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Dog Day in the Park



Good dogs! Fashion contest winners take the stage with Barktober organizers Brad Sanborn (back left) and Rosie Buck (back second from right). Costume categories include small and large breeds, best duos and best-overall.

**Story and photos
by Susan Maxwell
Skinner**

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - Rover reigned supreme as Carmichael's Barktober festival recently beckoned more than 200 dogs and best friends to Carmichael Park.

Falling close to Halloween, fancy dress was de-rigueur. Some pups came as witches; hell-fire hounds pranced; Dobermans joined the walking-dead. Doggedly cute were cheerleader chihuahuas; honey-bee hounds, a rottweiler



The bees knees. Rottweiler Elton and mom Kathleen Stewart are a bumblebee and apiarist.

Dumbo and a puppy piglet. Roseville Police Department demonstrated K-9 deployment with teams that teach anti-bullying techniques. A "musical sits" event showcased pet obedience. Large and small pooches circled. To the strains of "How Much is that Doggie in the Window, Labrador bested mini-labradoodle Abi. "Good sit, Ari," howled the crowd. Sunshine Pet Salon groomers offered free nail-trims for scores of four-footed visitors. Pro-trainer Miranda

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10 Statewide Propositions to Consider

By Carol Feineman

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, CA (MPG) - Voters will have 10 statewide propositions to consider on the Nov. 5 General Election ballot.

Because propositions are often hard to understand, Carmichael Elks Lodge Number 2103 presented a nonpartisan town hall meeting on the upcoming propositions Oct. 10 at the Carmichael Elks Lodge.

"Sometimes, propositions are written rather obliquely, intentionally or simply because the propositions are so complex," said Sacramento Taxpayers Association (SacTax) President W. Bruce Lee.

The Sacramento Taxpayers Association is a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization committed to promoting equitable taxation.

Helping the 120-plus Oct. 10 town hall attendees understand the propositions were Citrus Heights City Councilmember and Sacramento Taxpayers



Helping registered voters understand the statewide propositions are, from left, State Assemblyman District 7 Josh Hoover; Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association's legislative director Scott Kauffman; Citrus Heights City Councilmember and Sacramento Taxpayers Association executive board member Tim Schaefer; Carmichael Elks Lodge Number 2103 Exalted Ruler Michael Hanson; and Sacramento Taxpayers Association President Lee. Photo by Paul V. Scholl

Association executive board member Tim Schaefer; State Assemblyman District 7 Josh Hoover; Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association's legislative director Scott Kauffman;

and Sacramento Taxpayers Association President Lee. "We are the owners of our government," Lee told the crowd at the town hall's start. "Ponder the propositions,

vote intelligently." Of the 10 statewide propositions on the Nov. 5 ballot, Schaefer said, propositions 2 through 6 are California State

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**SPCA Welcomes
Jennifer Brent
as the New
Chief Executive
Officer**



Jennifer Brent has 16 years of experience in the nonprofit and animal welfare sectors. Photo courtesy of Sacramento SPCA

**Sacramento SPCA
News Release**

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) announced Oct. 17 the appointment of Jennifer Brent as its new Chief Executive Officer, effective Oct. 14.

Brent joins the Sacramento SPCA with more than 16 years of leadership experience in the nonprofit and animal welfare sectors, serving the past 8 years as Executive Director of The California Wildlife Center (CWC), a Southern California nonprofit dedicated to rescue and rehabilitation of native California animals. Prior to CWC, Brent held executive leadership roles at two private foundations supporting the needs of companion animals through spay/neuter and adoption and served as a Commissioner to the Department of Animal Care and Control for the City of Los Angeles.

"We are thrilled to welcome Jennifer to our lifesaving team," said Susan Gray, Sacramento SPCA Board President. "She has a proven track record of effective leadership and a deep passion for helping animals and people. We are confident that her vision and expertise will guide us into the next chapter of lifesaving work in our community."

Brent recently moved from Southern California to take on the leadership role at the Sacramento SPCA, a nationally recognized leader for delivering high-quality, low-cost spay/neuter surgeries, along with adoption, wellness and outreach programs that positively impact more than 40,000 animals each year.

"I am honored to join the Sacramento SPCA and work alongside such a dedicated team," said Brent. "I look forward to learning more about the needs of animals and people in Sacramento and building on the strong foundation already in place to save more lives."

Recognizing the vital role of community engagement in the Sacramento SPCA's work, Brent is eager to gather insights and build collaborative partnerships

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10 Statewide Propositions to Consider

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Legislature-generated and the other half are citizen-generated.

What It Means if the Propositions Pass
Prop. 2 would provide statewide school bonds for infrastructures and authorize \$10 billion for public school up to community college facilities. It would also expand eligibility for financial hardship grants for small and disadvantaged school districts, and provide higher percentage of state-matching funds to schools demonstrating the greatest need.
Prop. 3 would amend the California Constitution to recognize the fundamental right to marry, regardless of sex or race and remove language in the state Constitution stating that marriage is only between a man and a woman.
Prop. 4 would authorize \$10 billion in general obligation bonds for safe drinking water, wildfire prevention, and protecting communities and natural lands from climate risks. It would prioritize projects benefiting disadvantaged communities, require annual audits and appropriate money from the General Fund to repay bonds.
Prop. 5 would generate local bonds for affordable housing and public infrastructure with 55-percent voter approval. The 55-percent voter approval would be used instead of a two-thirds voter approval.
Prop. 6 would amend the California Constitution to remove the provision that allows jails and prisons to impose involuntary servitude as punishment for crimes committed.
Prop. 32 would raise the minimum wage, effective Jan. 1, for employers with 26 or more employees from \$16 per hour to \$17 immediately and \$18 on Jan. 1. For employers with 25 or less employees, the minimum wage would go from \$16 to \$17 on Jan. 1 and \$18 a year later on Jan. 1, 2026.
Prop. 33 would enable local government to enact rent control on residential property. State law would not limit the kinds of rent control laws that cities and counties could have.
Prop. 34 would restrict spending of prescription drug revenues by certain health-care providers. Health-care providers meeting certain criteria would be required to spend 98 percent of revenues from a federal discount prescription drug program on direct patient care. It would authorize statewide

negotiation of Medi-Cal drug prices.
Prop. 35 would provide permanent funding for Medi-Cal health-care services. It would require revenues to be used only for specified Medi-Cal Services, including primary and specialty care, emergency care, family planning, mental health and prescription drugs.
Prop. 36 would allow felony charges (and increased sentences) for possessing certain drugs and for thefts under \$950, if the defendant has two prior drug or theft convictions.
All the bonds mentioned require a majority of 50 percent plus one to pass.
“I learned a few things I didn’t know,” said Judy Sweeney, an audience member and a Carmichael Elks member. She was pleased with the “pretty good” turnout.
Sweeney also said she would have liked the opportunity to hear supporters and opponents discussing the various propositions.
Mark Sumner, also an audience member and a Carmichael Elks member, however, appreciated the lack of opinions during the town meeting.
“I thought it was great. It was nice to get the community together and hear unbiased opinions about the propositions,” Sumner said. “Propositions can be written confusing to understand. This town hall meeting helped. We need to do more of this to get the community out.”
To read more about the propositions, check out the Nov. 5 General Election’s Official Voter Information Guide mailed to households and available online at voterguide.sos.ca.gov. The voter information guide includes what voting yes and voting no mean, pro and con arguments, and additional resources for studying each proposition.
“I thought the event was very successful with many intelligent questions from the participants. It always encourages me to see citizens exercise ownership of their government and part of that process is casting intelligent, informed votes,” Lee said. “Indeed, that is a foundational purpose of SacTax, to see citizens collaborate and empowered to have meaningful influence in their governments, be that local, state, or federal. In many parts of the world, citizens have no oversight of their government, and even many ‘democracies’ are only pseudo democracies. This means that they may look like a democracy in form only but they do not function as a democracy should.” ★

CHP Begins Regional Crash Reduction Campaign

California Highway Patrol North Sacramento News Release

NORTH SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The California Highway Patrol (CHP) North Sacramento Area office will use grant funding to implement a regional traffic safety campaign in Sacramento County to encourage safe driving behaviors and help deter dangerous driving habits. This one-year project started on Oct. 1, 2024, and ends on Sept. 30, 2025.

The North Sacramento Area will deploy officers to conduct enforcement on Interstates 5 and 80; State Routes 51, 99, 160, and 244; and on unincorporated roadways where the CHP North Sacramento Area has jurisdiction. The safety campaign will also include a community-based task force to raise awareness about the dangers of speeding, unsafe turning, impaired driving, automobile right-of-way, traffic signals and signs, pedestrian violations, and other risky driving behaviors.

“We are taking a proactive approach to keeping our roadways safe throughout Sacramento County,” said CHP Captain Mike Sedam of the

North Sacramento Area office. “This grant will build on the momentum achieved from past education and enforcement efforts in the CHP North Sacramento Area.”

According to the CHP’s Statewide Integrated Traffic Records System, 68 people were killed and 2,657 people were injured in crashes on state highways and unincorporated roadways patrolled by the CHP North Sacramento Area between Oct. 1, 2021, and Sept. 30, 2022. The leading primary crash factors were unsafe speed, improper turning, automobile right-of-way, impaired driving, traffic signals and signs and pedestrian violations. Officers will also focus their enforcement efforts on distracted driving and seat belt violations.

Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

The North Sacramento CHP serves the northern portion of Sacramento County, including Antelope, Arden-Arcade, Carmichael, Elverta, Fair Oaks, Foothill Farms, McClellan Park, North Highlands, Rio Linda and Orangevale. ★



SPCA Welcomes Jennifer Brent as the New Chief Executive Officer

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Sac County's Favorite Pet Festival Returns

Dog Day in the Park



Pets will be available for adoption at the Nov. 2 Pet Festival. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The four-legged friends of Sacramento County have something to wag their tails about as the third Annual Roy C. Marcum Animal Care Faire returns to Bradshaw Animal Shelter on Saturday, Nov. 2 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 3839 Bradshaw Road.

This free-admission pet festival is open to the public and promises a day of fun for animal lovers of all ages. Attendees can explore pet-related booths, support local small businesses and makers, savor treats from a variety of food trucks, try their luck at raffles and enjoy Pet Photos by Olin. Plus, there will be adorable adoptable pets to meet. Dogs on a six-foot leash or shorter are welcome at the event.

Thinking about adopting a furry friend? Bradshaw Animal Shelter will be open to the public from noon to 5 p.m., with waived adoption fees for dogs and cats. Included in each pet's adoption is their

spay/neuter surgery, microchip, up-to-date vaccinations, monthly preventatives and a one-year license for Sacramento County residents.

Festivalgoers will receive an official event tote bag filled with goodies while supplies last.

Food trucks will include Señor Burger, Pinorrito, The Fry Boys, Daisy's Desserts and Softy Star Sweets.

The Roy C. Marcum Animal Care Faire was established in 2022 to honor fallen Sacramento County animal control officer Roy C. Marcum, who was killed in the line of duty on Nov. 28, 2012. The event commemorates Officer Marcum's legacy while promoting responsible pet ownership and animal welfare in the community.

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Barktober raises \$440 for dog park improvements. Carmichael Park District Administrator Stacey Yankee (left) accepts the bounty from festival organizer, Rosie Buck.

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Viani (All Stage Canine Development owner) hosted canine agility displays and an obstacle course.

“Our attendees were well-mannered and enjoyed the activities,” said organizer Rosie Buck. “There were no fights, no bites but as you’d expect with a few hundred dogs having fun, there were plenty of woofs. Our festival united families, pets and businesses.”

The main event paraded more than 30 master/mutt costume duos. Best Overall honors went to the circus-themed Laurie Brajkovich and Miss Waffles. Their success was assured when, to wild applause, labradoodle Waffles rocketed through her lion-tamer mom’s hoop.

“She’s very smart and very motivated by treats,” enthused owner Brajkovich. “And she enjoys attention. We both love the Carmichael event; it’s so well put together. I’ve dressed Waffles up since she was



Where’s the fire? Dalmatian Juniper and owners, Jessica Davis and Bradley Gray, get kitted up for call-out.

a puppy. Before that, I dressed my cat. I don’t have kids. Spending time with Waffles is my greatest fun.”

Barktober was presented by Carmichael Chamber of Commerce and Carmichael Park District.

Sponsors include All Stage Canine Development, Buck Family Automotive, AA Dog Training, Woofies of Folsom-Roseville, Kerri Mandes Fitness, Ben’s Barket Place, Food in the Hood 916 and Sunflower Pet Salon. ★

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Mercy General Hospital Guild Back Open to Volunteers



The Mercy Hospital Guild volunteers served 608 hospital staff members tea sandwiches and baked goods at the annual personal tea in May. Photo courtesy of Deborah McStocker of Mercy Guild

By Carol Barr,
Mercy General
Hospital Guild

Editor's note: Mercy General Hospital offers many services, including heart and vascular care, a family birth center and cancer care. The Sacramento hospital, part of the Dignity Health network, is dedicated to delivering high quality, compassionate care and access to Sacramento and nearby communities.

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The Mercy General Hospital Guild is back open to any and all volunteers since the pandemic years. Because children have returned to school, Mercy General Hospital Guild volunteers hope that you will want to give back to your community by volunteering. The address for Mercy General Hospital is 4001 J St., Sacramento. Volunteers only work in four-hour shifts, which are 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.,

12:30 to 4 p.m. or in some cases, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The basic requirement is only two shifts a month. The yearly fee for membership is \$20. There are many departments where volunteers can work. The AlexGSpanos information desk is located in the main lobby. Patients are directed to registrars so they can have their procedures completed from that desk. We also direct patients and their families to see loved ones or find the locations of their procedures. The Mercy Medical Plaza Information Desk is located in the doctors' offices building next door and patients are directed to their doctors' offices or outpatient surgery there. The Surgery/Cardiac Waiting Area is located on the second floor of the main hospital. We keep families informed of their loved ones' surgery and its completion. The gift shop is located

on the first floor of the main hospital. There are always beautiful clothes, jewelry and gifts, seasonal art pieces, books, candy and snacks to purchase. If a volunteer would rather work from home, pillowcases are made for all our cardiac patients, plus there are creations made for our seasonal sales throughout the year. The fun activities are planned for the staff at the hospital. These activities include bake sales, ice cream socials, vendor sales and the annual personal tea held each May. There is office work available in the new Guild office located in the main hospital basement. The staff organizes hours and keeps information, such as addresses and requirements, current for all volunteers. If you are interested in receiving an application, call 916-453-4699. The requirements will be explained to you and an application will be made available. ★

It's Election Season Make Your Plans to Vote

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - We are days away from the Nov. 5 General Election and ballots should be in hand (and hopefully already filled out and on their way back to the Elections Office, either by mail or Drop Box).

But never fear, if you haven't yet returned your voted ballot, you still have plenty of time.

For those voters or soon-to-be voters that need to register or update their voter registration file, Monday, Oct. 21 was the last day to make those changes or register online. While that deadline has passed, you can still visit the Election's Office in person or visit one of the Vote Centers that opened, starting Oct. 26, to conditionally register and vote.

Vote: Pick a Way, Any Way
Choose how, when and where you want to vote.

By mail: All registered voters received a ballot in the mail. Place the voted ballot inside the envelope provided, sign the envelope and return; your postage is paid! Ballots must be postmarked by Nov. 5 to count.

Vote Center: With the passage of the California Voter's Choice Act, traditional polling places were replaced with Vote

Centers that are open for up to 11 days, including Election Day. This means that voters can choose when, where and how they want to vote at any Vote Center in the county. Avoid the lines, vote early.

At the Vote Center, you can drop off your completed ballot or vote in person. There is even weekend voting.

Eighteen Vote Centers are open for 11 days, beginning Oct. 26.

An additional 70 Vote Centers are open for four days, beginning Nov. 2.

Eligible residents can also register to vote, update their registration and cast their ballot at a Vote Center, even on the day of the election.

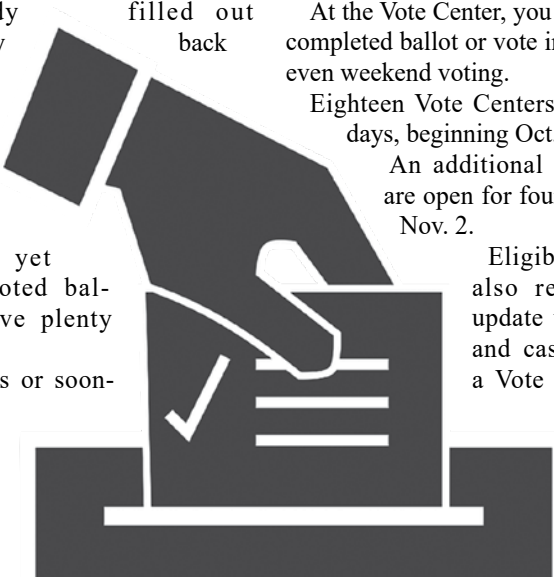
Drop Boxes: Voted/signed ballots may be placed in any of the 60 secure Drop Box locations throughout Sacramento County.

When using a Drop Box, ensure that it is an official, secure box provided by the Sacramento County Election's Office. All official county drop boxes have the Sacramento County wave logo on them.

A complete list of Vote Center and Drop Box locations can be found at elections.sacramento.gov.

For more election and voter information, visit the Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections website at elections.sacramento.gov.

To register to vote, visit the California Online Voter Registration website at <https://registertovote.ca.gov>. ★



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Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association’s Statewide Ballot Measure Information, Voting Recommendations

Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association News Release

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA (MPG) - Below are Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association’s (HJTA) statewide ballot measure information and voting recommendations. For more information, visit the association’s website at www.hjta.org.

NO on 2 Why we’re against it

Proposition 2 is \$10 billion of bonds, new state debt, to pay for school facilities. It is almost certain to result in higher property tax bills, because school districts must provide a “local match” of funds in order to receive money from the Prop. 2 state bonds. That will lead to districts issuing new local school bonds, which are paid for by adding new charges to property tax bills. Enrollment is declining in both K-12 district schools and community colleges and the declines are projected to continue. But Proposition 2 commits California to pay an estimated \$18 billion, including interest, for school buildings that may not even be necessary. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 2.

Proposition 3 HJTA takes no position on this measure

Proposition 3 removes language from the state Constitution that defines marriage as between a man and woman. It adds the language, “right to marry is a fundamental right.” This measure has no effect on the current law, because the U.S. Supreme Court held that the federal Constitution protects the right to marry.

NO on 4 Why we’re against it

This is the \$10 billion “climate bond” that state politicians have long planned. California already has too much bond debt, over

\$78 billion outstanding as of Jan. 1. Then \$6.38 billion was added with Proposition 1 in March. Proposition 4 would add another \$10 billion in bond debt to pay for climate “programs.” It’s reckless to use borrowed money, an estimated \$18 billion with interest, to pay for “programs,”



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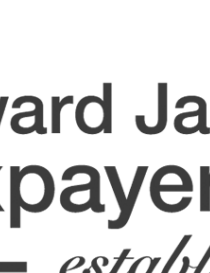
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including salaries for all the groups that receive the money. Bond financing only makes sense for necessary projects that will last more than the 30 years it takes to repay the debt. The governor has already declared a budget emergency because the state spends more than it takes in. Spending even more “on the credit card” is a bad idea. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 4.

NO on 5 Why we’re against it

Proposition 5 is ACA 1, a direct attack on Proposition 13. It makes it easier to raise taxes by eliminating the longstanding two-thirds vote of the electorate required to pass local bonds (borrowed money that must be repaid with interest). All new bond measures for “infrastructure” (nearly everything is “infrastructure”) and for public housing projects would pass with just 55% approval instead of the current 66.7%. Local bonds are paid for with extra charges on property tax bills, adding to the tax burden on homeowners and businesses, leading to higher rents for tenants and higher consumer prices for everyone. If Proposition 5 is

not stopped, property tax bills are likely to go up after every election, forever. Proposition 5 will raise the cost of living in California, which already has the highest poverty rate in the country when the cost of living is taken into account. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 5.



NO on 6 Why we’re against it

Proposition 6 bans mandatory work requirements for state prison inmates. It doesn’t seem fair to further increase the burden on taxpayers by creating the conditions to negotiate higher wages for inmates who are paying off their debt to society by serving their sentences in state prison. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 6.

NO on 32 Why we’re against it

Proposition 32 would raise California’s hourly minimum wage from \$16 to \$18 and then adjust it annually for inflation. Unfortunately, raising the hourly minimum wage has sometimes reduced weekly wages as businesses cut hours and lay off workers. The best way to raise incomes in California is to stop driving job-creating businesses out of the state or into the ground. Raising the minimum wage is counter-productive. It also increases the state’s expenses by raising government labor costs. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 32.

NO on 33 Why we’re against it

Proposition 33 is a rent control measure that would lead to a reduction in the supply of rental housing. It repeals a sensible 1995 law, the Costa-Hawkins Rental Housing Act, which put limits on rent control laws to ensure that



housing providers could make a fair return on their investment and stay in business. Repealing Costa-Hawkins would mean cities could enact radical rent control, even on single-family homes and condos, and prevent property owners from resetting the rent to the market rate after a tenant voluntarily moves out. Proposition 33 would lead to a sharp reduction in new apartment construction as lenders evaluate financial risk due to potential rent control laws. That will worsen the housing shortage in California. Voters have already rejected this proposal twice before, in 2018 and 2020. VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION 33.

YES on 34 Why we’re for it

Some nonprofit healthcare organizations that receive federal funds to provide health care services have abused the system to spend large amounts of money on political causes. Proposition 34 would end this practice and require that healthcare providers spend most of the money they receive from a federal prescription drug discount program on direct patient care. VOTE YES ON PROPOSITION 34.

Proposition 35 HJTA takes no position on this measure

California currently taxes managed care organizations (MCOs) such as Anthem Blue Cross and others. The MCO tax is set to expire in 2026, and we expect the Legislature to make it permanent. Proposition 35 would also make it permanent but would require the revenue from the tax to fund Medi-Cal, the government health insurance program for low-income residents, instead of being used to close gaps in the state budget. About 14 million California residents rely on the Medi-Cal program for their health care needs.

YES on 36 Why we’re for it

Proposition 36 is the “Homelessness, Drug Addiction and Theft Reduction Act,” backed by law enforcement groups and retailers. It makes thoughtful changes to Proposition 47 (2014), which reduced some theft and drug felonies to misdemeanors. Proposition 36 would get tougher on third offenses and also offer drug and mental health treatment as an alternative to incarceration. It would allow judges to sentence some individuals to state prison instead of county jail. The surge of retail theft, vehicle break-ins and open drug use on California’s streets has increased the burden on first responders, and on taxpayers, as well as raising insurance costs throughout the state. VOTE YES ON PROPOSITION 36.

Local Measures In Folsom No on Measure G

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Stop Criminals, Drugs, Theft

By John McGinness

California voters will have several very important decisions to make as they complete their November 2024 ballots. One that has the potential to reverse a decade of deterioration of the state’s criminal justice system is Proposition 36.

To adequately analyze the merits of Proposition 36, a quick review of history is in order. Ten years ago, voters approved Proposition 47 based upon assurance that it would improve public safety. The voters were deceived – Proposition 47 eliminated compounding consequences for several theft and possession and use of dangerous drugs. Many crimes were reduced from felonies to misdemeanors, eliminating the deterrent value of discipline.

The results have been devastating for the state of California. Urban, suburban, and even rural areas once used for recreation have been taken over by critically addicted people living like walking zombies. Retail businesses have become so frequently victimized by “smash and grab” thieves that merchants have been forced to lock up much of their merchandise out of reach, inconveniencing legitimate costumers and staff. Fentanyl poisoning has become the leading cause of death for Americans 18-45-years-of-age. On average, over 200 deaths by fentanyl poisoning occur in the United States every day. Consider the tolerance

society would have in an environment in which 200 people were killed in a commercial airline crash every day – public outcry would be extreme and warranted; change would be mandated by an outraged public. Yet persons in positions of leadership seem oblivious or apathetic to the plight of our youth.

Proposition 36 will restore the ability of the criminal justice system to impose compounding consequences on chronic habitual offenders for the sake of discouraging unacceptable behavior. Specifically, offenders convicted not once, but twice of possession of hard and dangerous drugs will be eligible for felony prosecution or completion of a court-supervised treatment for addiction. This course of action was common before the passage of Proposition 47, when drug court was a viable option for those first charged with felony drug possession. The impetus for treatment is now gone by virtue of chronic drug offenders suffering through addiction and only being cited for misdemeanor violations of law. That means no time in custody in California, and no incentive to participate

in court supervised treatment. Those cited typically ignore their citations, fail to appear in court and continue to live their destructive lifestyle, wreaking havoc on the streets, parks and public facilities throughout the state. Proposition

consequences be brought against those who habitually violate the law for the sake of discouraging habitual lawlessness.

Critics have asserted that Proposition 36 represents a reversion to days of mass incarceration. It does not! Proposition 36 is a bipartisan concept created by elected distract attorneys of diverse political and philosophical affiliation, supported by big city mayors from California’s diverse communities, to provide incentive for treatment for those chronically addicted to dangerous

drugs, as well as common sense solutions to those who habitually break the law and diminish the quality of life for law abiding Californians.

If concern for law abiding citizens and those seeking to safely pursue their dreams in this state is insufficient to motivate voters to support this thoughtful proposition, consider the wellbeing of the people directly adversely impacted by the results of the horrific current state of law. Since 2014, when Proposition 47 passed, the number of chronically addicted people living on the streets of California has exploded. Failing to recognize the wellbeing of those

lost to drugs on the streets represents an apathetic disregard for our fellow human beings. Swift, lawful action taken to put these lost souls on the path to a vastly better existence is the compassionate and appropriate action to be taken by the electorate of this state.

Ten years ago, the political leadership of the state of California misled the voters, assuring them that Proposition 47 would enhance public safety, that eliminating thoughtful punitive consequences for lawlessness would somehow make the schools and neighborhoods safer. Many of those same people are again describing Proposition as something vastly different than what it is. Proposition 36 is a plan to reduce homelessness, drug addiction, and theft in California. Law-abiding taxpayers deserve better, future generations of Californians deserve better and those in the grip of addiction need our help. Please do not be fooled by the same people who misled the voters to pass Proposition 47.

Please help save California. Vote “Yes” on Prop.36.

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36 will give incentive to those who badly need treatment. Those who complete the treatment and graduate from the program will have the opportunity to have their record expunged and avoid incarceration, liberating them to live rich full lives.

Proposition 36 will also reclassify fentanyl as a hard drug, and provide enhanced penalties on those who possess fentanyl while armed with a firearm.

As or thieves, Proposition 36 will impose the potential for felony consequences for persons twice convicted of petty theft and charged with a subsequent theft case. It simply demands that

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WEEI11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07376

Rachel K. Baranski, 4925 El Camino Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Scarlett Blume" 4925 El Camino Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 26, 2024

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MYCITYLENDER11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07373

MyCityLender LLC, 2250 East Germann Road, Suite 12, Chandler, AZ 85286 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MyCityLender" 2250 East Germann Road, Suite 12, Chandler, AZ 85286. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 26, 2024

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MYCITYLENDER11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07499

Leana Spletstoesser, 10201 Rockingham Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Rewired to Read" 10201 Rockingham Drive, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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REWIRED11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07529

D.R.I.V.E, 2391 Mossy Bank Drive, Suite #3, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "D.R.I.V.E" 2391 Mossy Bank Drive, Suite #3, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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DRIVE11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07528

Maria C Lagunas Mercado, 1200 Pebblewood Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "DENTALAB" 2628 El Camino Avenue, Suite A-7, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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DENTALAB11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07301

YNY Group LLC, 7932 Sunset Avenue, Suite A, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Twins Massage" 7932 Sunset Avenue, Suite A, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 24, 2024

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TWINS11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07508

Big River Provisions LLC, 4500 Wellesley Way, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Big River Provisions/Pasta Therapy/Communion Supper Club/Ravioli Gothic" 4500 Wellesley Way, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07389

Fast Auto Inc, 2938 Muttonbird Way, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fast Auto Repair" 3100 23rd Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 26, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07241

Atunaisa M Latu, 10273 Countryside Way, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ateca Concrete" 10273 Countryside Way, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 20, 2024

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ATESA11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07280

Marisa Minasian, 4520 Live Oak Street, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Calamity Jean/Calamity Jean Customs" 4520 Live Oak Street, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 23, 2024

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CALAMITY11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07436

Nazar Yakovchuk, 6623 Creekmont Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "United Home Renovation" 6623 Creekmont Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024

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UNITED11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07402

Francisco Jr Sapaden, 8341 Sutter Buttes Way, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tri Connections International/Red Eggs Entertainment" 8341 Sutter Buttes Way, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 26, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07108

Sandhi Veeraswamy LLC, 1350 Broadstone Parkway, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Royal Biryani's" 8525 Madison Avenue, Suite #127, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 16, 2024

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ROYAL11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06402

Starkey Holding Company, 901 H Street, Suite 120, Sacramento, CA 95814 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Exclusive Rents" 901 H Street, Suite 120, Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 20, 2024

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EXCLUSIVE11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07448

Christopher N. Wiggins, 3263 Monier Circle, Unit F, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Rancho Sheds" 3263 Monier Circle, Unit F, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024

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ENGSTRAND11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06626

Highway 160, LLC, 8301 Kiawah

Court, Elk Grove, CA 95758 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Courtland Market/Riverview Market" 11711 River Road, Courtland, CA 95615. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 27, 2024

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COURTLAND11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07591

3D Technology Services, Inc., 11365 Sunrise Gold Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "3D Datacom, Inc." 11365 Sunrise Gold Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 3, 2024

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3D11-1-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07483

AHCS Specialty Care Sacramento, LLC, 1820 Tribute Road, Suite G, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AHCS Specialty Care Sacramento LTC" 1820 Tribute Road, Suite G, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 30, 2024

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AHCS11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07412

Jacquelyn Hasty, 116 Simmons Way, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Aesthetics by Nurse Jackie" 116 Simmons Way, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024

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AESTHETICS11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06398

South Bay Gunite, Inc., 4986 Parrish Court, San Jose, CA 95111 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Geremia Pools and Spas" 1508 Howe Avenue, Suite #200, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 20, 2024

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GEREMIA11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07445

Ecoflow LLC, 2360 Mendocino Avenue, Suite #A2 294, Santa Rosa, CA 95403 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Greenback Smog" 6225 Binet Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024

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GREENBACK11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07682

Amber Chelsea Burney, 5624 Spyglass Lane, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sure Footed Painting Company" 5624 Spyglass Lane, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024

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SURE11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07678

Heravi's LLC, 5522 Auburn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Heravi's Auto Parts" 5522 Auburn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024

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HERAVIS11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07482

AbanaBricks LLC, 3548 Hart Drive, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Victory Rd Rides" 3548 Hart Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 30, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07654

Alvearium Marketing Inc., 11344 Coloma Road, Suite 550, Gold River, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Hive Promotions Management Inc./Strike 3 Connections Inc." 11344 Coloma Road, Suite 550, Gold River, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024

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HIVE11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07287

Denis Prosvirnin, 6830 Walerga Road, Apt #28, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Korea-Motors" 6830 Walerga Road, Apt #28, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 23, 2024

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KOREA11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07643

Fill In The Blank FC LLC, 7484 Holworthy Way, Apt 230, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "(Fill In The Blank) Food Company" 7484 Holworthy Way, Apt 230, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07292

Brian Fasciola, 171 Glenville Circle, Sacramento, CA 95826

is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "EPIC Windows Plus" 171 Glenville Circle, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 23, 2024

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Fasteaglemotors, LLC, 6381 Auburn Boulevard, Suite A, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fasteaglemotors, LLC" 6381 Auburn Boulevard, Suite A, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 23, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07201

Aminullah Mohmand, 4141 Manzanita Avenue, Suite #105, Carmichel, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ariana Market" 4141 Manzanita Avenue, Suite #105, Carmichel, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 18, 2024

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ARIANA11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07659

Imira Image LLC, 12736 Knightbrook Avenue, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Elite Modular Interiors" 12736 Knightbrook Avenue, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024

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Jonathan Gunn, 5540 Robertson Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Signature Express Services" 5540 Robertson Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07645

MGX Inc, 3784 Omec Circle, Unit 7, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MGX INC" 3784 Omec Circle, Unit 7, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07719

On-Way Logistics Corporation, 4005 Manzanita Avenue, Suite 6-135, Carmichael, 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Onway Auto Transport/On-Way Auto Transport" 4822 Patrol Drive, McClellan Park, CA 95652. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 8, 2024

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ONWAY11-8-24

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Aileen Usac and Raymond Usac, 6841 Sandrock Way, Sacramento, CA 95828 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Aileen's Delish" 2425 Sierra Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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AILEENS11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06871

Center for Psychological Services, LLC, 400 Skokie Boulevard, Suite 245, Northbrook, IL 60062 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Center for Special Education Services" 400 Skokie Boulevard, Suite 245, Northbrook, IL 60062. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 9, 2024

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CENTER11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07541

Cosmistack, Inc., PO Box 1814, Clovis, CA 93613 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Firewalls4less/Firewallsforless" 1401 21st Street, Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 1, 2024

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FIREWALL11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07400

Jacob Leatham, 5217 Rambler Way, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "NorCal Hires" 5217 Rambler Way, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 26, 2024

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MJR Mgmt, LLC, 2108 N Street, Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Boom MJR Mgmt" 2108 N Street, Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024
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MJR 11-8-24

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Igor Kamaukhov, 7574 Sylvan Valley Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Karno Remodeling" 7574 Sylvan Valley Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 25, 2024
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KARNO 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07231

ES Cal II LLC, 9350 South Dixie Highway, Suite 950, Miami, FL 33156 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Montessori Country Day at Riverlake" 7575 Rush River Drive, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 20, 2024
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MONTESSORI 11-8-24

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Cathy Marvos, 7125 Brayton Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Serene Residential Living/Serene Residential Assisted Living" 7125 Brayton Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 3, 2024
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SERENE 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07405

WD Investment Company Inc, 9494 Vallejo Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "B&L Properties/5th Street Apartments" 9494 Vallejo Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024
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B&L 11-8-24

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Sergey Okunev, 6430 Verner Avenue, Apt #118, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Advanced Air" 6430 Verner Avenue, Suite #118, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 9, 2024
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ADVANCED 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07409

Viktor Shostak, 5431 President Avenue, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Shop2Run" 5431 President Avenue, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 27, 2024
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SHOP 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07684

Alex Maystryshin, 4941 Jolana Lane, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AK Innovations" 4941 Jolana Lane, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024
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AK 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06970

J T Galindo Inc, PO Box 7581, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Creekside Coin Wash/Greenback Coin Wash" 5733 Hawkeye Lane, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 11, 2024
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CREEKSIDE 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07648

NorCal Spas LLC, 4318 Lafayette Drive, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "AquaLux" 1126 Sibley Street, Suite E, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024
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AQUALUX 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-06207

Charles Richard Perry, 7441 Morningside Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Precision Maintenance" 7441 Morningside Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County August 13, 2024
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PRECISION 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07617

David M Gomez, 7745 Glenn Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA

95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Corazon Pan y Cafecito" 7745 Glenn Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024
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CORAZON 11-8-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07336

Mr Habibi Corp, 8061 Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Fastrip Food Stores 8895" 8061 Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 25, 2024
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Brian Pugh, 1591 Bonanza Lane, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Pepe Consulting" 1591 Bonanza Lane, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County September 30, 2024
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Moxie Realty Group LLC, 3775 N Edge Drive, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Moxie Realty Group" 4110 Truxel Road, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 8, 2024
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MOXIE 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07812

Ninh Dickinson, 9248 Carla Way, Sacramento, CA 95826 and Phuong Hue Nguyen, 7043 Kenneth Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Novel Nails + Day Spa" 5880 Antelope Road, Suite #100, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 11, 2024
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NOVEL 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07824

Sheena L. Whitt, 117 Fountain Oaks Circle, Sacramento, CA 95831 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "CeeJay Crochets" 117 Fountain Oaks Circle, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 15, 2024
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CEEJAY 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07804

Ludmilla Petrenko and Andrew Petrenko, 3930 Tarmigan Drive, Suite 512, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sunny Shine Cleaning" 3930 Tarmigan Drive, Apt 512, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 11, 2024
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SUNNY 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07854

Cathryn Vasquez, 2708 El Parque Circle, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Glamgurl By Kitty" 5501 Power Inn Road, Suite 100, Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 15, 2024
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GLAM 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07676

Alexandra Burch and Quinton Boucher, 1848 2nd Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95818 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Storied and Sound" 1848 2nd Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024
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STORIED 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07630

Sergiy Kuzin, 5741 Audrey Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "KS Tax Services" 7921 Kingswood Drive, Suite A5-E, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024
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KS 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07652

Brahm Enterprises, LLC, 3924 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Burjeon" 3924 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 4, 2024
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BURJEON 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07809

Amanda Semeryuk, 4430 Middlebury Way, Mather, CA 95655 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Dreamy Sweet Treats" 4430 Middlebury Way, Mather, CA 95655. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 11, 2024
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DREAMY 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07667

The Tucker Legacy Group LLC, 2520 Venture Oaks Way, Suite 120, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Being Indie Is Major" 2520 Venture Oaks Way, Suite 120, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07760

Apple Pie Payments LLC, 1540 Castec Drive, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "La Bouchere" 1540 Castec Drive, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 9, 2024
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BOUCHERE 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07777

Talia Wilmes, 2185 Eden River Court, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Kquality Solutions" 2185 Eden River Court, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 10, 2024
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KOALITY 11-15-24

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Nevoya Transportation, LLC, 765 North Main Street, Suite 149, Corona, CA 95878 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Nevoya" 765 North Main Street, Suite 149, Corona, CA 95878. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 7, 2024
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NEVOYA 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07232

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CAP 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07923

Nicholas Smith, 1719 West Socap Walk, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Revel Athletic" 1719 West Socap Walk, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 17, 2024
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REVEL 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07851

Christine Karstens, 1209 Watt Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "California Backyard Solutions" 1209 Watt Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 15, 2024
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BACKYARD 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07826

Elvira Kapurkina, 5742 Callie Lane, Apt E, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Scooby Scrub Cleaning" 5742 Callie Lane, Apt E, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 15, 2024
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SCOOBY 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07910

Fideleidis Kindelan Hernandez, 10163 Badger Creek Lane, Wilton, CA 95693 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "La Cubanita" 10163 Badger Creek Lane, Wilton, CA 95693. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 16, 2024
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CUBANITA 11-15-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-07971

RTS Trans Inc, 2813 Tartarain Way, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "G&B Truck & Trailer Repair" 2813 Tartarain Way, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County October 18, 2024
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G&B 11-15-24

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV016269

Anandi Sushant Shirodkar has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Anandi Sushant Shirodkar to Aanandi Shirodkar. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on November 27, 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: August 19, 2024

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
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SHIRODKAR 10-25-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV019300

Van Son La and Thi Hoang Thao Truong has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Anh Kiet La aka Kiet Anh La to Anh La. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on February 5, 2025, 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: September 25, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: October 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024
ANH 10-25-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV019447

Nan Jiang; Peng Zhang have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Danya Zhang to Doria Zhang. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 23, 2025, 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: September 30, 2024
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Oct 11, 18, 25, Nov 1, 2024
ZHANG 11-1-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV015424

Peter Duc Truong has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Peter Duc Truong to JD Truong. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on December 5, 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: August 2, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Oct 11, 18, 25, Nov 1, 2024
TRUONG 11-1-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV020084

Arrielle Garcia and Xavier Carter have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Xyris Menzelle Garcia to Xyris Menzelle Garcia-Carter. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on February 19, 2025, 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: October 4, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
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GARCIA 11-1-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV020142

Hans Backer; AKA Abraham Lukas Solberg; AKA Hans Andreas Backer; AKA Hans Oluf Backer, Jr. has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Hans Backer; AKA Abraham Lukas Solberg; AKA Hans Andreas Backer; AKA Hans Oluf Backer, Jr. to Hans Andreasen Backer. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on February 18, 2025, 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: October 4, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 2024
BACKER 11-8-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV019653

Ngoc Hoang Ta has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ngoc Hoang Ta to Joell Ngoc Hoang. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on February 13, 2025, 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: August 19, 2024

not be granted. Dated: September 30, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 2024
HOANG 11-8-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV018243

Christopher Paul Hancock has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Christopher Paul Hancock to Christopher Aurelius Kyng. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on January 14, 2025, 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: October 16, 2024
Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court
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KYNG 10-15-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV020798

Amolyn San Andres has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Hope Charlyn San Andres to Hope Bautista San Andres. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on February 26, 2025, 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: October 15, 2024
Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: Oct 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 2024
ANDRES 11-15-24

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARY E. FERNANDEZ, AKA MARY ELLEN FERNANDEZ, AKA MARY ELLEN MAGAYAC FERNANDEZ CASE NO. 24PR003020

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 E. Fernandez, aka Mary Ellen Fernandez, aka Mary Ellen Magayac Fernandez. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Justin D. Alcee, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Justin D. Alcee be appointed 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 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 November 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 your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative 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 Michael

Yee, 4010 South Land Park Drive, Suite B, Sacramento, CA 95822; (916) 927-9001
Publish: Oct 25, Nov 1, 8
FERNANDEZ 11-8-24

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2020-05206

The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Sierra Sewing Supply, 11973 Mircado Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. From The Porch LLC, 11973 Mircado Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. The Fictitious Business Name Statement was filed on 8/6/2020 in the County of Sacramento. Filed with the clerk of Sacramento County: 10/4/2024. Publish: Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 2024
SIERRA 11-8-24

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE #FBNF2024-05326

The following person(s) has/have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME "The Practitioners' Post," located at 6330 Sunrise Boulevard, Suite #1032, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the partnership was filed on July 10, 2024 in the County of Sacramento. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County on September 25, 2024. Publish: October 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024
BIEHLE 10-25-24

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE #FBNF2024-02798

The following person(s) has/have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME "Career And Minds," located at 1968 Misty meadow Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Ambethkar Venkatraman, 1968 Misty Meadow Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the partnership was filed on April 12, 2024 in the County of Sacramento. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County on October 7, 2024. Publish: Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 2024
CAREER 11-8-24

SUMMONS

ANOTHER SUMMONS Case No. CV10-24-4022

PARADISE ACRES INVESTMENTS LLC, Plaintiff, V. CITY OF UCON, THOMAS S. O'CONNER, MAURYA L. SPECK, ASHLEE C. HOPPE, Heirs & Devises of the Estate of MARGARET O'CONNER aka of Margaret Elizabeth O'Conner, deceased & JOHN DOES and JANE DOES I through X, being parties unknown who may claim an interest in the real property more particularly described as: The certain tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Bonneville, State of Idaho, and more particularly described as follows: Lot 7, Block 33, Plat "B" Andrus Subdivision, according to the plat thereof, records of Bonneville County, Idaho, Defendants.

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU

Nine Commission-Supported Bills Signed into Law

Little Hoover Commission News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Nine bills supported by the Little Hoover Commission were signed into law this year, including four measures that will strengthen efforts against intimate partner violence and other legislation to address labor trafficking, organic waste disposal, and customer-centric government.

“Seeing our recommendations embraced by the legislature and Governor Newsom and then turned into concrete policy improvements speaks to the Little Hoover Commission's bi-partisan approach to solving California's complex challenges,” said Commission Chair Pedro Nava. “We are honored that our work is helping to protect many of California's most vulnerable.”

The Commission is a nonpartisan 13-member body appointed by the Governor and legislative leadership, and charged with making recommendations for policy changes that will foster efficiency, economy, and improved service in state government. The Commission supports legislation and other actions that implement its recommendations.

The four bills addressing intimate partner violence implement recommendations stemming from Commission reports. Among other reforms, those reports urged a focus on prevention and early intervention, accompanied by adequate funding.

Three of the bills address prevention and early intervention:

AB 2308 (Davies) extends from 10 to 15 years the maximum duration of a protective order issued against people convicted of certain domestic violence offenses.

SB 1394 (Min) creates new ways for survivors to stop a

domestic abuser from tracking their car.

SB 989 (Ashby) enhances investigation procedures in cases involving domestic violence-related deaths.

AB 2432 (Gabriel, Cervantes, Reyes), establishes a California Crime Victims Fund, which will disburse fines paid by corporations convicted of illegal activity, to assist victims, including survivors of intimate partner violence.

“These new laws will make a real impact in the lives of people who experience intimate partner violence,” said Commissioner Janna Sidley, the Commission's on IPV subcommittee chair “We want to congratulate Assemblymembers Davies, Gabriel, Cervantes and Reyes and Senator Min, for their important work in getting these bills passed, and the Governor for signing them.”

Two approved bills further the goals of recommendations from three Commission reports on labor trafficking. Detecting labor trafficking is difficult as few understand the nature of the crime, and implementation of state human trafficking laws has focused on sex trafficking.

Even when these crimes are successfully identified, cases that bring traffickers to justice remain rare. The Commission recommended that the state empower state agencies to investigate labor trafficking crimes and conduct public education and outreach campaigns to increase awareness of all forms of human trafficking.

AB 1888 (Arambula and Ramos) establishes a dedicated labor trafficking unit within the California Department of Justice to receive labor trafficking reports from law enforcement agencies and other entities and refer those reports to appropriate agencies for action. AB 1966 (Davies) requires

ticket sellers to include information and resources for human trafficking victims with all ticket purchases for events at an entertainment venue.

“These reforms will help California serve those victimized by labor trafficking, an often-hidden crime,” said Commission Vice Chair Anthony Cannella. “Assemblymembers Arambula, Ramos and Davies should be very proud of this important milestone.”

In a 2023 report, Reducing California's Landfill Emissions: SB 1383 Implementation, the Commission determined that California is falling short in the fight against harmful landfill emissions, a major contributor to climate change. The report featured recommendations that would help further the state's efforts to curb methane emission, including:

Build as much flexibility as possible for local governments to recycle their organic waste.

Expand the list of compliance pathways and products eligible to count toward a jurisdiction's procurement requirements.

Plan for the necessary infrastructure to achieve the state's environmental goals, facilitate community composting, speed up the permitting process, and make any necessary changes to the relationship between state and local governments to better reflect shared responsibility for waste management.

Two approved bills will further the goals of these recommendations. AB 2346 (Lee) provides flexibility to local governments in how they comply with procurement requirements for recovered organic material. SB 1046 (Laird) requires a Program Environmental Impact Report for small and medium composts facilities to streamline permitting and help the

state meet its climate goals.

AB 2455 (Gabriel) modernizes whistleblower laws and add protections to prevent the misuse of state funds and is in line with numerous Commission recommendations through the years regarding fiscal accountability.

Here are details of the nine bills that were supported by the Commission and that were signed into law this year.

Intimate Partner Violence

SB 989 (Ashby) expands law enforcement and coroners' duties when a deceased person has a history as victim of domestic violence. Allows additional access to coroner records for family members when litigating a victim's death.

AB 2432 (Gabriel, Cervantes, Reyes) establishes the California Crime Victims Fund in the State Treasury and would require that moneys deposited in the fund be continuously appropriated to the Office of Emergency Services to support crime victims' services.

AB 2308 (Davies) authorizes a court to issue a protective order for up to 15 years. Authorizes the issuing court, upon a written petition by the prosecuting attorney, defendant, or victim, to modify or terminate the protective order for good cause if the parties receive notice at least 15 days before the hearing on the petition. Expands the scope of a crime to create a state-mandated local program.

SB 1394 (Min) establishes a process for the rapid termination of a domestic abuser's access to app-connected, remote, and GPS-based vehicle technology. Requires car manufacturers to disable an abuser's access to remote vehicle technology within two business days of a survivor's request provided sufficient documentation, such as proof of legal possession of the vehicle or

a domestic violence restraining order that awards possession of the vehicle in question.

Labor Trafficking

AB 1966 (Davies) requires a primary ticket seller to include information regarding nonprofit organizations that provide services or support in the elimination of slavery and human trafficking.

AB 1888 (Arambula and Ramos) establishes the Labor Trafficking Unit within the Department of Industrial Relations to receive, investigate, and prosecute complaints alleging labor trafficking and take steps to prevent it. The Unit will also coordinate with the Labor Enforcement Task Force, the Criminal Investigation Unit, the Department of Justice, and the Civil Rights Department to combat labor trafficking.

Organic Waste Disposal

AB 2346 (Lee) authorizes local jurisdictions to be credited for the procurement of recovered organic waste products through an agreement with a direct service provider. Recovered organic waste that local jurisdictions procure from specified compost operations also count towards the local jurisdiction's procurement target.

SB 1046 (Laird) requires CalRecycle to prepare and certify completion of an environmental impact report that would streamline the process for jurisdictions to develop small and medium organic waste composting facilities.

Customer-Centric Government

AB 2455 (Gabriel) modernizes local and state whistleblower hotline laws and add protections to prevent the misuse of state funds. These changes are meant to improve accountability, increase public trust, and ensure government actions and transactions are transparent. ★

Taxpayer-Funded Political Advocacy is Illegal

By Jon Coupal

As the November election gets closer, there are increasing complaints from voters over local governments openly supporting tax hikes. While local government officials are free to support or oppose ballot measures, they may not authorize the use of public funds on any election matter – be it for or against a candidate or initiative.

Despite the illegality of taxpayer funded advocacy, officials have an incentive to try it anyway because the potential ROI (the return on investment) of millions – if not billions – in new tax revenue would dwarf any fine or other punishment they might face.

That must change. The same First Amendment rights that allow individuals to speak on ballot issues also prohibits the use of taxpayer funds for political advocacy. In 1976, the California Supreme Court ruled, “The use of the public treasury to mount an election campaign which attempts to influence the resolution of issues which our Constitution leaves to the ‘free election’ of the people (see Const., art. II, § 2) ... presents a serious threat to the integrity of the electoral process.” *Stanson v. Mott* (1976) 17 Cal.3d 206, 218.

Such a “serious threat” deserves a response of imposing real penalties on bad actors including large fines, personal liability on the part of those authorizing those expenditures and, yes, even jail time.

The agency charged with policing campaign finance violations is the Fair Political Practices Commission, which can be an aggressive enforcer against these expenditures. For example, the FPPC imposed a \$1.3 million fine against Los Angeles County for using taxpayer funds for political ads touting Measure H, a sales tax increase on the ballot in 2017. It was the largest fine ever imposed by the FPPC.

The fine against L.A. County was precipitated by a complaint filed by the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association. It was hoped that the fine levied by FPPC would serve as a warning to government entities in California that they must obey all state laws and regulations relating to both reporting campaign expenditures as well as providing disclosures on campaign advertising. And, to some extent, it has.

However, as noted earlier, the ROI for violations can overcome the deterrent effect of a large fine. Sure, a \$1.3 million dollar fine imposed on the County of Los Angeles seems big. But because the Measure H tax

has generated more than \$2.4 billion since its passage, L.A. politicians could easily conclude, “it was worth it.”

That's why stiffer penalties are needed to ensure that no amount of ROI would lead a politician to conclude “it was worth it.”

So, what can voters do if they see a taxpayer-funded political ad that crosses the line from “informational” material to outright “advocacy?”

At a minimum, voters may forward a copy or screen shot of the questionable ad and send it directly to the FPPC's “ad-watch” program, where citizens can report government-financed communications that they suspect cross the line into political advocacy. According to the FPPC's website, its rules on reporting and disclosures “also apply to communications from public entities when their activity meets the thresholds to qualify as a ‘committee.’ This happens when a state or local governmental agency pays public moneys for a communication to the public and the communication expressly advocates the election or defeat of a clearly identified candidate or the qualification, passage, or defeat of a clearly identified measure, or, taken as a whole and in context, unambiguously urges a particular result in an election.”

In addition to FPPC engagement, voters have alternative remedies. While the FPPC's jurisdiction is limited to enforcing the disclosure of campaign spending and the timely reporting of those expenditures, the courts – both federal and state – are not so limited. Taxpayers have the right to proceed directly to Superior Court for claims asserted under the First Amendment of both the U.S. and California Constitutions.

Finally, voters can always contact the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association which has created a Public Integrity Project under the auspices of HJTA's affiliated Foundation. HJTF's Public Integrity Project has already proven to be an additional enforcement tool against illegal expenditures of public funds and other violations of law that hurt taxpayers and voters.

It's bad enough when local politicians work to raise taxes when Californians are already paying one of the highest tax burdens in America. But it's adding insult to injury to have those efforts supported with the same public funds that could be spent on legitimate government services.

Jon Coupal is president of the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association. ★

Record Uncertainty Hanging Over Nation's Main Streets

National Federation of Independent Business News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - A double dose of bad news sprung from the latest Optimism Index released by the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB). The Index showed a 33rd consecutive month below its 50-year average but its uncertainty component raised more than a few eyebrows, rising 11 points to 103.

“Small business owners are desperate to cling to any good news they can and finding nothing to grasp,” said John Kabateck, state director for the National Federation of Independent Business in California. “I give equal blame to Congress for dragging its feet on making the Small Business Deduction permanent, and to California for – where to start? – passing new laws curbing the free-speech rights of employers, imposing new requirements on independent contractors, adding new unlawful employment practices, knitting a crazy quilt of minimum-wage laws, and requiring workplace violence prevention plans from every employer no matter the need, time required or paperwork involved. Have the time? I have more. Hopefully, things have gotten so rock bottom with small business and

working families that it will motivate voters to make positive changes at the ballot box this November.”

“Small business owners are feeling more uncertain than ever. Uncertainty makes owners hesitant to invest in capital spending and inventory, especially as inflation and financing costs continue to put pressure on their bottom lines,” said the National Federation of Independent Business Chief Economist Bill Dunkelberg.

The average rate paid on short maturity loans was 10.1%, up 0.6 of a point from August. The last time it was this high was February 2001.

Thirty-four percent (seasonally adjusted) of owners reported job openings they could not fill in the current period, down six points from August.

Seasonally adjusted, a net 32% reported raising compensation, down one point from August and remaining the lowest reading since April 2021.

Twenty-three percent of owners reported that inflation was their single most important problem in operating their business (higher input and labor costs), down one point from August but remaining the top issue. ★

Democrats Double Down on End of Session Chaos

Office of Assemblyman James Gallagher News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Democrats are doubling down on their mismanagement and undemocratic tactics during a chaotic end of session. In response to an investigation request from Assembly Republican Leader James Gallagher (R-Yuba City), Democrats insisted no rules were violated and everything ran smoothly, despite barring Republican members from participating in discussion and limiting debate to just 30 seconds per member.

“Democrats’ refusal to address the chaos on the last day of session is disappointing, but not a surprise,” said Gallagher. “By cutting off debate, Democrats silenced the voices

of our constituents and did a disservice to Californians who deserve a transparent law-making process. We're not done fighting for what's right, because Democrats' business as usual is no longer acceptable.”

Democrats' response, where they claim “no rules were violated in the final hours of session,” ignores underlying concerns around limiting debate on important legislative issues. Instead, Democrats have justified their actions by citing precedent and twisting parliamentary rules to retroactively defend their actions.

Assemblyman James Gallagher represents the 3rd Assembly District, which encompasses all of Glenn, Sutter, Tehama and Yuba counties as well as portions of Butte and Colusa counties. ★

California Has Seen Too Many Debacles. Prolonged School Closures May Be the Worst



By Dan Walters,
CALMatters.org

What truly sets California apart from other states is its sheer immensity.

While Alaska and Texas may be physically larger, in all other respects California towers above other states in population, ethnic diversity, cultural impact and economic power — the latter being equivalent to that of a major nation.

The corollary to California’s outsized prominence, however, is that when its officialdom makes mistakes, they, too, are often gigantic embarrassments.

One that comes to mind is what happened three decades ago when a Republican governor, Pete Wilson, and a Legislature controlled by Democrats decided to completely overhaul the state’s electrical utility system.

Officials called it “deregulation” and promised a new era of more abundant and less expensive power, but it was an ill-conceived mish-mash that opened the door to manipulation by suppliers, forced one utility into bankruptcy, almost destroyed another, and increased consumers’ costs.

There have been too many other California debacles.

For instance, when Oroville Dam was completed nearly six decades ago, California officials bragged about its being the nation’s highest at 770 feet. However,

in 2017 the earthfill dam’s spillway was fully employed due to record amounts of snow runoff, revealing major flaws. As the concrete spillway collapsed, releases were shifted into an alternative spillway, but it was just dirt and rock and also began to erode.

The dam was close to collapse, but while a complete catastrophe was averted, the incident revealed major lapses in the dam’s design, construction and maintenance.

More recently, when the COVID-19 pandemic struck, businesses were forced to close, about 3 million workers lost their jobs and the Employment Development Department was overwhelmed by applications for unemployment insurance.

The chaos resulted in thousands of jobless workers not receiving the benefits to which they were entitled, thereby imposing financial distress on them and their families, while tens of billions of dollars were paid out to fraudsters.

The bullet train project is a looming candidate for the state’s list of shameful failures. It’s decades behind initial promises of completion, is costing many times the estimate when voters passed a \$9.95 billion bond issue in 2007 and lacks a viable financial plan.

That brings us to what may be California’s worst-ever political policy decision: Closing the state’s public schools for many months during COVID-19 and forcing nearly 6 million students to cope as best they could.

Those with affluent parents fared fairly well. They were more likely to work from home, so they could

monitor internet instruction. Some pooled resources, hired teachers and created ad hoc schools.

Students from lower-income families had no such advantages. Their parents more likely had jobs that could not be done remotely, and were less likely to have internet service or their own computers.

The result, later academic testing revealed, was a widening of an already immense achievement gap between kids from poor families — roughly 65% of the state’s enrollment — and their more privileged peers.

Last week, the state Department of Education released results of the latest round of state achievement tests. Overall, there were fractional gains, but California’s students are still behind where they were prior to the pandemic, and the achievement gap is fundamentally as wide as ever — about 30 percentage points in English language and math.

Moreover, national achievement tests have shown that California’s kids are well behind those in all but a handful of other states.

California’s educational achievement crisis is negatively impacting the futures of millions of kids and the state’s economy.

That would have been a far more important topic for the nothingburger special legislative session that Gov. Gavin Newsom called on gas prices.

Dan Walters is one of most decorated and widely syndicated columnists in California history, authoring a column four times a week that offers his view and analysis of the state’s political, economic, social and demographic trends. ★

Kings Korner

By V.G. Harris

Preseason games don’t matter. No one cares about preseason games. Preseason games are just about getting the players in shape. Coaches and fans don’t care about wins and losses in preseason games.

Wrong! Wrong! Wrong!

The truth is losing matters, and unfortunately it creates a tone and can be contagious.

Preseason games show teams what they have, and winning creates positive habits that more often and not carry over into the regular season.

So, if I’m right, what do Kings fans make of a zero-win preseason record?

You should be concerned, but not worried. There’s a difference, so don’t wring your hands just yet.

The good news is the Kings starters overall looked pretty good. In the first two preseason games against the Golden State Warriors, the Kings starters played the Warriors to a standstill for the first half of both games.

The starters did not participate in the second half of either game, and the Kings were forced to take a long look at their bench strength.

I’m not certain how deep coach Brown intends to go as it relates to bench players, but my guess with the recent signing of Doug McDermott, he will probably play 10 or even 11 players.

What we know is that due to injuries to Trey Lyles and Kevin Huerter, the Kings have yet to see a true picture of what their regular season bench will look like.

Both Lyles and Huerter are experienced NBA players, and both can have an immediate impact when they enter a game. Both are good passers, can drive effectively to the hoop and have a better than average three-point game.

What we also know is that Malik Monk is likely to be the first player off the bench, so when Lyles and Huerter return, we can see with some certainty who the first three off the bench will undoubtedly be.

Although in a pinch Lyles can play the five, it is more likely that veteran Alex Len will be called on to give Domantas Sabonis a blow every game, and at times

in the preseason Len has been a bright spot. I have long believed that Len may have another level to his game, and I’m hopeful that if he sees consistent playing time, his game will demonstrate the kind of NBA confidence the Kings have longed for. Seven footers with skills are in short supply, so giving Len every opportunity to shine just makes lots of sense. At age 31 Len is still in his prime, and with every season he brings much needed veteran experience to the lineup and represents a rim protector when Sabonis is off the floor.

So, with Huerter, Lyles, Monk, and Len coach Brown is nine deep, so who do the Kings have that could also make a contribution?

I would hope that the signing of Doug McDermott is not just ceremonial, so this veteran sharpshooter should be seeing 10 to 15 minutes nightly.

If last season proved anything to me it was that coach Brown is anything but predictable as it relates to his bench rotation, and I believe his frenetic experiments last year were a contributor to the Kings missing the first round of the playoffs.

Settling into a bench rotation builds confidence in players and gives the team an opportunity to gel. I’m crossing my fingers that any experiments have concluded in the preseason, and the regular season will bring a level on continuity that was missing last year.

Do I think the preseason matters? Of course I do. But I also know the Sacramento Kings have yet to lose a game *in the regular season, and I believe in the players we have.*

I hope you will all join me in applauding our gladiators as they step on the hardwood for the first time on Thursday night (Oct. 24) and open the regular season against the Minnesota Timberwolves.

The NBA schedulers did the Kings no favors as they will face the number one ranked defensive team in the NBA, but I say bring them on.

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Improving the Hornet Habitat



Here is an architectural rendering of the future Hornet Stadium from ariel view. Photo courtesy of Sac State University



By Daniel Canfield

SACRAMENTO CA, (MPG) - Current and future Sacramento State University (Sac State) alumni and fans will soon be cheering on Hornet athletes in a new Hornet Stadium.

On Sept. 26, Sac State officials held a press conference to announce plans for a new Hornet Stadium. According to a report on the Sac State website, university President Luke Wood joined athletic director Mark Orr to make the announcement from the university welcome center.

The report provided quotes on the new stadium from the university officials.

“The stadium is a commitment to our belief that Sacramento has a spirit and passion to turn this city into a college football town,” Wood said. “It will be a stadium worthy of Sacramento State’s academic and athletic prowess, and it will also honor our position as one of the top media markets in the country. We are excited about what the future will bring and can’t wait to open our new stadium.”

Orr had similar positive comments on the new stadium.

“It’s about time we build a stadium worthy of this community and this campus, and I couldn’t be happier,” Orr said. “This is a tremendous step for this university. This stadium

will have a profound effect on our community. I couldn’t be more excited about the future and impact it has on our athletic programs and our student-athletes.”

According to the report, the new Hornet Stadium will be built on the site of the existing stadium and will accommodate a minimum of 25,000 seats. According to the university, the current Hornet Stadium opened in 1969 and currently has a capacity of 21,195 seats. University records indicate the annual average attendance figures for 2023 Hornet home football games was more than 13,000. The new stadium would also host Sac State soccer and rugby matches.

The Hornet Stadium announcement capped off a whirlwind of events.

First, on Sept. 24, the university released a feasibility study that examined the opportunities to expand the universities’ intercollegiate athletics program. In particular, the study identified “key areas of focus” that included improvement to existing athletic facilities, such as Hornet Stadium.

“We are energized about what this study shows regarding the future of our athletics program and implications for the university as a whole,” Sacramento State President Wood said about the feasibility study.

University officials certainly were energized because two days after the feasibility study was announced, the Sept. 26 Sacramento State press conference announced plans to completely make over Hornet Stadium at the conclusion of this year’s football season.

Then on Oct. 4, university officials released architectural renderings of the new football stadium to the media.

Alongside the work and efforts of the university, a private group dubbed the “SAC-12” has also been working through private fundraising to elevate the Hornet athletics program

into a conference such as the Pac-12. A move of that type would require a football stadium of the size being envisioned by the university.

The SAC-12 group released an official statement on their fundraising efforts, “Following last Thursday’s announcement by Sacramento State

University of a new Hornet football stadium, the SAC-12 Executive Committee has rallied the support of local business and community leaders and a local tribe to secure over \$35 million in NIL funds for Sacramento State Athletics in just the last 24 hours.”

Messenger Publishing Group reached out to Sac

State University on Oct. 2 regarding the possible promotion into the Pac-12 and university officials responded, “Sacramento State Athletics is not publicly commenting on conference affiliation. The Sac-12 group has led the charge for getting Sacramento State into the Pac-12.”



The current Hornet Stadium field references the stadium namesake, Fred Anderson. Photo by Daniel Canfield



Here is an architectural rendering of the future Hornet Stadium from ground level. Photo courtesy of Sac State University

Sac State Plans for Athletic Future

Sacramento State University News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Sacramento State announced results of a feasibility study evaluating the potential for its intercollegiate athletics program to take the next step in its growth and development. This significant step is part of the ongoing effort to ensure the continued success of Sacramento State athletics and to align with nationally successful collegiate programs.

The study, which was conducted by College Sports Solutions and commissioned in July 2023, outlines key areas of focus, including facility upgrades, financial investments, and program development. Among the primary

recommendations are enhancements to the University’s football and basketball facilities and increased resources to support student-athletes. The findings will serve as a roadmap for Sacramento State’s long-term success as the institution evaluates the best path forward.

With its recent achievements, including three consecutive Big Sky football championships, and an offering of 21 sports, Sacramento State is well positioned for continued growth. The feasibility study shows that the University’s commitment to athletics will ensure that its programs remain competitive, both regionally and nationally.

“We are energized about what this study shows regarding the future of our athletics

program and its implications for the University as a whole,” said Sacramento State President Luke Wood. “Our recent accom-



plishments across multiple sports, coupled with the investments we are ready to make across campus, demonstrate that

Sacramento State is prepared to rise to the next level. The numbers show we are on the right track, and we are enthusiastic about the possibilities ahead.”

The executive summary of the study highlights important considerations, including the need to increase scholarships for student-athletes to meet the benchmarks of top-tier programs. Additionally, it emphasizes a focus on enhancing football and basketball venues, including expanded seating, enhanced media and team areas, and increased revenue opportunities through premium seating and sponsorship. The report also outlines the importance of supporting student-athletes through Sacramento State’s strategic development of its Name, Image,

and Likeness (NIL) initiatives.

“Our athletics program has thrived in recent years, and this study shows that we are well-positioned to continue building on that momentum,” said Mark Orr, Sacramento State’s director of Athletics. “By investing in our facilities, scholarships, and student-athlete support, we can ensure that Sacramento State remains on a strong path.”

With a student population of over 31,000 and a history of athletic success, Sacramento State continues to prioritize the development of its sports programs, preparing them to compete at the highest levels.

For more information on the feasibility study visit the Sacramento State University website at www.csus.edu.

Woman Arrested for Animal Cruelty

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office News Release

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - Just before 9 p.m. Oct. 16, Sheriff's North Patrol Deputies responded to an apartment complex on the 4000 block of Manzanita Avenue in Carmichael after a caller found a dog in a trash can with something tied around its neck. The caller reported the dog had a laceration under its throat but was still alive. Deputies arrived on scene and immediately contacted Sacramento County Animal Control.

Deputies learned from witnesses that the dog's owner lived in the complex. Deputies quickly identified the owner as 41-year-old Danielle Killian, who was then detained at her apartment. Killian lived alone with two dogs and one cat, for whom she was the sole care provider. Animal Control took the injured dog for medical treatment and took custody of the other dog.

Sheriff's Property Crimes Detectives arrived on scene and learned from Killian that she felt her life would be easier if she only had to care for one dog and cut one of the dog's throats on Oct. 14. While the dog was

still alive, she allegedly placed it in a shopping bag and disposed of it in the garbage bin at her apartment complex on Oct. 15. Detectives then executed a search warrant of her apartment, leading to the discovery of the knife presumably used in this incident. Killian was arrested and transported to the Sacramento County Main Jail. She was granted release on her own recognizance by the courts and has since been released from custody.

If you have information about this incident or others involving Killian, please contact the Sheriff's Office at (916) 874-5115 or Sacramento Valley Crime Stoppers at (916) 443-HELP (4357). Tips leading to an arrest are eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1000, and tipsters remain anonymous. Tips are paid in cash, and you are never asked for identification. Contact Sacramento Valley Crime Stoppers at (916) 443-HELP (4357), 1-800-AA-CRIME, or **TIPS. Use the "P3 TIPS" app or online at www.sacvalleycrimestoppers.com. Tip information may also be left anonymously at www.sacsheriff.com or by calling (916) 874-TIPS (8477). ★

Flagpole to be Installed at Carmichael Park

By Omella Rossi

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - A new flagpole will be installed at Carmichael Park in front of the Veterans Memorial Building, at noon Sunday, Nov. 10. The flagpole will feature the U.S. flag, and beneath it, the POW/MIA (Prisoner of War/Missing in Action) flag will be displayed.

The flag-raising ceremony, conducted by the Color Guard Team of American Legion Post 861, will take place outside the entrance to the Veterans Memorial Building. Following the ceremony, attendees are invited to enjoy a short speech along with cake and refreshments inside the hall.

Bob Fitzgerald, a retired Master Sergeant with the U.S. Air Force and a lifelong member of both the American Legion Legislative Action Post 861 and the Disabled American Veterans Ray Clark Chapter 35, is leading the initiative.

Fitzgerald expressed appreciation for the

collaborative effort that made this project a reality. "We have Carmichael Park Management to thank for their guidance and great assistance in seeing this project come to fruition," Fitzgerald said.

Significant funding for the flagpole has come from local organizations. The Carmichael Park Foundation matched donations, while the Kiwanis Club of Carmichael, the Carmichael Elks Lodge and American Legion Post 861 provided major contributions.

"We also thank the veterans and others who donated to make this project a reality," Fitzgerald added.

Various organizations will present at the event to welcome attendees, including representatives from the American Legion Legislative Action Post 861, Disabled American Veterans – Roy Clark Chapter 35, and Vietnam Veterans of America – Sacramento Chapter 500.

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