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Norwalk man charged with murder

NORWALK - A Norwalk man was charged today with killing two people and injuring others in a DUI crash on the 605 Freeway.

Barragan (dob Alex 8/27/86) faces two counts of murder and one count each of driving under the influence of alcohol within 10 years of another DUI offense and driving with a .08 percent blood alcohol content causing injury within 10 years of another DUI offense.

Arraignment was scheduled for Wednesday at Los Angeles County Superior Court, Bellflower Branch.

On July 16, Barragan was allegedly driving his car on the freeway near Alondra Boulevard when he rear ended a disabled van, prosecutors said. The van erupted in flames and two people died and three others were injured, prosecutors added.

If convicted as charged, Barragan faces a possible maximum sentence of 44 years to life in state prison.

Bail is set at more than \$2.19 million.

case remains under investigation by the California Highway Patrol, Santa Fe Springs Area.

Freeway offramp closed for 3 months

NORWALK - Caltrans announced the scheduled closure of the Norwalk Boulevard off ramp from northbound Interstate 5 (Santa Ana Freeway) at 10 p.m., Sunday July 15.

The off ramp will remain closed for up to 90 days for reconstruction and paving.

The reconstruction of this ramp is part of the I-5 widening project which is adding two lanes to each direction of I-5 between I-605 (San Gabriel River Freeway) and the Orange County line.

This segment of the project includes reconstruction of the Norwalk Boulevard interchange and the San Antonio Drive Bridge.

Drivers are advised to exit northbound I-5 at the new Rosecrans Boulevard off ramp, where the timing of the traffic signals will be adjusted by the city of Norwalk to accommodate the heavier traffic flow.

Free concert at Hermosillo Park

NORWALK - Norwalk families are invited to an afternoon of games and live entertainment this Saturday at Hermosillo Park from 4-8 p.m.

The Band Fresh will perform Top 40 and Latin music.

Free hot dogs will be provided to all in attendance. There will also be dessertspecialty food trucks on-site.

Hermosillo Park is at 11959 162nd St.

SUMMER CONCERTS ON THE LAWN

Photos by city of Norwalk

Next week: The Hodads























Norwalk restaurant grades

Rancho Grande 10935 E Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 7/17/18 Grade: A

Diana's Mexican Foods Market 16330 S Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/17/18

> Pancho's Grill 12405 E Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 7/17/18

> > Grade: A

Grade: A

United Oil 11353 E Imperial Hwy. Date Inspected: 7/17/18 Grade: A

Tacos y Mariscos Mi Pueblo 12001 Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 7/17/18 Grade: A

Lima Services Corp 11405 E Firestone Blvd. #J Date Inspected: 7/13/18 Grade: A

AMC Norwalk 12300 E Civic Center Dr. Date Inspected: 7/13/18 Grade: A

AMC Norwalk Restaurant Bar 12300 E Civic Center Dr. Date Inspected: 7/13/18 Grade: A

Joe's Food Mart and Liquor 10641 Imperial Hwy. Date Inspected: 7/13/18 Grade: A

El Paraiso Juice Bar 15002 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/12/18 Grade: A

Lucian's Pizza 15008 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/12/18 Grade: A

Tacos Chihuahua 11735 The Plz Date Inspected: 7/12/18 Grade: A

Home Style Donuts 12840 S Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/12/18 Grade: A

Sp Food Market 12844 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/12/18 Grade: A

Ana's Bionicos 10977 Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 7/11/18 Grade: A

Ella's Cafe 13220 San Antonio Dr. Date Inspected: 7/11/18 Grade: B

Wingstop 11739 Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 7/11/18 Grade: A

Wok California 12551 1/2 E Alondra Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/5/18 Grade: A

Angelina's Famous Pizza 12553 Alondra Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/3/18 Grade: A

Village Liquor 12527 E Alondra Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/3/18 Grade: A

Drinking Water Store 12553 1/2 Alondra Blvd. Date Inspected: 7/2/18 Grade: A

McDonalds 11053 Rosecrans Ave Date Inspected: 6/29/18

Grade: A

Weekend at a Glance

Friday

Saturday 85

14783 Carmenita Road, Norwalk, CA 90650

Sunday



Movie Night: "Wonder" Friday - Norwalk Park, 7:30 pm

The City of Norwalk presents a free outdoor screening of "Wonder." Bring a blanket or lawn chair. Food will be available for purchase.



Summer Soul Festival Friday - Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center, 5 pm

Hip-hop themed festival with performances by Doug E. Fresh, Big Daddy Kane, EPMD, and Ahmad. \$50



Jenni and Selena Saturday - Sage Lounge in Whittier, 8 pm

Jenni Rivera and Selena impersonators perform live, along with full band La Sonora Dinamita.



Colombian Festival Sunday - Pico Rivera Sports Arena, 11 am

A celebration of all things Colombia. Three stages of live music, including tropical, reggaeton, and electric dance. Sponsored by Mega 96.3 FM. \$35



Sunsets at the Zoo

Sunday - Santa Ana Zoo, 5:30 pm Live music, local brewers, animals, crafts, food, and family-friendly

activities. \$20



Summer Freestyle Festival Saturday - Greek Theatre, 7 pm

A throwback lineup headlined by Salt N Pepa and The Village People. \$50.

TWEET OF THE WEEK

@my5LA: We have started installing the first layer of concrete for new lanes of I-5 between Norwalk Blvd. & Imperial Hwy. in #Norwalk!



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NORWALK HAPPENINGS

Friday, July 20

Family Movie Night: Wonder, 7:30 pm. Bring your lawn chair and blanket for a screening of "Wonder" on a 400-ft. outdoor screen. Norwalk Park, 13000 Clarkdale Ave.

Saturday, July 21

Hazardous Waste Collection,

9 am to 3 pm. Bring your paints, chemicals, needles and electronics for proper disposal. Limit 15 gallons or 125 lbs. per trip. Cerritos College stadium parking lot, 11110 Alondra Blvd.

Summer Jamz at the Park, 4-8 pm. The band Fresh performs Latin, rock, R&B, and hip-hop. Plus food booths, games and

summer activities. Hermosillo Park, 11959 162nd St.

Wednesday, July 25

Live in Concert: The Hodads,

7 pm. The Hodads blend 70s disco/beach/classics music, stylish costumes and audience interaction. City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

Planning Commission Meeting 7:30 pm. Planning

Commissioners meet to discuss and approve projects for the further development of Norwalk. City Hall-Council Chambers, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

Thursday, July 26

Neighborhood Watch Meeting. 6:30 pm. Speak to neighborhood and learn about local crime trends. 14700 block of Gridley

Friday, July 27

Family Movie Night: Black Panther, 7:30 pm. Bring your lawn chair and blanket for a screening of "Black Panther" on a

400-ft. outdoor screen. Norwalk Park, 13000 Clarkdale Ave. Plants in a Glass, 7 pm. A fun and entertaining time of planting, digging, and creating your very own succulent terrarium. An

instructor will guide you step-bystep through the whole process. All seating is first come, first serve. Cost \$25. Rich Rehearsal Hall, 13200 Clarkdale Ave.

Saturday, July 28

Neighborhood Block Party, 2 pm. Get to know local residents and law enforcement at an afternoon of barbecuing and community-building. Hermosillo Park, 11959 162nd St.

Wednesday, August 1

Live in Concert: LAvation, 7 pm. The U2 tribute band performs an amazingly accurate show, incorporating stage elements from past U2 concerts. City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

Thursday, August 2

Kids Beach Bus, 9 am. Kids ages 8-17 are invited to take a bus to Redondo Beach for a day at the beach. Two pick-up locations: Norwalk Arts & Sports Complex and Social Services Center.

Wednesday, August 3

Family Movie Night: Wonder Woman, 7:30 pm. Bring your lawn chair and blanket for a screening of "Wonder Woman" on a 400-ft. outdoor screen. Norwalk Park, 13000 Clarkdale

Wednesday, August 8

Live in Concert: Soto Band, 7 pm. Latin funk, R&B rhythms and highly-choroegraphed dance moves are signatures of a Soto Band concert. City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

Saturday, August 11

Summer Jamz at the Park, 4-8 pm. Vinyle Funk performs 70s funk and 60s R&B. Plus food booths and games. Gerdes Park, 14700 Gridley Rd.

Friday, August 17

Friday Flicks: Transformers., 8 pm. A free outdoor screening of 'Transformers.' City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

Friday, August 24

Open Mic., 7 pm. Calling all singers, dancers, poets, comedians and musicians. Norwalk Cultural Arts Center, 13200 Clarkdale Aven.

Tuesday, August 28

Red Cross Blood Drive: 2 p.m. Donate blood to the Red Cross. Norwalk Social Services Center, 11929 Alondra Blvd.

Short film festival returns to Santa Fe Springs

► FILM FESTIVAL: Saturday's free event will feature short film screenings, painting, live music, and an exclusive pale ale.

SANTA FE SPRINGS - The second evening of the Green Salon Short Film Festival returns to Santa Fe Springs this Saturday, July 23, at 7 p.m.

The festival, which features the work of local filmmakers, happens the fourth Saturday of each summer month - June, July, and August - at Studio GalleRoy, the painting studio of Roy Anthony Shabla. It is a free-admission event.

This year, the festival is combined with a small art fair. Local artists and craftsmen will exhibit and sell their work on site. Drawing and painting, sculpture, jewelry, and glass art will be featured.

Studio GalleRoy itself will exhibit a different series of encouraging the public to attend all three evenings of film and art.

The Green Salon is a monthly gathering of artists, poets, musicians, filmmakers, and other cultural enthusiasts.

It is usually located in Downey, in the private garden of Roy Anthony Shabla, but moves to Santa Fe Springs for the short film festival each summer. It is the longestrunning monthly cultural event in the immediate area.

The Green Salon always hosts an open mic and featured reader. This month, the featured reader is one of the most exciting poets in Southern California, Kevin Ridgeway.

He is published in hundreds of journals and anthologies and will read from his new book, "A Ludicrous Split."

"He is a star on the local

understand why when his work rewires your brain and your heart," said Shabla. Books will be for sale.

The art fair featured artist this month is Gennie Prochazka. She has been an illustrator for over 25 years, having created images for children's books, magazine and newspaper articles (including the Downey Patriot), and a book of poetry.

Her work is primarily made with watercolor and pen/ink but recently has forayed into acrylic paint and other media.

Prochazka years, brought to life the twisted, quirky creatures lurking in her imagination -monsters, mermaids, bat-girls and other oddities- however, now she is focused on painting the tangible world.

In this shift, her recent work reflects icons of Southern

that cross our cities. Painted on wood panels in acrylic, the images convey the peacefulness and grandeur of the silent giants that tower over us.

Also, the Green Salon Short

With a passion for film from a young age and a belief that everyone has a story to tell, Park soon got ahold of a camera and started shooting his own documentaries.

Often featuring unsung heroes, artists, and outcasts (and traveling as far as Kenya), Park's goal is to highlight the humanity of each character he

"Invincible Boy" is his and first as the sole writer and director. It is the story of a wildly imaginative boy's

large paintings each month, poetry scene and you will California -the ever-present mission to become a superhero. I enjoy the open exchange palm trees and electrical lines He is challenged to remain of thought and expression strong and hopeful when his optimistic view of the world begins to crumble.

> "Invincible Boy" was shot almost entirely in the City of Downey. The main action Film Festival will host a favorite sequence of the film is based filmmaker this month, Julian on Park's own childhood experiences in downtown Downey.

> > This month, the Green Salon will feature Dave the Cowboy Award Winning Homebrew. It is a locally-made, smallbatch beer that has recently dominated California brewing competitions.

> > David R. Youel started making beer in 2013 and has challenged himself to brew each batch better than the last.

second narrative short film endeavor," he says. "Even the most successful brewer doesn't purport to know everything about the practice or subject.

with other brew masters, it stimulates me to create... with the help of some hungry yeast. I hope to yield a beautiful drink that soothes the concerns of life for a while.'

Dave the Cowboy Award Winning Homebrew is available exclusively and intermittently at the Green Salon. This month, a pale ale will be served. It won first place at the 2017 Los Angeles County Fair.

Also featured at the short film festival: live music by Santa Fe Spring's own Witch Cake, an open mic, a featured reader, exhibition of the work of local artists, beer, wine and vegan snacks, and short films by local filmmakers.

Studio GalleRoy is located at 11210 Greenstone Avenue, Santa Fe Springs.

TOXIC TRASH

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Why won't Donald Trump speak for America?

By the New York Times Editorial Board

The last time President Trump claimed that "both sides" were responsible for bad behavior, it didn't go well.

That was nearly a year ago, after a march of neo-Nazis descended into violence and a white supremacist drove his car into a crowd of peaceful protesters, killing a woman.

On Monday, Mr. Trump again engaged in immoral equivalence, this time during a gobsmacking news conference after his meeting in Helsinki, Finland, with the Russian president, Vladimir Putin. A reporter referred to last week's indictments of 12 Russian military officials for a coordinated cyberattack on the 2016 election and asked Mr. Trump if he held Russia responsible. "I hold both countries responsible," Mr. Trump said.

Even in a presidency replete with self-defeating moments for the United States, Mr. Trump's comments on Monday, which were broadcast live around the world, stand out.

The spectacle was hard to fathom: Mr. Trump, standing just inches from an autocratic thug who steals territory and has his adversaries murdered, undermined the unanimous conclusion of his own intelligence and law enforcement agencies that the Russian government interfered with the 2016 election with the goal of helping Mr. Trump win.

"My people came to me, Dan Coats came to me, and some others, they said they think it's Russia," Mr. Trump said at one point, speaking of his director of national intelligence. "I have President Putin; he just said it's not Russia. I will say this: I don't see any reason why it would be." (In a statement on Monday afternoon, Mr. Coats reiterated that, in fact, it

Mr. Trump called the special counsel's Russia investigation "a disaster for our country" and then performed a selection of his greatest solo hits: "Zero Collusion," "Where Is the D.N.C.'s Server?" and finally the old chestnut, "I Won the Electoral College by a Lot."

Even top Republicans felt moved to speak up.

"The president must appreciate that Russia is not our ally," Paul Ryan, the House speaker, said. "There is no moral equivalence between the United States and Russia, which remains hostile to our most basic values and ideals.'

Russians are not our friends, and I entirely believe the assessment of our intelligence community."

Senator John McCain was more direct. "No prior president has ever abased himself more abjectly before a tyrant," Mr. McCain said.

Not to worry, Mr. Trump assured us: Mr. Putin "was extremely strong and powerful in his denial." So he must have been telling the truth.

Mr. Putin, for his part, was happy to admit that he wanted Mr. Trump to win the election: "Yes, I did. Because he talked about bringing the U.S.-Russia relationship back to normal." He mocked the idea that he had compromising material on President Trump — though without denying it — perhaps because Mr. Trump's own words were compromising enough.

Mr. Putin offered to have Russian intelligence work with its American counterpart to get to the bottom of the meddling case, on the condition that Russian authorities were allowed to question American intelligence officials as well — which Mr. Trump called "an incredible offer." Yes, incredible.

And still, the indictments related to Russian infiltration keep coming: On Monday, the Justice Department, acting independently of the special counsel's investigation, charged a Russian with acting as an agent for her country in the United States to cement ties between the Republican Party and the National Rifle Association. The 29-year-old woman, who allegedly has ties to a top Russian official, is being held without bond.

Mr. Trump has said he wants to revive a relationship with Russia that badly deteriorated under President Barack Obama. His opening statement to journalists proclaimed the goal of continuing "the proud tradition of bold American diplomacy" and emphasized that "diplomacy and engagement is preferable to conflict and hostility.'

In theory, such objectives make sense. But Mr. Trump seems to be singularly naïve, or deliberately ignorant, about why his own senior national security advisers have identified Russia as one of America's chief geostrategic adversaries, along with China.

Despite a weak economy, corruption and other domestic problems, Mr. Putin has crushed most political opposition at

Mitch McConnell, the Senate majority leader, said, "The ssians are not our friends, and I entirely believe the agents — possibly those from the same military intelligence service that interfered in the American election — have used chemical weapons that poisoned four people in Britain, one of

> He is working hard to sabotage America's ties to NATO and the European Union and to weaken American influence in the Middle East. Russia poses such a cyberthreat to the United States that Mr. Coats last week said "the warning lights are blinking red again."

> There used to be no doubt that American leaders could be counted on to defend the interests of the United States and the democratic alliance it led. President Ronald Reagan did so in 1987 when he exhorted the Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev to "tear down" the Berlin Wall. So did President George H.W. Bush when he told Mr. Gorbachev that Germany would remain in NATO after unification in 1990. And President Obama did so before the 2016 election when he told Mr. Putin to knock off the hacking.

> Other than according Mr. Putin the honor of a meeting that begins to erase the ostracism he suffered for invading Ukraine, it is hard to see what Mr. Trump accomplished. The two men talked about forging a new treaty to replace the New Start Treaty, which constrains nuclear weapons and is to expire in 2021, and also discussed cooperating on Syria, though they seem to have passed up a chance for concrete action.

> There has been no sign that the United States has derived any benefit from Mr. Trump's obsequiousness toward Mr. Putin, though Mr. Trump himself has now at least gotten a shiny new soccer ball.

> It remains a mystery why the president, unlike any of his Republican or Democratic predecessors, is unwilling to call out Russian perfidy. He has no trouble throwing his weight around when he is in the company of America's European allies, attacking them as deadbeats and the European Union as a "foe," or when he excoriates the news media as "enemies of the people." Put him next to Mr. Putin and other dictators, and he turns to putty.

> All that's clear is that a president who is way out of his depth is getting America into deep trouble.

Trump shows the world he's Putin's lackey

By Michelle Goldberg

No matter how low your expectations for the summit between Donald Trump and Vladimir Putin on Monday, it was hard not to be staggered by the American president's slavish and toadying performance.

On Friday, the Justice Department indicted 12 members of Russia's military intelligence service for a criminal conspiracy to interfere with the 2016 election and hurt Hillary Clinton's campaign. The same day, Trump's director of national intelligence, Dan Coats, gave a speech about America's vulnerability to cyberattacks, particularly from Russia. "I'm here to say, the warning lights are blinking red again," he said, comparing the threat to the one that preceded Sept. 11.

But standing beside Putin in Helsinki on Monday, Trump sided with the Russian president against American intelligence agencies while spewing lies and conspiracy theories. "He just said it's not Russia," he said of Putin's denials. "I will say this. I don't see any reason why it would be." Continuing in a freeassociative fugue, he asked, "What happened to the servers of the Pakistani gentleman that worked on the D.N.C.?" referring to a debunked right-wing claim about a former Democratic I.T. staffer. "What happened to Hillary Clinton's emails? Thirty-three thousand emails gone, just gone. I think in Russia they wouldn't be gone so easily."

Perhaps the most sinister part of the news conference was Trump's seeming openness to a deal in which F.B.I. investigators could question people in Russia in exchange for letting Russians question Putin critics in America. Putin referred specifically to associates of his arch-nemesis Bill Browder, a businessman (and British citizen) who has succeeded in getting seven countries, including the United States, to pass laws punishing Russian oligarchs suspected of corruption. (The Russians who met with members of the Trump campaign at Trump Tower in June 2016 wanted to discuss this law, the Magnitsky Act.)

"I've known for a long time that Putin has been trying to use every trick in the book to get me arrested in a foreign country and extradited back to Russia," Browder told me after the news conference. It's chilling that Trump appeared willing to help Putin with his vendetta.

The news conference left observers reeling. John O. Brennan, a former director of the C.I.A., tweeted that Trump's display was "nothing short of treasonous." Senator John should consider the case of Mariia Butina, which broke wide McCain, Republican of Arizona, described it as "one of the most disgraceful performances by an American president in memory." Even some Trump partisans were aghast. Newt Gingrich decried it as the "most serious mistake" of Trump's presidency.

While I was as shocked as everyone else, I shouldn't have been. Trump's behavior on Monday recalled his outburst at Trump Tower after the violent white supremacist rally in Charlottesville, when he insisted there were "very fine people" among the racist demonstrators. Both times, everything Trump said was in keeping with things he'd said before. The shocking part was his frankness. Then, as now, it what a repulsive abomination this presidency is.

It's always been obvious that Trump does not hold Russia's hacking of the 2016 election, which he publicly encouraged and gleefully benefited from, against Putin. None of us yet know the exact contours of Trump's relationship with Russia, whether Putin is his handler, his co-conspirator or just his hero. But it's clear that Trump is willing to sell out American democracy for personal gain. After all, on July 27, 2016, he publicly called for Russia to find Clinton's emails, and, thanks to Friday's indictments, we now know Russia started trying to hack the domain used by her personal office that very day. Trump's collusion with Russia has always been out in the open, daring us to recognize what's in front of our faces.

Some doubt that Trump is a Russian puppet precisely because his fealty to Putin is so blatant and undisguised. They

open just hours after the Trump-Putin meeting.

Butina, who worked for the Russian politician and alleged organized crime figure Alexander Torshin, presented herself as a Russian gun rights activist, and spent years cultivating links to the National Rifle Association. She became a fixture in some pro-Trump circles and was reportedly especially close to a conservative operative named Paul Erickson. Last year, in a Daily Beast profile, the journalist Tim Mak described Butina as hosting a birthday costume party that was attended by Trump aides. "She dressed as Russian Empress Alexandra while Erickson was dressed as Rasputin," Mak wrote. At the party, Butina reportedly boasted that she'd helped the Trump forced, if just for a moment, a collective apprehension of just campaign communicate with Russia. If there was a reason to doubt that she was a Russian spy, it was only that one would expect a Russian spy to be subtler.

> This weekend, Butina was arrested in Washington, and on Monday a criminal complaint against her for acting as a Russian agent was unsealed. She was accused of conspiracy to "exploit personal connections with U.S. persons having influence in American politics in an effort to advance the interests of the Russian Federation." There's a useful lesson here in evaluating Trump's behavior. Sometimes things are exactly as bad as they appear.

Michelle Goldberg, a New York Times Op-Ed columnist since 2017, is a former columnist at Slate and a frequent commentator on radio and television.

Reaction to Trump siding with Putin over U.S. intelligence

U.S. Sen. Jeff Flake (R): I never thought I would see the day when our American President would stand on the stage with the Russian President and place blame on the United States for Russian aggression. This is shameful.

Russia interfered in our election and continues attempts to undermine democracy here and around the world. That is not just the finding of the American intelligence community but also the House Committee on Intelligence.

The president must appreciate that Russia is not our ally. There is no moral equivalence between the United States and Russia, which remains hostile to our most basic values and ideals. The United States must be focused on holding Russia accountable and putting an end to its vile attacks on

United States to side with President Putin against American law enforcement, American defense officials, and American intelligence agencies is thoughtless, dangerous, and weak. The president is putting himself over our country.

U.S. Senator John McCain (R): Today's press conference in Helsinki was one of the most disgraceful performances by an American president in memory. The damage inflicted by President Trump's naiveté, egotism, false equivalence, and sympathy for autocrats is difficult to calculate. But it is clear that the summit in Helsinki was a tragic mistake.

President Trump proved not only unable, but unwilling to stand up to Putin. He and Putin seemed to be speaking from the same script as the president made a conscious choice to defend a tyrant against the fair questions of a free press, and to grant Putin an uncontested platform to spew propaganda

No prior president has ever abased himself more abjectly before a tyrant. Not only did President Trump fail to speak the truth about an adversary; but speaking for America to House Speaker Paul Ryan (R): There is no question that the world, our president failed to defend all that makes us who we are—a republic of free people dedicated to the cause of liberty at home and abroad. American presidents must be the champions of that cause if it is to succeed. Americans are waiting and hoping for President Trump to embrace that sacred responsibility. One can only hope they are not waiting totally in vain.

> U.S. Sen. Rand Paul (R): The President has gone through a year and a half of totally partisan investigations - what's he supposed to think?

U.S. Sen. Bob Corker (R): When he had the opportunity to U.S. Sen. Chuck Schumer (D): For the president of the defend our intelligence agencies who work for him, I was very disappointed and saddened with the equivalency that he gave between them and what Putin was saying.

> The president's comments made us look as a nation more like a pushover and I was disappointed in that.

> Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R): As I've said repeatedly, the Russians are not our friends and I entirely agree with the assessment of our intelligence community.

> **President Donald Trump (R):** While I had a great meeting with NATO, raising vast amounts of money, I had an even better meeting with Vladimir Putin of Russia.

> Sadly, it is not being reported that way - the Fake News is going Crazy!



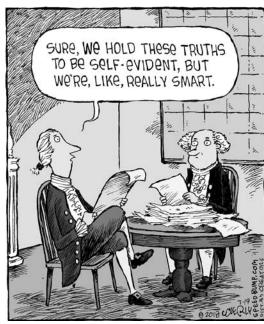
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAYS

1st, 6:00 p.m. - Public Safety meetings - Council Chambers

TUESDAYS

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Farmers Market - Excelsior High School 12:00 p.m. - Rotary - Doubletree Hotel 1st & 3rd 6:00 p.m. - Toastmasters Meetings - Registrar Recorder/County Clerks Office 2nd & 4th, - Toastmasters Meetings - Norwalk Library 1st & 3rd, 6:00 p.m. - City Council - Council Chambers

WEDNESDAYS

3rd, 5:45 p.m. - Housing Authority - Council Chambers

1st, 12:30 p.m. - Soroptimist International - Soroptimist Village 1st & 3rd, 7:00 p.m. - Lions Club - Bruce's Restaurant 2nd, 10:30 a.m. - Norwalk Woman's Club - Masonic Lodge 2nd & 4th, 1:30 p.m. - Alondra Senior Citizens - Social Services Center 2nd & 4th, 7:30 p.m. - Planning Commission - Council Chambers 4th, 11:30 a.m. - Coordinating Council - Arts & Sports Complex

THURSDAYS

1:00 p.m. - Adult color club "Color Us Happy" - Norwalk Library 7:00 p.m. - Boy Scouts Troop 924 - Norwalk United Methodist Church **2nd, 7:30 p.m.** - Golden Trowel -Norwalk Masonic Lodge 3rd, 8:00 p.m. - American Legion Post No. 359 - 11986 Front St.

SATURDAYS

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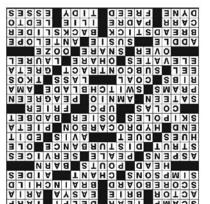
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LEGALS

BULK SALES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF
INTENTION TO TRANSFER
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE
(UCC Sec. 6101 et seq. and B & P Sec.

24073 et seq.)
Escrow No. 18-41880-SP
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The name(s) and business address of the Seller(s)/licensee(s) are: DR. CHICKEN, 16511 PIONEER BLVD. #B NORWALK,

Doing Business as: DR. CHICKEN
All other business names(s) and address(es)
used by the seller(s)/licensee(s) within the

past three years, as stated by the Seller(s)/ licensee(s), is/are:
The name(s) and address of the Buyer(s)/

applicant(s) is/are: KHR CAPITAL, INC 16511 PIONEER BLVD. #B NORWALK,

The assets being sold are generally described as: ALL STOCK IN TRADE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT, GOODWILL, TRADENAME, LEASE, LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS, AND COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE, AND ABC LICENSE and is are located at 16511 PIONEED BI VD. #8 are located at: 16511 PIONEER BLVD. #B, NORWALK, CA 90650
The type of license to be transferred is/are:

41-562926 ON SALE BEER AND WINE EATING PLACE now issued for the premises located at: SAME

The bulk sale and transfer of alcoholic beverage license(s) is/are intended to be consummated at the office of: TEAM ESCROW 6025 BEACH BLVD BLIENA PARK, CA 90621 and the anticipated sale date is AUGUST 9, 2018

The purchase price of consideration in connection with the sale of the business and transfer of the license, is the sum of \$43,300.00, including inventory estimated at \$300.00, which consists of the following: DESCRIPTION, AMOUNT: CASH \$43,300.00

has been agreed between the Seller(s)/ licensee(s) and the intended Buyer(s)/ transferee(s), as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions code, that the consideration for transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

DR. CHICKEN, Seller(s)/Licensee(s)
KHR CAPITAL, INC, Buyer(s)/Applicant(s)
LA2061724 NORWALK PATRIOT 7/20/18

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FICT. BUS NAME

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2018145382 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) HOME INSTEAD SENIOR CARE, 13215 EAST PENN STREET #530, WHITTIER CA 90602, LA

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: C4151360 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) RTLK, INC., 13215 EAST PENN STREET #530,

WHITTIER CA 90602
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/RTLK, INC., PRESIDENT, RICHARD SOUTHARD

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 13, 2018
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

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 Number 2018158514 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) BUENA'S TRUCKING, 13012 AVONLEA AVE, NORWALK CA 90650, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
Articles of Incorporation or Organization

Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) BUENAVENTURA TORRES ANDRADE, 13012 AVONLEA AVE, NORWALK CA

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: AN

INDIVIDUAL The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 10/2013 I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant

knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

S/BUENAVENTURA TORRES ANDRADE, This statement was filed with the County

Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 27, 2018 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/6/18, 7/13/18, 7/20/18, 7/27/18

> **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2018161189
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) NORWALK COLLISION CENTER, 12000 FIRESTONE BLVD, NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY, 2907 BALLESTEROS LANE,

TUSTIN CA 92782
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MICHAEL

FRANCIS FEELEY, 2907 BALLESTEROS LANE, TUSTIN CA 92782 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: AN

INDIVIDUAL
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A
I declare that all the information in this
statement is true and correct. (A registrant

who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/MICHAEL FRANCIS FEELEY, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 29, 2018 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/6/18, 7/13/18, 7/20/18, 7/27/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2018149912

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) STAY FADED BARBERSHOP #2, 6373 S. ALAMEDA ST STE A, HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255,

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MARIO BELTRAN, 927 S. SHERRILL ST, ANAHEIM CA 92804

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: AN

INDIVIDUAL
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 06/2018
I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/MARIO BELTRAN, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 19, 2018 e - In accordance with Subdivision Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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 Number 2018170233

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) BODNAR
SUPPLY COMPANY, 12039 PLUTON
STREET, NORWALK CA 90650, LA
COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JOY A BODNAR, 12039 PLUTON STREET, NORWALK CA 90650 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: AN INDIVIDUAL STREET IN THE STREET IN T

INDIVIDUAL
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/JOY A BODNAR, OWNER S/JOY A BODNAR, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on JULY 11, 2018
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920. where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form 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 Co Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Norwalk Patriot 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18, 8/10/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2018174545 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) CF TRADING, 16323 LONGWORTH AVE, NORWALK CA 90650, COUNTY OF LA

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) SUN CHANG SEA FOOD INC., 16323 LONGWORTH AVE, NORWALK CA 90650

State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A
CORPORATION The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 07/2001

declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant

knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000),) S/SUN_CHANG SEA FOOD INC., CFO, SHIH-PIN YEN

SHIR-PIN YEN
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on JULY 16, 2018
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A

new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18, 8/10/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018154841
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MI LINDO
PURUANDIRO, 16026 PIONEER BLVD.,
NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY
Atticles of Incorporation of Comparisation

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1)
STEPHANIE VILLEGAS ZAMORA, 1403
LEMON AVE, LONG BEACH CA 90813
(2) OLGA L AGUIRRE CISNEROS, 1403
LEMON AVE, LONG BEACH CA 90813
State of Incorporation: N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A
GENERAL PARTNERSHIP The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 06/2018

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/STEPHANIE VILLEGAS ZAMORA, PARTNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 25, 2018 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920. where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/13/18, 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018164746
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) NORWALK
APOSTOLIC CHURCH, 16513 HORST
AVE, NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1)
APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY OF THE FAITH
IN CHRIST JESUS, 10807 LAUREL ST.,
RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91730
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A
CORPORATION

CORPORATION The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true and correct. A registrating who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY OF THE FAITH

IN CHRIST JESUS, PRESIDENT, ROGELIO

RIVAS This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JULY 5, 2018 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920 where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be flied before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18, 8/10/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018155046
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DENTAL SMILES, 11558 ROSECRANS AVE., NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY, 12438 RUNNINGCREEK LANE, CERRITÓS CA

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IRENE
DELFIN-ONA, DMD INC., 11558
ROSECRANS AVE., NORWALK CA 90650
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A

CORPORATION The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name r names listed above: 01/2008

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/IRENE DELFIN-ONA, DMD PRESIDENT, IRENE DELFIN ONA DMD INC

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JUNE 25, 2018
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name
Statement generally expires at the end of
five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920 where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

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The Norwalk Patriot 6/29/18, 7/6/18, 7/13/18, 7/20/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018171072
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) CMH TRADING,

13421 PUMICE ST., NORWALK CA 90650

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) WOSPERFORMANCE, LLC, 1 PUMICE ST., NORWALK CA 90650 State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: A

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 07/2018

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S / W O S P E R F O R M A N C E , PRESIDENT, MATTHEW WIGHT This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JULY 12, 2018

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18, 8/10/18

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018167134
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) JACK BODY
JEWELRY, 14327 PIONEER BLVD #A,
NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) HAGOP BASMAJIAN, 14327 PIONEER BLVD#A, NORWALK CA 90650

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: AN The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 07/2018 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

building the lot to exceed the thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

S/ HAGOP BASMAJIAN, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on JULY 9, 2018

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The Norwalk Patriot 7/13/18, 7/20/18, 7/27/18, 8/3/18

NOTICES

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
AMENDED ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030871

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Diana Pa Yang filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name (1) Diana Pa Yang to Proposed name (1) Jitani Pa Yang THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the respons for the objection at includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: August 8, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m.,
Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk
Blvd., Norwalk 90650

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, THE NORWALK PATRIOT, April 24 2018

April 24, 2018
Judge Margaret M. Bernal
Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ANDREA JEANINE HENDERSON aka ANDREA J. HENDERSON Aka ANDREA G. HENDERSON Case No. 18STPB05017

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, ontingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, o both, of ANDREA JEANINE HENDERSON aka ANDREA J. HENDERSON aka ANDREA G. HENDERSON

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Sonya R. Henderson in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Sonya R. Henderson be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not

grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on August 9, 2018 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 11 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles,

YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by

your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing

or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

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Special Notice form is available from the

Attorney for petitioner:

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF BRENDA JEAN SMITH Case No. 18STPB04007

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate,

or both, of BRENDA JEAN SMITH
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Vickie K. Richards in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Vickie K. Richards be appointed as

personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and

shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on August 8, 2018 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 5 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles,

CA 90012. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by

your attorney.
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YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the

Petitioner: Vickie K. Richards VICKIE K RICHARDS 12503 HAYFORD ST NORWALK CA 90650 CN950268 SMITH Jul 13,20,27, 2018

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NOTICE OF VACANCY

Office of Director, Division 5 Water Replenishment District of Southern California

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE of the vacancy in the office of Director of Division 5 of the Water Replenishment District of Southern California ("WRD").

Pursuant to Water Code Section 60144 and Government Code Section 1780, the WRD Board of Directors has determined to fill the vacancy in the office of Division 5 by appointment.

Any person interested in being considered for appointment to this office must submit a resume and letter of interest of less than 400 words to the WRD no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 9, 2018, at the following address:

> Water Replenishment District of Southern California **4040 Paramount Blvd** Lakewood, CA 90712 Attn: Robb Whitaker, General Manager

To be eligible for an appointment to the office of Director of Division 5, an interested person must be a registered voter and a resident of Division 5 at the time of the appointment. Division 5 includes the cities of Bellflower, Carson, Compton, Downey, La Habra Heights, Norwalk, Paramount, Pico Rivera, Santa Fe Springs, and Whittier.

The WRD Board of Directors in its discretion may interview potential Division 5 appointees at a time and date to be determined. The Board anticipates that a final decision on the appointment will be made at a noticed meeting of the Board of Directors prior to August 31, 2018.

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Whittier school district invests millions to help disadvantaged students

WHITTIER - The Whittier Union High School District in students and parents have the opportunity to experience college.

The programs are part of a larger effort to support student achievement as part of the district's \$173 million 2018-19 budget that supports the Local Control and Accountability

The budget is based on a funding system that is designed to allow school districts to decide how best to use the funding. The LCAP – built with extensive input from parents, students, community, teachers and staff - is a three-year spending plan that guides District efforts to improve student learning and identifies goals for each year, strategies to achieve those goals and funding sources.

For 2018-19, Whittier Union will invest \$21.7 million in supplemental and concentration funds to develop programs specifically targeting its high-needs groups: economically disadvantaged students, foster children and English learners.

'Over the last year, our dedicated team has worked closely with community stakeholders to identify the needs of our students, including those who would benefit from additional support," Superintendent Martin Plourde said. "This LCAP builds on our efforts by providing students with a strong foundation to ensure their success in high school and beyond."

To increase graduation and college-eligibility rates among its English learner students, the District will improve support courses at various sites to ensure they master content the first time they take the course, enabling them to stay on schedule and take advanced coursework while in high school.

The District will also increase Guided Study sections to 2018-19 will expand an after-school credit recovery program, provide intensive support for and monitoring of struggling build on its Academic Mentorship program and ensure freshmen and sophomores through interpersonal engagement, instruction in organizational skills and time management, and daily homework checks. During these classes, students will meet with Academic Mentors, upperclassmen who provide them with homework help and emotional support.

> "Guided Study eases the transition for our higher-risk students, lowers the dropout rate, fosters a connection to the school and results in students wanting to attend on a regular basis," said Carlye Olsen Marousek, director of Accountability, Staff Development, Curriculum and Instructional Materials. "The program also strengthens the student-teacher connection, with teachers checking in with students throughout the day to ensure they are on track with homework, class assignments and tests."

> Additionally, the District will expand after-school courses during the second semester for students who did not receive passing grades during the first. The program, which was successfully piloted at two schools during the 2017-18 school year in English and social science, will allow students to complete courses and take on advanced classes.

> Other programs and services that will continue to support Whittier Union students include:

Academic Mentor training and support

Expanded school media center hours for access to computers, internet, printing and tutoring

Advanced Placement test fee reduction/waivers

Field experiences/college visits for English learner students and parents

Academic/career counseling services and freshman support programs

Online credit recovery program and new technological

Credit recovery summer program in partnership with Mt.

Books and supplies for low-income students

Funding for Horizons Program, which includes tutoring, college field trips and parent workshops

Transportation for English learners attending the

Newcomer Program at La Serna After-school transportation for English learners attending

tutoring programs at four high schools Student Well-Being counselors to support student mental

health services College and career pathways (CTE Academies/Puente)

Parent workshops in conjunction with partner elementary school districts

Community liaison

Intervention specialist and targeted intervention counselors

Summer professional learning and best practices

Professional and leadership development

Coordinator of curriculum and assessment and coaches

Pioneer High teacher accepted into Google program

School ed tech lead and math teacher Lisa Ceja has earned a will not just impact my school and district, but hopefully help spot in Google for Education's Certified Innovator program.

Google's highly competitive Innovator program is a yearlong professional development experience that includes are chosen for the annual academy, with selection criteria mentorship opportunities, online learning activities and an in-person, three-day Innovation Academy that helps participants launch a project related to a challenge in education. The academy will be held July 9-11 at the Google office in Venice, California.

"I am excited to belong to this group of like-minded educators who feel passionately and want to solve problems

WHITTIER - Driven by her passion to make educational in education," said Ceja, a 24-year educator at Whittier for four years - she supports teachers using educational technology accessible to Whittier Union's teachers and her Union. "Being accepted into the program allows me to grow technology in the classroom, helps troubleshoot issues and goal to enhance the education of its students, Pioneer High as an educator and to see the bigger picture in education that trains teachers in how to use a variety of Google classroom

> Roughly 30 educators from across the United States that is based on professional experience, innovative use of technology at school, the potential to impact others and the desire to tackle challenges in education. Over the last four years, Ceja earned certifications as a Google for Education online activity that will better engage students and help them Educator and Trainer, which qualified her for the Innovator practice and retain the content."

As Pioneer High's ed tech lead - a position Ceja has held

tools to personalize learning for students. She also collaborates with ed tech leads from other District schools to hold summer workshops that train and instruct teachers.

"Using technology in the classroom does not make you a better teacher, but rather how you use the technology to enhance teaching," Ceja said. "For example, to review for a test, I could assign a five-page worksheet or I could create an

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An interview with Rita Topalian

By Raul Samaniego Contributor

NORWALK - I afforded the Republican candidate, Rita Topalian, in the California State Senate District 32 race, the opportunity to offer her views on the same topics asked of her Democratic opponent in the November 2018 General Election.

Topalian will represent the Republican party in the special election for the remaining term of the open seat on August 7.

Although her opponent for the short term is Democrat Vanessa Delgado of Montebello, Delgado has not responded to requests for interviews.

As with her General Election (November 6) opponent, Bob Archuleta, we met at Diana's Restaurant in Norwalk.

The format was similar as it was with Archuleta. We would chat first to gather and confirm some personal information, then move forward with the same questions asked of Archuleta with variance only if guided by Topalian.

Obviously a bit nervous. I tried to put her at ease by asking to tell me her story of her presence in the 32nd Senate District.

Topalian is 71 years old, the mother of three adult boys with six grandchildren. She started dating her husband, Mike English, when she was 16. They have now been married for 54 years.

1951 after some time in a labor camp that was a result of the war. As Armenian civilians caught in the overrun of the German offensive into the Western Soviet Union, she reminisced about the stories not only her parent told, but of many relatives who survived the war.

It is this strong family and cultural connection to the Armenian saga that derives some of her personal shaping and current political viewpoints.

Born in the refugee/labor camp in 1946, the decision was to immigrate to the United States, where the family settled in the city of Montebello. She would remain in the 32nd Senate District for the entirety of her 67 years in the country.

After marrying Mike and having their first child, Topalian decided to go back to school and pursue a higher education. "I was 28 or 29 years old then," she says.

Majoring in Political Science at Rio Hondo College, it was at

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the urging of professors and friends that saw Topalian continue her education at Cal State University, Los Angeles.

Again, while attending the university, she was encouraged to continue her education and to direct her efforts at law school. It was at Cal State Los Angeles where she shifted her political affiliation and joined the Republican Party

Why are you running for state senate?

"One of the things of my personality is that I'm a problem solver, and I like to bring people together. I'm not in your face about anything, and so, that's part of my personality. I do that in my profession as a lawyer.

"I try to calm things down so we can move forward."

What are the main differences between you and the **Democratic nominee?**

"He's establishment."

At this point, Topalian cited, "I've heard some negative things. But that's not the reason I got into it (the race). I think I'm better qualified, believe it or not, because I'm a people person. I go out of my way for people. I keep promises. I answer telephone calls, and if I can do anything, I help anyone."

You said you heard things. How can opinions affect one's behavior or actions?

"Well, it depends on whether you let them influence you. If She, along with her parents, immigrated from Germany in my personality was a little bit different and I heard bad things I would say bad things, but I don't."

> "I personally am not going to say bad things. That's just not my style."

> "You're either going to vote for me because there's something in me that you see that is worthy of voting for me or not, not by knocking the other person down. I don't go up by knocking Mr. Archuleta down."

> At this point, we went off the record for several seconds, returning with: "I don't judge people, unless I have some conquering evidence."

Would she support National Guard troops at the southern border?

"I am not for it, for troops and policing, no. I'm also not for the open border business because I came through the system, my husband's family came through the system and we need something, but not cops carrying guns. It's frightening?

As a child of immigrant parents, please comment on our current migrant policies and their effect on the 32nd California

"Well, we have a huge Hispanic population and if you go into the chain migration thing, it's going to happen. Families should be together. I'm a family proponent. They have to be together. "However, we have to do something and it has to be humane. We have to do something. We can't have absolutely no checks and balances. We have to do something, but not inhumanely.'

Topalian next added her view on the separating of children from their parents upon entering the United States seeking still separated from their parents.

"And then children being taken away? I'm a mother. Don't take my kids away."

"Of course, I would think twice before coming someplace where I shouldn't live as a child. That I don't understand. But once they're here, they're here. We need to be humane. We all went through the system. This country has so much to give all of us and we need to get the right people that will do the right

"That's my problem. I can't stand it. I can't stand it."

Who are the 'right' people?

"You know what? That's a very good question and the answer is, I don't know. But there's got to be some people that are good, that can run these things with compassion and humanity.

Rita Topalian is the Republican candidate for state Senate.

Courtesy photo



There's got to be."

Going forward, Topalian added: "I think so many of our problems are because as human beings, we've lost some measure of dignity in our society. We've lost manners, we've lost dignity, we've lost treating people respectfully. That's gone. That's from the breakdown of the family.

What are your concerns regarding the 900,000 plus population of the 32nd (Senate) District?

"I have really strong feelings about loosening and lowering the bar with 57, 47 and AB 1."

California voter approved Propositions 57 and 47 reduced penalties and offered parole to "non-violent" offenders. Assembly Bill 1 increased the gasoline tax and registration of vehicle fees, for road and highway improvements.)

"Unfortunately, we've learned through history that people respond when there's consequences. What we've done is taken away the consequences. And why taking away consequences opens doors to do anything. It's like a five-year-old who knows mommy isn't going to discipline you for taking candy before dinner, a five year olds going to do it.'

"We just keep giving things away. We [keep] making it easier. We don't help make it harder. We make it easier. And so that impacts people here. This is a working class neighborhood. People that work hard all day."

"The Hispanic people, employees, are the hardest working group I've ever encountered. They work hard. They want to take care of their kids. 'Just leave me alone, go away government. I'll take care of my family, leave me alone'.

"They become the object of so much. You know Honey. We got to make consequences. That goes back to my theory about families. We don't have consequences or anything. And when you don't [have consequences], you keep going along with what you want, hurting people. We need consequences.'

At this point, we went off the record regarding officer morale in the field which was shared with Topalian, returning with the follow up question:

So, where would your emphasis be in regards to public asylum, a reversed White House policy with nearly 1500 children safety? Would you be, say, proactive and encourage the bonds that are spent for more prisons and perhaps directed somewhere else? Or would you be more inclined to say, increase prisons, lock up more people?

> "I was saying, there should be consequences. If you tighten the consequence end of it, and we need more prisons, then that's how it should be. We need consequences. You can't let everybody out. We can't be the good guy for everybody. We can't be forgiving for everything. There comes a point in life where you've got to

> In part two of this interview, Topalian comments on community college for everyone, homelessness and family shelters, gun violence and the 2nd Amendment, public employee salaries, switching political parties and the swearing allegiance to the President (as a Republican).



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Downey Board of Education names building after school board member

DOWNEY - The Downey Tuesday. Unified School District Board of Education unanimously agreed to name the Warren High School administration building after longtime member Barbara Samperi at their meeting on

Samperi has been a member of the school board since 1993. She was last reelected in 2017 by default when the election was cancelled due to a lack of renaming as a "great honor." opposition.

for Samperi to receive the as a child, so I'm very excited honor, fellow board members about that," said Samperi. commented on her extended tenure with the district.

a tradition here in Downey of naming facilities after longtime people involved in education programs...

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Bobbie's longevity and her in 2014 – authorizes the effort continues day in and District to take up to \$248 day out, and I know we all appreciate that."

Samperi described the

"I went to Warren High After making the motion School...I watched it being built

The school board also voted to once again reach into "Bobbie really deserves Measure O bond funds, hoping this," said Corrin. "We have to stretch their dollar for as much as they can.

> Measure O - which was successfully passed by voters

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million in general obligation bonds for campus upgrades and construction projects.

The first draw occurred in October of 2015, for a total of \$50 million.

With Tuesday's vote, the district will now draw \$135 million.

Superintendent John Garcia explained that pulling the funds now would help keep the district ahead of rising construction costs, especially as the middle schools become the primary project focus.

"The District continues to be concerned that construction costs continue to rise very quickly," said Garcia. "We're working and we've moved more aggressively in our schedule to put the bigger projects forward, which is for the most part the middle schools.

Stauffer's already progress, but each middle school was allotted a large amount of dollars in our original facilities master plan, so this is to continue to move that forward and get those big projects done as soon as we possibly can to beat inflation."

Alex Dominguez, staff writer

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Why I won't be attending Comic-Con this year

► COMIC-CON: Excessive wait times and skyrocketing hotel rates have sucked the fun out of an annual tradition.

By Alex Dominguez **Staff Writer**

SAN DIEGO – Cosplayers, readers, collectors, and general nerd and geek fandom consumers will descend upon the San Diego Convention Center this weekend for the annual San Diego Comic Con event.

The yearly spectacle is quite the scene to behold, filling the streets with color, activity, excitement, and overweight men squeezed into spandex that they ought hassle it requires. not to be wearing.

The impact on the region obvious: the crowds. alone is eye-opening; as much as \$150 million, according to a CNBC article from 2016. I wouldn't be surprised if that number hasn't already increased in two years.

I myself have attended the convention several times over the last eight years or so, and many of my friends and colleagues have become accustomed to me making the two-hour trek down the 5 Freeway south. Around this time of year, I always get the same question.

"Are you going this

Hell no.

right from the beginning; park. I'm not bitter about not being able to secure a badge. If we're being honest, I didn't even try this time

movies and all other things nerdy; one look at my desk see what you want. would prove otherwise (as my coworkers often lovingly tease me about).

soured me to the whole ordeal.

I won't deny that as the event consumes Comic Con is fun on the entire downtown San initial observation, but Diego area if not a bit more, while attending last year's convention I realized something: the con itself has just about outgrown the

Comic Con is great for the fact that it surrounds you with a bunch of likeminded individuals. The problem is that you're surrounded like exclusive item I wanted, a sardine packed in a can when I could've been in bed of sardines. Often times, it not wasting hundreds of smells just like that too.

While it's nice to know that being a "nerd" or "geek" or what have you finally has Con last year, I didn't feel some acceptability to it, fighting with the crowds to get to that panel or exclusive had worked harder there you want can easily suck the than I do at actual work. energy out of you, and put a damper on the fun.

and exclusives, lines are like the convention is no The answer this year? No. ridiculous; they make a longer worth the time, summer-crowd day at effort and energy to make Disneyland without a Fast it a "success," especially

To be able to secure certain collectibles and exclusives or seats at popular panels, you better be in line early; way early. If you're It's not as though I've not in line before the sun outgrown my love for comes up (or in some cases, comic books, action figures, in line the day before), you can forget getting to buy or

This wouldn't be so bad if you hadn't already probably spent at least \$1000 on a So, you may ask what hotel room for the duration of the convention (and that's around low-end if you're lucky). Before factoring in other necessities such as food and drink, travel, and convention tickets, it's important to factor in that it's not uncommon for a room that would cost you less than \$100 on a normal day to cost you nearly \$200 at Let's start with the the time of the convention; a fact not easily forgotten at 4 a.m. in the morning.

> I've stayed out on the lawn overnight before only to not be able to get an dollars on a bed and room I wasn't in.

> When I came home from like I had been on vacation. In fact, I almost felt like I

It was an easy decision to skip out on SDCC this Speaking of panels year, just because it seems Let's not get this twisted Pass seem like a walk in the with so many local cons like



Comic-Con draws tens of thousands of visitors every year. Photo by TillTheMoneyRunsOut.com

accessible.

For those of you going to Comic-Con this year, I definitely encourage you to make the best of it. Buy cool

you enjoy. Just be prepared I won't be spending. for the gauntlet that you are about to throw yourself at.

I'll be back here at home,

Wondercon and Long Beach stuff, see amazing panels, sleeping in my warm bed Comic Con around and easily meet your heroes and at the end of the day, and celebrate all the things that thinking about all the money

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Angeles County Supervisor in the decade-old case. you know with the Sheriff's Janice Hahn offered a \$10,000 Investigators have released a Department." reward Tuesday in exchange sketch of the individual. for information leading to the apprehension or conviction of those responsible for the 2005 murder of Edward Berber in his Hacienda Heights home.

Sheriff Jim McDonnell announced that investigators of the person of interest or check on his

"Nearly 13 years after 2005, Edward Edward Berber was murdered, Berber's we have a chance to solve this mother went to case and finally bring justice to her son's home Edward's family," said Hahn. in "If you recognize the sketch Heights seeking information have any information about welfare. Edward, who had

HACIENDAHEIGHTS-Los regarding a person of interest the right thing and share what

On Dec. 6, Hacienda

this murder—I urge you to do regular contact with family, had not been seen nor heard from for the entire weekend.

> His mother found his home in disarray and found Edward shot to death in his

No eyewitnesses who can identify the suspect have come forward. Investigators believe it would be beneficial to offer a reward which may prompt reluctant witnesses to come forward and provide information to identify the person responsible for this

crime. At a press conference held Tuesday morning, Sheriff McDonnell shared the sketch of a person of interest in the crime.

you have information to share, call the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Homicide Bureau at (323) 980-5500.





