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Local Student's FFA Project Spotlited

By Abbey Wicks

GALT, CA (MPG) - Liberty Ranch student Madison Pauley recently had the opportunity to share her FFA project, The FFA Way, with the larger Sacramento region, appearing on the Aug. 8 segment of "Good Day Sacramento."

Pauley was inspired to create The FFA Way, an agricultural education podcast and media platform, because of her own experience in the program.

"The more involved I became, the more I realized how many people knew very little about agriculture or the opportunities available through FFA," Pauley said.

Through the podcast and its social media platforms, Pauley shares information about agriculture, FFA, leadership, careers and the many opportunities within the industry.

"My goal is to help people understand that agriculture is much more than farming; it is a complex industry that affects everyone, and everyone deserves the opportunity to learn about it."

Pauley hoped that by utilizing social media, she would be able teach others in her generation about agriculture. Without any

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Liberty Ranch student Madison Pauley recently shared her project, The FFA Way, on "Good Day Sacramento." Photo courtesy of Madison Pauley

Agency Announces New Liquor License Authorizations for Region



**Alcoholic Beverage
Control News Release**

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Paul Tupy, director of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC), announced authorization for the issuance of new on-sale general and off-sale general licenses and authorization for the intercounty transfer of on-sale general and off-sale general licenses for the following counties in the Sacramento region: El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento and Yolo.

From Sept. 14 through Sept. 25, applications for new original on-sale general and off-sale general licenses will be accepted at local ABC offices. During the same period, priority applications will be accepted for the intercounty transfer of on-sale general and off-sale general licenses, as authorized.

Only one priority application will be accepted from any one applicant per county for each type of license. A fee of \$19,840 is to be paid when filing an application for a new original general license and a fee of \$7,515 is to be paid when filing a priority application for the intercounty transfer of a general license.

If the number of applicants within a county for a particular type of license/transaction is equal to or less than the number of licenses available, all applicants will be notified that they have 90 days to complete a formal application for their specific premises.

If the department receives more applications than there are licenses available, a virtual drawing will be held. To participate in such a drawing, an applicant must have been a resident of California for at least 90 days prior to the date of the scheduled drawing. Successful drawing participants will be notified that they have 90 days to complete a formal application for their specific premises.

Additional application information and instructions will be made available on ABC's website. ★

Sac-Town Rodeo Supports Survivors of Fire



The Sept. 12-13 event at Cal Expo will bring together first responders, local businesses, rodeo fans and families from across the region for a high-energy competition and a celebration of Western culture. Photo courtesy of Sac-Town Rodeo

AMPLIFY 360 News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - When the Sac-Town Rodeo returns to Cal Expo on Sept. 12 and 13, it will bring two days of bull riding, bronc riding, Western tradition and family entertainment to Sacramento.

But beyond the arena action, the event carries a deeper purpose: supporting the Firefighters

Burn Institute, an organization born from one of the darkest tragedies in Sacramento's history and one that continues to serve burn survivors, families and injured firefighters across the region.

For many Sacramento residents, the Firefighters Burn Institute is a familiar name. Its origins, however, trace back more than five decades to a devastating day in 1972.

That year, a jet attempting to take off from Sacramento Executive Airport crashed into a crowded Farrell's Ice Cream Parlor. Twenty-three people were killed, and many others suffered serious burn injuries. Among those who died were Sacramento firefighter Gene LaVine and eight members of his family.

The scale of the tragedy exposed a critical

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Careers Take Flight at Mather

Destination Aviation gives students a hands-on look at aerospace and STEM careers



Princess Stoebe was one of four winners in the California Capital Airshow's 2026 Destination Aviation essay contest, earning an introductory flight. Photo courtesy of Mark E. Loper Photography



A student sits inside an aircraft exhibit during Destination Aviation on Aug. 22 at Mather Airport. Photo courtesy of Mark E. Loper Photography



Students explore hands-on aviation and STEM exhibits during Destination Aviation on Aug. 22 at Mather Airport. Photo courtesy of Mark E. Loper Photography

By Ornella Rossi

MATHER, CA (MPG) - Princess Stoebe had never flown an airplane before Saturday. By the time the Clarksville Charter School sophomore climbed out of the cockpit at Mather Airport, a long-time goal of becoming a U.S. Air Force fighter pilot had moved a little closer to reality.

Stoebe was one of four winners in the California Capital Airshow's 2026 Destination Aviation essay contest, earning an introductory flight before a free event that brought over 300 middle and high school students to Hangar 6 on Aug. 22 to explore careers in aviation, aerospace and science, technology, engineering and math.

"I was delighted when I found out I had won," Stoebe said. "It was my first time flying, so that was great. I've always wanted to get into aviation, but now it's made me even more determined."

Destination Aviation, part of the California Capital Airshow's year-round youth outreach, gave students ages 12 to 18 a chance to meet industry professionals, try flight simulators, examine aircraft and vehicles, and interact with working aerospace equipment and technology prototypes.

California Capital Airshow CEO Darcy Brewer said the program is designed to show students how broad aviation and aerospace careers have become and introduce them to jobs they may not yet know exist.

"If you can't see it, you can't be it," Brewer said.

Brewer said the organization has expanded its youth programming as technology has changed the industry, with students now learning about fields including drones, electric vertical takeoff aircraft, sustainable fuels, autonomous systems and artificial intelligence.

The event's panel included retired Air Force Col. Merryl Tengesdal, the first and only Black woman to pilot the U-2 reconnaissance aircraft; Skye Carapetyan of Siemens; Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory research scientist Michael Zelinski; and Sacramento City College Dean of Technology and Innovation Paul Estabrook.

Throughout the discussion, panelists emphasized that technical knowledge is only part of preparing for a career in aviation or STEM. They encouraged students to strengthen communication and interpersonal skills, maintain a positive attitude, arrive on time



Beyond the panel, students moved through exhibits featuring aircraft, simulators, equipment and technology. Photo courtesy of Mark E. Loper Photography

and build a foundation in subjects such as math and physics.

Panelists also urged students to begin building connections and gaining experience now by joining clubs or organizations with others who share their interests, attending events such as Destination Aviation and reaching out to professionals in fields they hope to pursue. They encouraged students not to be afraid to ask questions or seek help as they work toward their goals.

Sacramento County Supervisor Rosario Rodriguez told students that seeing those careers firsthand

can turn curiosity into a goal.

"It is one thing to watch an aircraft fly overhead," Rodriguez said. "It is another to stand beside it. Meet the people who fly it and maintain it and begin to imagine yourself doing the same thing."

Beyond the panel, students moved through exhibits featuring aircraft, simulators, equipment and technology while speaking directly with professionals about training, education and career opportunities.

For Stoebe's father, Alexander Stoebe, watching his daughter take her first flight demonstrated

the value of giving students that exposure.

"I'm very proud of her," he said. "It gives the kids the opportunity to start, get a feeling for it."

The California Capital Airshow has offered youth programs since 2010. Brewer said the free programs range from activities for elementary school students to internships and scholarships for older students.

The nonprofit's annual California Capital Airshow is scheduled for Oct. 10-11, with proceeds helping support its youth programs. ★

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gap in the region’s medical resources. At the time, Sacramento had limited access to specialized burn treatment, leaving patients and families facing a difficult and uncertain path to recovery.

Sacramento Fire Department Captain Cliff Haskell believed the community could not allow that need to go unanswered. Through his fundraising and advocacy, the Firefighters Burn Institute was established in 1973. The organization later worked with UC Davis Medical Center to help establish a regional burn center, providing specialized care closer to home for burn survivors throughout Sacramento and Northern California.

More than 50 years later, the Institute’s mission has expanded well beyond its founding goal.

Today, the Firefighters Burn Institute supports burn survivors and their families through recovery

programs, peer support, community reintegration and camps for young burn survivors. It also provides assistance to injured firefighters and their families while advancing burn prevention, public education and awareness throughout the region.

The work is personal for many of the firefighters, survivors and families connected to the organization. It is a mission rooted in a community’s response to loss, and sustained by a belief that people recovering from burn injuries should not have to navigate that journey alone.

That is where the Sac-Town Rodeo comes in.

The Sept. 12–13 event at Cal Expo will bring together first responders, local businesses, rodeo fans and families from across the region. While spectators can expect high-energy competition and a celebration of Western culture, the rodeo also gives the Sacramento community a chance to rally around an

organization whose impact reaches far beyond the event grounds.

Proceeds from the Sac-Town Rodeo will benefit the Firefighters Burn Institute and help sustain programs serving children, adults, families and firefighters affected by burn injuries.

For Sacramento, the rodeo represents more than an annual community gathering.

It is also a reminder of how a tragedy that devastated the city more than half a century ago led to lasting action, from improved specialized burn care to decades of support for survivors and their families.

As the Sac-Town Rodeo returns next month, it offers a timely opportunity to honor that history, celebrate the resilience of burn survivors and recognize the firefighters and community members who have carried the Firefighters Burn Institute’s mission forward for generations.

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Local Student’s FFA Project Spotlights



Madison Pauley said the opportunity to appear on “Good Day Sacramento” meant much more than just being on television. “It showed me how far a young person’s idea can go when they are willing to pursue it, and it gave me an even bigger platform to advocate for agricultural education.” Photo courtesy of Madison Pauley

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prior background or knowledge in the podcast industry, Pauley set about researching how to create her platform before launching the podcast on Spotify and YouTube.

“Outside of the podcast episodes, I would post on Instagram and TikTok,” Pauley said. “Quickly The FFA Way became much more than a podcast; it became a continuously growing social media platform.”

This mission eventually led to an opportunity Pauley never imagined: being invited to share The FFA Way and her story on “Good Day Sacramento.”

“Being able to go from a small town like Galt to live television was surreal,” she said. “I am a student who started a podcast because I wanted more people to understand agriculture, and suddenly I was sitting in a television studio preparing to share that message with an audience

across the Sacramento region. Looking around the studio, it was difficult not to think about how far the idea had come from where it started.”

Pauley said the opportunity to appear on “Good Day Sacramento” meant much more than just being on television.

“It showed me how far a young person’s idea can go when they are willing to pursue it, and it gave me an even bigger platform to advocate for agricultural education,” Pauley said.

“Not only that, but I feel so honored to have the opportunity to represent Liberty Ranch High School and the beautiful town of Galt. I know without their support, I would likely not have come as far as I have. I also want people to know that this is only the beginning of what I have planned.”

Pauley’s podcast, The FFA Way, can be found on Spotify and YouTube.

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Post 233 Family Breakfast – first Saturday each month at 9 a.m., Mimi's Café, Elk Grove.

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Kings Korner

By V.G. Harris

The Starting Lineup

By V.G. Harris

The official start of the NBA season is less than 60 days away, so do the Sacramento Kings have any idea what their starting lineup will look like?

After thoroughly disrespecting both Zach Lavine and Domantas Sabonis by constantly telling the listening world that neither of these players can play defense, and attempting to trade both to any team interested, it looks likely that both will be announced in the starting lineup opening night.

I have stated my disgust with the organization’s rhetoric as it relates to what either of these past all stars can’t do, and it’s about time to start beating the drum and telling the Sacramento faithful what they can do.

For starters, both Sabonis and Lavine are talented enough to start on 90% of the NBA teams today, and as for playing defense, it’s high time the coaching staff stood up and took a bow. Defense just doesn’t automatically happen, it has to be taught, and it appears that this coaching staff is short on teachers as to how NBA defense should be played.

The knock on Sabonis is largely without foundation, and although not a rim protector, Sabonis is a more than an adequate defender.

Bottom line is that Lavine has been thrown under the bus and never has Sacramento Kings fans stood for that type of coaching. Time to change the game plan, start appreciating what you have, and start coaching what you want to have.

As for the rest of the starting lineup, it would appear that alongside Sabonis and Lavine will be fifth year starter Keegan Murray, this year’s first round draft choice Darius Acuff Jr., and a player that the Sacramento fan base probably doesn’t recognize. His name is De’Andre Hunter and sadly played in only two games last season, after coming to the Kings by way of the Cleveland Cavaliers. Hunter sustained an eye injury that required surgery and sidelined him for the remainder of the 2025-26 season.

The good news is that Hunter has been reasonably durable over his career and played his first five seasons plus with the Atlanta Hawks. A career 14 per game scorer in the NBA,

Hunter was awarded the NABC defensive player of the year in his sophomore season with the Virginia Cavaliers while in college. That bodes well for a Kings team begging for defensive help.

The fourth pick overall in the 2019 draft, Hunter may have slightly underachieved his draft status thus far, but he is no stranger to the starting lineup, and Kings fans won’t get any deer in the headlights looks from newcomer De’Andre Hunter.

If in fact the starting lineup presents itself to be Sabonis, Lavine, Murray, Acuff and Hunter, there remain a couple of significant questions.

Number one can the Kings find a chemistry early with these five players and avoid injuries while they are learning to play together?

Does this coaching staff have the acumen to teach the defensive strategies that they are so good at giving lip service to? So far, I’ve nothing to lead me to believe coach Christie knows how to coach NBA defense but I’m open to being wrong and glad if I am.

Lastly, can the coaching staff develop an aggressive bench? This is not an insignificant thing. First and foremost, know the talent sitting on the bench and *develop it!*

Play Malik Monk and start giving him the respect he deserves.

After Monk my No. 1 concern is finding minutes for second round draft choice Emanuel Sharpe, who drafted 45th overall was an absolute steal in this year’s draft.

Leaving a stellar college career behind, Sharpe set the record for the Houston Cougar’s in three pointers made and was highly acclaimed for his high intensity defense and attack style offense. Play him!

Find minutes for first round draft choice Alex Karaban. Don’t waste valuable draft choices and send them to the G league.

Don’t look now but Ben Simmons was just in town for a workout, and I for one have absolutely no interest in an injury ridden player with a highly questionable interest in playing basketball. Please, take a pass on this guy and let’s pay more attention to the draft class that just entered the building.

Stay tuned Kings fans because anything can change between now and Oct. 20.

All the best! ★

California’s Budget Is So Convoluted That Even Experts Are Perplexed at What It Contains



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

There was a time, not too many years ago, when drafting and enacting California’s budgets was a fairly transparent and straightforward process.

The governor and legislators would agree on what revenues the state’s tax systems were likely to produce in the coming year and then dicker over how the money would be spent. There were disagreements, of course, particularly when Republicans had enough legislative seats to have a say in the outcome. But in the main, the voting public would have an understanding, through news coverage, of how their tax dollars were being spent.

It’s difficult to pinpoint exactly when the process became opaque and the budget became a hodge-podge of phantom revenues, accounting gimmicks and off-the-books loans. However, there has been a quantum leap in opacity and complexity during Gavin Newsom’s governorship, a consequence of having one political party so dominant that it’s completely insulated from accountability.

Newsom and legislators can – and do – spend billions of dollars more than revenues cover. They paper over the gaps with what they call “solutions,” then brag that their

budgets are balanced. The 2026-27 budget that was enacted in June, said to be \$351.7 billion (plus \$188 billion in federal funds), is the latest example. It’s so convoluted that the Legislature’s own budget adviser, Legislative Analyst Gabe Petek, and his staff of fiscal experts, are somewhat perplexed about what Newsom and legislators wrought. Petek says as much in a new breakdown of the budget. “In most years, we would describe the size of the budget problem (or budget surplus) the Legislature addressed (or allocated) and the mix of choices that make up that total. This year, neither framing fits the budget package as neatly,” Petek says.

He goes on to describe elements of the budget that seem contradictory, such as increasing spending that overshoots historically high revenues and depending on reserves and loans to cover the outgo while also placing more money into a new “surplus holding account.” Although the budget package includes some traditional budget solutions, “taken altogether, this makes the budget condition difficult to describe concisely,” Petek says. To rationalize the budget’s contents, Petek divides his analysis into “budget choices on both sides of the ledger,” one covering the spending side and the other on how the gap between income and outgo was closed.

Petek calculates that the budget “includes about \$14 billion in budget solutions” to close the gap, primarily tapping reserves and borrowing. The loan is accomplished by withholding \$3.9 billion in aid to local school systems mandated by the state constitution, money that must be eventually paid. However, Petek points out that that \$14 billion in “solutions” is less than the \$18.5 billion operating deficit Newsom’s administration estimates during the fiscal year, thus continuing the deficit spending that has marked all of Newsom’s second term budgets. They stem from Newsom’s 2022 declaration that the state had a \$97.5 surplus, due to mushrooming income tax revenues. That led to a sharp increase in spending, but the surplus turned out to be a mirage and the administration eventually acknowledged it overestimated revenues over four years by \$165 billion.

Petek’s analysis notes that the state has not maintained a cumulative account of how much money it owes from five years of covering operational deficits, but his staff has calculated the “wall of debt” at \$29.2 billion, including the \$3.9 billion in school aid being withheld this year. A jaundiced view of the ongoing deficits and the debt that’s been amassed to cover them might be that they are Newsom’s training to become president, given the federal governments chronic deficits and its \$40 trillion national debt. Dan Walters is one of the 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. ★

Social Security Matters

Will Social Security Run Out of Money Soon?



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: I’m concerned about Social Security running out of funding, since I rely on it for my income and I’m at an age where my having to go back to work is not an option I can consider. The job market for people my age is slim. I’ve been reading reports and it doesn’t sound reassuring. Your thoughts? **Signed: Concerned Senior**

Dear Concerned Senior: Thanks for sharing your concerns. This topic is a fairly complicated one, but I’ll do my best to explain it.

Social Security income (from payroll taxes, interest on reserves, and income tax on SS benefits) has been insufficient to pay 100% of SS benefit obligations since about 2020. Since that time, SS has been drawing money from the Social Security Trust Fund reserves to pay full monthly benefits to everyone. In 2020, there was nearly \$3 trillion in SS reserves held in the

SS Trust Funds, but as of the end of 2025, those reserves have dwindled to about \$2.56 trillion because they are being used to pay full SS benefits to all. Without program reform, the SS trust funds will be fully depleted in 2032, which would result in an across-the-board cut of about 22% to everyone’s monthly SS payment. And that would be devastating to millions of Americans!

However, Congress is acutely aware of this issue; they have been for years but have largely ignored previous warnings. Now, however, those predicted benefit cuts are dangerously close to becoming a reality. As a result, we are beginning to see serious (even bipartisan) discussions in Congress about reforming Social Security to restore it to solvency to avoid future benefit cuts.

For our part, AMAC and the AMAC Foundation have been working on a proposal to restore SS to full solvency for generations, and we have offered our proposal to various Congressional Representatives and to the SSA Commissioner and his executive staff. Our proposal has been well received, and we are very optimistic that Congress will finally take real action to

restore SS to solvency to avoid any benefit cuts. Frankly, doing otherwise would amount to political suicide!

At AMAC, we are closely monitoring this situation and are very proactive in Washington, D.C. to ensure that benefits are not cut in 2032, and we will continue our vigorous efforts and our vigilance to avoid Social Security insolvency. We are confident that Congress will act in time to avoid any reduction in SS benefits, and you can stay informed of our efforts by watching our AMAC Social Security information website – www.socialsecurityreport.org.

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We have met the enemy -- and it is watching us. There’s a growing backlash against Flock cameras, the automated license plate readers that have become ubiquitous across the country.

The cameras take images of license plates, which are then stored in a searchable database that police departments can query in the course of investigations. Opponents of the cameras consider them an instrument of Big Brother, who’s not only watching, but constantly recording and tracking. Vandals have disabled and stolen the Flock cameras and even shot them. There’s a movement to get jurisdictions to cancel their contracts with Flock (the leading such company, but not the only one), and it has met with some success.

Los Angeles just let its contract with Flock lapse, citing “serious concerns around civil liberties and civil rights issues.” There’s a reason, though, that police departments so rapidly adopted the cameras -- they are an extremely useful investigative tool.

It is certainly true that the technology, like any power we give the police, can be misused. According to The Washington Post, “Authorities have charged or accused at least 50 law-enforcement officers of using license-plate readers for unauthorized purposes, including to stalk their exes.” The Post calls the abuse “rampant,” but 50 documented cases

Don’t Fear Flock Cameras

isn’t a large number given the widespread use of these devices: There are 120,000 Flock cameras across the United States scanning license plates 20 billion times a month.

It is understandable that people don’t like the idea that they are, in effect, living in a panopticon. But license plate readers aren’t the only offender. There are all sorts of other surveillance cameras, many of them privately owned and operated, that the police access during investigations. We let our mobile phones and various apps track us all day long. And something like 60 million households have Ring or other security cameras that record what’s happening on their property and often in the immediate surroundings.

The only reliable way to ensure that you aren’t being recorded is to stay inside -- and draw the curtains. Officers who abuse the license-plate readers deserve to be fired and, if appropriate, charged with crimes, which is often what happens. Strict rules around what constitutes a legitimate query of the system and routine audits should make it harder for rogue officers to use the cameras for nefarious purposes.

The police officials who are advocating for Flock aren’t doing it so the cops can track the average person’s trip to the grocery store or yoga studio. The cameras routinely aid in the identification and apprehension of the perpetrators of serious crimes, the location of missing persons and the recovery of stolen cars.

According to the Jack-

sonville, Florida, sheriff’s office, since 2024, the cameras have “helped solve 15 murders, 17 kidnappings, six forcible sex offenses, nearly 100 shootings and 172 missing-persons cases.”

A website set up by Charles Lehman of the Manhattan Institute is tracking news items about Flock contributing to successful police work. There are such stories every day, all over the country. Two recent entries related the arrest of an armed robbery suspect in Grass Valley, California, and the rescue of two kidnapped teenage girls in Bulloch County, Georgia. After getting a tip, the authorities used Flock to find the suspect in the Brown University shooting last year.

Perhaps these crimes would get solved anyway, but if even a fraction of them didn’t, Flock would be making a meaningful contribution to public safety. It used to be that America had, in effect, ungoverned spaces where malefactors could hide in plain sight. To use an extreme example, the Symbionese Liberation Army operated for a couple of years out of various safe houses in the San Francisco Bay area during the 1970s, something almost unimaginable in our technologically advanced age of constant information sharing.

Rolling back Flock won’t reverse this tectonic change that’s been decades in the making, but it will deny law enforcement a valuable asset.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review. (c) 2026 by King Features Synd., Inc. ★

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENTS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT FBNF2026-06077
Ramon Arturo Flores Guzman,
13522 Alabama Road, Galt, CA
95632 is doing business under the
Fictitious Business Name(s)
"Turn Key Property Services"
13522 Alabama Road, Galt,
CA 95632. Filed with the Clerk
of Sacramento County July 31,
2026
Publish: August 14, 21, 28,
Sept 4, 2026
TURN 9-4-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT FBNF2026-06050
Angeles Industries LLC, 588
Barsetti Court, Galt, CA 95632
is doing business under the
Fictitious Business Name(s)
"HaulWerkz" 588 Barsetti Court,
Galt, CA 95632. Filed with the
Clerk of Sacramento County July
31, 2026
Publish: August 28, Sept 4,
11, 18, 2026
HAULWERKZ 9-18-26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT FBNF2026-06541
Jason Saechao, 411 5th Street,
Galt, CA 95632 is doing busi-
ness under the Fictitious
Business Name(s) "Jason Made
Me Do It" 411 5th Street, Galt,
CA 95632. Filed with the Clerk
of Sacramento County August
21, 2026
Publish: September 4, 11, 18, 25, 2026
JASON 9-25-26

ORDER TO SHOW FOR
CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF
CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#26CV018747

Joseph Uday Soman has filed a
petition with this court for a de-
cree changing the name(s) of
Joseph Uday Soman to Joseph
Uday-Soman Smith.

IT IS ORDERED that all per-
sons interested in the above-en-
titled matter appear before this
court on April 12, 2027, at 1:30
p.m. in Department 8D, located
at 500 G Street, Sacramento, CA
95814, and show cause, if any,
why the petition for Change of
Name should not be granted.
Dated: August 6, 2026
Julie G. Yap, Judge of the
Superior Court
Publish: August 14, 21, 28, Sept
4, 2026
SOMAN 9-4-26

SUPERIOR COURT OF
CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
CHANGE OF NAME
#26CV014417

Marisa Jasmin Desmond has
filed a petition with this court for
a decree changing the name(s)
of Isaac Miguel Vasquez to
Isaac Miguel Desmond Vega
and IxChel Estrella Vasquez to
IxChel Estrella Desmond Vega.

IT IS ORDERED that all per-
sons interested in the above-en-
titled matter appear before this
court on January 11, 2027,
at 1:30 p.m. in Department
8D, located at 500 G Street,
Sacramento, CA 95814, and
show cause, if any, why the pe-
tition for Change of Name should
not be granted.
Dated: June 12, 2026
Julie G. Yap, Judge of the
Superior Court
Publish: August 28, Sept 4, 11,
18, 2026
DESMOND 9-18-26

NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
BONNIE JO ROCKWELL
CASE NO. 26PR002329
To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-
tors, and contingent creditors
of and persons who may be
otherwise interested in the will
or estate, or both, of Bonnie Jo
Rockwell.

A Petition for Probate has
been filed by Gary Lee Lane, in
the Superior Court of California,
County of Sacramento, request-
ing Gary Lee Lane be appointed
as personal representative(s)
to administer the estate of the
decendent.

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

A hearing on the petition will
be held in this court as follows
September 30, 2026, 9:00
a.m. in Dept 126; Superior
Court of California, County
of Sacramento, William R.
Ridgeway Family Relations
Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn
Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-
ing of the petition, you should
appear at the hearing and state
your objections or file written ob-
jections with the court before the
hearing. Your appearance may
be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or
a contingent creditor of the de-
ceased, you must file your claim
with the court and mail a copy
to the personal representative

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

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file
kept by the court. If you are in-
terested in the estate, you may
file with the court a Request for
Special Notice (form DE-154) of
the filing of an inventory and ap-
praisal of estate assets or of any
petition or account as provided
in Probate Code section 1250. A
Request for Special Notice form
is available from the court clerk.
The name, address and tele-
phone number of the Attorney for
Petitioner is: Shaun Culbreath,
345 E. Channel Street, Stockton,
CA 95202; 209-425-1974
Publish: August 28, Sept 4, 11,
2026
ROCKWELL 9-11-26

LIEN SALE

LIEN SALE 9/17/26 9AM
AT 10375 LIVE OAK AVE, GALT
17 FORD LIC# 0833AMD KS
VIN# 1FAHP2D8XHG137028
THE GALT HERALD 9-4-26

TRUSTEE SALE

APN: 148-0270-037-0000 TS
No: CA07000377-26-1 TO
No: 101-10849322 NOTICE
OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The
above statement is made pur-
suant to CA Civil Code Section
2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will
be provided to Trustor(s) and/
or vested owner(s) only, pur-
suant to CA Civil Code Section
2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN
DEFAULT UNDER A DEED
OF TRUST DATED February
19, 2016. UNLESS YOU TAKE
ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR
PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD
AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU
NEED AN EXPLANATION
OF THE NATURE OF THE
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST
YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT
A LAWYER. On October 6, 2026
at 09:30 AM, in the courtyard
of the Sacramento City Hall lo-
cated at 915 I St, Sacramento
CA 95818, 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 March 1,
2016 in Book 20160301, on
Page 1481 of official records
in the Office of the Recorder of
Sacramento County, California,
executed by JAMES ICE
AND ETHEL ICE, HUSBAND
AND WIFE AS COMMUNITY
PROPERTY WITH RIGHT OF
SURVIVORSHIP, as Trustor(s),
in favor of MORTGAGE
ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION
SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary,
as nominee for AMERICAN
ADVISORS GROUP 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 prop-
erty heretofore described is being
sold "as is". The street address
and other common designation,
if any, of the real property de-
scribed above is purported to be:
201 DOVER DRIVE, GALT, CA
95632 The undersigned Trustee
disclaims any liability for any in-
correctness of the street address
and other common designation,
if any, shown herein. Said sale
will be made without covenant
or warranty, express or implied,
regarding title, possession, or
encumbrances, to pay the re-
maining principal sum of the
Note(s) secured by said Deed
of Trust, with interest thereon,
as provided in said Note(s), ad-
vances 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 se-
cured 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 \$241,951.33
(Estimated). However, prepay-
ment 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 asso-
ciation, savings association or
savings bank specified in Section
5102 of the California Financial
Code and authorized to do busi-
ness 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 issu-
ance of the Trustee's Deed Upon
Sale until funds become avail-
able to the payee or endorsee
as a matter of right. The prop-
erty 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 success-
ful 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 con-
sidering 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 prop-
erty itself. Placing the highest bid
at a Trustee auction does not au-
tomatically 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 con-
tacting the county recorder's of-
fice or a title insurance company,
either of which may charge you
a fee for this information. If you
consult either of these resourc-
es, 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 avail-
able 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.insourcelogic.com
or call In Source Logic LLC at
702-659-7766 for information
regarding the Trustee's Sale for
information regarding the sale
of this property, using the file
number assigned to this case,
CA07000377-26-1. Information
about postponements that are
very short in duration or that oc-
cur close in time to the scheduled
sale may not immediately be re-
flected in the telephone infor-
mation or on the Internet Website.
The best way to verify postpone-
ment information is to attend
the scheduled sale. Notice to
Tenant NOTICE TO TENANT
FOR FORECLOSURES AFTER
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 702-659-7766, or visit
this internet website www.insourcelogic.com, using the file
number assigned to this case
CA07000377-26-1 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 "eli-
gible bidder," you should consider
contacting an attorney or appro-
priate real estate professional
immediately for advice regarding
this potential right to purchase.
Effective March 1, 2026, new
federal regulations (89 Fed. Reg.
70.258) may impact residential
real property (1-4 residential
units) title transfers to covered
entities trusts, with reporting
requirements unless exempt.
[https://www.federalregister.gov/
documents/2024/08/29/2024-
19198/anti-money-laundering-regu-
lations-for-residential-real-estate-
transfers](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/08/29/2024-19198/anti-money-laundering-regulations-for-residential-real-estate-transfers) Date: August
10, 2026 MTC Financial Inc.
dba Trustee Corps TS No.
CA07000377-26-1 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.insourcelogic.com
FOR AUTOMATED SALES
INFORMATION PLEASE
CALL: In Source Logic LLC AT
702-659-7766 Order Number
127442, Pub Dates: 08/21/2026,
08/28/2026, 09/04/2026
THE GALT HERALD 9-4-26

T.S. No.: 2026-21936-
CA APN: 148-1220-
068-0000 Property Address:
918 KATSURA STREET,
GALT, CA 95632NOTICE
OF TRUSTEE'S SALEYOU
ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER
A DEED OF TRUST DATED
4/28/2025. UNLESS YOU
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.A public auction sale
to the highest bidder for cash, ca-
shier's check drawn on a state or
national bank, check drawn by
a 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

of the Financial Code and autho-
rized to do business in this state
will be held by the duly appoint-
ed trustee as shown below, of all
right, title, and interest conveyed
to and now held by the trust-
ee in the hereinafter described
property under and pursuant to
a Deed of Trust described be-
low. The sale will be made, but
without covenant or warranty,
expressed or implied, regarding
title, possession, or encumbranc-
es, 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), advanc-
es, 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: PAUL
S BARREDO AND MARY
ANN C HUET, HUSBAND AND
WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS
Duly Appointed Trustee: Nestor
Solutions, LLC Deed of
Trust Recorded 4/29/2025 as
Instrument No. 202504290926
in Book -- Page -- of
Official Records in the office of the
Recorder of Sacramento
County, California Date of Sale:
9/24/2026 at 1:00 PM Place of
Sale: At the main entrance to
the County Courthouse, 720
9th Street, Sacramento, CA
95814Amount of unpaid balance
and other charges: \$515,978.17
Street Address or other common
designation of real property: 918
KATSURA STREETGALT, CA
95632A.P.N.: 148-1220-068-
0000The undersigned Trustee
disclaims any liability for any in-
correctness of the street address
or other common designation, if
any, shown above. If no street
address or other common desig-
nation is shown, directions
to the location of the property
may be obtained by sending a
written request to the beneficia-
ry within 10 days of the date of
first publication of this Notice of
Sale.NOTICE TO POTENTIAL
BIDDERS: If you are consider-
ing bidding on this property lien,
you should understand that there
are risks involved in bidding at a
trustee auction. You will be bid-
ding on a lien, not on the property
itself. Placing the highest bid at
a trustee auction does not auto-
matically entitle you to free and
clear ownership of the property.
You should also be aware that
the lien being auctioned off may
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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 con-
tacting the county recorder's of-
fice or a title insurance company,
either of which may charge you
a fee for this information. If you
consult either of these resourc-
es, you should be aware that the
same lender may hold more than
one mortgage or deed of trust on
the property. Please be advised
that the highest bidder ("purchas-
er") at this trustee's sale may be
required to provide information,
documentation and/or certifica-
tion as mandated by applicable
federal law, and entity and trust
purchaser should be prepared
to provide beneficial owner-
ship information as required by
federal reporting requirements
effective for transfers of resi-
dential real property to covered
transferees on or after March 1,
2026. If applicable, the required
information must be provided
to the trustee before a trustee's
deed will be issued for covered
transfers. Additional informa-
tion regarding these regulations
and the required transferee in-
formation and certifications can
be found at [https://www.feder-
alregister.gov/documents/2024
/08/29/2024-19198/anti-
money-laundering-regula-
tions-for-residential-real-es-
tate-transfers](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/08/29/2024-19198/anti-money-laundering-regulations-for-residential-real-estate-transfers) and [https://
www.fincen.gov/irre-faqs#D_5](https://www.fincen.gov/irre-faqs#D_5).
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 avail-
able 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 or (888) 902-3989 or visit
these internet websites or [www.
nestortrustee.com](http://www.nestortrustee.com), using the file
number assigned to this case
2026-21936-CA. Information
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cur close in time to the scheduled
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the trustee auction pursuant to
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gible tenant buyer," you can pur-
chase 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 exercis-

ing this right of purchase. First, 48
hours after the date of the trustee
sale, you can call or (888) 902-
3989 or visit these internet web-
sites or www.nestortrustee.com,
using the file number assigned to
this case 2026-21936-CA to
find the date on which the trust-
ee'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: 8/7/2026
Nestor Solutions, LLC214 5th
Street, Suite 205Huntington
Beach, California 92648Sale
Line: (888) 902-3989 Amanda
Guillen, Trustee Sale
OfficerThis communication is
from a debt collector. It is an
attempt to collect a debt, and
any information obtained will be
used for that purpose. If you are
a California resident, you may
have additional rights under the
Rosenthal Fair Debt Collection
Practices Act. You may request,
in writing, detailed information
about your debt, including the
balance, interest, fees, assign-
ment history, and date of delin-
quency, at no cost to you. If
you are currently in bankruptcy
or have received a discharge in
bankruptcy, this communication
is not an attempt to collect a debt.
It is for informational purposes
only. EPP 48915 Pub Dates
08/21, 08/28, 9/4/2026
THE GALT HERALD 09-04-2026

T.S. No.: 25-17520 Loan
No.: *****0003 APN: 150-
0560-002-0000 NOTICE OF
TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU
ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER
A DEED OF TRUST DATED
12/23/2005. UNLESS YOU
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
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bank specified in Section 5102
of the Financial Code and autho-
rized to do business in this state
will be held by the duly appoint-
ed trustee as shown below, of all
right, title, and interest conveyed
to and now held by the trust-
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expressed or implied, regarding
title, possession, or encumbranc-
es, 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), ad-
vances, 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 pub-
lication of the Notice of Sale)
reasonably estimated to be set
forth below. The amount may
be greater on the day of sale.
Trustor: MARILYN DWYER AN
UNMARRIED WOMAN Duly
Appointed Trustee: Prestige
Default Services, LLC Recorded
12/29/2005 as Instrument No. in
book 20051229, page 1439 of
Official Records in the office of
the Recorder of Sacramento
County, California, Date of Sale:
9/22/2026 at 9:30 AM Place of
Sale: Outside the
south-facing exit of Sacramento
City Hall, in the courtyard at
916 H Street, Sacramento, CA
95814Amount of unpaid balance
and other charges: \$431,019.17
Street Address or other common
designation of real property:745
Ashboro Ln Galt, CA 95632
A.P.N.: 150-0560-002-0000 The
undersigned Trustee disclaims
any liability for any incorrect-
ness of the street address or
other common designation, if
any, shown above. If no street
address or other common desig-
nation is shown, directions
to the location of the property
may be obtained by sending a
written request to the beneficia-
ry within 10 days of the date of
first publication of this Notice of
Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL
BIDDERS: If you are consider-
ing bidding on this property lien,
you should understand that there
are risks involved in bidding at a
trustee auction. You will be bid-
ding on a lien, not on the property
itself. Placing the highest bid at
a trustee auction does not auto-
matically 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 con-
tacting the county recorder's of-
fice or a title insurance company,
either of which may charge you
a fee for this information. If you
consult either of these resourc-
es, you should be aware that the

same lender may hold more than
one mortgage or deed of trust on
the property. All checks payable
to Prestige Default Services,
LLC. 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 avail-
able 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 (949) 776-4697 or visit this
Internet Website [https://prestige-
postandpub.com](https://prestige-postandpub.com), using the file
number assigned to this case 25-
17520. Information about post-
ponements that are very short
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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 (949) 776-4697, or vis-
it this internet website [https://
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case 25-17520 to find the date
on which the trustee's sale was
held, the amount of the last and
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the trustee. Second, you must
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gible bidder," you should consider
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priate real estate professional
immediately for advice regarding
this potential right to purchase.
Date: 8/18/2026 Prestige
Default Services, LLC 1920 Old
Tustin Ave. Santa Ana, California
92705 Questions: 949-427-
2010 Sale Line: (949) 776-4697
Martha Nuno, Sr. Foreclosure
Coordinator PPP #26-009098
Published 8/28/2026, 9/4/2026,
9/11/2026
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APN: 150-0041-029-0000 TS
No: CA06000060-26-1 TO No:
260167836-CA-VOI NOTICE
OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The
above statement is made pur-
suant to CA Civil Code Section
2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will
be provided to Trustor(s) and/
or vested owner(s) only, pur-
suant to CA Civil Code Section
2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN
DEFAULT UNDER A DEED
OF TRUST DATED June 5,
2024. UNLESS YOU TAKE
ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR
PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD
AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU
NEED AN EXPLANATION
OF THE NATURE OF THE
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST
YOU, YOU SHOULD
CONTACT A LAWYER. On
October 6, 2026 at 09:30 AM, in
the courtyard of the Sacramento
City Hall located at 915 I St,
Sacramento CA 95818, MTC
Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps,
as the duly Appointed Trustee,
under and pursuant to the pow-
er of sale contained in that cer-
tain Deed of Trust recorded
on June 7, 2024 as Instrument
No. 202406070362, of official
records in the Office of the
Recorder of Sacramento County,
California, executed by DANIEL
AGUILARCEDENO, A SINGLE
MAN, as Trustor(s), in favor of
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC., as Beneficiary, as nominee
for FAIRWAY INDEPENDENT
MORTGAGE CORPORATION 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 prop-
erty heretofore described is being
sold "as is". The street address
and other common designation,
if any, of the real property de-
scribed above is purported to be:
603 N LINCOLN WAY, GALT,
CA 95632-8601 The under-
signed Trustee disclaims any li-
ability for any incorrectness of
the street address and other com-
mon designation, if any, shown
herein. Said sale will be made
without covenant or warranty, ex-
press 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

POLICE LOGS

During the time period of Aug. 25 to Aug. 31, Galt Police received and responded to a variety of calls, resulting in 10 arrests.			
Aug. 25	10:14 p.m., Drunk & Disorderly Person/ Adult Arrest, 5th Street/C Street.	2:14 p.m., Theft reported, Liberty Ranch High School: Stolen scooter; reporting party declined report.	11:08 p.m., Warrant Served/Adult Arrest, Fairway Drive/Caroline Avenue.
Aug. 26	12:31a.m., Warrant Served/Adult Arrest, West Stockton Boulevard/Twin Cities Road.	Aug. 27	Aug. 28
		6:04 a.m., Theft reported, Hogan Road: Truck broken into, miscellaneous items taken.	11:19 a.m., Identity Theft reported, Chloe Court: Charges on credit card that were not authorized.
		4:03 p.m., Recovered Stolen Vehicle, Simmerhorn Road/Highway 99 Northbound.	Aug. 29
		8:15 p.m., Trespassing/Adult Arrest, Pestana Drive.	7:08 p.m., Warrant Served/Adult Arrest, Boessow Road/Marengo Road.
			9:56 p.m., Warrant Served/Adult Arrest, Little Caesars Pizza, C Street.
			Aug. 30
			12:23 a.m., Domestic Violence/Adult Arrest, Occurred on Elk Hills Drive.
			Aug. 31
			12:58 a.m., Pursuit/Adult Arrest, Twin Cities Road/McKenzie Road.
			4:04 p.m., Fraud reported, Prairie Court.
			6:06 p.m., DUI/Adult Arrest, Emerald Oak Drive.

MEETING MINDERS

Friday, Sept. 4	Galt Sunrise Rotary, 7 a.m., Comfort Inn & Suites, 10380 Twin Cities Road, 209-745-6617.	Lodi; 209-269-1080 or 209-329-1185.	Galt Planning Commission, 6 p.m., Council Chambers, 380 Civic Drive.	Drive.	Arcohe School Board, 7 p.m., Media Center (East Campus), 11715 Ivie Road, Herald, 209-748-2313.
Sunday, Sept. 6	Galt 4-H Club meeting, 3 p.m., at either Barbara Payne Community Garden or Grange Hall (depending on weather); see Facebook page GALT 4-H or email galt4h@gmail.com.	Galt Youth Commission, 6:30 p.m., Council Chambers, 380 Civic Drive.	Friday, Sept. 11	Wednesday, Sept. 16	Galt High School Board, 6 p.m., Council Chambers, 380 Civic Drive.
		Wednesday, Sept. 9	Galt Sunrise Rotary, 7 a.m., Comfort Inn & Suites, 10380 Twin Cities Road, 209-745-6617.	Cosumnes CSD, 5:30 p.m., Elk Grove CSD boardroom, 8820 Elk Grove Blvd., Elk Grove.	Friday, Sept. 18
		Arcohe School Board, 7 p.m., Media Center (East Campus), 11715 Ivie Road, Herald, 209-748-2313.	Saturday, Sept. 12	Galt Elementary School Board, 7 p.m., City Hall, 380 Civic Drive, 209-745-4545.	Galt Sunrise Rotary, 7 a.m., Comfort Inn & Suites, 10380 Twin Cities Road, 209-745-6617.
		Thursday, Sept. 10	Kiwanis Club of Galt, 8:30 a.m., Comfort Inn, 10380 Twin Cities Road. For more information, visit k13878.site.kiwanis.org/contact.	Thursday, Sept. 17	Friday, Sept. 25
		Lockeford Community Services District Board of Directors, 9 a.m., Old School House, 19456 N. Jack Tone Road.	Tuesday, Sept. 15	Galt Beautification Committee, 10 a.m., Community Development Dept., 495 Industrial Drive, 209-366-7130.	Galt Sunrise Rotary, 7 a.m., Comfort Inn & Suites, 10380 Twin Cities Road, 209-745-6617.
Monday, Sept. 7	Lodi Parkinson’s Support Group, 10 a.m., GracePoint Church, 801 Lower Sacramento Road (enter off Tokay Street),		Galt City Council, 6 p.m., Council Chambers, 380 Civic	Herald Fire Protection District, 6 p.m., Station 87, 12746 Ivie Road, 209-748-2322.	

Legal Advertising
916-483-0946

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TRUSTEE SALE

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 \$530,498.93 (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 payee 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

wittle 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.insourcelogic.com or call In Source Logic LLC at 702-659-7766 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA06000060-26-1. 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

FOR FORECLOSURES AFTER 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 702-659-7766, or visit this internet website www.insourcelogic.com, using the file number assigned to this case CA06000060-26-1 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. Effective March 1, 2026, new federal regulations (89 Fed. Reg. 70.258) may impact residential real property (1-4 residential units) title transfers to covered entities trusts, with reporting requirements unless exempt. https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/08/29/2024-19198/anti-money-laundering-regulations-for-residential-real-estate-transfers Date: August 17, 2026 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA06000060-26-1 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.insourcelogic.com FOR AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: In Source Logic LLC AT 702-659-7766 Order Number 127629, Pub Dates: 08/28/2026, 09/04/2026, 09/11/2026 THE GALT HERALD 9-11-26

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 24-00378-2FNT ARN 152-0190-022-0000,152-0190-023-000 Loan No: O'Hara NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will not be recorded pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(a). It will be mailed to the 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 AND ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS DATED AUGUST 29, 2023. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On September 22, 2026, at 09:30 AM, in the Courtyard of Sacramento City Hall, located at 915 I St, Sacramento, CA 95814, FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE COMPANY, as the duly appointed Trustee (the "Trustee"), under and pursuant to the power

of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust and Assignment of Rents recorded on September 1, 2023, as Instrument No. 202309010311 of official records in the office of the Recorder of Sacramento County, CA, executed by: Sean O'Hara and Rebecca O'Hara, husband and wife, as Joint Tenants, as Trustor (the "Trustor"), in favor of Anthony Bilich and Angela Bilich (who are identified in the subject Deed of Trust as Anthony and Angela Bilich), husband and wife, as Joint Tenants, as Beneficiary, and any modifications thereto are collectively referred to herein from time to time as the "Deed of Trust", 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: Lots 173 and 180, as shown on the Plat of Central California Traction Colony No. 1, filed June 22,1911, in the Office of the Sacramento County Recorder, California, in Book 12 of Maps, Map No. 23, records of said County. 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 call 1.866.684.2727 or visit this Internet Website www.servicelinkasap.com. using the file number assigned to this case 24-00378-2FNT. 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 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 1.866.684.2727, or visit this internet website www.servicelinkasap.com. using the file number assigned to this case 24-00378-2FNT 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. The real 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: 11499 Simmerhorn Road and Renke Road, Galt, CA 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 without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining unpaid balance of the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust (together with any modifications thereto). 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 \$794,372.40 (Estimated), provided, 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 payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The Property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the Property receiver, if applicable. DATE: August 19, 2026 FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE COMPANY, TRUSTEE 24-00378-2FNT 5170 Golden Foothill Parkway, Suite 130 El Dorado Hills, CA 95762 916-636-0114 Lindsay Lopez, Authorized Signor SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.servicelinkasap.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 1.866.684.2727 A-4884809 Publish 08/28/2026, 09/04/2026, 09/11/2026 THE GALT HERALD 9-11-2026

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY TO THE CITY OF GALT COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2020-1 (PUBLIC SERVICES) (ANNEXATION NO. 11, ELLIOTT RANCH)

Notice is hereby given that the Galt City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the date and time indicated below, or as soon thereafter that the matter can be heard, to receive and consider all evidence and reports relative to the application described herein. The City Council will take action on the Project.

PROJECT TITLE: Annexation No. 11 (Elliot Homes Unit 1) to the Community Facilities District No. 2020-1 (Elliot Ranch)

PROJECT LOCATION: The annexation area is 2 parcels that is a portion of the Elliott Ranch project along the north side of Boessow Road, south side of Simmerhorn Road, west of Marengo Road and east of Crystal Way in the southeast portion of the City of Galt.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The City Council will conduct a public hearing with the following recommendations:

1. Conduct public hearing.

2. Approve resolution of the City Council of the City of Galt, California, calling a Special Election and submitting to the qualified electors of territory proposed to be annexed to the City of Galt Community Facilities District No. 2020-1 (Public Services), County of Sacramento, State of California, the question of levying special taxes within that Territory (Annexation No. 11 Elliott Ranch).

4. Conduct election.

5. Approve resolution of the City Council of the City of Galt, acting in its capacity as the legislative body of City of Galt Community Facilities District No. 2020-1 (Public Services), County of Sacramento, State of California, declaring the results of a special election in such Community Facilities District on the proposition of the annual levy of special taxes within the territory proposed to be annexed to said Community Facilities District to pay the cost of certain services to be provided by the Community Facilities District, determining that the territory proposed to be annexed is added to and part of said Community Facilities District with full legal effect, and ordering the recording of a map of the boundaries of said Community Facilities District including the territory annexed thereto (Annexation No. 11 Elliott Ranch).

6. Conduct a first reading of the Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Galt authorizing the levy of special taxes in Community Facilities District, including certain annexation territory identified as Annexation No. 11 (Elliott Ranch) into City of Galt Community Facilities District No. 2020-1 (Public Services) to complete the annexation of the property to the Community Facilities District.

PROPERTY OWNER: Sunset Tartesso, Inc, an Arizona corporation
340 Palladio Parkway Suite 521
Folsom, CA 95630

CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING:

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, October 06, 2026, 6:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter that the matter can be heard.

Email public comments to the City Clerk at pubcom@cityofgalt.org. If you have issues submitting a written public comment via any of these delivery options or have further questions about the hearing or the proposed project, please contact Fritz Buchman at publicworks@cityofgalt.org or 209-366-7260.

NOTICE REGARDING CHALLENGES TO DECISIONS
Pursuant to all applicable laws and regulations, including without limitation, California Government Sections 65009, 66020, and/or California Public Resources Code Section 21177, if you wish to challenge in court any of the above decisions (regarding planning, zoning and/or environmental decisions), you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing(s) described in this notice/agenda, or in written correspondence delivered to the city at, or prior to, this public hearing.

Dated: August 18, 2026

\\s\\ Fritz Buchman
Fritz Buchman, C.E., T.E., CFM
Public Works Director

s\\Tina Hubert
Tina Hubert, City Clerk

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Sunshine Food Pantry Donations
Sunshine Food Pantry is a food closet that helps provide for residents. Collections of canned food and dry good nonperishable items are received at United Methodist Church, 571 C St. in Galt; call to make an appointment for donations at 209-745-4133. The food closet is open from 7:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

Senior Bingo Weekly
The Galt Commission on Aging is hosting free Senior Bingo games at the Chabolla Community Center at 600 Chabolla Ave. from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Mondays (except holidays and when required by the city). Seniors of Galt and its immediate vicinity are invited to have fun and play bingo together and socialize.

Nominate Your Neighbor
The Galt Beautification Committee wants you to

“nominate your neighbor.” Has your neighbor recently completed a yard project? Does your neighbor have the best flowers in town or the best-looking yard? The Galt Beautification Committee wants to know. Send an email with pictures and why you are nominating your neighbor to planningdivision@cityofgalt.org. The best submissions will be included in future newsletters and City Manager Updates.

Recycle Household Batteries
City of Galt residents can recycle their household batteries in one of two green household-battery recycling bins: on the west side at the front entrance to the Galt Police Department or on the east side at Galt Community Park, just west of the fire station. The green bin is only for dry-cell household batteries. For additional information, contact the Public Works Department at

209-366-7260.

TOPS Weekly Meetings
TOPS, Taking Off Pounds Sensibly, meets every Wednesday at Grace Presbyterian Church, 10 N. Mills Ave., Lodi. Meeting time: 10-10:45 a.m. Weigh-ins: 9-9:50 a.m. No charge for first meeting.

Volunteers Sought for Senior Resource Center
The Commission on Aging is looking for volunteers to operate a computer and are willing to answer questions from seniors in person, over the phone, on social media and by email at the Galt Senior Resource Center. Volunteer slots are available in two-hour increments for up to four hours from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, excluding holidays. Volunteers will be trained and can contact commission members with questions. The resource center is at the Chabolla Community

Center, 600 Chabolla Ave. If interested, call 209-294-3308 and leave a message or inquire in person.

Square Dance Classes Mondays
The Diamond Dancers Square Dance Club hosts social square-dancing classes in Galt. The classes are open to everyone and are held from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays at the Valley Oaks Grange Hall. The Valley Oaks Grange Hall is at 347 Fifth St. For more information, call Sue Regadanz at

916-835-8916.

AA 24-Hour Hotline
For help with an alcohol-related problem, call the Alcoholics Anonymous 24-hour hotline at 209-745-1525.

Nar-Anon Family Group Meetings
Narcotics Anonymous (Nar-Anon) family group meetings for friends and family members who are dealing with drug addiction are held locally from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Saturdays at the Galt

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Rich, Buttery Macadamia Nuts Receive Recognition

According to the daysoftheyear.com website, National Macadamia Nut Day is a fun celebration that happens every year on Sept. 4. It's a day where we honor the rich, buttery macadamia nut, a favorite for many people around the world. These nuts are known for their unique taste and versatility in various dishes, from snacks to desserts. This special day is not just about eating nuts; it's about appreciating the journey of the macadamia nut. Originally from Australia, these nuts were named after Jorn Macadam and have been part of cultures for thousands of years. They were introduced to Hawaii in the 19th century and have since become a key part of the nut industry globally. Macadamia nuts are celebrated for their health benefits, including good fats and a range of vitamins and minerals.

Originating in Australia, macadamia nuts were discovered by the native Aboriginal people and introduced to the European settlers in the 19th century. These nuts found their way to Hawaii in the 1880s. There, they were initially used to protect sugar cane from the wind. However, their cultivation soon took off, and by the 20th century, macadamia nuts



had become a global sensation. Growing macadamia nuts is time-consuming and labor-intensive. This contributes to their status as one of the most expensive nuts in the world. It can take up to 10 years for the trees to produce their first crop, but once mature, they are capable of producing nuts for over a century.

This slow cultivation process, coupled with their rich, buttery flavor, has made macadamia nuts a luxurious and sought-after ingredient in various culinary applications, from baking to cooking and snacking. National Macadamia Nut Day provides a perfect opportunity for food enthusiasts and nut lovers alike to indulge in and celebrate the unique taste and texture of macadamia nuts. Whether enjoyed salted or roasted, or coated in spices or chocolate, these nuts offer a blend of flavor and versatility unmatched by many.

Fun fact about macadamia nut oil: It contains compounds that deter certain insects. Some cultures have used the oil as a natural repellent, applying it to the skin to ward off pests. Additionally, the oil's moisturizing properties make it a dual-purpose solution for skin care as well as insect protection. That may be all well and good, but I think I will stick to eating macadamia nuts roasted and salted or mixed with marshmallows in chocolate ice cream.

Just writing about ice cream reminds me, put another scoop of ice cream on top, it is also National Eat an Extra Dessert Day today. YUM! With the assumption that everyone is eating dessert on a regular basis, this day encourages people to embrace life a little more.

Life can get a little bit hectic and stressful. Of course, exercising, eating right and practicing meditation are all ways to engage in a healthier lifestyle that can make people happier, but one other way to be filled with joy is to embrace and celebrate certain days of the year. And one day that's certainly worth embracing is

National Eat an Extra Dessert Day! Well since it's the name of the day, then who can really argue? Go ahead and get that second scoop of ice cream, add another cookie to the stack. Or grab a fork and try out another flavor of cake or pie, whatever kind of dessert is on the menu for the day. This is the time to really live it up and enjoy another dessert.

Even better, share with a friend and you can taste even more desserts. Maybe pudding, tiramisu, donuts or cheesecake: The choices are endless.

Just don't get too excessive and get a tummy ache.

It's Labor Day weekend, the unofficial last three-day weekend of summer. A time to contemplate and ask the question that begs for an answer: Do I decorate for Fall or just go straight for the Christmas décor? Just kidding! Of course you decorate for Fall. That way when all the leaves start falling and you can't keep up with the raking, you just say, "They are part of my nature decorations."

Until next week – Be Strong, Be courageous, make a memory. ★



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Hawks Grind Out Gritty 28-24 Road Win Over Escalon in Season Opener

By Paige Lampson
Sports Editor

ESCALON, CA (MPG) - There are no easy Friday nights at Escalon, where championship banners hang as a warning to every visitor. The Liberty Ranch Hawks walked into that history on Aug. 28 and walked out with a 28-24 victory, opening their season with a statement win over one of the region’s most decorated programs.

It was a battle from the opening kickoff, with neither team leading by more than a score after the first quarter. In the end, the Hawks did it the old-fashioned way: pounding out 285 rushing yards on 46 carries, playing physical defense and refusing to blink when the Cougars kept answering.

Liberty Ranch struck first and led 14-7 after one quarter, but Escalon clawed back with 10 second-quarter points to make it a 21-17 game at the half. The teams traded touchdowns in the third, and then the Hawks’ defense slammed the door, pitching a scoreless fourth quarter on both sides to preserve the four-point win.

“Our coaches did a great job preparing our players for a tough contest,” Head Coach Warren Schroeder said. “We executed well on both sides of the ball. We still experienced some typical first game mistakes that we have to correct moving forward.”

GALT HERALD ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



James Gilbert
Galt High Football



Lexi Williams
Liberty Ranch Flag Football

Photos by Paige Lampson



Wyatt Corriea runs through the hole created by the line. Photos courtesy of Tom Santillan



The offensive line is doing its job.

The ground game was a three-headed monster. Joe Lara led the way with 104 yards and a touchdown on 18 bruising carries, while Andrew Quinn churned out 100 yards and a score of his own on 14 attempts, ripping off a long run of 39

yards. Quarterback Ryan Ogas added 45 yards and a rushing touchdown on eight carries, including a 31-yard scamper, and Wyatt Corriea chipped in 36 yards on six totes as the Hawks averaged 6.2 yards per carry as a team.

When Liberty Ranch did go to the air, it counted. Ogas was efficient, completing four of seven passes for 76 yards and a touchdown. Enzo Diaz was his favorite target, hauling in two catches for 36 yards – including a 24-yarder – and the Hawks’ lone receiving touchdown. Corriea added a 25-yard grab and Lara caught one for 15 yards.

None of it happens without the men in the trenches, and the Hawks’ offensive line delivered a dominant night with 17 pancake

blocks. Daniel Swearingen and Ryan Guthrie led the demolition with four pancakes apiece; Cutler Perez added three, Deshaun Jackson and Corriea had two each, and Jayden Sedlacek and Conrad Dixon each recorded one.

Defensively, Liberty Ranch racked up 43 tackles, four tackles for loss and three sacks while breaking up six passes. Quinn was everywhere, leading the team with nine tackles and 1.5 tackles for loss, adding a sack and two pass deflections. Soni Takafua was a wrecking ball up front with two sacks for 10 yards in losses, a quarterback hurry and two tackles for loss. Lara and Corriea added six tackles apiece, Ogas and Jack Rowe had four each, and



The Hawk defense flattens out a Cougar runner.



Enzo Diaz runs with the ball.

Jackson contributed three stops with a half tackle for loss. Diaz, Izayah Vera, Rex Machado, Tanner Swafford, Jesus Posada and Guthrie all got in on the action, and Dixon and Rowe each broke up a pass to help keep the Cougars’ passing game in check.

Special teams put the Hawks over the top in a four-point game. Hunter Owen was perfect on all four extra-point attempts, handled kickoff duties with five kicks averaging 32 yards including a 55-yarder, and returned two kickoffs for 36 yards. Lara sparked the return game with two kick-off returns for 62 yards, including a 37-yarder, and Diaz brought one back 32 yards as Liberty Ranch piled up 130 return yards.

Quinn also handled the punting, averaging 30.5 yards on two boots with a long of 39.

Lara finished with a team-high 181 all-purpose yards, followed by Ogas with 121 total yards and Quinn with an even 100. As a team, the Hawks totaled 361 yards of offense and 491 all-purpose yards.

Touchdowns came from all over the roster – Lara, Quinn and Ogas on the ground and Diaz through the air – a fitting summary of a night when Liberty Ranch won as a complete team.

The Hawks move to 1-0 on the young season, and if the opener is any indication, this group has the toughness to go toe-to-toe with anybody. ★

Cougars Overpower JV Hawks in Season Opener

By Paige Lampson
Sports Editor

ESCALON, CA (MPG) - The Liberty Ranch Hawks JV football team ran into a buzzsaw Friday night, falling 39-6 to the host Escalon Cougars in a non-league matchup at Escalon High School.

The Cougars controlled the contest from the opening kickoff, using a punishing ground game and a swarming defense to build a lead the young Hawks could never seriously threaten.

Liberty Ranch’s lone score provided a bright spot in an otherwise long evening for the visitors from Galt.

The loss drops the JV Hawks to 0-1 on the season, but the schedule offers a quick chance at redemption. Liberty Ranch travels to Sheldon on Friday, Sept.



Braden Bermudez runs the ball.

4 for another non-league bout. The Huskies (1-1) enter that contest riding momentum of their own

after a 27-8 non-league victory over Cordova of Rancho Cordova.

The Hawks will look to

clean up their execution on both sides of the ball as they search for their first win of the young season. ★



JV Hawk Daxton Cabral puts the pressure on the Escalon quarterback. Photos courtesy of Tom Santillan

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Warriors Flex Offensive Firepower in Season-Opening Battle with Franklin



Parker Millard (50) blocks while Arthur Cordova runs the ball in for a TD.



Senior James Gilbert runs for some of his 134 yards.



Quarterback Robert Rubio throws a pass.

Story and photos
by Paige Lampson
Sports Editor

GALT, CA (MPG) - For three quarters Friday night at Warrior Stadium, the Galt Warriors varsity football team looked like it was well on its way to an opening-night victory. But the visiting Franklin Yellowjackets (Stockton) had other plans, rallying in the fourth quarter to hand Galt a 26-21 non-league defeat.

The Warriors controlled the game deep into the second half, leading 20-6 with 3:33 remaining in the third quarter. But momentum swung hard in Franklin’s direction, including a Yellowjacket touchdown on a kick-off return, and with six minutes left in the fourth quarter, Galt’s lead had shrunk to 21-19. A Warrior turnover then handed the ball back to Franklin, and the Yellowjackets cashed it in for the go-ahead score.



The combined JV and Varsity cheer squads post scorpions during their halftime performance.

Galt was unable to answer, falling in a game it had firmly in hand.

Despite the outcome, Head Coach JJ Woodward saw plenty to build on.

“I thought there were a lot of positives to take away from our first game,” Woodward said. “For about three quarters, especially offensively, we showed what this football team is capable of becoming. We moved the ball well, had some really good connections in the passing game, and were able to establish our running game. We did have a few turnovers that

hurt us, but those are correctable mistakes.”

The fourth quarter, however, revealed where the work needs to be done.

“The biggest thing we learned is that we have to finish,” Woodward said. “In the fourth quarter we got tired and started hurting ourselves. This week our focus is going to be on taking care of the football, eliminating penalties, improving our conditioning, finishing drives and, more than anything, staying together when adversity hits.

“I don’t think we need

to reinvent anything. We showed for three quarters that we can play good football. Now we have to learn how to play that way for four quarters.”

By the Numbers

(Note: Statistics are incomplete, reflecting action through roughly three quarters of play.)

Senior running back James Gilbert was the workhorse of the Galt offense, piling up 101 yards on 15 carries – a 6.7 yards-per-carry average – while also hauling in a 33-yard touchdown



Warriors Carlos Sterni, Taylor White and Parker Millard team up on a tackle.

reception.

His 134 all-purpose yards led the team, and his effort didn’t go unnoticed on the other side of the ball either, where he racked up a team-high eight tackles, including one for a loss.

“For Warrior of the Week, I would like to nominate James Gilbert,” Woodward said. “He really stood out to me with his effort, toughness and the way he continued to compete.”

Senior quarterback Robert Rubio was sharp through the air, completing six of eight passes (75%) for 97 yards and a touchdown while adding 16 yards on the ground. Sophomore Richard Akers was his favorite target, catching four passes for 51 yards, while senior Carlos Sterni added a 13-yard grab.

Senior Arthur Cordova punched in both of Galt’s rushing touchdowns, finishing with 25 yards

on eight carries. Junior Richard Geier chipped in 24 yards on five carries, and senior Anthony Trejo ripped off a 14-yard run. As a team, the Warriors ground out 188 rushing yards and 285 yards of total offense.

Defensively, Trejo was all over the field with seven tackles, including a tackle for loss, while Geier added five tackles, a TFL and the team’s lone sack. Sterni contributed three solo stops.

Senior Axel Olmos Virgen recorded a tackle for loss and recovered a fumble, junior Mark Grammer broke up a pass, and Akers came away with an interception to round out a defense that combined for 34 tackles and four tackles for loss.

The Warriors (0-1) will look to bounce back Friday, Sept. 4, when they host Golden Sierra at Galt Stadium. ★

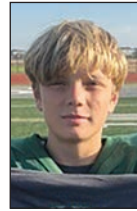
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JV Warriors Sting Yellowjackets 43-20 in Season-Opening Rout

Story and photos
by Paige Lampson
Sports Editor

GALT, CA (MPG) - The Galt Warriors JV football team opened its season in winning fashion Friday night at Warrior Stadium, pulling away from the visiting Franklin Yellowjackets (Stockton) for a 43-20 victory in non-league play.

The win didn’t come without a few early hiccups. JV Head Coach Justin Arno admitted his squad looked a little out of sorts in the first half, particularly on special teams.

“They were a little confused on our special teams, just because we haven’t really practiced it,” Arno said.

“Starting out the season, I’m trying to get everybody to play if I can. Sometimes it doesn’t work out like



Grayson Tassell catches a pass.

that.”

With the beginning of the season upon them, Arno made it a priority to get every player on the field, rotating bodies through special teams and offense throughout the

night, even as the score at the end of the second quarter was tighter than the Warriors expected.

“After our second quarter, we weren’t up as much as we thought we would be,” Arno said. “But I



Hank Van Steyn blocks a Yellowjacket so ball carrier Austyn Gubac can gain some yards.

figured we’d get everybody in with plenty of time, and luckily we did.”

Whatever was said in the locker room at halftime worked. Galt settled in after the break and clamped down defensively,

surrendering just one score the rest of the way: a touchdown Arno chalked up to a lucky break for the Yellowjackets.

“After we talked to them, they settled down,” Arno said. “They’re happy

about it. They’re excited for next week against Golden Sierra.”

The JV Warriors, now 1-0, return to Warrior Stadium on Friday, Sept. 4 to host Golden Sierra in another non-league test. ★