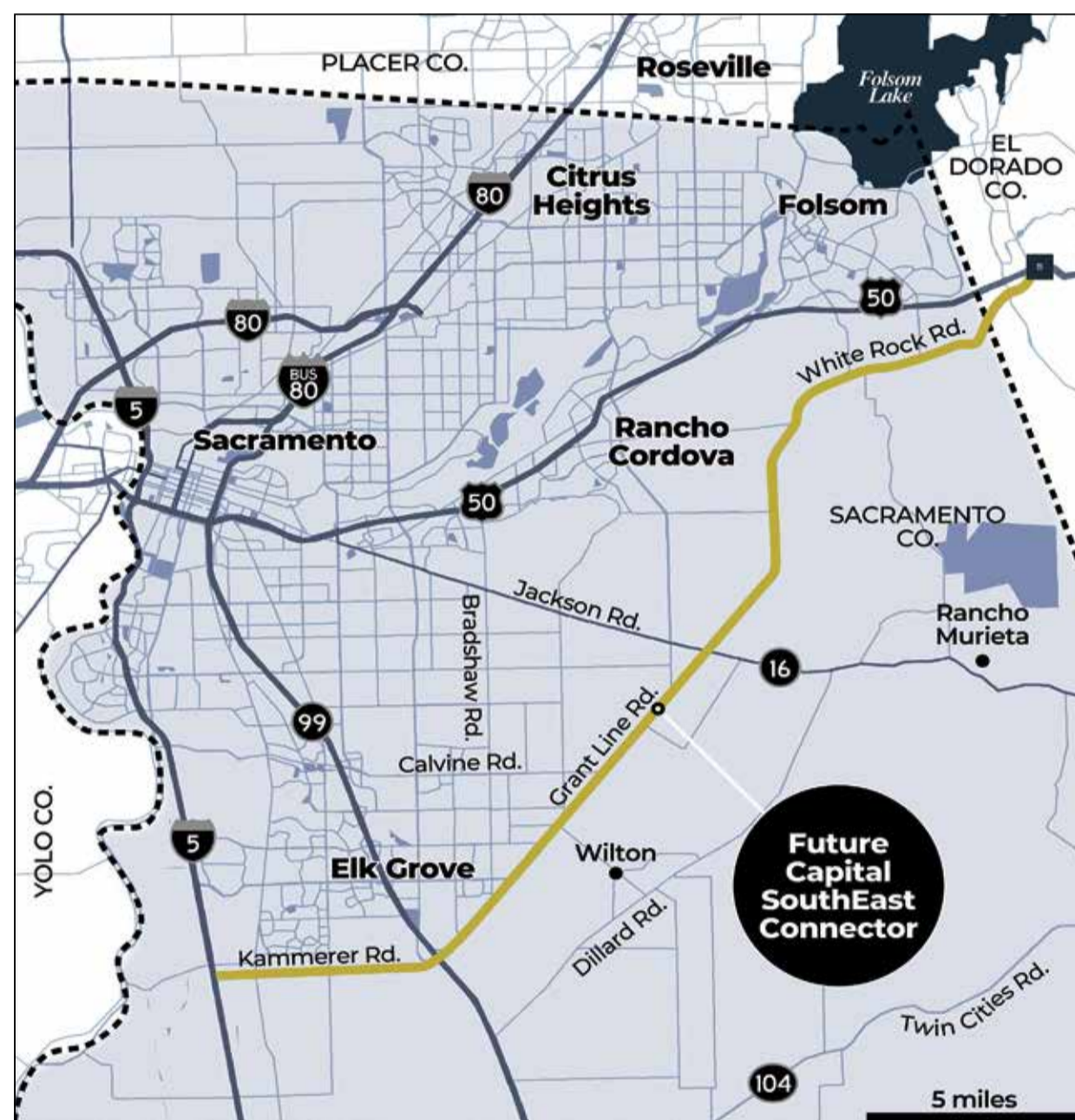
A At this point, about 11 miles of the Connector have been completed, including two highway interchanges and a railroad grade separation, at a cost of approximately \$200 million. Highway projects in California require extensive environmental approvals, permits, and mitigation, and often face legal challenges, adding to the difficulties of completing construction.

It is estimated that the entire expressway will be completed by 2035 with a total cost of \$500 million.

Q When was the Capital SouthEast Connector first envisioned?

A Back in 1975, the state studied traffic in the Sacramento region and recommended a beltway around the city of Sacramento due to the area's rapid growth and inadequate transportation corridors. The southern section of that beltway is what is now becoming the Capital SouthEast Connector.

At that time, Sacramento County had about 697,000



Map showing the location of the future Capital SouthEast Connector

residents and only four cities. Since then, three more cities have formed while the county's population more than doubled along with associated traffic headaches.

Q When did taxpayers first get asked to fund the project?

A In 2004, residents voted overwhelmingly to tax themselves to build the SouthEast Connector Expressway and other transportation projects. Since then, only approximately \$60 million of \$1.62 billion generated by those taxes have been allocated to the Connector project.

Meanwhile, residential and commercial development along the route continued to expand much faster than road construction needed to service the area. Thousands of new homes have been built along the route, and at least 32,600 more have been approved for construction in the near future.

Q When was the Capital Southeast Connector Joint Powers Authority formed and what does it do?

A The Capital Southeast Connector Joint Powers Authority was formally established in 2006 to design and construct the expressway after voters approved its construction in 2004.

Elected officials from Sacramento and El Dorado Counties and the cities of Elk Grove, Rancho Cordova, and Folsom (the jurisdictions directly affected by the Connector project) comprise the JPA's board of directors.

The JPA's Fiscal Year 2025 budget is approximately \$7 million, which largely funds engineering design services and right-of-way acquisitions. Construction funding comes from state and federal transportation resources.

Q How has the affected community been involved in the project's planning?

A From its inception, project planning has emphasized public input and participation to ensure that the completed expressway reflects the needs and desires of the communities it serves.

Over the years, countless community outreach meetings, agricultural focus groups, and presentations to civic groups and the Sac-

ramento County Community Planning Advisory Councils have occurred. The JPA board of directors meets quarterly, and the meetings are open to the public.

The endeavor has received widespread support from government officials and residents seeking to alleviate traffic problems and improve safety along the route.

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