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# West Sacramento Honors Girls Wrestling Team



The River City High School girls wrestling team athletes and coaches posing with the West Sacramento City Council members on March 5. Photo courtesy of the City of West Sacramento

By Daniel Canfield

WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - At the March 5 West Sacramento City Council Meeting, the council honored the River City High School girls' wrestling team for their league championship season.

In their inaugural season, the girls' wrestling team finished their league competition undefeated and secured the Monticello Empire League tournament championship. The team made history as the league's first-ever women's wrestling champions.

A proclamation of the City Council celebrating Women's History Month and the success of the wrestling team was read at the meeting.

In part, the proclamation read, "Now, therefore, be it proclaimed, that the City Council of the City of West Sacramento herby recognizes and congratulates the River City High School Girls Wrestling Team

for their historic championship, commends their contributions to the advancement of women's athletics and celebrates their role in inspiring future generations of female athletes."

Members of the wrestling team, along with the team's coaching staff, were present at the council meeting and provided comments thanking the council.

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### SacSewer **Offers Tours**

By MPG Staff

#### SACRAMENTO REGION

- Reservations are now being accepted for the Sacramento Area Sewer District's free EchoWater Resource Recovery Facility (EchoWater Facility) public tours from April to October.

The Sacramento Area Sewer District (SacSewer) provides service to residential, commercial and industrial customers throughout unincorporated Sacramento County; the cities of Citrus Heights, Elk Grove, Folsom, Rancho Cordova and Sacramento; West Sacramento; and the communities of Courtland, Locke and Walnut Grove. The district is governed by a 17-member Board of Directors: five Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, five Sacramento City Council members, two Elk Grove City Council members, and one representative each from Yolo County and the cities of Citrus Heights, Folsom, Rancho Cordova and West Sacramento.

According to the Sacramento Area Sewer District's website, it is the second largest sewage collection utility in California, and owns the Echo Water Resource Recovery Facility, the second largest water resource recovery facility of

its kind in the nation. Beginning next month, the public will have an opportunity to learn more about the water resource recovery facility, where an average of 151 million gallons of sewage is treated daily.

Located near Elk Grove, the Echo Water Facility Public Tour offers a behindthe-scenes look at how the recovery facility collects and treats sewage, manages and recovers natural resources. and protects the environment for the 1.6- million people it

"Our public tours offer the community a unique opportunity to experience firsthand how we're setting the bar for excellence in utility management and environmental sustainability," said SacSewer's communications director Nicole Coleman. "We invite everyone to join us for a tour, ask questions and learn how the critical work we do is shaping a more sustainable future."

SacSewer's free public tours run from April through October and are open to anyone interested in learning

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## \$100K Awarded to Support Youth Climate Initiatives

City of West Sacramento News Release

WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - West Sacramento Mayor Martha Guerrero and the City of West Sacramento are proud to announce the city's selection as one of 90-plus cities worldwide to receive Round 2 funding from Bloomberg Philanthropies' Youth Climate Action Fund. With an additional \$100,000 secured, West Sacramento reaffirms its commitment to empowering young leaders in the fight against climate change.

This funding will be distributed as microgrants through the city's nonprofit partner, Breathe California Sacramento Region, to support youth-led climate initiatives.

Youth ages 15- to 24 are encouraged to apply for funding to support projects such as tree planting, public education campaigns, climate-focused art initiatives,



Anyone between the ages of 15 and 24 is encouraged to apply for funding to support projects such as tree planting, public education campaigns, climate-focused art initiatives, and recycling and waste reduction programs. Photo courtesy of City of West Sacramento

and recycling and waste reduction programs. Those interested can learn more and apply by visiting sacbreathe. org/what-we-do/ycaf-2.

"The city is committed to working alongside our youth to incorporate their ideas into sustainable practices, making climate action an enduring part of West Sacramento's policies and programs," Mayor

Guerrero said.

The success of Round 1 funding, which supported projects such as We Grow Urban Farm, River City High Garden Club, Environment Boulevard Club, Sustainable Soccer and Sacramento Area Bicycle Advocates, has demonstrated the power of youth-led climate action.

Eligible projects on education and awareness can include youth-led climate education programs, research initiatives, public art campaigns, student-driven curriculum development and community outreach events.

Other eligible projects on hands-on climate solutions can include community gardening, tree planting, recycling and waste reduction programs, and climate resilience workshops.



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# **Community Calendar**

#### March

Turner Library, located at 1212 Merkley Ave. is currently operating with limited services. Please contact them at 530.666.8005 to confirm the following tentative events this week:

**Friday, March 21:** English conversation group, 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. and Lego block party, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, March 22: Russian story time, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Free Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Appointments are highly encouraged, call 530-392-4182 or toll-free 855-866-1783.

**Monday, March 24:** Family story time, 4 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

**Tuesday, March 25:** Hug-a-Bye Baby, 11 a.m. to noon.

Wednesday, March 26: Wiggle Wednesday, 11:15 a.m. to noon, and English conversation group, 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. West Sacramento Friends of the Library monthly meeting, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 27: Tell me a story – bilingual Spanish story time and Loteria, 11:15 a.m. to noon. Yoga at the library, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**Friday, March 28:** English conversation group, 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. and retro family movie, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, March 29: Russian story time, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Free Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Appointments are highly encouraged, call 530-392-4182 or toll-free 855-866-1783.

Saturday, March 22: Financial Wellness & Family Strengthening Workshop, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Riverbank Elementary School Gym, 1100 Carrie St. Join the West Sacramento Home Run program for this FREE event designed to empower families with tools for financial success and personal growth. Register at https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/Home/Components/Calendar/Event/9161/887?backlist=%2f by March 14 to ensure you get free childcare, a gift card raffle entry and light breakfast and lunch during the event.

Saturday, March 22: FlyFest 2025, noon to 6 p.m., Drake's: the Barn, 985 Riverfront St. Get ready for an all-ages experience like no other! FlyFest lands at Drake's: the Barn bringing together the best in fashion, food, art, music, craft, and culture. Shop from unique vendors, discover emerging artists, vibe to music, and indulge in delicious eats – all in an atmosphere that celebrates creativity and community. Free entry, all ages welcome. More information at: https://events.drink-drakes.com/the-barn/

Friday, March 28: Parents Night Out, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the West Sacramento Recreation Center, 2801 Jefferson Blvd. Have a date night, go out with friends, get in a workout, or relax at home. Leave your kids with us for a night of fun! Snacks and a light dinner are provided. Register online at https://westsacfun.activityreg.com/clientpage\_t2.wcs or contact Recreation Coordinator Claudia Salcedo at claudias@cityofwestsacramento.org for more information.

Friday, March 28 and Saturday, March 29: Spring Open in downtown Winters. Visit Historic Downtown Winters to celebrate the start of the Spring season with a two-day event for the whole family. Friday, March 28: 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Live music and family fun downtown including an egg hunt and the Easter Bunny. Saturday, March 29: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Explore unique finds by artisanal makers, a golden egg scavenger hunt, the Easter Bunny, live music and food trucks. Information available at: https://www.discoverwinters.com/events-calendar/spring-open

#### **April**

Saturday, April 5: Thriftathon at Drake's: The Barn, noon to 4 p.m., 985 Riverfront St. This urban reclaim market is the ultimate thrift swap and a perfect chance to clear out your closet, discover unique pieces and connect with the community. Bring clean, gently used items to trade, swap for pieces you love. Any leftover items will be donated. For more information, see: https://events.drink-drakes.com/event/thriftathon/

Friday, April 4: "Flourish" art reception, 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., Gallery 1075 at the Community Center, 1075 West Capitol Ave. Join us for this group exhibition featuring art by Megan Fong, Hannah Houston, Uli Smith, Renee Lopez, Void Fox and Maricelia Dominguez. Enjoy amazing multimedia works, enjoy light refreshments, and converse with passionate creators. Exhibition will be on display throughout April, ending Wednesday, April 30. For more information, contact Gallery Curator Evan Harte at evanh@cityofwest-sacramento.org or call 916-617-5150.

**Sunday, April 6:** UC Davis Arboretum and Public Garden "split" plant sale, 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. members only, and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. open to all. Not a member? Join at

this link: https://arboretum.ucdavis.edu/membership then shop early and save! For more information, call 530-752-4880.

Saturday, April 12: Sierra Donor Dash 5k run/walk, 211 O Street, Sacramento, starts at 7 a.m. This family- and dog-friendly superhero-themed event honors donor heroes and the lives they save. This is a great way to honor and celebrate the gift of life while spreading awareness for the donor registry. For more information, or to register, contact: https://sierradonor.org/events/2025-sierra-donor-dash-5k/

Sunday, April 13: "Eggstravaganza" Woodland, 10 a.m. to noon, Grace Hiddleson Park, 1310 College St., Woodland. This free event for families with toddlers to school-age children (1 to 12 years old). There will be fun games, community resources and an egg hunt at 11 a.m. Bring a bag for goodies and a chair or blanket to sit on. Call 844-410-4769 for more information.

Saturday, April 19: 3rd Annual Firefighters Burn Institute Charity Cornhole Tournament, at Drake's: The Barn, 985 Riverfront St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Two divisions of competition: backyard (more inexperienced) and competitive. This is a family- and dog-friendly event. Food and drinks available for purchase. Link to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/firefighters-burn-institute-cornhole-tournament-tickets-1256888379979

#### **Ongoing Activities**

(Current as of publication, please verify schedule with the organization):

Café Yolo Social Dining meets on Wednesdays at 11 a.m. in the West Sacramento Community Center, 1075 West Capitol Ave. Seniors over age 60 are invited to mingle and dine for free, sponsored by Meals on Wheels. Reservations required 24 hours in advance at 530-662-7035 or email welcome@mowyolo.org

Cub Scout Pack 0049 – Meets first Monday of each month (September through May) at Our Lady of Grace School, 1990 Linden Road, West Sacramento. For more information, including how to become a Cub Scout, contact: westsacramentopack49@gmail.com

Home Depot, 690 Riverpoint Court, offers free in-person Kids Workshops on the first Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. to noon, while supplies last. The next class will be creating a globe planter on Saturday, April 5. Registration required by using the following link: https://www.homedepot.com/workshops

Mighty Rotary Club of West Sacramento meets on Fridays at noon at Jackrabbit Brewing Company, 1323 Terminal St., West Sacramento. See https://rotaryclubofwestsacramento.org/ for more information, including how to join the Rotary.

The Mobile Farmers Market is back on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. The truck brings fresh, culturally relevant produce to neighborhoods with little access, creating a win-win for both farmers and community members. To better serve low-income customers, the Market accepts SNAP benefits and provides a double-up bucks program through Market Match so that anyone who qualifies can get \$20 in produce for just \$10. See https://www. landbasedlearning.org/followthetomato/ for more information. You'll find the truck with the big tomato from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Bryte Park (1225 Carrie Street), and from noon to 1:30 p.m. at Margaret McDowell Manor (1525 Merkley Ave.) on Tuesday, April 8.

The University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) Master Gardeners will be available to answer your gardening questions at their West Sacramento Gardening Q&A Desk. It will be open from 10 a.m. to noon at Lowe's, 2250 Lake Washington Blvd. This desk is held on the first and third Saturdays of every month, free and open to the public. For more information, please contact Jennifer Baumbach at jmbaumbach@ucnar.edu or call the Yolo County Master Gardeners hotline at 530-666-8736. Next session will be Saturday, April 5.

West Sacramento City Council meets at 7 p.m. generally on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held at City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Ave., second floor, also viewable on Astound Cable channel 20 and AT&T channel 99. More information, including how to participate and Committee meeting schedules, can be found at: https://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/government/city-council/city-council-meetings-agendas The next Council meeting will be on Wednesday, April 9.

The West Sacramento Farmers' Market is now open every Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at River Walk Park, 651 2nd St. We are committed to providing our community with fresh, locally sourced produce and supporting our local farmers. We believe in the importance of sustainable agriculture and strive to create a space where farmers and consumers can connect. For more information, contact westsacfarmersmarket@yahoo.com

# Crime Reports WEST SACRAMENTO



#### ARREST REPORTS

**Renee Maureen Routsong,** 33, was arrested Sunday, Feb. 9 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a merchant detention.

**Desiray Ashley Payne,** 35, was arrested Sunday, Feb. 9 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a merchant detention.

**Airreyl Selinezahnae Cinkan,** 27, was arrested Tuesday, Feb. 18 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a merchant detention.

**Brandon Joseph Hardy,** 30, was arrested Tuesday, Feb. 18 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a merchant detention.

**Elisha Colleen Miller,** 40, was arrested Thursday, Feb. 27 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. She was also found to have a bench warrant / failure to appear on a misdemeanor charge. She was cited for both and released.

**Tanisha Christina Marie Winefrey**, 36, was arrested Sunday, March 2 at Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a merchant detention.

**Binyam A. Gebresellasie,** 50, was arrested Tuesday, March 4 at Town Center Plaza by West Sacramento Police. She entered the business and concealed merchandise, then exited the business without making any attempt to pay for items. Suspect was detained by Loss Prevention officers and released on a notice to appear for the charge of petty theft of retail merchandise.

Viktor Kolesnikov, 68, was arrested Wednesday, March 5 at Town Center Plaza by West Sacramento Police. Officers were dispatched to location for a shoplifter, currently detained in the store's office. Officers arrived on scene and contacted Loss Prevention, who advised officers that this subject, identified as Kolesnikov, had shoplifted at this location approximately 30 times but had never been detained. Loss Prevention stated Kolesnikov had shoplifted \$46.64 in groceries today and requested to press charges. Kolesnikov was cited for petty theft of retail merchandise.

**Juan Velazquez,** 50, was arrested Wednesday, March 5 at Town Center Plaza by West Sacramento Police for shoplifting. This was a citizen's arrest.

**Dayvonne Marsai Nolen,** 32, was arrested Wednesday, March 5 at Lake Washington Boulevard. and Jefferson Boulevard by West Sacramento Police. Officer on patrol observed an SUV with damage to the driver side of the vehicle, was missing a rear tire and the engine was smoking. Officer saw subject later identified as Nolen get out of the driver's seat. He displayed erratic behavior and kept trying to walk away from the scene when officers were trying to talk to him. Officers observed signs of alcohol intoxication and Nolen advised officer he had been drinking and driving and refused to answer any further questions or participate in field sobriety testing. A records check revealed a misdemeanor warrant for his arrest, and he was taken into custody for that and DUI alcohol. He later consented to a blood sample and was transported to Yolo County Jail.

**Ryan Ross McKendry-Verhunce,** 45, was arrested Thursday, March 6 at Town Center Plaza by West Sacramento Police for petty theft of retail merchandise. This was a citizen's arrest.

**Russell Lee Bartholomew,** 45, was arrested Thursday, March 6 on West Capitol Avenue by West Sacramento Police for multiple misdemeanors warrants and transported to Yolo County Jail.

Vladyslav L. Baranovych, 33, was arrested Thursday, March 6 on Westacre Road by West Sacramento Police for an outstanding local felony bench warrant. He was arrested without incident and transported to Yolo County

**Nicole Jeanita Burnett,** 35, was arrested Thursday, March 6 on the railroad tracks south of Ikea by West Sacramento Police and charged with trespassing on railroad property.

**Anthony Stephen Nelson**, 43, was arrested Thursday, March 6 on West Capitol Avenue by West Sacramento Police. Officers conducted a subject stop on Nelson, known to be on probation. Nelson was detained in handcuffs and a probation search revealed a plastic baggie in his hand with a crystal-like powder inside that later tested positive for methamphetamine. Nelson also had a glass pipe with burned residue on the bulbous end. Nelson's probation terms stated he was to abstain from possessing illegal drugs. He was charged with possession of a hard drug with prior conviction, possessing unlawful paraphernalia and probation violation: rearrest / revoke and transported to Yolo County Jail.

**Tod F. Feusi**, 61, was arrested Friday, March 7 on Riverpoint Court by West Sacramento Police. Officer responded to a shoplifting incident and a records check revealed a misdemeanor warrant out of Sacramento County. Feusi was arrested and transported to the police department.

**Andrew Floyd Hornsby**, 40, was arrested Friday, March 7 on Northport Drive by West Sacramento Police. Officer was dispatched to the location for report of a possible burglary and found Hornsby. Records check revealed five outstanding misdemeanor warrants for his arrest. Hornsby was arrested without further incident and booked into Yolo County Jail.

**Leonid Federov,** 36, was arrested Friday, March 7 at West Capitol Avenue and Jefferson Boulevard by West Sacramento Police. Officer made a traffic stop for a vehicle code violation and driver identified himself as Federov, who was on active searchable probation. During a probation search, a baggie containing a white substance later confirmed to be methamphetamine and a clear glass pipe with a bulbous end containing burnt residue were found. Federov was placed under arrest and cited for possessing a controlled substance and possessing unlawful paraphernalia.

**Sulman Hafeez, Jr.,** 41, was arrested Friday, March 7 on Rice Avenue by West Sacramento Police. Officer on patrol observed Hafeez, a known subject, walking on a sidewalk. Subject was wanted on previous charges and was on probation. Officer exited vehicle and gave Hafeez clear verbal commands to sit on the curb, stating that he was under arrest. Hafeez refused to comply and began walking away. Additional commands were given, and Hafeez began running away. Officer chased him a short distance on foot and was able to apprehend him onto the ground. With additional officers, Hafeez was placed in handcuffs. A search found a glass pipe with burnt residue and a baggie containing a white substance later confirmed to be methamphetamine. Hafeez was charged with obstructing / resisting a peace officer, possession of unlawful paraphernalia and possession of a hard drug with prior conviction.

Jesus Gonzalo Paz, 32, was arrested Saturday, March 8 at Park Boulevard and 17th Street by West Sacramento Police. Officer was dispatched to a location on Evergreen Avenue for report of a hit and run collision. Victim reported that after the vehicle collided with her, it fled from the scene, but she was able to get a photograph of the vehicle and its license plate. Vehicle was registered to Paz and officer went to Paz' residence address and observed the suspect vehicle leaving. Paz failed to yield to emergency lights and sirens, and officer pursued for over a mile until suspect yielded and was detained. Paz admitted under Miranda that he was driving during the collision earlier and had been drinking. Paz was arrested and refused field sobriety testing. A search warrant was obtained, and a blood sample collected. Paz was charged with DUI alcohol, evading a peace officer and hit and run with property damage. He was booked into Yolo County Jail without incident

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# Introducing the League of Women Voters of Yolo County

League of Women Voters of Yolo County Press Release

WEST SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - West Sacramento is a vibrant community. It's host to a wide range of amenities and businesses, including the A's and River Cats, Raley's corporate headquarters, California Highway Patrol Academy, the scenic Sacramento River front and River Fox Train, and a diverse and growing population.

Although not incorporated as the City of West Sacramento until 1987, its roots lie in the Gold Rush era of the 1840s. As a result, West Sacramento has a long history by California standards, whereas the new League of Women Voters of Yolo County is just three months old.

The League of Women Voters Yolo County arose from the merger of the Leagues of Women Voters of Woodland and Davis Area with the goal of supporting all residents in Yolo County. Together, the combined league comprises more than 100 years of experience.

The League of Women Voters Yolo County looks forward to meeting and working with key members of organizations in West Sacramento, such as the City Council, Chamber of Commerce and Washington Unified School District.

For those unfamiliar with the League of Women Voters, it is a nonpartisan

political organization comprised of men and women who encourage informed and active participation in government, work to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and strive to influence public policy through education and advocacy.

As part of its ongoing efforts to promote civic engagement, League of Women Voters Yolo County recently hosted its annual State of the Community luncheon during which Board Supervisor Lucas Frerichs, who represents southwestern parts of Yolo County, spoke about the many challenges and opportunities facing all of Yolo County at this time.

In addition to civic engagement, League of Women Voters Yolo County supports voter registration and education for youth and adults, including distributing nonpartisan information to voters on the voting process and ballot measures. It also hosts candidate forums for local, county and state elections, and conducts comprehensive studies into and takes positions on topics that impact Yolo County residents, such as climate, housing, public safety and healthcare for education and advocacy purposes.

The League of Women Voters Yolo County looks forward to learning more about your exciting community and how we can together support our beloved democracy. Visit our website at lwvyolo. org to learn more.

### **West Sacramento Honors Girls Wrestling Team**

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Dempsey spoke for the team

"As a team of girls, we have come to face a lot of adversities, but we have overcome," Dempsey said. "I've made so many friends, lifelong meaningful relationships."

"The coaches lifted us up further than we had gone before. I can honestly say, I'm a different, better person because of girls wrestling." Dempsey concluded.

The City Council members added comments to celebrate the occasion and the proclamation.

Vice Mayor Verna Sulpizio Hull commented, "This is about community, it is about womanhood, and it is about doing incredible things together."

Councilmember Alcala added, "You have great passion for what you do and that is what makes you a champion."

Mayor Martha Guerrero concluded the council's comments.

"It takes a village for all of us to be where we are at today," Guerrero said. "And to all of those that stood by your side and supported you, your parents your family, those who cheered you on, your friends, thank you all for making this historic moment possible. We are so proud of you."

The outlook for future team success is rosy, after

graduating three seniors this year, the team will still have 13 members returning for next year according to River City High School Wrestling Coach Jason Stolpe.

Coach Stolpe describes the team's success, "Our recipe for success is all about maintaining high standards, getting good grades and being good citizens of the school and community, hard work, and discipline. This all has worked to create a good positive culture in our wrestling room that kids want to be a part of. The girls buy into our system, work hard, and improve throughout the season."

# SacSewer Offers Tours

Continued from page 1 about sewage collection and treatment, sustainability and environmental stewardship. Children under 12 are not permitted on public tours and adults must accompany tour participants who are minors.

The three-hour tour includes a 60-minute class-room presentation and a 120-minute walking and bus portion.

Tour participants will gain a deeper understanding of what happens after they flush their toilets, wash their dishes or do laundry and how these everyday actions connect to a vast, sophisticated treatment process designed to protect the environment



Sacramento Area Sewer District's free Echo Water Resource Recovery Facility (Echo Water Facility) public tours are educational and free for adults and children 12 and older. Photo Courtesy Sacramento Area Sewer District

and public health.

Closed-toed shoes are required as tour groups will walk through industrial areas.

For more information about the Echo Water Resource Recovery Facility public tours, including tour dates and registration details, visit SacSewer. com/tours. To experience a virtual tour, visit sacsewer. com/virtual-tours.

For more information about the Sacramento Area Sewer District, go online to sacsewer.com.

# We Prosper Together Awards \$5 Million to Advance 11 High-Impact Projects

Blue Zones Project News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)

- We Prosper Together is investing \$5 million in 11 transformative initiatives across the Capital Region to advance economic resilience and create high-quality jobs. Spanning a diversity of sectors—including biotech, clean energy, food and agriculture, and precision manufacturing—these projects are poised to strengthen key industries, foster innovation, and expand economic opportunities for residents across all eight counties.

"We're creating a pipeline of transformative projects that address our region's economic challenges, leverage promising industry sectors, and create equitable economic growth. This funding is just the beginning. We're excited to continue supporting high-impact projects that will help residents earn a living wage and build a more secure future for themselves and their families," said Evan Schmidt, CEO of Valley Vision.

The funding represents the first round of investments in the Catalyst Phase, a critical step in enacting the strategies outlined in We Prosper Together's Regional Plan: Strategies for a Thriving and Inclusive Economy. The Catalyst Phase funding is designed to get projects and ideas ready for full implementation and position them to compete effectively for future federal, state, or private funding. The second round of Catalyst Phase funding will open within the next three months and distribute an additional \$4 million to projects across the region.

The selected projects tackle critical regional challenges from multiple angles, including expanding workforce training programs to address labor shortages, building opportunities in future-ready jobs, strengthening the local agricultural ecosystem through food hubs and incubators, and providing students with hands-on learning opportunities in high-demand careers.

"We Prosper Together is a

once-in-a-generation opportunity to bring communities together to chart the future of good jobs in our region. This funding lets us take our workforce development programs into eight counties and work with community members of all ages to introduce them to jobs available now and the jobs that are coming up next," said Orville Thomas, CEO of the California Mobility Center.

The full list of funding recipients is as follows:

Building a Healthcare Talent Pipeline: Quality Jobs for Stronger Communities, Los Rios Community College District.

Capitol Region Biotech Talent Partnership, Sacramento Employment and Training Agency.

Cultivating Resilient Rural Food Ecosystems, Sierra Commons. District Ranch Agritourism

and Workforce Pilot, Nevada Joint Union High School District. EPIC on the Road, Cal EPIC

[California Energy, Power, and Innovation Collaborative], formerly the California Mobility Center. Forest Biomass Business

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New Season Community
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Skilled Trades Workforce Pipeline Project, Sacramento Municipal Utility District.

The Plant Food and Agriculture Innovation Center Pre-Development Project, University of California, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Yuba Sutter Food Hub Feasibility Study, Yuba Sutter Food Bank.

The work of We Prosper Together is supported by the statewide initiative California Jobs First and builds on the newly released California Jobs First Economic Blueprint.

Representing eight counties in the Capital Region, over 150 organizations, and hundreds of community leaders and residents, We Prosper Together is driving a community-led approach to building a stronger regional economy. We Prosper Together is working to elevate diverse voices, encourage investments, amplify local solutions, and create living-wage jobs for families in Colusa, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba counties. Visit weprospertogether.org to learn more and get involved.

# **March is for Celebrating**

United Cerebral Palsy of Sacramento and Northern California News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - March marks Disability Awareness Month, a time to celebrate the achievements, contributions and resilience of people with disabilities. It's an oppor-

disabilities. It's an opportunity to raise awareness, promote understanding and work toward a more inclusive world for everyone.

Disability Awareness Month is not just about recognizing the bar-

Disability Awareness Month is not just about recognizing the barriers that people with disabilities face but also celebrating the diverse talents and abilities they bring to every community, workplace and society. It's a reminder to continue challenging stereotypes, breaking down barriers, and advocating for equality and accessibility.



Disability Awareness Month is an opportunity to raise awareness, promote understanding and work toward a more inclusive world for everyone. Photo courtesy of United Cerebral Palsy of Sacramento and Northern California

Although United Cerebral Palsy started by serving children with Cerebral Palsy, United Cerebral Palsy today serves all individuals with developmental disabilities.

developmental disabilities.

United Cerebral Palsy is the region's leading provider of evidence-based practices that enable children and adults living with disabilities and their families to better their abilities to live a life with increased

independence, productivity and self-confidence.

With more than 54 percent of United Cerebral Palsy of Sacramento and Northern California's clients considered low- or middle-income, the organization's services are pivotal to improving their quality of life, alleviating barriers to independence and helping individuals of all ages reach their full potential.

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# Kings Korner By V.G. Harris



The past week for the Sacramento Kings may very well be poorest stretch in a helter skelter season that saw the Sactown boys lose games to the New York Nicks, Golden State Warriors and Phoenix Suns by a combined total of 71 points.

Many Kings fans turned their TV sets to another channel in the fourth quarter of these games to avoid the agony of watching another beatdown. No lighting the beam last week and probably the last thing on anyone's mind.

Most fans agree that watching a seesaw battle in which your team is giving the best they have will always keep them watching to the very end but what we witnessed in the past week was hard for even the most ardent fan to lay eyes on.

Thrust into the position of point guard with the trade of DeAaron Fox, Malik Monk has struggled in his new role. Most glaring are the constant turnovers and it appears to be contagious as usually reliable ballhandlers DeMar DeRozan and Zach Lavine have suddenly joined the turnover turnstile. Forty-eight times, the Kings have turned the ball over in the past three games and that means 48 missed opportunities to put a shot up.

Entering Monday night's game against the Memphis Grizzlies, Sacramento sits in the number 9 position in the Western Conference with a 500 record of 33-33.

At no time entering the 2024/2025 season did I believe the Sacramento Kings were a 500 team.

After the firing of Mike Brown and the trading of DeAaron Fox, newcomers Zach Lavine, Jonas Valanciunas and Jake LaRavia gave hope to Kings fans that the playoffs were not a pipe dream.

The bench is stronger but the starting lineup is putting the team in a hole in the first quarter of nearly every game. The past three games saw the Kings down by double digits at the end of the first quarter and climbing out of a hole every game is not a recipe for success.

So what is the answer Kings fans? How does this newly-assembled squad put together a winning stretch that allows Sacramento fans to witness postseason basketball? With 16 games remaining, there's no more trading or adding to the team, so coach Christie will have to move the chess pieces he has.

Sadly, although Malik has wanted to be a starter for some time, he has not thrived in his new role. Coming off the bench and adding a spark seems to be the logical move for coach Christie to make.

Jake LaRavia has added much needed defense but Markelle Fultz has failed to add much to the point guard position. Coach Christie might be faced with using rookie Devin Carter who has proven himself to be a skilled ball handler and surprisingly a good rebounder as well.

Perhaps the time has come to give Isaac Jones some more court time, as this team could use his length and rebounding. Jones has received too little time on the court but seems to make an impact when given the opportunity.

Trey Lyles and Keegan Murray need to live up to their billing and add 3-point shooting to a team that is in sore need.

Cross your fingers, Kings fans, that Domantas Sabonis will stay healthy and former all-stars DeMar DeRozan and Zach Lavine will be the players we know they can be the rest of the way.

Many of the senseless turnovers come from players trying to do too much and what the Kings need is to get back to basics and keep it simple. Move the ball, make good passes and allow teammates to shoot the basketball in rhythm.

Make no mistake about it, there is plenty of talent on this team.

Play-in appears to be the logical prescription, so take your medicine Sacramento Kings and see where the Play-in might take you.

King's fans want postseason basketball and what you call it matters little. Magical things can happen when given a chance and that's what the play-in brings, a chance.

Stay positive, Kings fans, and keep those TV sets on for the fourth quarter. These guys might surprise you yet!

All the best!

Your thoughts are always welcome at vgharriskingsfan@gmail.com. ★

# **Social Security Matters**

# Can I Avoid Paying the Medicare Premium?



AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: Is there any way I can get out of paying the \$185 I am told will be taken out of my Social Security for Medicare Part B when I turn 65? We pay for Medicare all our working lives, and now I have to pay a monthly premium for insurance that only covers 80%. Signed: Disheartened Senior

Dear Disheartened: For clarification, the money you paid into Medicare while working during your lifetime was for Medicare Part A (inpatient hospitalization coverage). The Medicare taxes paid while working entitled you to FREE Medicare coverage for Part A inpatient hospitalization coverage, but they do not entitle you to Medicare coverage for outpatient services (coverage for doctors, medical tests, etc.). For that coverage from Medicare, you must enroll in Medicare Part B, for which there is a monthly premium (\$185/ month for 2025). If you wish to have Medicare Part B coverage, you must enroll in Medicare

Part B at age 65 - unless you have other "creditable" healthcare coverage from an employer.

The Medicare Part B premium will be automatically deducted from your Social Security payment when you enroll in Medicare, and there is no way to avoid it if you wish to have Medicare healthcare coverage for outpatient medical services. But, if you currently have "creditable" healthcare coverage from an employer, you can delay enrolling in Medicare Part B (thus avoiding the premium) until your employer coverage ends. If you don't enroll in Medicare Part B during your initial enrollment period (at 65), or in a Special Enrollment Period following the end of your creditable employer healthcare coverage, then you will incur a penalty for enrolling in Medicare Part B outside of the prescribed enrollment periods. That penalty is a permanent increase in your Medicare Part B premium. FYI, "creditable" is an employer group plan with at least 20

participants.

We do not advise going without outpatient health-care coverage, so you should carefully consider enrolling in Medicare Part B when you turn 65. If you are already collecting Social Security benefits, you will be automatically enrolled, but you can opt out of Part B if you wish – it's

just not advisable, unless you have current creditable healthcare coverage from an employer. So, to recap: the

So, to recap: the Medicare taxes you paid while working only entitled you to free Medicare Part A inpatient hospitalization coverage. You must enroll in Medicare Part B (for which there is a monthly premium) to have Medicare healthcare coverage for outpatient healthcare services. Both Medicare Part A and Part B have deductibles and copayments, for which you may wish to consider getting either a supplemental insurance plan or a Medicare Advantage plan. But, in either case, you must still have both Medicare Part A and Part B to obtain such additional healthcare coverage.

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### California's Cities and Schools Face Big Budget Gaps, Few Options



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

California's state budget is mired in what fiscal authorities call a "structural deficit," meaning its revenues cannot keep up with spending mandated by current law.

For several years, Gov. Gavin Newsom and the Legislature have papered over the chronic gap between income and outgo with gimmicks, including on- and off-budget borrowing and creative accounting, plus dips into "rainy day" funds set aside for emergencies.

Those maneuvers merely postpone the day of reckoning, because the administration and the Legislature's budget analyst, Gabe Petek, project yearly multibillion-dollar shortfalls indefinitely.

The state's dilemma has several roots, most notably an erroneously high multi-year revenue forecast in 2022 that led to a belief that there would be an immense budget surplus and to sharply increased spending. The administration later pegged the revenue error at \$165 billion over four years.

That factor was exacerbated by what Petrek dubbed "a sluggish economy."

"Outside of government and health care, the state has added no jobs in a year and a half," Petek noted in a November fiscal overview "Similarly, the number of Californians who are unemployed is 25% higher than during the strong labor markets of 2019 and 2022."

State government is not alone in facing chronic budget deficits. The state's major cities and many school districts are also feeling the pinch of stagnant revenues and inflation, especially with rising worker salaries. Add the horrendous Los Angeles wildfires and President Donald Trump's potentially huge federal spending reductions and the budget gaps could become even wider.

A few days ago, Matt Szabo, the City of Los Angeles' chief administrative officer, and city Controller Kenneth Mejia bluntly warned the city council that LA is several hundred million dollars short of covering its budgeted expenditures — not even counting the likely effects of wildfires on revenues and spending.

"The city is facing significant headwinds," Szabo said, adding "immediate spending reductions required."

"The city of L.A., financially, we are in trouble," Mejia told the council in a letter. He added, "The city is estimated to overspend by \$300 million over budget. So when you have less revenues compared to your budget, and you have more expenses over your budget — that's a big gap that we have to fill."

San Francisco's new mayor, Daniel Lurie, says he wants to "eliminate \$1 billion in overspending" over the next three years to cover an \$876 million deficit over two years. "The era of one-time or Band-Aid solutions is over," Lurie told other officials after taking office

A number of smaller cities, including Sacramento, are also dealing with significant deficits.

Meanwhile many school districts are also facing big budget gaps due to declining enrollment and chronic absenteeism that reduce state aid based on attendance, in addition to the expiration of federal grants meant to cope with COVID-19 and employee union demands for raises to offset inflation-hammered personal budgets.

The Fiscal Crisis and Management Assistance Team, a state agency that monitors school district finances, recently issued a report on school systems in various degrees of fiscal difficulty, with those in Oakland and San Francisco on the list of the most troubled.

The agency cited not only enrollment declines, but the jolts of losing federal pandemic aid and rising costs, particularly for fire insurance and electric power, as factors.

In theory, local officials could seek tax increases as they ponder ways to balance their budgets. However voters facing rising living costs of their own are not likely to approve of that solution.

Therefore the options are either make real spending reductions, which might mean laying off workers and closing schools, or emulate the state's gimmickry and hope the problems solve themselves.

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 \*



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250149 The following person(s) is doing business as: Throw My Junk, 1399 Sacramento Avenue, Unit 138, West Sacramento, CA 95605.

Deisy Aguilera, 1399 Sacramento Avenue, Unit 138, West Sacramento, CA 95605. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 10, 2025.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/11/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 **THROW** 3-21-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250159 The following person(s) is doing

business as: S.O.S. Trucking, LLC, 1856 Olvera Drive, Woodland, CA 95776. S.O.S. Trucking LLC, 1856 Olvera Drive, Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/14/2025. By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy

Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250171 The following person(s) is doing business as: Auto Guys, 503 East Street, Woodland, CA 95776. Abdul Moeid Akmal GP and Iram

Shahzad GP, 503 East Street, Woodland, CA 95776. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 20, 2025. This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Yolo County on By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy

Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 **AUTO** 3-21-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250122 The following person(s) is (are)

doing business as: Watts & Power Electric Co., 1260 Lake Blvd Ste 239, Davis, CA 95616 - 2687 County of YOLO Mailing Address: P.O. Box 25, Yolo, CA 95697 - 0025

Watts & Power Construction Co., 1260 Lake Blvd Ste 239, Davis, CA 95616 This business is conducted by a

limited liability company The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 5th. 2025.

Watts & Power Construction Co. S/ Theodore Harrison, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

02/05/2025. Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Recorder

Zuri Hernazdez, Deputy 2/28, 3/7, 3/14, 3/21/25 CNS-3897333# **NEWS-LEDGER** 

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FILE NO. F20250134 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

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USFED Cloud & Automation Solutions, 1260 Lake Blvd Ste 239, Davis, CA 95616 - 2687 County of YOLO Mailing Address: P.O. Box 25, Yolo, CA 95697 - 0025

USFED, LLC, 1260 Lake Blvd Ste 239. Davis, CA 95616 This business is conducted by a limited liability company

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 6th, 2025 USFED, LLC

S/ Theodore Harrison, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

02/07/2025. Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Recorder

Melisa Vera, Deputy 2/28, 3/7, 3/14, 3/21/25 CNS-3897298# **NEWS-LEDGER** 3-21-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250173

The following person(s) is doing business as: FJS Consulting LLC, 26880 Cassidy Lane, Davis, CA 95616. FJS Consulting LLC, 26880 Cassidy Lane, Davis, CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on November 4, 2022. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025

3-28-25 FJS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250178

The following person(s) is doing Play and Learn Day Care, 1505 Rockrose Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Fatana Ibrahimi, 1505 Rockrose Road, West Sacramento, CA

95691. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 21, 2025. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/21/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250172 The following person(s) is doing business as: Courtyard Health Care Center, 1850 East 8th Street, Davis, CA 95616. West Court Lane Healthcare,

Inc., 29222 Rancho Viejo Road, Suite 127, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 10, 2025.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/20/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 HEALTH FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250141 The following person(s) is doing business as: The Rich Handybusiness as: 2324 Kinsington Street. West Sacramento, CA 95691. Richard K. Beck II, 2324 Kinsington Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/11/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250194 The following person(s) is doing business as: Details & Stories, 980 Central Street, Apt 503, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Juliana Silva Mendes and Isaac Senior, 980 Central Street, Apt West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Married Couple. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on November 20, 2024. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/27/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250203 The following person(s) is doing business as: Cal Gold Bridge Realty, 194 W Main Street, Suite 100, Woodland, CA 95695. German Madeuno, 5036 Sully

Street, Sacramento, CA 95838. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 3, 2025.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 3/03/2025. By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy

Publish: March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250186

The following person(s) is doing business as: Sucre Farms, 3785 Fisher Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Muddy Boot Farms, 3785 Fisher

Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 24, 2024. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/25/2025.

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250119 The following person(s) is doing business as: SV All House Services, 1360 Windermere Court, West Sacramento, CA 95605. Viachaslav Pishchulin, 1360 Windermere Court, West Sacramento, CA 95605. This business is conducted by a Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious

above on N/A This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

business name or names listed

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 2025 SV FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250162 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

1. USADS 360°, 2. Ai automated Sales & Marketing, 1260 LAKE BLVD STE 239, Davis, CA 95616 - 2687 County of YOLO Mailing Address: P.O. Box 25, Yolo, CA 95697 - 0025 USADS 360, LLC, 1260 LAKE

BLVD STE 239, Davis, CA 95616 This business is conducted by a limited liability company

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 12. 2025 USADS 360, LLC

S/ Theodore Harrison, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 02/18/2025. Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Re-

corder Morgan Braun, Deputy Publish: 3/14, 3/21, 3/28, 4/4/25 CNS-3902429#

NEWS-LEDGER 4-4-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250121 The following person(s) is (are)

doing business as:

USMedia 360°, 1260 LAKE BLVD STE 239, Davis, CA 95616 - 2687 County of YOLO Mailing Address: P.O. Box 25, Yolo, ČA 95697 - 0025 Harrison One Media Group. LLC, 1260 LAKE BLVD STE 239, Davis, CA 95616 This business is conducted by a

limited liability company The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 5th,

Harrison One Media Group, LLC S/Theodore Harrison, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

02/05/2025. Jesse Salinas, County Clerk/Recorder Zuri Hernandez, Deputy Publish: 3/14, 3/21, 3/28, 4/4/25

CNS-3902428#

**NEWS-LEDGER** 

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250093 The following person(s) is doing business as: Sacramento Signature Services, 2874 Pitzer Circle, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Sacramento Signature Services LLC, 2874 Pitzer Circle, Sacramento, CA 95691. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on December 17, 2024. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 1/29/2025

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250095 The following person(s) is doing business as: Natalya Writes, 720 Olive Drive, Suite D1, Davis, CA 95616.

Natalya Apostolou, 2204 Randolph Place, Woodland, CA This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 21, 2024. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 1/29/2025

Bv: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250219 The following person(s) is doing business as: Streets of Heaven, 630 Andrew Street, West Sacrametno, CA 95605 Stanton Lee Luke, 971 Beardsley Drive, West Sacramento, 95605. This business is conducted by an Individual. The

registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 5, 2025 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on

3/05/2025. By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025 4-11-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250118 The following person(s) is doing business as: Headwaters Re treat, 2330 Geary Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Michael Costello, 2330 Gean Street, West Sacramento, CA

95691. This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 1, 2025. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/05/2025

By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025 RETREAT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250181 The following person(s) is doing business as: Valley Oak Veterinary Hospital, 733 East Street, Woodland, CA 95776.

Gill Veterinary Corporation, 733 East Street, Woodland, CA 95776. This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Yolo County on 2/24/2025. By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025

VALLEY FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FILE NO. F20250236 The following person(s) is doing business as: La Michoacana XO, 64 W Court Street, Woodland, CA 95776. M&B Paletas LLC, 1653 Winne

Drive, Woodland, CA 95776. This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on November 6, 2024. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on 3/12/2025. By: Jesse Salinas, Deputy

Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025 4-11-25 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #CV2025-0419

Janet Mar has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Janet Mar to Jane IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this

court on April 10, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 11, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 29, 2023 Timothy L. Fall, Judge of the Su-

. Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 WRIGHT SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #CV2025-0565 Jessica Varaitch Scrase has

filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Noah Gabriel Varaitch Scrase Burns to Noah Gabriel Varaitch Scrase.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on April 22, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 11, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 25, 2025 Timothy L. Fall, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

**SCRASE** 

Margarita Rocha has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Margarita Rocha to Margarita Rocha Savala

#CV2025-0635

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on April 29, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 11, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 4, 2025

Timothy L. Fall, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025 **ROCHA** 

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #CV2025-0683

Sara Suzanne Paiva-Lowry has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sara Suzanne Paiva-Lowry to Sara Suzanne Lowry and Flynn Elliott Paiva-Lowry to Flynn Elliott Lowry and Elizabeth Katherine Paiva-Lowry to Elizabeth Katherine Lowry.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on April 24, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 11, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: March 10, 2025 Timothy L. Fall, Judge of the Superior Court . Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YOLO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #CV2025-0631 Yanqin Huang has filed a peti-

tion with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Yanqin Huang to Matthew Huang. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on April 30, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 11, located at 1000 Main Street Woodland, CA 95695 and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 5, 2025 Timothy L. Fall, Judge of the Su-

perior Court Publish: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 2025 HUANG 4-11-25

#### **LIEN SALE**

**NOTICE OF LIEN SALE** Extra Space Storage, on behalf of itself or its affiliates, Life Storage or Storage Express, will hold a public auction to satisfy Extra Space's lien, by selling personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at the location indicated. 1022 Gibson Rd, Woodland,

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**NEWS-LEDGER** 3-21-25 TRUSTEE SALE

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** T.S. No. 24-03260-QQ-CA Title No. 240574244-CA-VOI A.P.N. 046-726-001-000 YOU ARE IN

you exceed the last and highest DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 08/13/2016. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROP-FRTY. IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEED-AGAINST YOU, SHOULD CONTACT A LAW-YER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state: will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made in an "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on 03/21/2025 the day of sale. Trustor: Scott M. Deśliu and Renee J. Desliu, husband and wife Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 08/24/2016 as Instrument No. 2016-0023700-00 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Yolo County, California. Date of Sale: : 04/04/2025 at 1:00 PM Place of Sale: North Entrance to West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 W. Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$147,844.86 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 1955 Spoonbill Rd, West Sacramento, CA 95691-6118 A.P.N.: 046-726-001-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code 2923.5(b)/2923.55(c) Section were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on

a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If vou consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-280-2832 or visit this internet website www. ndscorp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 24-03260-QQ-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled

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bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 888-264-4010, or visit this internet website www.ndscorn.com, using the file number assigned to this case 24-03260-QQ-CA to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, vou must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as a "representative of all eligible tenant buyers' or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. \*Pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code, the potential rights described herein shall apply only to public auctions taking place on or after January 1, 2021, through December 31, 2025, unless later extended. Date: 02/24/2025 National Default Servicing Corporation c/o Tiffany & amp; Bosco, P.A., its agent, 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 820 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-264-4010 Sales Line 800-280-2832; Sales Website: www. ndscorp.com Connie Hernandez, Trustee Sales Representative A-FN4835873 Publish: 03/07/2025, 03/14/2025,

**NEWS LEDGER** TSG No.: 8783140 TS No.:

CA2300288518 APN: 045-320-026-000 Property Address: 422 SAFFLOWER PLACE SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED UNLESS 08/04/2005. TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 04/17/2025 at 12:45 P.M., First American Title Insurance Company, as duly appointed Trustee under and

pursuant to Deed of Trust re-. corded 08/09/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0038935-00, in book, page,, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California. Executed by: PATRI-CIA JANE WALSH, TRUSTEE OF THE PATRICIA J. WALSH FAMILY TRUST, WILL SELL PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (Payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the North entrance to the City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 All right, title and interest under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 045-320-026-000 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 422 SAFFLOWER PLACE, WEST SACRAMENTO. 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon. as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and

> of Trust has deposited all documents evidencing the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust and has declared all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable, and has caused a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be executed. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is locat-NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may he a iunior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the

> property. You are encouraged to

investigate the existence, priority,

and size of outstanding liens that

may exist on this property by

expenses of the Trustee and of

the trusts created by said Deed

of Trust. The total amount of the

unpaid balance of the obligation

secured by the property to be

sold and reasonable estimated

costs, expenses and advances

at the time of the initial publica-

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der said Deed

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using the file number assigned to this case CA2300288518 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid, by remitting the funds and affidavit described in Section 2924m(c) of the Civil Code, so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate

real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Date: First American Title Insurance Company 4795 Regent Blvd. Code 1011-F Irving, TX 3 FOR TRUSTEES SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL (916)939-0772NPP0471602 To: NEWS LEDGER 03/07/2025, 03/14/2025, 03/21/2025 NEWS LEDGER

TS No: CA05000487-24-1 APN: 058-135-031 | 058-135-31-1 TO No: 8794907 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d) (1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED December 14, 2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PRO-TECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EX-PLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On April 17, 2025 at 12:45 PM, at the North entrance to the City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded on December 21. 2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0042605-00, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by CHARLES H. MCDONNELL, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPER-TY, as Trustor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC. as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2005 STONE COURT, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$324,101.87 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the pavee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender may hold more than one mortgage or

Deed of Trust on the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the Mortgagee Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed. and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may visit the Internet Website address www. nationwideposting.com or call Nationwide Posting & Publication at 916.939.0772 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA05000487-24-1. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Notice to Tenant NOTICE TO TENANT FORECLOSURES AF-TER JANUARY 1, 2021 You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 916.939.0772, or visit this internet website www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case CA05000487-24-1 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third. you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: February 13, 2025 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA05000487-24-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 711 949.252.8300 By: Loan Quema, Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ONLINE AT www.nationwideposting.com FOR AUTOMATED SALES IN-FORMATION PLEASE CALL: Nationwide Posting & Publication

To: NEWS LEDGER 03/14/2025, Publish: 03/07/2025, 03/21/2025 **NEWS LEDGER** 

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 24-03653-LC-CA Title No. 240637299-CA-A.P.N. 008-323-001-000 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 10/08/2021. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION YOUR **PROTECT** PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU. SHOULD YOU CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state savings federal association, savings loan association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made in an "as is" condition, but without covenant warranty, expressed implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and laic charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the

total amount (at the time of the

initial publication of the Notice

of Sale) reasonably estimated

to be set forth below. The

amount may be greater on

the day of sale. Trustor: Sarah

Venerable, a married woman,

as her sole and separate property and Violet May

Hendricks, a married woman,

as her sole and separate

property, as joint tenants Duly

Appointed Trustee: National

Default Servicing Corporation

Instrument No. 2021-0039110

Recorded

10/15/2021

(or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Yolo County, agent, 1455 Frazee Road Suite 820 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-05/15/2025 at 12:45 PM Place 264-4010 Sales Line 800of Sale: At the rear (North) 758-8052; Sales www.ndscorp.com Connie Hernandez, Trustee Sales entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Representative 03/21/2025, Avenue. West Sacramento. A-4837268 CA 95691 Estimated amount 03/28/2025 of unpaid balance and other 04/04/2025 charges: \$391,552.41 Street **NEWS LEDGER** Address or other common TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF designation of real property: SALE No. CA-24-431 Poplar Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 1003557-BF Order No. 240657948-CA-VOI 008-323-001-000 ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER Trustee A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/23/2009. UNLESS YOU disclaims any liability for any TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT

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A.P.N.:

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internet website www.ndscorp.

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on which the trustee's sale was

held, the amount of the last and

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of the trustee. Second, you

must send a written notice

of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no

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If you think you may qualify as

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Default Servicing Corporation

c/o Tiffany & Bosco, P.A., its

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Date:

Date of Sale:

YOUR PROPERTY, MAY BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE **PROCEEDING** YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant warranty, expressed implied, regarding title, or possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s) advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY
MAY ELECT TO BID
LESS THAN THE TOTAL
AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s):
YOLANDA MARTINEZ, A PERSON SINGLE **DAVID** GARNICA, SINGLE PERSON Recorded: 12/1/2009 as Instrument No. 2009-0037394-00 of Official Records in the office of the California;

incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are investigate size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and &lsquo:date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-758-8052 or visit this internet website www.ndscorp. com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 24-03653-LC-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT\*: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are a "representative

Recorder of YOLO County, Date 4/14/2025 at 1:00 PM Place of Sale: At the North Entrance of the West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 W. Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$110,675.74 The purported property address is: 42321 4TH ST, KNIGHTS LANDING, CA 95645 Assessor's Parcel No.: 056-305-003-000 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property

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http://www.qualityloan. com, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-24-1003557-Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone

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**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE** 

will be made without covenant

April 30, 2025

The West Sacramento City Council will meet on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, at West Sacramento nter. City Council Chambers. West Sacramento, California, at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the item(s) listed below.

Members of the public are welcome to attend in person, watch the meeting Livestream, or via Astound Broadband Channel 20 and to submit comments in writing by 4:00 PM on April 30, 2025. To submit a comment in writing, please email jenniferc@cityofwestsacramento.org and write

"Public Comment" in the subject line. In the body of the email, include the item number and/or title of the item as well as your comments. All comments received by 4:00 PM will be provided to the City Council and posted on the City's website. The comments submitted shall become part of the record of the meeting.

7:00 p.m.

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

1. Public Hearing regarding Proposed Liberty Specific Plan, Development Agreement (DA), and related General Plan and Zoning Approvals

The purpose of this item is to facilitate the City Council's review of the proposed Liberty

Project, including the Specific Plan, Liberty Development Agreement (DA), and related General Plan and Zoning amendments. On January 30, 2025, the Planning Commission held a public hearing regarding the proposed Liberty project. Following the public hearing, the Planning Commission voted unanimously to adopt Resolution 25-1PC certifying the final Environmental Impact Report (EIR), and Resolution 25-3PC approving the Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map with revisions (conditioned on City Council approval of the actions recommended in Resolution 25-3PC). The Planning Commission also adopted Resolution 25-2PC recommending that the City Council approve: i) Ordinance 25-2 adopting the Liberty Specific Plan with revisions proposed by the applicant in January 2025; ii) Ordinance 25-3 amending the Zoning Code, Zoning Map, and Southport Framework Plan; iii) Resolution 25-18 amending the General Plan 2035; and iv) Ordinance 25-4 approving the Liberty Development Agreement. On March 5, 2025, the City denied an appeal of the Planning Commission's approvals of Resolution 25-1PC and 25-3PC. West Sac News Ledger 3-21-2025

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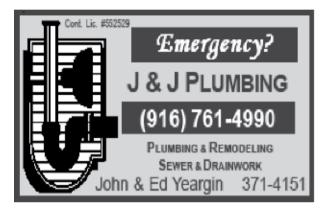
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### **Empower Yolo Renames Shelter to Honor** Starkweather Family's Transformative Support

By Natalia Baltazar, Director of Development and **Community Relations** of Empower Yolo

YOLO COUNTY, CA (MPG) -Empower Yolo is proud to announce the renaming of its shelter to the Starkweather Family Shelter in honor of the Starkweather family's extraordinary generosity and commitment to the organization's mission. The family has played a pivotal role in uplifting the vital services provided to survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, and other crises.

For years, the Starkweather family has been a steadfast supporter of Empower Yolo, first joining the organization's donor community to help DACA students facing uncertainty. Their involvement deepened over time, leading them to make a profound impact by ensuring financial stability for the organization. Additionally, they have been instrumental in fundraising efforts, serving as matching donors for multiple campaigns, including the Big Day of Giving, encouraging others to contribute to the cause.

"Their generosity has provided financial security for our agency, but more importantly, it has created a lasting legacy of hope and refuge for survivors. Their support allows us to focus on what truly matters—helping people rebuild their lives," said Cathy Farman, Board Chair of Empower Yolo.

"Empower Yolo previously had a loan that included a significant balloon payment due in a few years. While this arrangement offered lower monthly payments, it also posed risks, particularly if the payment came due at an inopportune time, such as during a funding shortfall. Currently, federal grants are uncertain, and there may be a need for Empower Yolo to secure another loan. Paying off the existing debt would significantly improve the likelihood of obtaining new financing, thereby enhancing the organization's financial stability," said Stuart Starkweather, MD, Empower Yolo board member and donor.

The Starkweather Family has prioritized supporting Empower Yolo to ensure that the organization can effectively carry out its vital work in helping the community.

"Many nonprofits operate on a model where donations minus overhead costs—such as staff salaries, rent, and utilities—determine the funds available for their mission. In contrast, Empower Yolo combines generous donations with numerous grants, subtracting overhead expenses to calculate the resources available for its mission. This approach of lowering overhead expenses for the agency significantly enhances the funds that can be utilized to support those in need within Yolo County, allowing for greater impact in the community," noted Starkweather.

Supporting the county's most vulnerable populations has been important for the Starkweathers.

"Yolo County has the highest percentage of people living in poverty compared to any other county in California. Empower Yolo benefits from low overhead costs, as it owns its two major buildings outright and incurs no rent. Additionally, the shelter saves \$1,000 each

month on electricity thanks to its solar panels, and with no debt to service, Empower Yolo operates with remarkable efficiency. This streamlined financial structure enables the organization to focus more resources on addressing the urgent needs of the community," added Starkweather.

Beyond financial contributions, the Starkweather family has also shown their kindness in deeply personal ways, from baking cookies for shelter residents to finding new ways to support the needs of survivors. Their compassion and generosity have helped create a warm and welcoming environment for those seeking safety and a fresh

A special renaming event was held on Feb. 21, where community members, staff, and supporters gathered to celebrate this milestone and express their gratitude to the Starkweather family. While honoring the Starkweather family, the agency also noted the importance of all their donors.

"Every donation, big or small, makes a meaningful difference in the lives of the individuals and families we serve," said Farman. "Whether it's providing shelter, food, counseling, or essential resources, each contribution helps survivors rebuild their lives and find hope for a safer future."

Empower Yolo remains committed to providing essential services, including emergency shelter, counseling, legal advocacy, and housing assistance. Thanks to the Starkweather family's leadership and generosity, the organization is in a stronger position to continue its mission of promoting safe, healthy, and resilient communities. \*

### Celebrate Día de los Niños/ Día de los Libros at Library

Yolo County News Release

WOODLAND, CA (MPG) - Yolo County Library invites children and their families to a vibrant celebration of Día de los Niños/Día de los Libros (Children's Day/ Book Day), a nationwide initiative promoting literacy, diversity, and the joy of reading. Every child will receive a free book, and all locations will feature special performances and engaging Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math (STEAM) crafts.

"Día champions the importance of literacy for children of all linguistic and cultural backgrounds and fosters connections between children and families, weaving a rich tapestry of books, languages, and cultures," said County Librarian and Chief Archivist Diana Lopez. "Our team has planned diverse and delightful family programs and will be giving away a terrific variety of children's books. We hope you join us in this fabulous celebration!"

Celebrated worldwide in spring, Día de los Niños honors children as the heart of every community, while Día de los Libros underscores the power of books to inspire and empower young readers. Yolo County Library's celebration connects children and families to diverse stories, cultures, and languages through engaging events across multiple library branches.

All are welcome to participate in this free, fun, and educational celebrations:

April 12 at 1 p.m. Yolo Branch Library, 37750 Sacramento St., Yolo, with Steve Chaney and Corny Crow

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### 2025 California Purple Star Schools Announced

California Department of Education News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tony Thurmond on March 13 announced that 83 schools have been designated as a Purple Star School in 2025, bringing the total number of California schools recognized with this honor to 179 since the program's inception in 2023.

The California Purple Star School Designation Program (Purple Star Program) seeks to reduce the burden on military-connected students and their families by articulating the most critical transition supports available. The Purple Star Program is a way to publicly recognize and designate schools that meet certain requirements, and signals which schools are the most committed and best equipped to meet the unique needs of these students and their families.

The Purple Star Program was designed to help mitigate the challenges of high mobility by setting standards for and publicly designating military-friendly

"Congratulations to the

educators, staff, administrators, parents, and students at these schools," said Thurmond. "These schools are crucial to supporting our military-connected students, ensuring that they maintain their academic, college, and career aspirations while their parents serve our country."

Regional Purple Star Schools are Barry Elementary, Yuba City Unified in Sutter County; Compass Charter School of Yolo, Winters Joint Unified in Yolo County; and Bear River, Lone Tree Elementary, Wheatland Charter Academy and Wheatland Union High, all from Wheatland in Yuba County.

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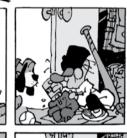


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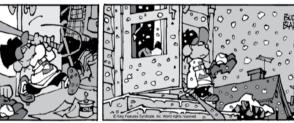




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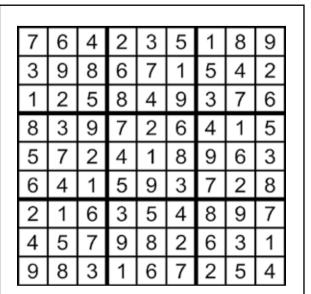
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"Play \_\_\_\_\_ for Me" 22. One in a pod 23. Wear out 26. Masculine

30. \*Princess' turf

31. Makes a sum (2 words) 34. "He's Just Not That

You"
35. Dionysus' pipe-play-

ing companion

37. Choose 38. Provide food

39. Answer from a

40. Virtual you

42. Scare 43. Prickly plant 45. \*Second "National

Lampoon's Vacation" destination

47. Biblical Adam's partner

48. Cause and effect cycle? 50. Goals

52. \*Jamaica and Cayman Islands location

56. Bert's sidekick 57. Poet Pound 58. Hay bundle 59. "The Great Gatsby"

author 60. Billiards relative

61. Theories

-deaf 63. Boar's mate

64. Reason to cram

DOWN 1. Not more

2. Swear, not curse

3. Between mini and maxi 4. Bodily fluid

5. Small silvery fish

6. \_\_\_\_ G. of "SpongeBob SquarePants"

7. Aardvark's repast 8. \*Serengeti National Park

location 9. Aquatic plant

10. Pressure inducer 11. \*Costa del \_\_, Spain

13. Humiliated 14. Fucharistic plate

19. Fretted instrument

22. OB-GYN test 23. Balance sheet item

24. \*Coastal destination 25. Policeman's club in

26. Cockapoo or Puggle, e.g. 27. Foreword

28. Make tea

29. Vast multitude 32. Peace symbol 33 \*Rest and relaxation

destination 36. \*El Capitan and Half Dome location



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38. Pigeon food? 40. Brewery order 41. Acrobatic move 44. Living room center-

piece? 46. Velveteen creature 48. Type of membranophone

49. Cupid's ammo 50. Gas station brand 51. Aware of a secret (2 words)

52. Porcinos 53. "At \_\_\_\_\_ 53. "At \_\_\_\_\_, soldier"
54. Charitable contribution 55. Hawk's aerie, e.g.

56. Time in NYC

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# TY Johnson Named to All-Big West First Team

University of California Davis News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)

- The University of California (UC), Davis senior guard TY Johnson, one of the most dynamic two-way players in college basketball, was named to the All-Big West First Team on Tuesday, March 11, as announced by the conference.

-Johnson's selection marks the fourth consecutive year the Aggies have placed a player on the First Team. A model of consistency, Johnson has earned conference recognition in each of his three seasons at UC Davis: an Honorable Mention in his debut 2022-23 campaign, a Second Team nod in 2023-24 and now a First Team honor in 2024-25.

-The Chicago native has been the cornerstone of the Aggies' success this season, starting all 31 games while averaging 21.2 points, 4.2 rebounds, 2.7 assists and 2.3 steals per game. Johnson has led UC Davis in assists 15 times this season and recorded three or more steals in 12 games, including a season-high six in a record-breaking performance against Cal Poly, where the Aggies forced 33 turnovers—the most in program history.

-Johnson's statistical profile this season places him in elite



company, as he is the first qualified player since Vanderbilt's Scotty Pippen Jr. in 2021-22 to rank in the 99th percentile in points per 40 minutes while also ranking in the 95th percentile or higher in steals per 40 minutes.

-Johnson burst onto the national scene early this season, leading the country in scoring at one point and earning a spot on the "Early Season" watch list for the Lou Henson Award, which honors the top mid-major

player in college basketball. His 21.2 points per game currently rank sixth nationally, and he has scored in double figures in 29 games, including 21 performances with 20 or more points and five games with 30 or more.

-Defensively, Johnson has been equally impactful, ranking 10th nationally in total steals (72) and 15th in steals per game (2.3), both of which are second among Big West leaders.

Johnson solidified himself as

the conference's premier twoway standout, slotting in as the only player in the Big West this season to rank inside the top five in both points per game and

Johnson notably opened the season with a career-high 35 points against Washington, followed by a 30-point outing against Idaho. Those efforts earned him Oscar Robertson National Player of the Week honors, one of the most prestigious

steals per game.

weekly awards in college basketball.

In Big West play, Johnson elevated his game even further, averaging 21.8 points per game. He matched his career-high with another 35-point performance at UC Santa Barbara on Jan. 18 and dropped 33 points against Long Beach State on Feb. 6.

His was recognized throughout conference play twice with Big West Player of the Week honors this season, bringing his career total to three.

Johnson also has etched his name throughout the UC Davis record books this season. He currently ranks fourth in program history in scoring (1,686 points, including 1,675 at UC Davis) and is one of only 26 Aggies to reach 1,000 career points. He needs just 19 points to tie for third all-time.

Defensively, Johnson is second in career steals at UC Davis and holds the program's Division I single-season record with 72 steals and counting this year. He also set a single-game program record with 18 free throws made against Long Beach State on Jan. 11, breaking the previous mark of 17 held by Fowzi Abdelsamad. Additionally, Johnson now holds every UC Davis free throw record, including most in a single season (175 and counting) and most in a career (464).

# Hornets Receive Crew Using Tech to Improve of the Week Honors



On March 8, The Hornets' Varsity Eight was named the West Coast Conference Crew of the Week. Photo courtesy of Sacramento State University

Sacramento State university News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The Hornets' Varsity Eight was named the West Coast Conference Crew of the Week for the team's performance on March 8 at the season-opening Sacramento State Invitational.

The Hornets joined the West Coast Conference this season, and took home the honor in their first week in the conference.

At the Sacramento State Invitational on Lake Natoma, the Hornets took home first place in a five-boat field, which included three other West Coast Conference teams.

Despite racing with a crew that

consisted of just two seniors, the Hornets finished with a winning time of 6:53.4, followed by Saint Mary's (6:57.5), Portland (7:04.3), Santa Clara (7:28.3) and Orange Coast College (7:43.5). The Hornets raced with 4-6 mph cross winds on the course.

Sacramento State's lineup in that race was, cox - Emma Goldsmith, stroke - Nieka Marais, seven - Valarie Reed, six - Kaylee Godwin, five - Daria Okhremtchuk, four - Ella Holmes, three - Mackenzie Murray, two - Ruth Brooks and bow - Harper Waring.

Sacramento State is scheduled to be back in action for the Hornet Invitational March 15 on Lake Natoma at 8:30 a.m. ★

# Anglers' Experience

California Department of Fish and Wildlife News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) is excited to announce the launch of a web-based platform called the California Inland Recreational Angler Survey (CIRAS), that will provide the public with helpful fishing information driven by data submitted by anglers. The platform can be found at CIRAS. wildlife.ca.gov.

The California Inland Recreational Angler Survey is powered by anglers for anglers. It allows anglers to submit data regarding their fishing trips and provides immediate access to aggregated sport fishing data through an interactive "Ready to

Fish" dashboard. As a crowdsourcing platform, California Inland Recreational Angler Survey requires a high level of participation among the full spectrum of California inland anglers' fishing interests to drive the quality of fishing information it provides.

This new technology expands the reach of the state's Angler Survey Boxes, a network of more than 200 metal angler survey boxes located throughout the state where anglers can record their fishing experiences on paper survey slips.

While the Angler Survey Boxes system is typically used to evaluate trout fisheries, the modern California Inland Recreational Angler Survey platform will provide anglers with an opportunity to submit and interact with information about any sport fish from any fishable inland or anadromous water in the state.

ever before.

Historic data from the survey box program will also be uploaded into the California Inland Recreational Angler



The California Inland Recreational Angler Survey is a new web-based platform created by the state to provide helpful fishing information. Photo courtesy of the California Department of

fisheries while anglers begin to populate new locations and species data.

The web platform debuts its first phase for waters within CDFW's North Central Region and will later be expanded statewide. While the new survey can be accessed using mobile devices, the platform currently requires internet connectivity to submit angling data. However, the state plans to incorporate off-line functionality in future phases.

"The CIRAS project represents a new opportunity for the state to better understand angler preferences and performance of fisheries, while also allowing anglers to access information to plan their next fishing trip," said CDFW Fisheries Branch Chief Jay Rowan.

"By giving access to information that other anglers have entered into CIRAS, people will be able to see what species are present, catch rates, size distributions, and the time of year others are out catching fish. CIRAS also provides an opportunity for anglers to contribute directly to scientific work at CDFW, which will help us better manage the lakes

and streams and improve

fishing opportunities."

The state uses fishing survey data submitted by anglers to inform management actions to protect fisheries and improve angling opportunities. These surveys collect data directly from anglers about the fish they catch (or don't catch).

Data collected from angler surveys can include the species of fish caught, general fishing location, and overall angling experience from a single fishing trip. This information can also serve as an alert for state scientists when more robust surveys are necessary. This new technology will complement, rather than replace, more intensive assessments conducted by trained staff.

The state encourages anglers fishing in California Department of Fish and Wildlife's North Central Region to contribute their catch information using this new platform. California Department of Fish and Wildlife's North Central Region encompasses all or parts of 17 counties, including Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Lake, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento (east of Interstate 5), San Joaquin, Sierra, Sutter, Yolo (north of Interstate 80), and Yuba.

# Mulumba Led the Nation in Rebounding



Sacramento City College News Release

season. Photo courtesy of Sacramento City College

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Congratulations to Sacramento City College sophomore Joyce Mulumba for leading the nation in rebounding for the 2024-2025 season!

during the regular season

Joyce Mulumba was the only player in the country to secure 500+ rebounds

of competition on any level of college basketball. This includes National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division-1, NCAA Division-2, NCAA Division-3, NAIA, NJCAA and 3C2A. Mulumba totaled an

astonishing 516 rebounds for the 2024-2025 season and reached the 1,000-rebound milestone for her young college career. Mulumba led the state

(3C2A) in rebounding consecutively for two years and the BIG-8 Conference at 18.4 rebounds per game for the 2024-2025 season.

Joyce Mulumba is the first player in program history at Sacramento City College to lead the nation in rebounding.

This means data on additional locations and fish species will be more accessible to the public than

Survey providing immediate utility for those