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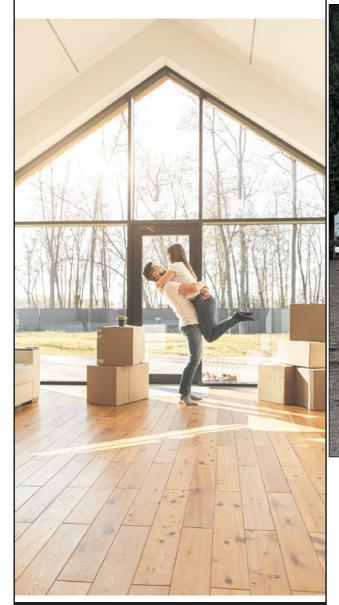
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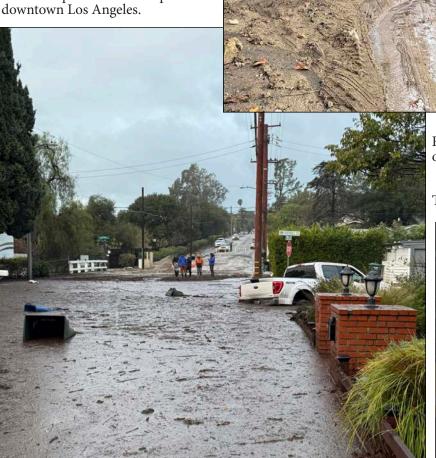


**WEST COVINA** \$850,000 Charming 3-bedroom West Covina home with pool, family room, and den. Quiet street near shopping, dining, and freeways!

### **BREAKING NEWS: Street Closures Continue**

On Saturday morning the City of Sierra Madre issued an additional road closure alert: Lower Canyon -All of Sturtevant Drive. Go to: nixle.us/G3NEF for complete details and updates.

The City of Sierra Madre, while beginning the process of recovering from 14 homes totally destroyed and approximately 60 homes and/or other structures either destroyed or damaged by smoke, was faced with yet another challenge on Thursday and Friday. According to resident Dave Felt who has reliably captured rainfall in the city for more than 15 years, the Sierra Madre total was 6.75" compared to 2.8" reported in downtown Los Angeles.



Fortunately, at press time there were no reported injuries

Rivers of mud flowed down hillsides and streets. On Thursday, the city issued mandatory evacuation orders for



residents in multiple hillside zones. Public safety staff went door to door encouraging residents to leave in advance of the mud reaching their homes, however many chose to remain 'hunkered down' until the emergency was over and were

asked to sign statements acknowledging their voluntary choice to remain in their homes. Here is a list of full street closures at press time:

**Full Street Closures:** 

Churchill Rd. Skyland Drive Orange Drive Idlehour Lane Sturtevant Drive

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Prior to the storm, Sierra Madre Public Works prepared in advance for the anticipated rainfall by, among other things placing K Rails strategically to minimize the impact of the mud on homes and structures.

SMPolice, SM Fire and several other agencies assisted in keeping the public out of danger.

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# A COMMUNITY UNITED:

In the wake of the devastating Eaton Fire, our hearts go out to those who have lost their homes and livelihoods. This week has brought unimaginable challenges, but together, we will move forward. Now is the time to come together and support one another as we learn

about the larger changes this event has wrought in our community. Our Sincerest Gratitude to the first responders who ran towards the flames as we fled and to the brave citizens who selflessly helped their

neighbors. Our Heartfelt sympathy goes out to all affected. Let us know how we can help you!

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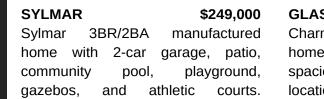
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### LIBRARY THIS MONTH FOR ONE BOOK ONE CITY! LIBRARY **8 PM: WRITING CONTEST** 11 AM: CRAFT-IT - FELTING SATURDAY MONDAY Online submissions due today Craft-It is back for this month 3 15 only at the Library! for a publication opportunity! ORIGAMI CAT 11 AM: THURSDAY BOOK CLUB SATURDAY THURSDAY All month long, enjoy learning Join in a discussion about this 20 how to make an origami cat! year's One Book One City pick! 6:30 PM: SIP & SHUSH 7 PM: OFF THE PAGE SATURDAY MONDAY Silent Book Club at RT Rogers A reading of "The World's Stronges Brewing Co. Librarian" at the SM Playhouse 10 AM: PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 4 PM: GREEN TEENS WEDNESDAY MONDAY OBOC themed Storytime with an Teens, learn how to make sushi 26 10 in-person wet felting craft. candles at the Hart Park House! 7 PM: SIP & SHUSH **4 PM: GREEN TEENS** WEDNESDAY WEDNESDAY Silent Book Club at RT Rogers Teens, learn how to felt at the 26 Hart Park House! Brewing Co. 7 PM: BOOK READING FRIDAY Community published book reading & signing! Special thanks to the Friends of the Sierra Madre Public Library and to the

### HONORS DINNER AWARDEES ANNOUNCED

The City of Sierra Madre and The Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce are pleased to announce the selection of the 2024 Honors Awards based on nominations received.

Citizen of the Year: Barb Bevington, Sierra Madre Rose Float Assoc.

Business of the Year: Vic Satamian, Corfu Restaurant

2024 Mayor's Award: Analyst James Carlson

George Maurer Lifetime **Achievement Award:** 

Former Mayor Clem Bartolai

Wistaria Award: Russ Meek Fred Thomas

**Public Safety Award:** Bear Lovers of Sierra Madre Youth Service Award: Sierra Madre Girls 14U Softball B Division Western National Champions

Dony King **Employees of the Year:** Markus Duson

The awards will to presented at the Honors Dinner on Tuesday, March 18, 2025:



'Volunteers are the lifeblood of our city. The diversity of this year's nominees shows the depth and breadth of the contributions to our community. Their efforts make Sierra Madre a great place to live, work, and play",

Mayor Robert Parkhurst.

Pictured above l to r, Chris Cimino, President SM Chamber, Barb Bevington and SMCC Board Member Lesslie Ziff



One Book One City Committee Members: Catherine Adde, Rich Procter, 6

Jane Zamanzadeh, Julie Imahara, Marta Capoccia, Leigh Gluck, and Leila Regan.



An exhibit of original artwork created by our talented instructors.

On view through March 1





### The Sierra Madre Historical Preservation Society

presents

### **Author Layne Staral**

discussing her book

Pioneer Picnics: Settlers of the East San Gabriel Valley

Monday, March 3, 6pm Hart Part House Senior Center



What began as a series of articles about her personal family history became a larger story of the settling of Henry Dalton's Ranchos Azusa and San José.

In the mid-1800s, these California homesteaders built homes, schools, churches, and the local towns of the San Gabriel Valley. In her story, the author elaborates on this transition from vast Mexican land grants to small independent communities.

Please join us as Ms. Staral shares this amazing and historical journey.

A picnic-style ice cream social will be provided as refreshments!



### **FOR RENT**

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### SIERRA MADRE POLICE BLOTTER

The City has issued parking restrictions in the canyon area. Parking will be prohibited in canyon residential areas.. Additionally, overnight parking restrictions will be waived until Monday, February 17, 2025, at 2:00 AM due to the incoming storm. Athens will not collect trash in the canyon residential areas on

February 2 to February 8 2025 Total Year to Date for 2025

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Thursday. In a Nixle alert, residents have been advised not to place bins out for collection, as they may be carried away by mud and debris. Calls for Service **Formal Investigations** 

At approximately 10:30 AM, officers responded to the 500 block of Woodland Drive regarding a vandalism report. Based on the officer's investigation, it appeared unknown suspect(s) vandalized the victim's vehicle. The suspect(s) smeared feces on the window of the vehicle, broke the mirrors, broke a windshield wiper, and ripped off the temporary license plate frames. There was nothing taken from the vehicle. Officers took a report and canvassed the area for witnesses and cameras. This case has been forwarded to the Detective's Bureau for further investigation.

Sunday, February 2 DUI/ Alcohol

At approximately 11:00 PM while on patrol near the intersection of Baldwin Ave and Lowell Ave, officers observed a vehicle that failed to stop at two different stop signs. Officers stopped the vehicle for a moving traffic violation. The driver was found to be under the influence of alcohol. The driver was arrested for driving under the influence and was transported to Pasadena Jail. This case has been forwarded to the LA County District Attorney's office for filing cosiderations.

Thursday, February 6 DUI/ Alcohol

At approximately 12:30 PM, officers responded to the police station lobby to meet with a citizen regarding a theft report. The victim was scammed via email to purchase gift cards. The victim still had possession of the gift cards and was able to get her money back. Officers took a report. This case has been forwarded to the Detective's Bureau for further investigation.

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### **Weather Wise**

6-Day Forecast Sierra Madre, Ca.

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Forecasts courtesy of the National Weather Service

### SIERRA MADRE CITY MEETINGS SIERRA MADRE CITY **COUNCIL MEETING**

February 25, 2025 5:30pm

### THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS!

As part of the City of Sierra Madre's COVID-19 transparency efforts and The Brown Act provides the public with an opportunity to make public comments at any public meeting. Public comment may also be made by e-mail to PublicComment@Cityof-SierraMadre.com by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting.

Emails will be acknowledged at the Council meeting and filed into public record. The public may also comment in person at the meeting.

The meetings will be streamed live on Foothills Media website at foothillsmedia.org/sierramadre and broadcast on Government Access Channel 3 (Spectrum)...

### 1630 AM EMERGENCY RADIO & Free on-air publicity for local events

Sierra Madre's EMERGENCY radio station is now accepting scripts for Public Service Announcements (PSAs) about community events. PSAs will be broadcast on the air at no charge. The station operates 24/7 and can be heard at 1630 on the AM dial.

Any local non-profit or non-commercial organization can have their event information broadcast to the public on Sierra Madre Community Information Radio. The station covers the city of Sierra Madre, plus surrounding areas of Pasadena, Arcadia, and Monrovia.

Benefit a non-commercial or non-profit entity

Be open to the public

Be of general interest to local citizens Just write a Public Service Announcement that describes your event and e-mail it to radio@cityofsierramadre.com.



This week at the Sierra Madre **Public Library** 

February 17 — February 22

### Monday

**Library Closed for Holiday** — No Services

### Wednesday

Tails & Tales— Library from 3:30pm— 4:30pm

Pajama Storytime— Online at 7:00pm. Call to register

### Thursday

**OBOC Third Thursday Book Club**— Online at 11:00am. Call to register

### <u>Saturday</u>

**Digital Services**— In-person from

10:00am-11:00am

**Town Hall**— City Council Chambers at 11:00am

> Read, Discover, Connect @ Sierra Madre Public Library 350 W Sierra Madre Blvd. (626) 355-7186

### **WALKING SIERRA MADRE -**The Social Side by Deanne Davis

"Self-care is giving the world the best of you, instead of what's left of you." Katie Reed "Talk to yourself like you would to someone you love." **Brene Brown** 

"Self-care means giving yourself permission to pause." Cecilia Tran

I had to go to the doctor a week or so ago. Nothing serious, turns out the reason my hip was killing me with every step I took and no sitting position was comfortable was because the poor thing has bursitis.

"Trochanteric bursitis is inflammation (swelling) of the bursa (fluid-filled sac near a joint) at the outside (lateral) point of the hip known as the greater trochanter. When this bursa becomes irritated or inflamed, it causes pain in the hip. This is a common cause of hip pain."

No kidding! I see there are over 200,000 cases of this per year...Symptoms include pain on the outside of the hip that's worse with activities such as standing, walking, or running and I can add sitting or lying down. Treatments include ice, anti-inflammatory medications, steroid injections, and physical therapy.

My doctor prescribed an anti-inflammatory called Meloxicam and I think my hip is getting better. Not better enough yet, but better. A few days after my office visit, I got an email from the medical center inviting me to fill out a survey about how happy/unhappy I was with my visit and the way everyone there treated me...excellent all the way around... and a nice essay about self-care by a Dr. Yazhini Srivathsal. He starts right off by talking about Valentine's Day and how we select this day to appreciate and recognize the people in our lives we love, he goes on to say it's equally, if not more important, to focus on self-love as love of ourselves is what allows us to empathize and really connect with others on a deeper level, i.e., an empty tank will take you exactly nowhere. Take time to refuel.

This is hard to do. We feel guilty if we're not always occupied doing something productive, useful, or for somebody else. The very idea of sitting down somewhere pleasant, reading and having a cup of tea makes us feel guilty. You know, that old Puritan work ethic.

Here are a few of the points that Dr. Srivathsal listed:

Know you are worthy - no matter what! Our worthiness does not depend on anything we do or don't do. It doesn't have anything to do with how we look. We deserve to treat ourselves with respect, compassion and genuinely love ourselves for who we are in this moment, flaws and all. Kind of like the way God views us: with love, flaws and all!

Treat yourself like you would treat your best friend – If our best friend is upset or feeling just plain crummy, we don't go out of our way to make them feel worse, do we? I hope not! So we need to treat ourselves with love and compassion...especially in one of those moments when things didn't go as planned.

want to have this person's body, that person's hair, this per- | for your health. Honest! Trust me.

A note from the Editor: Our beloved columnist and friend took a bad fall last week, but she will be back as soon as she is able to Walk Sierra Madre Again. In the meantime her timely messagee from February 22, 2020 is reprinted below.

son's ability to play the piano, that person's singing voice, and on and on. We are who we are and that's a lot to be grateful for.

Try to live intentionally every day - Little steps that will help us get where we want to be ... you saw this coming, right? Eat good food that will help your body. More veggies, less cheesecake. More fresh fruit, and put down those Girl Scout cookies that are everywhere currently. If you got a huge heart box full of chocolate caramels, just eat a couple, not the whole box. It's probably too late for that, but if somebody gives you a huge box of candy any time soon, give it to somebody else! Do things that make you happy like walking and looking at everybody's flowers. Notice all the tiny green leaves that are beginning to appear signaling the coming of Spring!

Be your own cheerleader - There's nothing like the feeling of accomplishing something new, maybe something you never thought you could do. My friend, Marilyn Williams, started taking piano lessons when she was well into her 50's and it has given her more pleasure and enjoyment as she practices and improves than she ever imagined. She's always wanted to play the piano, and now she does. I've started doing jigsaw puzzles. These are somewhat addictive as you sit down for a minute and discover two hours have evaporated while you fit a piece here and a piece there.

Make sure you have at least a few minutes of "me time" every day – Another tough one for us guilt embracers. This can be part of that walk you're taking. Thanking the Creator for the beauty of His creation is a nice way to spend some of that "me time."

Surround yourself with people who support you and lift you up - Learn about the grace of saying, "No." There are people in all our lives who are negative, needy, whiny, and who we wish we could avoid. So let's avoid them! We can't fix everybody and some people just need to be in someone else's life. So let's let them be with someone else. Also, just because someone tells us we'd be perfect for this committee or job doesn't mean we have to say yes.

Love yourself as you are right now – Not when you've lost ten pounds, learned to speak French, gotten a promotion or bought a Lexus. Loving ourselves as we are this minute, even if the dishes are still in the sink, the laundry isn't done, the lawn isn't mowed and there's nothing for dinner, means we are still splendid people, worthy of love.

Dr. Srivathsal winds up by saying that self-love and selfcare are important parts of being a happy and healthy individual. I loved this whole idea of self-care and wanted to pass it along to you, dear friends and neighbors. Hence, in the interest of self-care, I saw these chairs at Target on sale for \$17.60 each and brought them home thinking how nice it would be to sit in the sun in the late afternoon when it's warm, the sun's not so hot, and enjoy a glass of an adult beverage. I've managed to do this very thing three times and enjoyed it immensely, in spite of the weeds that need to be pulled and the dishes that are sitting in my sink.

Don't compare yourself to anyone else - That's hard. We Do something loving for yourself this week. It will be good

### SAVE THE DATE

Save the date on Monday, February 24 from 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm for this FREE One Book One City event - a staged reading of The World's Strongest Librarian in collaboration with Sierra Madre Play-house's OFF the PAGE. It's a play about the power of books, muscles, and human

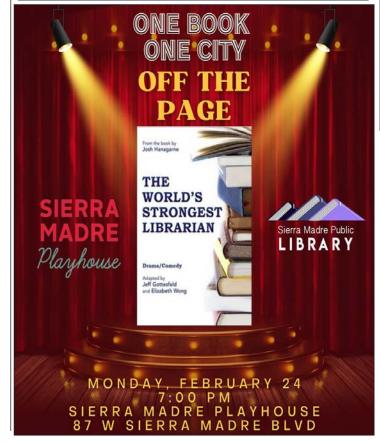
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One Book One City is a community program that invites everyone in to read, discover and connect over the same book in February through book d... It's a play about the power of books, muscles, and human kindness.

Call the Library at (626) 355-7186 for more information. One Book One City is a community program that invites everyone in to read, discover and connect over the same book in February through book discussions, programming, and special events.

### **OBOC 2025 Selection:**

What You Are Looking For by Michiko Aoyama and is available at the Library





Despite the rain, the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce and the Kensington held a ribbon cutting for the facility's latest edition, The Kensington Hair Studio. Shown above are La-La Mann, Owner & Stylist in the forefront, and left to right, SMCC Board Member Rachelle Arizmendi, SMCC President Chris Cimino, Mayor Robert Parkhurst and Councilmember Ed



### SIERRA MADRE'S DOG "LENDING LIBRARY -TAKE A STICK LEAVE A STICK'

is back and ready for business! Originally designed, built, and installed by Bob Spears, it was destroyed because of the winds on 1/7th. It is now back in its original location on Grandview Avenue adjacent to the Sierra Madre Elementary School Field, courtesy of Jim Walsworth. This is another sign that Sierra Madre is springing forward stronger. News From Your Community For Your Community

# **Presidents**' Day Closures & Reminders



In observance of Washington's Birthday, City Hall and many City services will be closed Monday, Feb. 17. Specific closures, exceptions and reminders are noted below. The City Service Center (CSC) will be closed on Monday and will reopen Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 8 a.m. Trash, recycling, and yard waste collection will occur as scheduled. There will be no delay in pickup for residents.

Pasadena residents and businesses experiencing any power emergencies should call Pasadena Water and Power (PWP) at (626) 744-4673. For water-related emergencies, call (626) 744-4138. PWP's Customer Service Call Center will be closed Monday; however, customers can access their accounts and make payments through the automated phone system at (626) 744-4005 or online at PWPWeb.com.

The City's Municipal Services Payment Center and Parking Office will also be closed on Washington's Birthday. All parking meters will be free and parking time limits will not be enforced. Violations for overnight parking restrictions, red curb parking and blocking fire hydrants will be issued. Parking meter enforcement resumes after the holiday. Pasadena Transit and Dial-A-Ride buses will operate on their regular schedules.

The Housing Department will also be closed on Monday.

The Permit Center will be closed on Washington's Birthday; however, many services will be available via Permit Center Online, where you can obtain subtrade permits and submit plans for new construction, tenant improvements, accessory dwelling units and additions. In-person operations will resume Tuesday.

All Pasadena Public Library branches will be closed Sunday and Monday and will reopen Tuesday.

All parks will be open for picnics, fun and play; however, no site reservations are being accepted for the holiday. Community and recreation centers will be closed to the public on Monday.

The Pasadena Public Health Department (PPHD) will also be closed Monday. Upcoming vaccine clinics are scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 19 and Monday, Feb. 24. PPHD reminds you to take measures to protect yourself from respiratory viruses, including masking indoors, getting vaccinated, and staying home when sick.

City Council will not meet on Monday, Feb. 17. The next council meeting is scheduled to take place Monday, Feb. 24.

Pasadena Fire and Police Departments will continue to provide patrol, jail, fire, paramedic and other emergency services. For lifethreatening emergencies, call 9-1-1. For non-emergencies, call (626) 744-4241. If you "See Something, Say Something." Report suspicious activity at (626) 744-4241.



### **Group Saves Iconic Batchelder Fireplaces**

By Dean Lee

In an effort to save hundreds of historic Batchelder tile fireplaces still standing in the ashes of homes destroyed in last months' these beautiful tiles fireplaces Eaton Fire, a South Pasadena that became famous across the Masonry businesses owner and a local Altadena resident was in Pasadena and Altadena. have teamed up removing valuable tiles, racing the clock, as L.A. County's debris removal program begins.

'Two weekends ago we had over 80 volunteers come out and we sent them on a scouting mission, is also Catalina tile." said lead volunteer Stanley Zucker. "We broke Altadena evacuation maps. We had them walking up and down the streets debris removal.

The Environm with phones and take pictures of the fireplaces from the street. We identified 200 Batchelder fireplaces.

Zucker said there were now in the process of finding the owners of the orphaned fireplaces. About 70 homeowners have reached out to them on social media, "so we know they want us to do it. We need to pull those as quickly as we can before they are looted or plowed over."

Cliff Douglas owner of Douglas Masonry said of those they have 27 fireplaces signed off on and ready to go, some of them are his clients. Both Douglas and Zucker said they are willing to do the work for free.

"It's a real art to take it [tiles] them are going to crack if your Museum. not careful."

historically significant.

"Ernest Batchelder was a To contact Douglas and Zucker

ago, his studio was in Pasadena 441-6333.

A Torker Photo by Stanley Zucker renowned tile artist 100 years call Pasadena Heritage at (626) There was another company that came along, Claycroft and did knockoffs that are now more valuable than the Batchelder's because there are far fewer of them remaining. And then there

Zucker also said they spoke with the Army Corps of Engineers into nine zones, based on the fire and there are two phases of

> The Environmental Protection Agency first handles the removal of hazardous materials such as asbestos, EV batteries, solvents, etc. This is automatic and ongoing for all. The second is dealt with by the Army Corps of Engineers (ACE) and involves removing chimneys, hazardous trees, fire ash, and debris, up to six inches of soil, and any hazardous material not removed by the EPA during phase one. The Army Corps uses contractors to do the work, and owners must opt-in to participate.

Although dangerous if owners want to remove the fireplace and leave the rest of the debris, they won't be disqualified from the program officials said.

The Pasadena Museum of off, you have to know what you are doing," Douglas said. "All the tiles have been "re-fired," literally

The Tasaderia Tridscum of T hotter than they were when first that do save their fireplace to made. Anything with glaze on contact and register it with the

The museum can be reached Zucker said the tiles are at (626) 577-1660 or at: pasadenahistory.org.

### **County Seeks Rental Units for** Families Displaced by Eaton Fire

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors Chair Kathryn Barger announced Thursday that she is urgently calling on local property owners with available rental units to help house displaced families.

The Los Angeles County Development Authority (LACDA) is working alongside the American Red Cross to locate one- and two-bedroom rental units within a 10mile radius of the Eaton Fire boundary. Properties in nearby communities such as Pasadena, Glendale, and Monrovia are

especially needed. We have an immediate need to support wildfire survivors who have been displaced from their homes and want to remain close to their communities," said Supervisor Kathryn Barger. "Many of these families are struggling to rebuild their lives while ensuring stability for their children. I urge property owners with available units to partner with us and provide a lifeline for those in need."

Displaced renters will be a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



responsible for covering rental costs similar to any other private market tenant.

"Property owners are the key to helping the County's impacted residents start to rebuild their lives," said Emilio Salas, LACDA Executive Director. "The LACDA is prepared to hear from property owners to connect them with the American Red Cross, so that together, we can serve as a bridge in this critical step for families to move forward."

Property owners with an available unit are asked to contact the LACDA at (626) 586-1570, (626) 586-1565 or via email at Owner.Services@lacda. org. LACDA staff are available Monday through Friday, 8:00

### **Mayor Gordo** to give State of the City

City officials announced that Mayor Victor Gordo is set to give the State of the City Wednesday night at Pasadena Elks Lodge, 400 W. Colorado Blvd.

This year's theme is "Pasadena: A Resilient Community."

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Free on-site parking will be available.

The State of the City will also be live-streamed at PasadenaMedia.org/Kpas

For accessibility information and requests, contact (626) 744-7311 or CSC@cityofpasadena. net. Providing at least 72 hours advance notice will help ensure availability.

### African-**American Ballet Icon** to Share Story

Los Angeles City Ballet company Founder and Artistic Director Robyn Gardenhire, a leader in the African-American and Los Angeles ballet and dance world, will share her inspiring story a special Black History month Cultural Thursday event on February 27 at 2 p.m. onsite at the Pasadena Senior Center.

The event is free for Pasadena Senior Center members, and \$5 for nonmembers and reservations are suggested.

Gardenhire began her ballet and dance journey as a young girl growing up in Lynwood, CA. Her mother, who dreamed of becoming a dancer herself, enrolled Robyn in local ballet lessons at the age of three at a predominately African-American school in Compton. Soon, Robyn displayed her talents and trained with top ballet instructors before being offered a position in the Joffrey II company at the age

Now, with the Los Angeles City Ballet that she founded in 2000, Gardenhire focuses on enabling students of color and those who are economically disadvantaged to access a ballet education.

To register or for more information, visit www. pasadenaseniorcenter.org and click on Special Events, or call 626-795-4331.

### PCC Gets \$1 million from **Ballmer Group for Fire Relief**



Pasadena City College the group announced it had announced Thursday that dedicated \$15 million to Ballmer Group to support community and supporting critical relief for students, first responders." faculty, staff, and community members recovering from there will be a long road to

extremely grateful to Steve the Ballmer Group said and Connie Ballmer and in a press release. The the entire team at Ballmer organization is headed by Group," said José Gómez, superintendent/president of Steve Ballmer is the owner of Pasadena City College. "With the Los Angeles Clippers and this gift we will continue to support those whose lives have been upended by this disaster."

and employees resided 14,000 acres, destroyed more in burn areas, which than 9,400 structures, and were hardest hit by the killed 17 people. wildfires. Many lost homes, apartments, cars — all of community has been a bright their possessions. Recovery spot in a very difficult time,"

"This gift from the Ballmer Group embodies the compassion, kindness, and generosity that our community needs as it begins the long road to recovery," Gómez said.

Foundation.

"The PCC Foundation with Federal stands with everyone at Management of the PCC Foundation Administration Board of Directors. "On Loan Outreach Center. behalf of the leadership of support."

helping victims of the spirit of this place that we all wildfires. On January 15, love."

they have received a \$1 address "immediate food million grant from the and shelter needs in the 'We understand that

the devastation of the recent recovery for the L.A. region and remain committed to 'The PCC community is supporting the community," Steve and Connie Ballmer. the former CEO of Microsoft. The deadly Eaton Fire raged through parts of Pasadena, Altadena, and Sierra Madre. Hundreds of PCC students The fire burned more than

"The support from our will require time and said Alton Wang, president commitment, Gómez said. of the PCC Board of Trustees. "We are grateful to the Ballmer Group for standing with our community as it

begins the healing process."

Throughout the wildfire disaster, PCC has also served as a community-wide The grant from the Ballmer resource for victims of the Group is the largest single wildfires. The college has gift to the PCC Community served free meals to school Relief Fund, said Frank children and their families, Cardenas, executive director transformed a parking lot of the Pasadena City College into a donation distribution Through center providing essential the fund, other campus supplies, and served as a resources, and partnerships, gathering space for displaced PCC provides a range of teachers. PCC's Foothill support for those facing campus housed a Disaster the greatest need, including Recovery Center where monetary assistance. Center where community members met Emergency Pasadena City College as representatives and other we rise in service to the federal, state, and local community that sustains us," agencies. The campus also agencies. The campus also said Hoyt Hilsman, president hosted the Small Business Disaster

"Our community needs us the PCC Foundation, I thank now more than ever. We are the Ballmer Group for their a part of the community and incredible partnership and we are part of the solution," Gómez said. "This support The Ballmer Group moved from the Ballmer Group will swiftly to begin providing help sustain our students, assistance to organizations faculty, and staff and the





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### **ASSEMBLYMEMBER JOHN HARABEDIAN** INTRODUCES THE INSURANCE PAYMENT PROTECTION ACT TO PROTECT POLICY-HOLDERS FROM UNFAIR FEES AND PRICE **GOUGING**

(SACRAMENTO, CA) - Assemblymember John Harabedian (D-Pasadena) introduced AB 597 to protect policyholders from unfair fees and price goug-ing by public adjusters after major disasters.

"Public adjusters should help wildfire survivors rebuild, not wreck their recovery. Some public adjustors will charge excessive fees or take a portion of homeowners' insurance payouts through unfair practices. I'm proud to partner with Commissioner Lara on AB 597 to ensure wildfire survivors get every dollar they deserve to rebuild their lives," said Assemblymember John Harabedian (D-Pasadena).

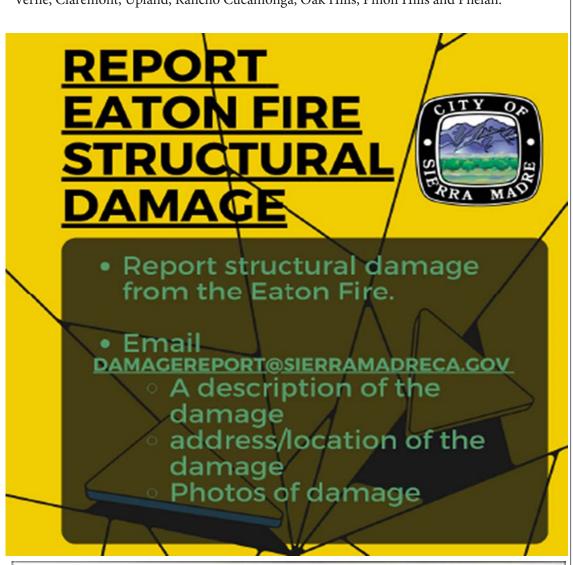
"As disasters become more frequent and severe, my responsibility is to assist wildfire survivors in their recovery. This proposal is designed to safeguard them from unfair charges and exploitation, ensuring that consumers keep as much of their insurance claims as possible to support their recovery and rebuilding efforts. I am proud to collab-orate with Assemblymember Harabedian on this vital consumer protection bill," said Commissioner Lara, sponsor of

In short, this bill will do the following:

AB 597 - The Insurance Payment Protection Act: prevents unfair fees and price gouging by adjustors, particularly after major disasters, and applies to resi-dential properties and certain commercial properties. Inspired by the need to safeguard policyholders during vulnerable times, this bill also allows policyhold-ers to cancel contracts if the public adjuster violates the law or solicits business during prohibited periods. Additionally, public adjuster contracts must clearly out-line the services being provided, including the specific claims or coverages they will handle. By ensuring transparency and fairness, AB 597 strengthens consum-er protections and protects wildfire victims.

This bill is sponsored by the California Department of Insurance. The bill will be heard in Assembly policy committees during the spring.

Assemblymember John Harabedian represents the 41st District composed of the cities of La Cañada Flintridge, Pasadena, Altadena, Sierra Madre, Monrovia, Bradbury, San Dimas, La Verne, Claremont, Upland, Rancho Cucamonga, Oak Hills, Piñon Hills and Phelan.



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### **MONROVIA**

### Notice of Temporary Traffic Lane Closure on East Huntington **Drive Between South California and Shamrock Avenue**

We are thrilled to share that the Route 66 Huntington Drive Pedestrian Bridge Public Art Project is nearing completion! To facilitate the final phase of this project, the City will implement single-lane closures on East Huntington Drive between South California and Shamrock Avenues. Please note that only one traffic lane will be affected in each direction at any given time.

The lane closures will take place from through Friday, February 21, 2025, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

If you haven't seen it yet, be sure to check out the stunning artwork coming to life on the Hunting-ton Drive pedestrian bridge—it's truly impressive! We appreciate your understanding and patience during this period. For additional information about the project, please contact Kerri Zessau at kzessau@monroviaca.gov or 626-932-5564.

### **ALTADENA**

### Sisterhood in Action: "Lunch with Love" to Support Women Affected by Altadena Fires

Pasadena, CA – In the spirit of compassion and unity, a sisterhood of dedicated women is coming to-gether to support those impacted by the devastating Altadena fires. Committed to service and love, this group is hosting a special event, "Lunch with Love," aimed at uplifting women who have lost their homes and providing a space of comfort and hope. The luncheon is more than just a meal—it is a heartfelt gesture of solidarity and encouragement, a re-minder that no one faces hardship alone. Through this gathering, the sisterhood seeks to foster a sense of community and remind these women that they are seen, supported, and surrounded by care.

Event Details: Date: Sunday, February 23, 2025 Time: 1:00 PM PT - 4:00 PM PT Location: Alkebulan Cultural Center Address: 1435 North Raymond Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91103

"Lunch with Love" embodies the mission of this sisterhood: to stand together in times of need and extend hands and hearts to those facing adversity. By creating an environment filled with warmth and encouragement, they aim to inspire hope and healing for those affected by the fires.

The sisterhood invites the community to join them in this effort of compassion and solidarity. Together, they seek to make a meaningful impact and reaffirm their dedication to service and love.

For more information, please contact: Laverne Gray Davis Email: lavernegraydavis@yahoo.com

### DR. DENISE KWOK DEPUTY ATHLETIC DIRECTOR FOR INTERNAL **OPERATIONS AND SENIOR WOMAN ADMINISTRATOR AT** USC TO SPEAK AT USC TROJAN AFFILIATES PROSPECTIVE MEMBERSHIP MEETING ON MARCH 6TH

Dr. Denise Kwok, Deputy Athletic Director for Internal Operations and Senior Woman Administrator at USC, will speak to the USC Trojan Affiliates on Thursday, March 6, 2025 at The Hill -Harbison House, (Girl Scout House), 1841 Alhambra Road, San Marino. The meeting will

begin with hearty refreshments at 6:30 p.m. followed by the program at 7:00 p.m.

Dr. Denise Kwok was promoted to Deputy Athletic Director for Internal Operations and Senior Woman Administrator in October 2023, overseeing athletics admissions, academic advising and support, personal and career development, student services, department Title IX and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion programming. Kwok is the primary point of administrative contact for USC Athletic Medicine (sport psychology, nutrition, athletic training) and Office of Athletics Compliance and serves as the sport administrator for beach volleyball. In the critical role of Senior Woman Administrator, Kwok represents the department on Conference matters.

Kwok's career includes more than twenty years of service at USC. Her previous roles include Interim Executive Administrator, Executive Senior Associate Athletic Director for Student-Athlete Development, Associate Athletic Director for Student-Athlete Academic Services, Assistant Athletic Director and Assistant Vice Provost for Undergraduate Programs at USC.

Kwok earned her Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology at USC Rossier School of Education in 2004. Originally from Tiburon, California, Kwok is married to Dr. Roy Fu and has two children, Madelyn and Tyler.

USC Trojan Affiliates, a women's organization located in the San Gabriel Valley, supports the University of Southern California and welcomes all interested women to attend its meetings and events. This meeting will focus on new member recruitment and all women parents, alumni, and friends of USC are encouraged to attend. The group meets five times a year at various homes and locations within the San Gabriel Valley and hosts additional social and cultural events while raising needed scholarship funds for USC students. It currently supports scholarship for six students who attended local San Gabriel Valley high schools.

USC Trojan Affiliates is in its ninth year of contributing money to its scholarship endowment fund of \$100,000, (now well over the initial funded amount) using these dollars to support its scholars. Money is also raised from selling unique USC products --- jewelry, scarves, clothing, tablecloths, towels, handmade signs, and more. Members also volunteer at the Pasadena Showcase House to earn funds and participate in the USC Women's Conference (March 7), USC Day of SCervice (March 22), Swim With Mike (April 5), USC Homecoming (Fall), Town and Gown of USC Holiday Boutique (Fall), and USC Trojan Affiliates Holiday Boutique (November), and programs to support the University and its students.

Past meetings have included the February 6<sup>th</sup> meeting featuring local author Lian Dolan, who reviewed her book The Marriage Sabbatical and delighted the members with highlights from her past books, life issues, and humor. Her next book Abigail and Alexa Save the Wedding will be available May 20, 2025. The last meeting of the 2024-2025 program year will take place on Thursday, May 1st at Matt Denny's Restaurant in Arcadia. The guest speaker will be announced

Trojan Affiliates President Ayuko Siegel, of Glendale, and the Board of Directors, look forward to welcoming prospective members to this Prospective Membership Meeting. For information and reservations please contact Trojan Affiliates Membership Chairman Kandi Wopschall by March 3<sup>rd</sup> at wopschall@earthlink.net or (818) 790-1970.



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# MORE RECOVERY INFO

### HOW TO DO BUSINESS WITH FEMA AFTER A DISASTER

FEMA works with private sector vendors to help fulfill the response and re-covery needs for disasters like the recent Los Angeles County Wildfires. The Doing Business with FEMA webpage outlines the steps that companies and small businesses looking to compete for federal contracts should take. During response and recovery, FEMA's goal is to contract with local businesses in the affected area whenever practical and feasible.

FEMA will only engage with companies through the federal procurement process. Business solicitations sent to individual members of the FEMA workforce will not be processed. The FEMA website outlines how companies can see and respond to the agency's solicitations. The key steps to beginning the process are:

Consult your local procurement center: We recommend you consider consulting with these Procurement Technical Assistance Centers.

Register with SAM.gov: This is the System for Award Management. Entity registra-tions are free, and registration is required to do business with the federal government.

Understand the FEMA mission: FEMA's mission, as authorized by the Robert T.

Stafford Act, is to help people before, during and after disasters.

Monitor contracting sites for opportunities: Contracting sites are listed on FEMA's webpage

Debris removal is often contracted locally after a disaster. If your company provides debris removal services, you can sign up with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Contractor Regis-try. You can also register your business information (including capabilities and locations served). Additional information can be found on our Frequently Asked Questions webpage.

For the latest information about California's recovery, visit fema.gov/disaster/4856. Follow FE-MA Region 9 @FEMARegion9 on X or follow FEMA on social media at: FEMA Blog on fe-ma. gov, @FEMA or @FEMAEspanol on X, FEMA or FEMA Espanol on Facebook, @FEMA on Instagram, and via FEMA YouTube channel.

California is committed to supporting residents impacted by the Los Angeles Hurricane-Force Firestorm as they navigate the recovery process. Visit CA.gov/LAFires for up-to-date information on disaster recovery programs, important dead-lines, and how to apply for assistance.

windows to help pro-tect property and occupants

The SBA also offers Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) to help meet working capital needs. The loans may be used to pay fixed debts, payroll, accounts payable, and other bills that could have been paid had the disaster not occurred. EIDL assistance is available regardless of whether the PNP suffered any physical property damage.

The SBA encourages applicants to submit their loan applications promptly. Applications will be priori-tized in the order they are received, and the SBA remains committed to processing them as efficiently as possible.

To apply online, visit SBA.gov/disaster. Applicants may also call SBA's Customer Service Center at (800) 659-2955 or email disastercustomerservice@sba.gov for more information on SBA disaster assis-tance. For people who are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability, please dial 7-1-1 to access telecommunications relay

The deadline to return applications for physical property damage is March 17. The deadline to return economic injury applications is Oct. 15

FEMA Rental Assistance is available for those affected by the Los Angeles County Wildfires; new applications will be accepted until March 10. Rental Assistance may pay up to two months rent, with incremental three-month extensions. Visit a FEMA Disaster Re-covery Center in Los Angeles County open daily from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., call 1 800-621-3362 or visit Dis-asterAssistance.gov to apply today.

### SBA RELIEF STILL AVAILABLE TO CALIFORNIA PRIVATE NONPROFITS AFFECTED BY **JANUARY WILDFIRES**

Deadline to Apply for Business Physical Damage Loans Approaching

SACRAMENTO, Calif. - The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) encourages private nonprofit (PNP) organizations in California that sustained property damage caused by wildfires and straight-line winds that began Jan. 7, to apply for an SBA disaster loan before the March 17, 2025, deadline.

The disaster declaration covers Los Angeles County.

Under the declaration, PNPs that provide noncritical services of a governmental nature are eligible to apply. Examples of eligible non-critical PNP organizations include, but are not limited to, food kitchens, homeless shelters, museums, libraries, community centers, schools, and colleges. PNP organizations may borrow up to \$2 million to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate, machinery and equipment, inventory, and other business assets. Interest rates can be as low 3.625%, with terms up to 30 years.

Interest does not accrue, and payments are not due, until 12 months from the date of the first loan dis-bursement. The SBA sets loan amount terms based on each applicant's financial condition.

Applicants may be eligible for a loan amount increase of up to 20% of their physical damages,

as veri-fied by the SBA, for mitigation purposes. Eligible mitigation improvements might include insulating pipes, walls and attics, weather stripping doors and windows, and installing storm

## USPS UPDATE ON SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA OPERATIONS

as of February 7, 2025

The wildfires burning in Southern California are a catastrophic disaster, disrupting services and operations for many organizations - including the Postal Service's ability to deliver mail and packages - across the Los Angeles region. During this time, the Postal Service's primary focus is to maintain the safety and security of our employees, while ensuring that customers affected by the 'California Wildfires' receive their mail and packages as swiftly as possible.

The Postal Service operations team continues to work around the clock to restore operations wherever safe to do so. USPS is committed to delivering mail safely and where allowable, constantly adjusting our operations for a swift restoration of services in impacted areas. The full recovery of service to the impacted areas may stretch forward for some time.

Effective February 10, 2025, customer pick up hours for packages and letters have been adjusted at the Pasadena and the Rancho Park Post Offices.

Customers interested in submitting an Official Mail Forwarding Change of Address Order to reroute their mail, including packages and letters, may complete the process online at https://movers-guide.usps.com/ or by filling out a PS Form 3575, Change of Address, available at any post office.

> Mail Pickup Location Altadena Post Office 2271 Lake Avenue Altadena, CA 91001 - 9998

Pasadena Post Office 600 Lincoln Avenue Pasadena, CA 91109-9998 Mon – Fri: 9 am – 6 pm Sat: 9 am - 3 pm

Altadena Customer Pickup Hours: Mon - Fri: 10 am - 5 pm Sat: 10 am - 3 pm

# **COUNTY DEBRIS REMOVAL HOTLINE** (844) FIRE DEBRIS (844) 347-3332 • For general questions about fire debris removal. Available Monday through Friday: 7 AM to 7 PM • Saturday and Sunday from 8 AM to 6 PM. Visit <u>pw.lacounty.gov/epd/debris-removal/</u> for more information.



### Who Can Apply?

This program is available to full-time residents who are U.S. citizens or legally admitted for residence in the United States and have experienced displacement or damage to their primary residence due to the recent wildfires. Eligible households can receive up to \$1,000 in housing-related financial assistance.

### What Does the Grant Cover?

Eligible applicants may receive assistance for one of the following housing-related expenses:

- Mortgage Payment Assistance If your primary residence was damaged by the disaster.
- **Rental Assistance** If you are displaced from your primary residence due to the disaster.
- Hotel Reimbursement If you incurred temporary lodging costs due to displacement from your primary residence.

Please Note: This grant does not cover expenses such as second mortgages (home equity loans), clothing, appliances, equipment, vehicle costs, or other non-housing-related expenses.

### How to Apply:

- Complete the application online at car.org/difference/realtorscare
- Submit required documentation to verify wildfire-related displacement or damage. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis until all funds are allocated.
- Deadline to apply: April 30, 2025
- For application inquries, email: communitygrant@car.org



If you or someone you know has been impacted, don't wait-apply today at car.org/difference/realtorscare.







## Help Us Keep Sierra Madre Safe and Clean

Public Works crews have been tirelessly installing K-rails and removing debris to minimize the impacts of recent rains.



### Keep Streets Clear

Please do not place yard debris in the street or gutter. Doing so blocks stormwater flow and increases the risk of flooding.



### Additional Bins Available

For larger loads of green waste, Public Works and Athens Services have provided additional green waste bins at the City Yard.



### Wind Driven Yard Debris

Continue to place windstorm debris in your green yard waste bins weekly until fully cleared by



### Street Sweeping Resumes

Athens will resume street sweeping to further remove debris and "and protect our watersheds" from run-off from streets.



### **HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT DEBRIS?**

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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has established a Debris Call Center to help answer questions regarding Private Property Debris Removal.

### Debris Call Center

Hours of operation

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Monday-Friday



Saturday



6:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



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### \$100,000 Raised For Arcadia Unified **Wildfire Victims**

*The Long Road to Recovery Made Smoother by United Community* 

ARCADIA- Described by many as a war zone, the Eaton Fire was one of the deadliest and most destructive wildfires in the history of California. In addition to torching more than 14,000 acres in and around the foothills of Altadena, the fire completely destroyed more than 9,000 structures, mostly residential homes, and killed 17 people. A lifetime of sacrificing, saving, and dedicating everything to finally acquire the American dream, and in an instant, it was a nightmare for thousands of people.

"I always knew people were good, but I never knew how good and how many," said Karina Herrera, a School Psychologist/Behavior Analyst for Arcadia Unified.

Herrera was just one of nearly 30 Arcadia Unified staff, students, and families who were among the thousands of victims who lost everything. She described the long road to recovery as another full-time job- and then some.

"You're up first thing in the morning on the phone making calls, talking with your insurance, trying to find housing. There's so much to do and you're still on the phone at 10 p.m. You do that same routine day after day, while still trying to keep up with your actual full-time job," Herrera explained.

While the flames were still burning and the lingering smoke still a constant reminder of the devastation, humanity started to shine a light. GoFundMe pages were created, and donation drives were in full swing. Many at home, watching the heartbreak unfold on their televisions, wondered how they could help. The Downtown Arcadia Improvement Association teamed up with the Arcadia Educational Foundation to promptly raise funds for all the staff and families in Arcadia Unified who lost their homes. The culminating event was the Downtown Arcadia Lunar New Year Festival on Sunday, February 2, in which a check for \$100,000 was presented to Arcadia Unified Superintendent Dr. David Vannasdall.

"The word grateful feels inadequate to describe how we feel. You've shown so many, including my son, that even in the darkest times, we are surrounded by a community that cares deeply and acts with extraordinary kindness. Your actions have turned our loss into a powerful lesson about the strength of community and the impact of empathy. This is the very essence of what makes Arcadia so special," said Dr. Kelsey Brown, the Principal of Baldwin Stocker Elementary School.



Dr. Brown and her son Calder, a fifth-grade student at Longley Way Elementary School, have been sharing a small room at her sister's home after their house was a total loss in the fire.

"From the clothing that has kept us warm on these cold nights, to the thoughtful cards that lifted our spirits, to the everyday essentials that helped us keep our routines, and the generous financial donations that gave us hope – you wrapped your arms around us when we needed it most," Dr. Brown shared in an email to friends and colleagues.

Only four other fires in California history have been more deadly than the Eaton Fire and the 17 lives lost. The Camp Fire in Butte County in November of 2018 remains atop the unenviable list with 85 casualties. Second to the Camp Fire, is the Griffith Park tragedy in October of 1933, also in Los Angeles County and just a dozen miles from Altadena, where only 47 acres burned, but 29 people died. All casualties were to firefighters working to extinguish the fire.

Complicating matters and consuming much-needed resources was the Palisades fire, less than 40 miles away, and also in Los Angeles County. The infamous Santa Ana winds fueled both infernos with gusts near 100 miles per hour throughout some locations in Southern California. The Palisades Fire burned nearly 24,000 acres, another 5,000 homes were destroyed in and around the Santa Monica Mountains, and eight people died. The Eaton and Palisades fires rank as the second and third most destructive wildfires in California history with an estimated economic loss of \$250 billion according to the Los Angeles Times.

It took a heroic effort by first responders and nearly a month before both fires were fully extinguished. It will now take years before both communities rebuild. In November of 2023, five years after the Camp Fire, only 21 percent of the homes lost in the town of Paradise had been rebuilt according to a report from KCRA Television.

While the road to recovery for the victims will be long, winding, and with inevitable bumps, knowing a community is along for the ride makes all the difference.

"Because of you we are beginning to heal and meet each new day, drawing deeper breaths, with a new resolve; a new focus, and a new level of resilience for this unexpected and long road forward," Dr. Brown explained.

The donation drive for Arcadia Unified staff and families is open until February 28. Once all the donations have been gathered, they will be distributed evenly among Arcadia Unified staff and families. You can donate directly through the Arcadia Educational Foundation's website at www.aefk12.org.

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### YMCA LA ANNOUNCES LONG-TERM SUPPORT FOR ANGELENOS IMPACTED BY WILDFIRES



Resources to aid with recovery include free mental health services, childcare, academic support for students, and much more

In the wake of last month's devastating wildfires, the YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles today announced comprehensive, personalized support to help individuals and families rebuild and recover. The Y which operates 28 centers across the L.A. region – is offering a range

of essential resources to help Angelenos through both the immediate aftermath and the long-term recovery process.

"The LA Y is here for the long haul," said Victor Dominguez, President and CEO of the YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles. "We welcome everyone who needs assistance. No one should feel alone, especially at a time like this."

For anyone impacted by the fires, the following services are available:

Well-Being Coordinators at each YMCA center to help navigate care, track progress, and plan for recovery.

Distribution centers with supplies, food and essential items.

Free mental health services including counseling and support networks.

Virtual learning and homework support for children and teens.

Support networks, wraparound services, and referral assistance.

Case management for resource coordination and recovery planning.

Expanded Early Learning Readiness programming to support young learners.

Based on individual circumstances, residents may be eligible for the following additional

Free or subsidized YMCA membership and access to all facilities and programs, including robotics, dance, sports, and more for the remainder of 2025

Free childcare options, including Before & After School, PLAY, Preschool, and expanded services for infants and toddlers at the Burbank YMCA.

Priority placement for children in youth programs.

Free summer day camp and sleepaway camp for children.

The Y will evaluate eligibility and support services on a case-by-case basis, depending on specific needs and address verification. Those seeking assistance can start the process today by contacting

> PASADENA-SIERRA MADRE YMCA 626 355 5261 611 E Sierra Madre Boulevard Sierra Madre CA 91024

About the YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles: The LA Y is the Center for Community Well-Being in Los Angeles, committed to building stronger communities by providing equitable programs and services to empower all. We are focused on fighting food insecurity, providing equity in education, making sure every child has the opportunity to experience the joy of sports, ensuring kids and teens have a safe place to grow, learn and live a healthy lifestyle. The LA Y's health and wellness initiatives offer medical and mental health resources to ensure everyone has access to basic health needs. Our mission is to provide services and resources that contribute to the well-being of our community. Visit ymcaLA.org for more informatio

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# FOOD - DRINK - FUN



### **Dining Decisions: Are We** Overwhelmed or Living in a Foodie Paradise? Part 2

Now that Valentine's Day is in the rearview mirror, I've been thinking about a topic that came up on my radio show last Sunday night: Do we have too many choices when it comes to restaurants, wine, and even tequila?

On one hand, variety breeds competition, which keeps the culinary world vibrant and ever-evolving. On the other, walk into any modern-day restaurant district, and you might find yourself overwhelmed by options—steakhouses, sushi bars, taco joints, plant-based eateries, and fusion spots that serve everything from Korean BBQ tacos to pastrami egg rolls.

Take tequila, for instance. The Wall Street Journal recently reported that tequila prices are dropping due to an oversupply. The market is flooded with new brands, some backed by celebrities, others by master distillers with generations of experience. Is this a bad thing? Not according to my guest that night, author Michael Higgins, who argued that competition forces producers to step up their game, ensuring better quality and pricing for consumers.

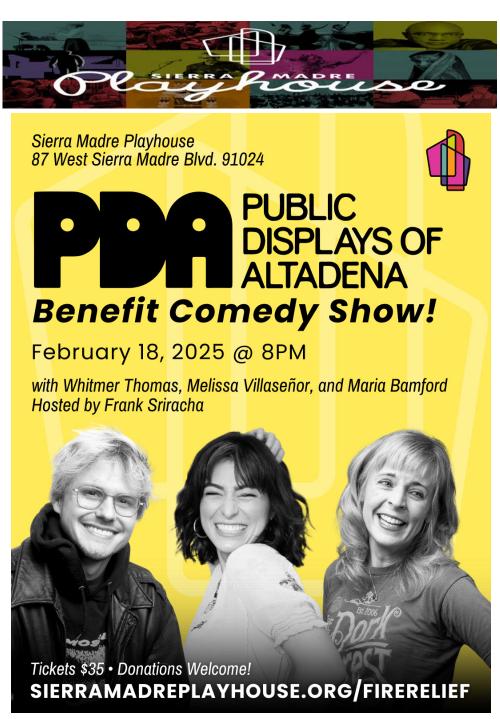
The same holds true for restaurants. Imagine if every eatery served only pizza or steak—where's the fun in that? Instead, we get to choose from a near-endless variety of cuisines and dining styles. Take Panda Inn, for example, a longtime favorite of mine that now features a sushi bar. Some might say that's an odd pivot for a Chinese restaurant, but guess what? The sushi is pretty darn good.

Even coffeehouses have expanded their offerings to cater to diverse tastes. Starbucks, for example, has made a name for itself not just with coffee but with drinks like its Chai Tea Latte, a smooth and flavorful alternative that some swear by. Yet, many argue that a mom-and-pop coffee shop can offer a more authentic version with a personal touch. Again, choice is everything.

Of course, there's a balance to be struck. Not every new concept succeeds. Entrepreneurs are constantly rolling the dice, hoping their vision resonates with diners. My friend Bruce Taylor, owner of Taylor's Steakhouse in La Cañada, once told me, "My steaks might not be the best, but they're pretty darn good at a reasonable price." And that's really the key—finding the right combination of quality and value that keeps customers coming back.

At the end of the day, the real decision lies with us, the consumers. Whether it's picking a bottle of wine (Tuesday is National Wine Day, by the way), deciding where to grab dinner, or debating whether we need another tequila brand on the market, choice is a privilege. So, are we overwhelmed by options? Maybe. But are we also living in a foodie paradise? Absolutely.

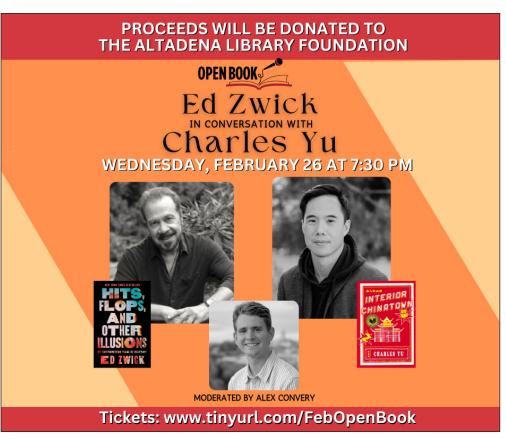
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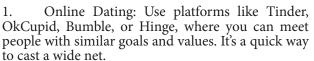
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### ALL THINGS

### FINDING A MATE HERE ARE 11 **WEB IDEAS**

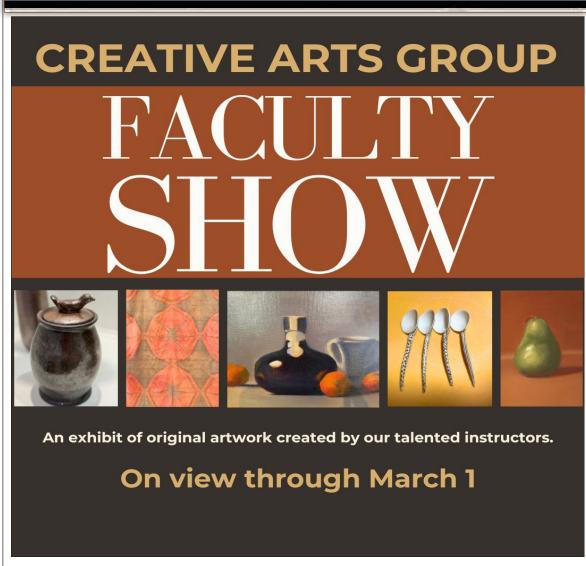




- Social Events and Gatherings: Attend parties, meetups, or networking events related to your hobbies. These settings are great for organically meeting people with similar interests.
- Classes or Workshops: Taking a class in something you're passionate about (e.g., cooking, art, yoga, etc.) is a great way to meet people with shared hobbies.
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- Interest-Based Communities or Clubs: Join clubs or online communities around specific hobbies or interests (e.g., book clubs, gaming groups, hiking clubs). Finding someone with shared interests is a great foundation for a relationship.
- Traveling: Traveling allows you to meet people from different walks of life. Whether it's a solo trip or group tour, meeting others who enjoy adventure can lead to meaningful connections.
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### OLD HUSBANDS TALES

Some are false, some have truth buried inside

Every aspect of life is filled with axioms and truisms. Some are worth living your life by, and others are less reliable. And the thing is, the less-reliable axioms usually have a kernel of truth buried inside. Here are some of the outdoor-related sayings that we

hear all the time. We hear some of these so often that we tend to think they must be true. But, most of these are not true, despite the kernel of truth often buried inside. Let's separate myth from fact.

All rivers lead to civilizations.

If you're lost, follow the river downstream. We've heard it so often and we've seen it in movies. However, it's simply not so! The reason you hear it repeated so often is that sometimes the river will get you to a village or a town.

The north star is the brightest star in the sky.

If you're lost, you can find the north if you can find the north star, which is the brightest star in the sky, right? If you find the brightest star in the sky, you've found Sirius, not the North Star. The north star is actually the 48th brightest star in the sky, and if you don't know how to find it, you should consult a

Moss always grows on the north sides of trees.

When I was first studying survival in high school, one of my teachers was Abbie Keith, who was head of the Sierra Madre Search and Rescue team at the time. He would ask us if moss grows on the north side of trees, and most of us said yes. He'd laugh and say, yes it does, but it also grows on the east side, the west side, and the south sides of trees. Moss needs shade and moisture and it will grow there the shade and moisture is greatest. Often, this is the north side of a tree, or a rock, or a barn, but not often and precise enough for this to be a good tool for navigation.

A compass points to the north pole.

When people say this, they are referring to the magnetic compass needle, and they assume it points to the north pole, or true north. In fact, the compass needle points to magnetic north, which is not the same as true north. Every topographical map tells you the difference between true north and magnetic north so you can compensate - this compensation is known as the declination. However, if you happen to be in the line where true north and magnetic north coincide, your compass needle will indeed coincidentally point to the true north.

All water can be purified by boiling.

When you boil water, the temperature of boiling (212 f.) kills everything alive in the water that can make you sick. It's true that all biological contaminants in the water that can get you sick are killed off by the time the water reaches about 170 f. However, boiling will generally have no effect on salt water, nor unwanted chemicals or solvents that have gotten into the water.

Water that is clear, cold, and flowing is safe to drink without treatment.

Though we'd like this to be so, it just isn't always true. Water that is moving, and moving over sands, has an ability to self-purify, but this depends on what all might be present in the water. In fact, stagnant waters can be very safe in some cases, so the flow of water is only one of many factors that makes the water safe or not.

You can always dig for water.

This is true! You can always dig.... But you won't always reach water. I've dug small wells many times and many times had all the water we needed for several days. However, water is either underground, or it isn't. And when it isn't, you'll just need to find your water elsewhere.

You can make a fire by hitting two rocks together.

I have heard this many times from people who remember something like this from childhood but they can't remember any details. You cannot get a fire by hitting two pieces of flint, or chert, or quartzite together. However, if one of the rocks is marcasite, and the other is flint, you actually might get enough of a spark to ignite some charcloth.

All blue and black berries are edible.

In general, this is accurate, but it's not worth memorizing because there are exceptions. You still need to learn to recognize the identity of berries (and other plants) before you eat them.

All white berries are poisonous.

This is a correct general statement, but again, there are many exceptions, such as mulberries, white strawberries, and others. Only eat those edible wild plants that you have positively identified.

Any mushroom growing in your lawn is poisonous.

False! Both edible and toxic mushrooms could grow on your lawn if the conditions are right. Just because it's on your lawn doesn't make it toxic. (This one should be classified as an old wive's tale, because my mother believed this was true.)

People go crazy and commit more crimes during a full moon.

Well, is that an old wives tale, or an old husband's tale? We've heard it a lot. Some studies debunk this idea, saying that there is no clear correlation between the full moon and crimes, except that there is more light to commit crimes during that time.

These are just a few Old Husbands' tales. Can you think of more?

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Kimba adores being with his human, kneading biscuits like a little baker, and soaking up all the cozy moments life has to offer. He's a playful guy who loves his toys and enjoys making new feline friends.

Fully vetted, neutered, and in perfect health, Kimba is ready to find his forever home. Could it be with you?

See more of him and please fill out the application at https:// www.lifelineforpets.org/kimba.html.

### Pet of the Week

Adorable and friendly Travis is ready to fill your home with laughter and fun!

Travis is a fun-loving, affectionate two-year-old Lab/Pit mix who is ready to find his forever home. Weighing around 65 pounds, Travis is the perfect blend of playful energy and cuddly sweetness. He loves nothing more than spending time with his people, whether it's going on long walks, playing with his favorite squeaky toys, or curling up on the couch for some well-deserved belly rubs.



Kimba

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Playful!

Travis is a smart and eager-to-please guy who enjoys learning new tricks and exploring the world around him. He will thrive in a home with an active individual or family who can match his playful spirit. Older children would be a great fit for his enthusiastic and loving nature.

Travis is patiently waiting for someone to give him the love he deserves. If you're looking for a loyal companion to bring joy and excitement into your life, come meet Travis—you just might find your new best friend.

The adoption fee for dogs is \$150. All dog adoptions include spay or neuter, microchip, and age-appropriate vaccines.

Walk-in adoptions are available every day from 2:00 – 5:00. For those who prefer, adoption appointments are available daily from 10:30 - 1:30 and can be scheduled online. View photos of adoptable pets at pasadenahumane.org.

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### GETTING THROUGH THE RAINY DAYS AND BEING A SENIOR

Rainy days present unique hazards for seniors, requiring careful attention to safety. Seniors are more vulnerable due to age-related changes such as reduced mobility, balance issues, and health conditions. Common risks during rainy weather include slips and falls on wet surfaces, reduced visibility while walking or driving, and exposure to cold temperatures leading to hypothermia.

To stay safe, seniors can take proactive measures. At home, it's important to ensure clear, well-lit pathways, use non-slip mats, and install grab bars in bathrooms. Wearing proper footwear, such as shoes with non-slip soles and waterproof options, can reduce the risk of falls. For outdoor safety, reflective clothing and accessories improve visibility, and walking with a companion can help avoid dangerous situations. It's also wise to check the forecast and stock up on essentials ahead of time, ensuring that any medications or supplies are on hand during storms.

The psychological impact of gloomy weather can also affect seniors, with some experiencing Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD). Staying socially connected, engaging in hobbies, and maintaining a routine can help mitigate these effects.

Medical conditions like arthritis or heart issues can worsen in damp or cold weather, making it essential to monitor health closely. Seniors should work with their healthcare providers to manage chronic conditions and consult them if symptoms worsen during bad weather.

Community support is also vital, with local senior centers and emergency services available to offer assistance in times of need. By preparing homes, staying physically active, and maintaining strong social networks, seniors can significantly reduce the risks posed by rainy weather and continue to live safely and independently.

# HOW MUCH DO YOU HAVE TO MAKE TO FILE TAXES IN 2025



Dear Savvy Senior,

What can you tell me about the IRS income tax filing re-

quirements for retirees this tax season? My earned income stopped when I retired last March, so I'm wondering if I need to file a tax return this year.

Retired in 2024

Dear Retired,

Whether or not you are required to file a federal income tax return this year will depend on how much you earned last year, as well as the source of the income, your age and filing status.

Here's a rundown of this tax season's IRS tax filing requirement thresholds.

For most people, this is pretty straightforward. If your 2024 gross income – which includes all taxable income, not counting your Social Security benefits unless you are married and filing separately – was below the threshold for your filing status and age, you probably won't have to file. But if it's over, you will.

Single: \$14,600 (\$16,550 if you're 65 or older by Jan. 1, 2024).

Married filing jointly: \$29,200 (\$30,750 if you or your spouse is 65 or older; or \$32,300 if you're both over 65).

Married filing separately: \$5 at any age.

Head of household: \$21,900 (\$23,850 if 65 or older).

Qualifying surviving spouse: \$29,200 (\$30,750 if 65 or older).

To get a detailed breakdown on federal filing requirements, along with information on taxable and nontaxable income, call the IRS at 800-829-3676 and ask them to mail you a free copy of the "1040 and 1040-SR Instructions for Tax Year 2024," or you can see it online at IRS.gov/pub/irs-pdf/i1040gi.pdf.

Check Here Too

Be aware that there are other financial situations that can require you to file a tax return, even if your gross income falls below the IRS filing requirements. For example, if you earned more than \$400 from self-employment in 2024, owe any taxes on an IRA, Health Savings Account or an alternative minimum tax, or get premium tax credits because you, your spouse or a dependent is enrolled in a Health Insurance Marketplace plan, you'll need to file.

You'll also need to file if you're receiving Social Security benefits, and one-half of your benefits plus your other gross income and any tax-exempt interest exceeds \$25,000, or \$32,000 if you're married and filing jointly.

To figure all this out, the IRS offers an online tax tool that asks a series of questions that will help you determine if you're required to file, or if you should file because you're due a refund. It takes less than 15 minutes to complete.

You can access this tool at IRS.gov/Help/ITA – click on "Filing Requirements – Do I need to file a tax return?" Or you can get assistance over the phone by calling the IRS helpline at 800-829-1040.

Check Your State

Even if you're not required to file a federal tax return this year, don't assume that you're also excused from filing state income taxes. The rules for your state might be very different. Check with your state tax agency before concluding that you're entirely in the clear. For links to state tax agencies see Taxadmin.org/fta-members.

Tax Preparation Help

If you find that you do need to file a tax return this year, you can Free File at IRS.gov/FreeFile, which is a partnership program between the IRS and tax software companies. Your 2024 adjusted gross income must be below \$84,000 to qualify. Or, if you have a simple tax situation and your income is below \$200,000, or \$250,000 if you're married and filing jointly, you can now file your taxes for free through the new IRS Direct File program in 24 states at DirectFile.IRS.gov.

If you need some help, contact the IRS sponsored Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) program, which provides free tax preparation and counseling to middle and low-income taxpayers, age 60 and older. Call 800-906-9887 or visit IRS.treasury.gov/freetaxprep to locate services near you.

You can also get tax preparation assistance through the AARP Foundation Tax-Aide service at AARP.org/findtaxhelp or call 888-227-7669.

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit Savvy Senior.org. Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of "The Savvy Senior" book.

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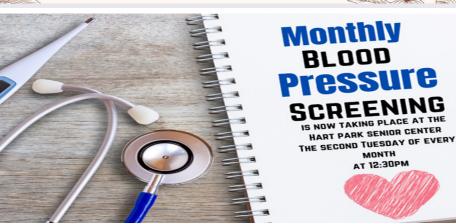
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A Weekly Religion Column by Rev. James Snyder

### MY TOK DOESN'T ALWAYS TIK

Throughout my life, I have always lived on a schedule. Every day is devoted to certain tasks, and it has worked for me so far. I know what day it is by what I am doing that day.

Unlike The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage, I cannot multitask. I have to do one thing at a time, which has to be on my schedule. I am often impressed by my wife's ability to multitask. She can do a dozen things at once and get them accomplished the way they are supposed to be, but I have a hard time knowing what she is doing at any given time.

I plan my week in a very precise routine. I can only do one thing at a time, which must be on my schedule.

I schedule each week by assigning a particular project to each day. I spend one day doing my radio ministry, another doing my weekly column, and then several days working on my sermon for Sunday. I follow my routine very precisely each week. Unfortunately, my schedule has been interrupted. I spent five days in the hospital and then over two weeks in bed recuperating from my health problem.

Being in the hospital is a very boring time. There is not much I can do because I have medical personnel coming in and out poking me with needles and all sorts of things. Just when I think I'm asleep someone comes.

Some even came in around 3 a.m., and unfortunately, I was not sleeping because how in the world can you sleep in a hospital with such a routine?

I never knew what day it was and was so very confused. One day was just like the other, and I was not getting anything done.

Now, I'm trying to get back on schedule. Boy, is this difficult. I guess it's because of my age I can't begin to pull everything back together again as quickly as I need to. Every day of the week is identified by the project I'm working on. Now, I'm so confused that I have no idea what day it is or what I should be doing. I remember asking The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage one day, "What day is it today?" Looking at me with one of her grimaces, she said, "What day would you like it to be?"

Then she laughed and walked away. If I had my way, today would be the day before

I had to spend some time searching my journal to figure out what I had been doing before I went into the hospital. The good thing is that I keep notes or I would be completely lost.

I spent one whole day going through four years of journals to figure out what I was doing each day. I carefully made notes and began understanding what I was doing Monday through Friday.

Going through these journals enabled me to figure out my schedule for the week. I usually don't spend much time figuring out what I'm doing; I just do it. I was getting

One morning, I got up and walked out to the kitchen, where The Gracious Mistress of the Par-sonage was preparing breakfast. She looked at me and said, "So, what day is it for you?"

Looking at her I said, "Today is National Apple Fritter Day."

close to the end of my re-search and was happy to work these out.

I laughed and went to sit down in my chair, and then realized I didn't know what day it was. Now, what do I do? If I don't know what day it is, how will I know what I'm supposed to be doing today?

It could be my old age, but I'm terrible at remembering the day. If I don't know what day it is, how am I going to spend the day productively and what project I am going to be working on.

The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage brought my breakfast and a nice hot cup of coffee. Be-fore walking away, she said, "Today is Wednesday, and it's the day you do your radio work." Then she went back into the kitchen.

Aha. That will solve my problem for today. I'll spend the morning doing my radio programs for the week. I was kind of happy to hear that. Now I know how I will spend the day. Nothing is more satisfying than knowing what you're doing. Unlike The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage, I'm not multitasking because if I was, I would never get back to my schedule like I had it before. I cannot handle 100 tasks like my wife can. I can only handle one task at a time.

I often think about what it would be like to multitask and juggle hundreds of tasks simultaneously. I wonder how much I could get done if I could do that. My Tok needs to Tik on time everyday. Getting back to my regular schedule is a very relaxing thing for me.

I thought of a verse of scripture along this line. Ephesians 5:15-16, "See then that ye walk cir-cumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, Redeeming the time, because the days are evil."

Although the days are evil, each day I need to walk exactly in a way that honors God.

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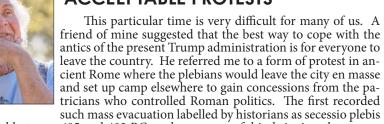
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### **STUART** TOLCHIN PUT THE LIGHTS ON

### **ACCEEPTABLE PROTESTS**



occurred between 495 and 403 BC. and was successful in bringing about concessions. This tactic was utilized several times, but I am afraid it would not work today. Too many people with no place to go.

Today the kind of protests we see are masses of people taking to the streets in locations where the present administration would have to take notice. In the 1960's this influenced important social change. The President, at the time, Lyndon B. Johnson, supported and effectuated change outlawing discriminatory practices relating to employment, voting rights, educational opportunities, and racial and ethnic differences. Commenting about all this change President Johnson is said to have remarked in 1964 "We've lost the South for a generation."

Well, 64 years later the South has reasserted its power. I believe the MAGA cult of Donald Trump's clamors for a return to the historical United States which was exclusively run by Christian, prosperous White Males. What protests now can be effective today as the President and his unelected co-President Elon Musk create chaos and turmoil intended to benefit the super-wealthy old ruling class? A traditional method of protest is violence. The use of violence by an individual is considered completely unacceptable, warranting the most severe punishment of those responsible. I, of course agree with this proposition. This week I noticed the recent allegations that the Governor of Pennsylvania, Josh Shapiro, was a planner of the assassination attempt against then candidate Donald Trump. Such allegations are surely scurrilous and false.

For the moment, however let us pretend that there is some truth behind these allegations. Would an attempted assassination of Adolph Hitler or Joseph Stalin, or in today's world, Vladimir Putin by an individual be justifiable? It is well known that the United States CIA has participated in multiple attempts assassination when there was considered to be threat to the welfare of the United States. Off the top of my head, I remember attempts against the life of Fidel Castro, Patrice Lumumba. Rafael Trujillo, and Salvador Allende.

Do you recall that in 1976 President Gerald Ford by Executive Order prohibited any member of the U.S. government from engaging or conspiring to engage in any political assassination anywhere in the world? This was an effort to reform United States intelligence and demonstrated a recognition that the United States government had participated in political assassinations attempts. Nevertheless assassination attempts have continued against Venezuelan President Nicolas Maduro, South Korean leader Kin-Jong-un., and Libya's Muammar Gaddafi, and Iraqi President Saddam Hussein in 2003. Some achieved their ends some did not.

My intent here is to question why Americans countenance murders of foreign leaders when all of us seem to agree that such actions by an individual warrant the most severe punishment. Imagine the Presidency of Abraham Lincoln from the perspective of John Wilkes Booth. Booth believed that President Lincoln was defying the traditions of America by outlawing the institution of slavery which was vital to the economy of the slave-owning Southern States. He believed that Lincoln's actions would result in a Civil War undoubtedly killing hundreds of thousands of American boys. (In fact, an estimated 620,000 deaths, about 2% of the American population at that time occurred.) Booth believed he was saving the nation and saving lives. It is hard for we twenty-first century Americans who detest racism and sexism and a bunch of other historical "isms' to even imagine Booth's perspective.

For me preventing global catastrophe is justifiable and is an acceptable protest but would such extreme action as assassination require punishment? Yes, it would but wouldn't a successful assassination attempt against Hitler have been justified and rightfully applauded?

Sometimes, right, and wrong is confusing and this is one of those times!

### RICH JOHNSON



### POST VALENTINE'D DAY COMMON SENSE Somewhat sadly, Valentine's Day is the one day of the year couples in

relationship celebrate their coupling (is that a word?) You temporarily suspend focus on all relationships inherent flaws, exchange pleasantries which include a greeting card with a heart on it purchased from the local drug store, chocolate, a special dinner outing, holding hands (in between reaching for more chocolate), adult bever-

ages, possibly a favorite movie or album and chocolate on the nightstand. And if all goes well, the piéce de résistance at bedtime can only be hinted at in this 'G' rated column. Most of you know what I am referring to. If you do, let me know, as I have no idea what I am talking about.

Back to the morning of February 15: If all goes well, you wake up the next morning refreshed, reinvigorated about life except for the fact you now have to wait 365 days (not counting a leap year) for your next romantic interlude.

Why wait? Why not consider and discuss how to keep passion a bit more intense than just a passing flicker?

Rules err, suggestions on improved verbal communications may keep the flickering flame flickering a bit brighter. Members of the male of the species: pay particular attention!

What is the best reason to buy your wife flowers? This one: NO REASON If your spouse says she will do something, she will. No need to remind her every six months.

Never laugh at your spouse's choices. You are one of them.

Want the marriage passionate? When you're wrong admit it, when you're right...shut up.

When you marry you lose your bachelor's degree. It's okay as your wife gets her master's degree.

Two words that will help ensure peace: "You're right".

When asked for your opinion on her new dress, your safest response? "Wow!"

The four most important words in any marriage: "I'll do the dishes."

The couple that laughs together lasts together. So, invest in a good joke book or ten.

Want to make sure you remember your anniversary? Forget it once.

Marriage teaches you loyalty, patience, understanding and perseverance. All the things you don't need if you stay single.

When you are right, no one remembers. When you are wrong, no one forgets. If your partner says, "I don't need a gift," it is a trap.

Before you adopt a pet, adopt a plant. If it survives a month consider getting a pet.

Behind every angry woman is a man who has absolutely no idea what he did wrong.

Avoid the three most dangerous words in a marriage: "While you're up..."

Forget roses. A full dishwasher that's been run and emptied is the most romantic gesture. Wives, if you want your husband to do something, tell him he is too old to do it.

The secret to a happy marriage is still a secret to all men.

Most importantly: Don't marry someone you can live with, marry someone you cannot live without!

And the most important truth: The perfect marriage is just two imperfect people who refuse to give up on each other. (I would love to thank Noah Williams, Marriage.com and Huespark.com for many of these brilliant quotes)

### HOWARD Hays As I See It

shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution. . Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States" – Article İ, Section 8 of the Constitution, on the authority of Congress

"he shall take Care that the Laws be faithfully executed" - Article 2, Section 3 on the duty of the President

"The judicial Power shall extend to all Cases, in Law and Equity, arising under this Constitution" - Article 3, Section 2 on the responsibility of the federal Courts

Congress makes the laws, the president executes them, federal courts deal with conflicts. And Republicans are upset about it.

White House Deputy Chief of Staff Stephen Miller rails against "an assault on the very idea of democracy itself!". Sen. Tom Cotton (R-AR) calls it "Outrageous". For Sen. Mike Lee (R-UT) it's a "coup". No, not the trashing of our Constitution - they're talking about judges upholding it.

This comes as federal courts deal with challenges to President Trump's refusing to "faithfully execute" laws while instead simply erasing those he doesn't like. These judges take their oath to the Constitution seriously, even as the president doesn't.

Last month, the Court blocked that wholesale "funding freeze", finding "no evidence that the Executive has followed the law by notifying Congress and thereby effectuating a potentially legally permitted so-called 'pause'". Another order came as it became clear the White House chose to just play games with the court's decision.

A third ruling came as state attorneys general sued for enforcement, stating "The broad categorical and sweeping freeze of federal funds is, as the Court found, likely unconstitutional and has caused and continues to cause irreparable harm to a vast portion of this country". A federal judge has now ruled the Trump administration in violation of its order, leaving the door open for contempt charges.

Federal unions filed suit regarding outside access to taxpayers' personal information at the Treasury Department, arguing, "People who must share information with the federal government should not be forced to share information with Elon Musk". Access to those records was then blocked by another judge hearing a states' attorneys general suit - citing risks of improper disclosure and hacking. Musk called for that judge's impeachment.

As for striking clear language in the Fourteenth Amendment, a judge ruled, "If the government wants to change the exceptional American grant of birthright citizenship, it needs to amend the Constitution itself. That's how our Constitution works." Two separate decisions concurred.

"To make all Laws which | A judge blocked the buyout offer to over 2 million federal workers pending further argument. The lawsuit by representatives of 800,000 federal workers noted that while the offer included a promise of pay through September, only Congress could appropriate those funds - and the current budget expires March 14. Again, two separate decisions concurred.

> A temporary restraining order blocked putting 2,200 employees of USAID on leave. According to the lawsuit, "These actions have generated a global humanitarian crisis by abruptly halting the crucial work of USAID ... . They have cost thousands of American jobs. And they have imperiled U.S. national security interests". It argued that an entity created by Congress could only be dismantled by Congress. USAID employees then returned to court to file a notice of non-compliance with the previous order.

There are procedures in place for doing much of what the president wants without having to go to court. To freeze funds already allocated, it's sending a request to Congress under the Impoundment Control Act. He could get Congress to change existing laws or make new ones – with his party controlling both the House and Senate. Amending the Constitution requires going through the states, but it's been done before.

Going through the courts instead, though, establishes precedent - and they're hoping a favorable one might help remove whatever guardrails are still in place. Trump's self-assurance hasn't changed since Access Hollywood; "when you're a star, they let you do it. You can do anything". Elon Musk's net worth increased \$150 billion since election day after investing a quarter-billion to get Trump elected, and he intends to maximize return on that investment. For apologist Republicans, they're cowed both by Trump's influence with MAGA and by Musk, who could bankroll a successful primary challenge with an hour's worth of his earnings.

For Vice President Vance, he's laying the groundwork trying to shape the position he sees for himself once Trump is gone. Reacting to the decision blocking Musk's access to taxpayers' personal information, Vance complained, "Judges aren't allowed to control the executive's legitimate power."

Former Rep. John Yarmuth (D-KY) responded, "Yale Law School should be embarrassed. The judge's legal role is to define what executive powers are legitimate. It's called separation of powers, which you apparently don't

Six years into the Revolutionary War and seven years before ratification of our Constitution, Thomas Jefferson saw that "powers of government should be so divided and balanced . . . as that no one could transcend their legal limits without being effectually checked and restrained by others."

As Jefferson put it, "An elective despotism was not the government we fought for."







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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BEAU THORESEN 7200 FRANKLIN AVE UNIT 105 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90046; LUIS CORONADA 7200 FRANKLIN AVE UNIT 105 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90046; JARED JONES 7200 FRANKLIN AVE UNIT 105 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90046; LIRED JONES 7200 FRANKLIN AVE UNIT 105 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BRIAN RICHARD WILSON 7200 FRANKLIN AVE UNIT 105 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90046 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: BRIAN RICHARD WILSON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 021/4/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the frictitious business name or names listed above the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Stateon 02/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08,15,22, 2025

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MODA FASHION 5315 ZELZAH AVE APT 4 ENCINO, CA. 91316. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ROMINA REYHANIAN 5315 ZELZAH AVE APT 4 ENCINO, CA. 91316. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ROMINA REYHANIAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/11/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed ment expires five years from the date it was filed 02/2025, NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08,15,22, 2025

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AVE #7 TUJUNGA, CA. 91042. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of
registrants is (are) RANDOLPH RASMUSSEN
JR. 6301 HONOLULU AVE #7 TUJUNGA,
CA. 91042. This Business is conducted by: AN
INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RANDOLPH RASMUSSEN JR. OWNER. This statement was filed INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RANDOLPH RASMUS-SEN JR. OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/11/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/1994. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views No

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MIGUEUS CONSTRUCTION 8416 CEDROS
AVE APT 202 PANORAMA CITY, CA. 91402.
CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MIGUEL PARTIDA CAMACHO 8416 CEDROS AVE APT 202 PANORAMA CITY, CA. 91402. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MIGUEL PARTIDA CAMACHO OWNER. This statement PARTIDA CAMACHO OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/14/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/2024. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name State-02/2024. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et see, Business and Professions Code)
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GYMS FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK, GYMS LA COUNTY, GYMS HOUSING &HOPE, NOURISH & THRIVE BY GYMS, 733 W 51ST STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90037. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GIVING YOUNG MOTHERS SOLUTIONS, 733 W 51ST STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90037. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION Signed; CASSAUNDRA CURTIS/PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/07/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) comenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 07/2024. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in vicilation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code/Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: JOSE TRUCKING, 16234 BELLFLOWER BLVD SP 8, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE H VILLAGRAH SOLARES, 16234 BELLFLOWERR BLVD SP 8, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDIDAL. Signed; JOSE H VILLAGRAH SOLARES/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Lox Assets. H VILLAGRAH SOLARES/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/31/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 05/2024. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The File No. 2025-021125
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LAMI NAIL, 1702 E. WASHINGTON BLVD, AS. EARTH TAILE, 1702 E. WASHINGTON BLVD, PASADENA, CA 91104. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LAN THI KIEU LE, 1702 E. WASHINGTON BLVD, PASADENA, CA 91104. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed; LAN THI KIEU LE/OWNER. This statement LAN 1HI KIEU LE/OWNER. Inis statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/31/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/IDC Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-024017
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LA POBLANITA ICE CREAM SHOP, 425 E. IMPERIAL HWY UNIT D, LOS ANGELES, CA 90061. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) CENTU-RY JR RECYCLING, INC., 203 E. 119TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90061. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed; OSWALDO GALENO HERNANDEZ/CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/05/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictious business name or names listed above on NA. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five vears from the date it was filed in the office of NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/IDC Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2025-018361 File No. 2025-018361
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MAR & MAR INCOME TAX & TRAVEL AGENCY, 4772 WHITTIER BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90022. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARIELENA BARRAGAN BARRAGAN, 251 S ARIZONA AVE UNIT 321, LOS ANGELÉS, CA ARIZONA AVE UNII 321, LOS ANGELES, CA 90022. This Business is conducted by: AN INDI-VIDUAL. Signed; MARIELENA BARRAGAN BARRAGAN/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/28/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE. This Excitious Name Statement excises. business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-019281

File No. 2025-019281
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MGV TRUCKING, 15720 PERILLA AVE APT 1, PARAMOUNT, CA 90723. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) PATRICIA DEL CARMEN ECHEVERRIA MUNOZ, 15720 PERILLA AVE APT 1, PARAMOUNT, CA 90723. This Business is a contract of the contract of th conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed; PATRI-CIA DEL CARMEN ECHEVERRIA MUNOZ/ CIA DEL CARMEN ECHEVERRIA MUNOZI
OWNER. This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/29/2025. The
registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact
business under the fictitious business name or
names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the
date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-021481

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MUSIC BOX, 2301 190TH STREET, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SB MEDIA AND EDUCATION INC. 2301 190TH STREET, REDONDO BEACH, CA 2301 190TH STREET, REDONDO BEACH, CA 90278. This Business is conducted by: A COR-PORATION. Signed; DAVID NUNEZ/PRESI-DENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/31/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE: This Fictions Name Statement expires five years from the control of the properties titious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. The following person(s) is (are) doing business filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement

does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights File No. 2025-013553 does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-024304
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SPAIN RESTAURANT, 1866 GLENDALE BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90026. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SAN MARCOS LA, LLC, 1866 GLENDALE BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90026. Full rame of registrant(s) is (are) SAN MARCOS LA, LLC, 1866 GLENDALE BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90026. This Business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed; OSCAR CO-RONA/MANAGING MEMBER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/05/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025 Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-026062

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: UNIVERSE LINKAGE CO., 4852 W 130 ST, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ANA R. BARRERA, 4852 W 130 ST, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. JOSUE LOPEZ GOMEZ, 4852 W 130 ST, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed; JOSUE LOPEZ GOMEZ/GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los GENERAL PARTHERSHIP. Signley, JOSOB LOPEZ GOMEZ/GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/07/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 08/2018. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC
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FILE NO. 2025-021114

FILE NO. 2025-021114
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) LAN THI KIEU LE, 1702 E WASHINGTON BL, PASADENA, CA 91104. has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: RITZ NAILS, 1702 E WASHINGTON BL, PASADENA, CA, 91104 The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 05/24/2023, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2023114310. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 01/31/2025. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) LAN THI KIEU LE/OWNER Publish: Mountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 15, 22, MAR 01, 08, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025021169
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: WESTERN AREA CONTRACT COMPLIANCE LABOR MANAGEMENT WORK PRESERVATION PROGRAM 101 W. MISSION BLVD. SUITE 110392 POMONA, CA. 91766. LOS ANGELES COUNTY Full name of registrant(s) is (are) CHRISTIAN BETANCOURT, TRUSTEE OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PLASTERING LABOR-MANAGEMENT WORK PRESERVATION TRUST 200 S. LOS ROBLES SUITE 320 PASADENA, CA. 91011. This Business is conducted by: A TRUST. Signed; CHRISTIAN BETANCOURT, TRUSTEE OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PLASTERING LABOR-MANAGEMENT WORK PRESERVATION TRUST, CHRISTIAN BETANCOURT. TRUSTEE OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PLASTERING LABOR-MANAGEMENT WORK PRESERVATION TRUST, CHRISTIAN BETANCOURT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/31/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. use it this state of a rictious Business Nather in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: DIRMountain Views News/

FEB, 08, 15, 22, March 1, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025022791
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CARRASCO'S IMMIGRATION SERVICES 7986 DE GARMO AVE SUN VALLEY, CA. 91352. LOS ANGELES COUNTY Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RELIABLE DOCUMENT SERVICES, INC. 7986 DE GARMO AVE SUN VALLEY, CA. 91352. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: RELIABLE DOCUMENT SERVICES, INC. UDICELA CARRASCO, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/04/2025. The registrant(s) has (have commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOmenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NO-TICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the ing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025024849
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GREYSON TOWER ASSET MANAGEMENT 1872 BISHOP LN UNIT 7 SIMI VALLEY, CA. 93063. CALIFORNIA VENTURA COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MELISSA BIDGOLI 1872 BISHOP LN UNIT 7 SIMI VALLEY, CA. 93063. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed; MELISSA BIDGOLI OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 02/06/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/2020. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or com-mon law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-015877
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BABY DOVE FOODS, 4108 W 107TH ST, IN-GLEWOOD, CA 90304. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BABY DOVES FOODS LLC, 4108 W 107TH ST, INGLEWOOD, CA 90304. This Business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed; ASAH-YANAH GORE/CEO. ARTICLE # 202464814606 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Lora Angelos. CEO. ARTICLE # 202464814606 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-015873
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CRYSTAL PENNY PRODUCTIONS, PENCRY-SHA PUBLISHING, 3626 W MEDICI LANE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DENISE FRANCINE WILSON, 3626 W MEDICI LANE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305, CYNTHIA WILSON, 3626 W MEDICI LANE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90305. This Business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed; DENISE FRANCINE WILSON/GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed; DENISE FRANCINE WILSON/GENERAL PARTNERS. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. Anew Fictitious Business Name Statement must be A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-010998
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DIESEL MOBILE TESTER MASTER, 1120 OAK AVE APT A, DUARTE, CA 91010. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SALVADOR MAGALLANES, 1120 OAK AVE APT A, DUARTE, CA 91010. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVID-UAL. Signed; SALVADOR MAGALLANES/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/17/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE: This Fittious Name Statement expires five years from the titious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a does not of itself authorize the use in this state or a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

The following person(s) is (are) doing busines: as: GZ SYNTHETIC GRASS DISTRIBUTORS

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GZ SVNTHETIC GRASS DISTRIBUTORS, 12405 BENEDICT AVE#2, DOWNEY, CA 90242. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ALAN RUVALCABA, 12405 BENEDICT AVE#2, DOWNEY, CA 90242. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDIAL. Signed; ALAN RUVALCABA/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/22/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2024. NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/IDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-011152
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LUXURY\_LIGNEE, 5530 LEMORAN AVE, PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GABRIEL GARCIA, 5530 LEMORAN AVE, PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed; GABRIEL GARCIA/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/17/2025. The registrant(s) has (have commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-015858
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MEXI INCOME TAX, 3560 SANTA ANITA AVE SUITE P, EL MONTE, CA 91731. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARIA GUADALUPE BARRAGAN, 3560 SANTA ANITA AVE STE P, EL MONTE, CA 91731, WENDY CARRILLO, 3560 SANTA ANITA AVE STE P, EL MONTE, CA 91731 This Purisess is conducted by A GENER. SANTA ANITA AVE STE P, EL MONTE, CA 91731. This Business is conducted by: A GENER AL PARTNERSHIP. Signed; MARIA GUADA-LUPE BARRAGAN/GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Stateon N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: Mountain Views News/IDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-013672
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MONROY HAIR PRODUCTS, 2080 WOLAM ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90065. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ROGELIO MONROY, 2080 WOLAM ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90065. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed; ROGELIO MONROY/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/22/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Stateon N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/IDC
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STALEMENT File No. 2025-015875
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RESTAURANTE ANTIGUA, 2021 W 3RD ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90057. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARTA ZAPETA HER. RERA, 2021 W 23RD ST, LOS ANGELES, CA RĒRA, 2021 W 23RD ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90057. This Business is conducted by: AN INDI-VIDUAL. Signed; MARTA ZAPETA HERRERA/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a frictitious Business Name in violation of the rights does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)Publish: Mountain Views News/JDC Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08, 15, 22, 2025

FILE NO. 2025-012476 FILE NO. 2023-012470 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME The following person(s) RUTH GARCIA PAS-TRANA, 9420 STATE ST., SOUTH GATE, CA LA CALIDAD MINI MARKET business name: LA CALIDAD MINI MARKET, 9420 STATE ST., SOUTH GATE, CA,90280 The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 03/19/2024, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2024060509. The business original file number of 2024005095. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 01/21/2025. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which her rish knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) RUTH GARCIA PASTRANA/OWNER

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FILE NO. 2025-012685 FILE NO. 2025-012685 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME The following person(s) CONSUELO ERAZO VANEGAS, 630 E 113TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90059, KARLA E LARA PADILLA, 630 E 113TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90059. has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: LOS CARLITOS, 630 E 113TH ST, LOS ANGELES CARLITOS, 630 E 1131H S1, LOS ANGELES, CA,90059 The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 12/12/2024, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 2024252108. The business was conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP, This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 01/21/2025. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true informa-tion which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) CONSUELO ERAZO VANEGAS/ GEN-ERAL PARTNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025016917
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MAR Y SOL BEAUTY 7006 COLDWATER CYN AVE #1 NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91605. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES CÓUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LILIANA MARISOL NAVARRÈTE 7006 COLDWATER CYN AVE #1 NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91605. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: LILIANA MARISOL NAVARRÈTE OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/27/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be date it was fried in the office of the County Clerk.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025020558

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: K & L DIAMOND SETTING 629 HILL ST SUITE 1210 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90014. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES, CA. 90014. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) AGOUTIOUN KALADJIYAN 23814 SARDA RD VALENCIA, CA. 91355. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: AGOUTIOUN KALADJIYAN OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clark of Los Angeles County on U(31/2005. The Signed: AGOUTIOUN KALADIJITAN OWN-ER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/31/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Ficnames listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fic-titious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 202501661
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: NO LIGHT TO LIGHT BARBERSHOP & BEAUTY SALON 1702 DEVONSHIRE ST NORTHRIDGE, CA. 91325. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) NLTL SERVICES, LLC 1702 DEVONSHIRE ST NORTHRIDGE, CA. 91325. This Business is conducted by: NLTL SERVICES, LLC JOSE MARQUEZ, MANAGER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/27/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The fil-Statement must be filed prior to that date. The fil-ing of this statement does not of itself authorize the

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES STANLEY MOSK COURTHOUSE 111 N. HILL STREET LOS ANGELES, CA. 90012

**SUMMONS** 

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:

JOSEPH GUZMAN, an individual AKA JOE GUZMAM, an individual; LABEL REALTY GROUP, a California corporation; VICTOR SANDOVAL, and individual and Does 1-50. YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: SARA GEPHART, an individual: and RENE URENO, an individual

CASE NUMBER: 24STCV11956

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below:

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/ selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service, If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived feeds and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información

Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al de mandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más înformación en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www. sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar

CASE NUMBER: (Número del Caso):

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es):

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA STANLEY MOSK COURTHOUSE **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES** 111 N. HILL STREET LOS ANGELES, CA. 90012

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:

(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):

> NOAH GREEN, ESQ. THE GREEN FIRM, P.C. 301 E. COLORADO BLVD. STE. 708 PASADENA, CA. 91101 (626) 395-7686 Published: Mountain Views News February 1, 8, 15, 22, 2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

FIG INTO SUSTINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 202501617

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MONTANA PROFESSIONAL SERVICES 12431

SAN FERNANDO ROAD UNIT #D SYLMAR, CA. 91342-7749. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) FRANCISCO GIRON 12431 SAN FERNANDO ROAD UNIT #D SYLMAR, CA. 91342-7749.

This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: FRANCISCO GIRON, INDIVIDUAL OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/27/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2008. business name or names listed above on 01/2008. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of The years from the date it was fried in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The fil-ing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08,15, 22,2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025016998

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: FIESTA FURNITURE 1005 CELIS ST SAN FERNANDO, CA. 91340. AON: C4664181. CAL-IFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name IFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are ) FIESTA HOME STORE INC. 1005 CELIS ST SAN FERNANDO, CA. 91340. This Business is conducted by: A CORPO-RATION. Signed: FIESTA HOME STORE INC. VICTOR CEBALLOS, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/27/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business appears are new listed above on 01/27/20 business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The fil-ing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08,15, 22,2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2025017052
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CLAROS AREPAS 11750 KITTRIDGE ST NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91606. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) EDINSON CLAROS GONZALEZ 11750 KITTRIDGE ST NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91606. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: EDINSON CLAROS GONZALEZ OWNER. This statement was filed with the COUNTY Clerk of Los Angeles was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/27/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025017746 File No. 2025017746
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: FRUTAS Y VERDURAS LA ESPERANZAN. CALIFORNIA 1843 W 42ND ST LOS ANGELES, CA. 90062. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE ANGEL SORTO SANTOS 1843 W 42ND ST LOS ANGELES, CA. 90062. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOSE ANGEL SORTO SANTOS OWNER. This statement was filed with the County (Lerk of Los Angeles County). filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/28/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious menced to transact business under the Tictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the

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FILE NO. 2025018645
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RAN SERVICE APPLIANCE REPAIR 1800 GRISMER AVE APT 211 BURBANK, CA. 91504. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RAN SERVICE LLC 1800 GRISMER AVE APT 211 BURBANK CA. 91504 This Publica 211 BURBANK, CA. 91504. This Business is conducted by: AN LLC. Signed: RAN SERVICE LLC, RAMIZ NASIROV, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/29/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A tious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01, 08,15, 22,2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025019688 File No. 2025019088
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
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CLEANING DONE WELL IMPECCABLE AND PERFECT 7454 HASKELL AVENUE #2 VAN NUYS, CA. 91406. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MANUEL SAQUEO CUIN ORDONEZ 7454 HASKELL AVENUE #2 VAN NUYS, CA. 7454 HASKELL AVENUE #2 VAN NUYS, CA.
191406. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MANUEL SAQUEO CUIN
ORDONEZ, OWNER. This statement was filed
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on 01/30/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious menced to transact business under the Tictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The fil-ing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of noother under Federal. violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: FEB 01 08 15 22 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025020031

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ELITE CONTRACTORS 221 E LEXINGTON DRIVE SUITE 104 GLENDALE, CA. 91206.





Michele Silence, M.A. is a 37-year certified fitness professional who offers semi-private/virtual fitness classes. Contact Michele at michele@kid-fit. com. Visit her Facebook page at: michelesfitness Visit her Facebook page at: michelesfitness.

### FITNESS CHALLENGES

### 10 SUPERFOODS FOR FITNESS

When you work out a lot, your body needs the right fuel to keep going strong. Just like a car needs good gas to run smoothly, your body needs healthy foods packed with nutrients to perform at its best. Whether you're lifting weights, running, playing pickle ball or swimming, eating the right foods can help you recover faster, build muscle, and have more energy. Here are 10 plant-based power foods that can help you stay strong, feel great, and get the most out of your workouts.

1. Bananas – Nature's Energy Bars

Bananas are one of the best pre-workout snacks you can eat. They are full of natural sugars, carbohydrates, and potassium, which help prevent muscle cramps. Since bananas are easy to digest, they give you quick energy without

weighing you down. Eat one about 30 minutes before you exercise for an energy boost.

2. Oats – Long-Lasting Fuel Oatmeal is a fantastic breakfast choice for people who exercise. It's full of fiber, which gives you a steady source of energy throughout your workout. Oats also contain B vitamins, which help convert food into energy. Try eating a bowl of oatmeal with fruit in the morning before you work out.

### 3. Sweet Potatoes – The Perfect Carb

Sweet potatoes are a powerhouse of vitamin A, fiber, and complex carbohydrates. They help replenish glycogen stores after a tough workout and support muscle recovery. Their natural sweetness makes them a delicious addition to any meal, whether roasted, mashed, or blended into smoothies. Plus, they're rich in antioxidants, which help fight inflammation and speed up healing after intense exercise.

### 4. Almonds – The Healthy Fat

Almonds are packed with healthy fats, protein, and vitamin E, which helps fight muscle damage caused by exercise. They make a great snack because they provide long-lasting energy without making you feel sluggish. Just be careful not to eat too many—almonds are high in calories, so a small handful is enough.

### 5. Spinach – The Super Green

Spinach is rich in iron, which boosts oxygen delivery to muscles, helping to prevent fatigue. It also contains magnesium, a key mineral for muscle relaxation and recovery. Add spinach to salads, smoothies, or grain bowls for an easy nutrient boost. Plus, its high levels of vitamin C help your body absorb iron more efficiently, maximizing its benefits for endurance and strength. Adding spinach to your salads, soups, or pasta is an easy way to get these benefits.

### 6. Quinoa – The Protein-Packed Grain

Quinoa is a whole grain that's high in protein, fiber, and essential amino acids. It's also a great source of energy-boosting carbohydrates. Since it's gluten-free and easy to digest, quinoa is an excellent food for athletes looking for a balanced meal. Try it as a base for a salad or as a side dish with your favorite protein.

### 7. Chia Seeds – Tiny but Mighty

Chia seeds may be small, but they are packed with protein, omega-3 fatty acids, and fiber. They help keep you hydrated by absorbing liquid and forming a gel-like consistency in your stomach. This makes them a great addition to smoothies, oatmeal, or homemade energy bars.

### 8. Lentils – The Muscle Builder

Lentils are a great plant-based source of protein and iron, both of which are important for muscle repair and endurance. They are also packed with fiber, which helps keep your energy levels stable. Lentils are great in soups, salads, or grain bowls for a satisfying meal.

### 9. Berries – The Antioxidant Powerhouses

Berries like blueberries, strawberries, and raspberries are rich in antioxidants, which help reduce muscle soreness and speed up recovery. Their natural sugars provide a quick energy boost, making them an ideal pre- or post-workout snack. Try them in a smoothie or mixed into oatmeal. They're also packed with vitamin C, which supports immune function and helps repair tissues damaged during exercise.

### 10. Avocados – The Recovery Superstar

Avocados are loaded with monounsaturated fats, potassium, and magnesium, all of which support muscle function and prevent cramps. Their creamy texture makes them easy to add to toast, salads, or baked goods for a nutritious energy boost. They also contain B vitamins, which help convert food into energy, keeping you fueled for workouts and recovery.

Eating the right foods can make a huge difference in how you feel and perform during exercise. Whether you need energy before a workout or recovery after one, these 10 plant-based power foods can help your body stay strong, repair itself, and keep you going. With the right fuel, you can train smarter, recover faster, and perform at your peak. Best of all, you don't need any expensive supplements, powders or shakes to do it.



CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GEVORK AKOPYAN 221 E LEXINGTON DRIVE SUITE 104 GLENDALE, CA. 91206 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GEVORK AKOPYAN OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/30/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2025020160
The following person(s) is (are) doing business
as: CALIFORNIA DREAMING REALTY 9701
WILSHIRE BLVD SUITE 1000 BEVERLY HILLS,
CA. 90210. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SEAN AHAUS
9701 WILSHIRE BLVD SUITE 1000 BEVERLY
HILLS, CA. 90210. This Business is conducted by:
AN INDIVIDUAL Signed: SEAN AHAUS OWNER.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025013805 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025013805
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RROGERS FOUNDATION 80 W SIERRA MADRE BLVD SIERRA MADRE, CA. 91024. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RICKY LEE ROGERS. 80 W SIERRA MADRE BLVD SIERRA MADRE, CA. 91024. This Business is conducted by: AN INDI-VIDUAL. Signed: RICKY LEE ROGERS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/22/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICET—This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025015844

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: US GRAPHIC SUPPLY 870 MONTEREY PASS ROAD MONTEREY PASK, CA. 91754. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: INTERNATIONAL DAILY NEWS, INC. YOPIE SIOENG, CEO.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NO-TICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025014695
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SWEEP'N SHINE 4601 TALENTO WAY PALM-DALE, CA. 93551. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SWEEP'N SHINE LLC 4601 TALENTO WAY PALMDALE, CA. 9355; CASE CLOSED, INC. 3006 S. VERMONT AVE #503 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90007. This Business is conducted by: A JOINT VENTURE. Signed: CASE CLOSED, INC. DUSHON DUSESY, GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/23/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File

NO. 2023/12/07 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LIKE FAMILY CARE 5250 LANKERSHIM BLVD SUITE 500 NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91601. AON 202252716140. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LIKE FAMILY LLC 5250 LANKERSHIM BLVD SUITE 500 NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91601. This Business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COM-

PANY. Signed: LIKE FAMILY LLC, MARYAM SE-SAY, MANAGING MEMBER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/21/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2022. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: JAN 25, FEB 01, 08,15, 2025

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025012367
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: F I ELECTRICAL 10749 NEW HAVEN ST UNIT 15 SUN VALLEY, CA. 91352; AMERICAN GREEN HOMES 10749 NEW HAVEN ST UNIT 15 SUN VALLEY, CA. 91352. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) EDWARD BAGHRAMIAN 10749 NEW HAVEN ST UNIT 15 SUN VALLEY, CA. 91352 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: EDWARD BAGHRAMIAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/21/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025007908

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: WHITE ESSENCE CANDLES 4226 NORMAL AVE APT 2 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90029. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) CARLA JANETH GARRIDO GÖNZALEZ 4226 NORMAL AVE APT 2 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90029. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: CARLA JANETH GARRIDO GONZALEZ, OWNER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/14/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business and or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code)
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025012589

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ROSA'S FLOWERS & EVENTS 14518 POLK ST SYLMAR, CA. 91342. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARICELA BARAJAS MORALES 14518 POLK ST SYLMAR, CA. 91342 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL . Signed: MARICELA BARAJAS MORALES OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/21/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: JAN 25, FEB 01, 08,15, 2025 Dates Pub: JAN 25, FEB 01, 08,15, 2025

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025008920

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DR CUSTOME 320 E 127H ST SUITE 15 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90015. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES, CA. 90015. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES, CA. 90010 GOMEZ MARROQUIN 320 E 127H ST SUITE 15 LOS ANGELES, CA. 90015. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: RO-AUL ANTONIO GOMEZ MARROQUIN OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/15/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: 021 ENTERPRISES 4705 KESTER AVE UNIT 215 SHERMAN OAKS, CA. 91403. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGGLES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SHAHRDAD SHADROU 4705 KESTER AVE UNIT 215 SHERMAN OAKS, CA. 91403. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: SHAHRDAD SHADROU OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/24/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of five years from the date it was filed in the office of

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: HERNANDEZ REMODELING 12959 CORCORAN PLACE SAN FERNANDO, CA. 91341. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ISMAEL HERNANDEZ HERNANDEZ 12959 CORCORAN PLACE SAN FERNANDEZ 12959 CORCORAN PLACE SAN FERNANDEZ CA. 91341. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ISMAEL HERNANDEZ DEVERNANDEZ OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/23/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the frictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: JAN 25, FEB 01, 08,15, 2025

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SMART COSTUM CABINETS 37925 6TH ST EAST #203 PALMDALE, CA. 93550. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RICARDO ANTONIO VELASCO 37925 6TH ST EAST #203 PALMDALE, CA. 93550 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL Signed: RICARDO ANTONIO VELASCO OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/23/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: J M B SHET METAL 11735 GRUEN ST SYL-MAR, CA. 91342. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JUAN M BARAJAS LANDEROS 11735 GRUEN ST SYL-MAR, CA. 91342. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL... Signed: UAN M BARAJAS LANDEROS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/23/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filling of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et sequents) and the section of the States of the Sta

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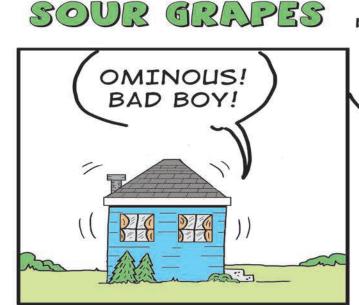
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025014610
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: HASSEL FREE REMODELING 14806 LANARK ST PANORAMA CITY, CA. 91402. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ANTONIO LOPEZ LOPEZ 14806 LANARK ST PANORAMA CITY, CA. 91402 This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ANTONIO LOPEZ LOPEZ Where. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/23/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Publish: ESMountain Views News Dates Pub: JAN 25, FEB 01, 08,15, 2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025012374
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SIMA 6915 BECKETT ST TUJUNGA, CA. 91402. CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GRIGOR KARAPETY-AN 6915 BECKETT ST TUJUNGA, CA. 91402. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GRIGOR KARAPETYAN OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 01/21/2025. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/2025. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code)
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# February Events **Around Town!**

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### **One Time Events**

### February 1

Lunar New Year @ PAM USC Pacific Asia Museum hosts a celebration for the Year of the Snake - live performances and activities for the whole family.11am - 5 pm

### February 1

Year of the Snake Family Workshop at the **Arboretum** Celebrate Chinese New Year and create a Year of the Snake craft. 2 - 3 pm

unar New Year Festival in Downtown Arcadia Celebrate Lunar New Year with music, dances and traditional benefitting Arcadia teachers, staff, and families who lost their homes in the recent fires. 11 am - 4 pm

### February 8

Lunar New Year One Colorado Dance along to live traditional music, then enjoy performances of the lion and snake dances. 1 – 4 pm

Pasadena Heritage's Art Deco Day: Exploring <u>Timeless Elegance</u> Experience Art Deco charm with guided tours and engaging lectures celebrating this timeless design. 10 am - 6pm

### February 15

Black History Festival Providing a bit of joy in the community in the wake of the Eaton Fire Held at Robinson Park in Pasadena, the festival features entertainment, family friendly activities, community resources, and more. 10 am - 3 pm

### February 15

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Dvôrák Cello Concerto - Pasadena Symphony at Ambassador Auditorium Indulge in the romance of Wagner's thrilling "Magic Fire Music" & Dvôrák's rapturous Cello Concerto. 2 – 8 pm

### Ongoing Events

### January 24 - February 7

Dine LA Restaurant Week Enjoy diverse culinary experiences offered by restaurants in Pasadena and L.A. A portion of the proceeds goes to Red Cross for fire relief.

### February 1 - August 1

Wired for Wonder: A Multisensory Maze at Kidspace Navigate a physical structure that harnesses color, light, movement, texture,

### February 1, 2

San Gabriel Lunar Lantern Festival In the San Gabriel Mission District featuring amazing lantern displays, live performances, street foods, and more. 10 am - 7 pm

Lunar New Year Festival at The Huntington
Enjoy lion dances, a mask-changing artist, floral arts, music, and more. 10 am - 5 pm

February 1, 2 **Lunar New Year Celebration at Santa Anita** Enjoy Chinese cultural shows, activities,

### food, and live horse racing. 10:30 am - 5:30 pm

Botanic Boutique at Descanso Gardens Enjoy a no-host-bar and meet local artisans.

Shop an assortment of beautiful jewelry, ceramics, scarves, and more. 10 am - 4 pm February 9 - March 9

This twist on Shakespeare's compelling tragedy is set in New Orleans.

### February 11, 25

Macbeth at A Noise Within

Camerata Pacifica Performs at The Huntington February 11 - "Pierrot Lunaire" Features pieces by Gershwin, Debussy, and more. February 25 - "Baroque" Features pieces by Sancho and Handel. 7:30 - 9 pm

Bawdy Botany at the Arboretum Discover the fascinating botany of love and lust on this evening jaunt that's a bit naughty, very nerdy, and a lot of fun. 7:30 - 9 pm

### February 23 - March 1

<u>Cheeseburger Week in Pasadena</u>
This event, originally scheduled to begin on January 26, celebrates the invention of the cheeseburger in Pasadena. Participating local restaurants will feature special menu items and deals for patrons.



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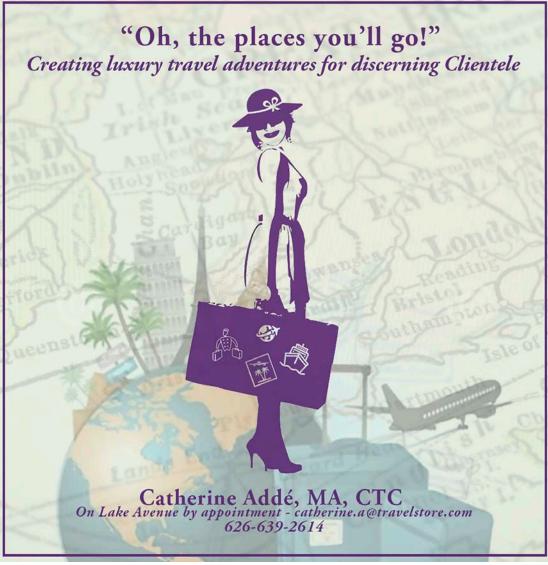
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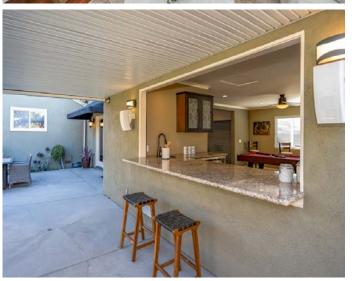




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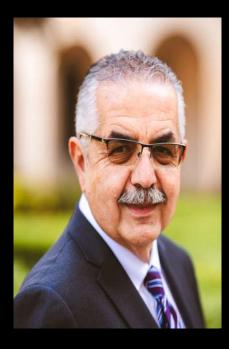


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