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Governor signs bill pushing back school hours

Starting in 2022, high school first period cannot begin until at least 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENTO - Gov. Gavin Newsom signed legislation on Sunday that pushes school start times later.

Under the new law, middle schools will start classes at 8 a.m. or after, while high schools will start classes at 8:30 a.m. or after. Optional early classes will still be allowed.

The law applies to public and charter schools, though rural school districts are exempt. The new start times go into effect by July 1, 2022, or when a school's collective bargaining agreement with its employees expires, whichever is later.

Sen. State Portantino, who authored the bill, cheered the news in a Facebook post on Sunday.

children's health and welfare win!!! Thank you Governor Newsom for signing SB 328 to push high school and middle school start time later in the morning. This will have a tremendous benefit to student health and academic months later. performance."

period currently begins at 7:55 a.m. except on "late start" days, when classes start at 10:05 a.m.

John Glenn High School follows the same bell schedule.

The American Academy of Pediatrics, the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the American Medical Association all recommend that middle and high schools start at 8:30 a.m. or later to help ensure that students arrive awake and ready to learn.

But more than four in five public middle and high schools in the US start earlier than that, according to a 2015 CDC study.

In a statement, the Downey Unified School District said it disagreed with the state's decision to take away local control but acknowledged it was prepared to comply with the law.

"While we disagree with Sacramento again eroding local control, we anticipated this law would most likely pass," read Downey Unified's statement. "Beginning in 2016, a Board of Education Goal was established and a committee was formed to analyze the various modifications that would be needed should this law eventually pass.

"Now that it has passed, we feel that we have already laid the groundwork to have a smooth transition in the coming years. Moving forward, there should be minimal impact at the middle school level as three of our four schools currently have start times of 7:55 a.m. For the transition at the high school level, we will resume our efforts in collaboration with our different stakeholder groups now that the bill has passed.

"Moving forward, the specific language of the law will determine the best ways to proceed to make this change a manageable transition for our parents, students and staff."

Mayor's Column

Economic development a priority for Norwalk

By Margarita Rios Mayor, City of Norwalk

NORWALK - I am thrilled to have the opportunity to connect with residents via the Norwalk

My goal, as well as that of the entire Norwalk City Council, is to ensure that our community thrives and residents are able to enjoy a high quality of life. We want residents to feel safe walking their neighborhoods and playing at our parks and to feel pride as they drive down our thoroughfares. The Mayor's Column provides me the opportunity to provide updates on the progress being made towards our goal. I also look forward to having the opportunity to share a little bit more about myself and why I feel so passionate about serving our community.

Fundamental to a high Anthony quality of life is the economic development of our city, and in 2018, we took several actions to increase the number of businesses coming to Norwalk.

> In February, we brought on board our new City Manager Jesus Gomez, who hit the ground running, hiring Community Development Director Mike Garcia a few

They had a directive from At Norwalk High School, first City Council to make economic development a priority, and by October of 2018, we had adopted an Economic **Development Opportunities** Plan, which in essence, serves to solidify our commitment to generate substantial business development, revitalize business corridors and strengthen the economic vitality of the City.

> We kicked off 2019 with Chick-fil-A's grand opening! I have never experienced something quite like the First 100 Campout, but the enthusiasm among our residents was contagious and illustrated our new resultsdriven approach.

Following Chick-fil-A, we've had several other businesses open in Norwalk. From national chains, including LA Fitness and Panera Bread, to family run businesses and franchises, including La Michoacana, Don's Teriyaki Grill, The Buffalo Spot, The Cove, Zen's Tea House, and the Sushi Joint.



Celebrating their grand openings soon are Dulce Canella Churros and Grocery Outlet. On the horizon, we have Burger IM, Stinkin' Crawfish and Tacos Gavilan going before the Planning Commission soon. The former Ralph's site is in escrow and Red Mountain Retail Group is looking at how the redevelopment of this property can bring new business to the

Regardless of the size of business, they all have one thing in common. They are excited to be in Norwalk! One example is Fernando Lopez, a veteran and owner of Zen's Tea House, who shared his excitement with me about opening his business, a welcoming place where individuals can unwind from the demands of busy lives or connect with friends over a cup of tea, in our great city.

The feedback from the business community and increasing activity says a lot about the plans we have put in place, as well as changes made internally to streamline processes to help businesses establish in Norwalk.

More importantly, potential business partners are taking a good hard look at Norwalk and recognizing we have a lot to offer, beyond our central location, freeway access, and connectivity to transit hubs; bottom line, we have a community that is hungry for quality services and goods! Our residents want to shop, eat and play in Norwalk!

This is not to say we won't face setbacks. The recent announcement that Walmart would be closing its doors was unexpected, and certainly not something we wanted. This has a huge impact on our community on many levels.

Walmart is valued business partner; but they also provide the livelihood for almost 200 individuals, helping them provide shelter, food and clothing for their loved ones. They are also a trusted and affordable retail option for our residents; and we did not take the announcement lightly.

City staff immediately reached out to store management to offer our assistance, and worked with SELACO Workforce Development Board who can provide employment services. However, we also need to think to the future and have been in contact with our experts in economic development and public/private development projects to understand the value of the site as an opportunity in the marketplace.

I am excited and full of hope for what's to come. I hope you are too. The feedback I've received from residents certainly highlights that we are making improvements and are working on fulfilling our promises to the community to bring enhanced dining and retail options to our city.

As always, I welcome residents to reach out to me and share their concerns and provide suggestions on the types of businesses they want to see in Norwalk.

After all, improving quality of life in our community is a shared responsibility; I look forward to working with you to ensure that Norwalk continues to thrive and grow, guaranteeing it's a great place to live, work and play not just for us, but future generations!

Margarita Rios Mayor, City of Norwalk

Norwalk restaurant grades

RC Burgers 14041 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/16/19 Grade: A

Hibachi Grill Buffet 14021 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/16/19 Grade: A

Noemi's Mexican Restaurant 14350 Pioneer Blvd.

Grade: A Ozen Sushi

Date Inspected: 10/16/19

16511 S Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/11/19 Grade: B

The Bucket Crab and Crawfish 16441 Pioneer Blvd.

Date Inspected: 10/10/19 Grade: B

88 Kings Chinese Fast Food and **Donuts**

16441 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/10/19 Grade: A

Norwalk Senior Center 14040 San Antonio Dr. Date Inspected: 10/9/19 Grade: A

SP Food Market 12844 Pioneer Blvd. Inspected: 10/9/19 Grade: A

Douglas Burgers 16306 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/9/19 Grade: B

Antichucheria Peroana 14351 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 10/9/19

Grade: A

12051 Imperial Hwy. Date Inspected: 10/7/19 Grade: A

Starbucks

Target 12051 Imperial Hwy. Date Inspected: 10/7/19 Grade: A

Target Food 12051 Imperial Hwy. Date Inspected: 10/7/19 Grade: A

Casa Adelita 12842 E Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 10/4/19

Grade: A Il Pino 16511 Pioneer Blvd.

Date Inspected: 9/27/19 Grade: B **American Legion Post 359**

11986 E Front St. Date Inspected: 9/25/19 Grade: B

> **Durkins Market** 12128 E Foster Rd.

Date Inspected: 9/25/19 Grade: A

KFC 12959 Rosecrans Ave. Date Inspected: 9/25/19 Grade: A

El Tazumal 16014 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 9/24/19 Grade: A

Arco 15604 Pioneer Blvd. Date Inspected: 9/24/19 Grade: A

Lowes 14873 Carmenita Rd. Date Inspected: 9/20/19 Grade: A

California Sushi and Teriyaki 12305 Norwalk Blvd. Date Inspected: 9/18/19

Grade: A

Weekend at a Glance

Saturday 80





Spooky Science Night Saturday - Columbia Memorial Space Center, 5-9 pm

A spooky-themed night of science with food trucks, slime stations, mummy wrap contest, costume parade, and robotics lab. \$5 admission



L.A. Beer & Food Festival Saturday - Los Angeles County Arboretum, 7-10 pm

\$60 admission includes unlimited craft beer tastings, complimentary food, educational panels, arboretum library tours, and keepsafe glassware.



Short Play Festival Sunday - Mark Taper Auditorium, 2-3:30 pm

An international festival of 10-minute plays from global theater ensemble Raze The Space, featuring the best new writing for theater from around the world. Free.



'Always Running'

Saturday - Casa 0101 Theater, 8 pm A young man escapes a life of gang

violence, discrimination, depression and drug addiction through art, the Chicano Movement, poetry and service. Tickets start at \$20.



Friday - Comedy Store in Hollywood, 10 pm

The Whittier native and Saturday Night Live cast member performs live, along with other comics. \$20

TWEET OF THE WEEK

@NorwalkLASD: A deputy stopped a potential robbery from happening this morning in #Norwalk when he arrested a man who was in procession of a handgun, mask, and methamphetamine. #LASD



Quote of the Week:

"My mom and dad, although they may not have had a lot of formal education, they were two of the most brilliant people that I know.'

Elijah Cummings

Appealing code enforcement will now cost you

The City Council voted to create a \$488 fee to appeal a code enforcement action.

By Alex Dominguez **Staff Writer**

NORWALK - Norwalk's City Council voted to amend the city's current regulations on code enforcement appeals, including the addition of a nearly \$500 fee.

Regarding cases where a property had been declared substandard and requiring timely correction, property owners previously had five days to appeal to the Property Maintenance and Building Rehabilitation Board and/or City Council with no fee.

With Tuesday's vote, property owners will now have 10 days to appeal their cases, albeit at the cost of \$488.

City staff evaluated each appeal case over the last three months to determine the average amount of staff time expended to prepare, respond, and present to the appeal body. Staff anticipates that the increased revenue collected will offset staff costs based on the number of appeals submitted.

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Council's 4-1 approval vote was stalled only minorly by concerns from Vice Mayor Luigi

Vernola and councilman Leonard Shryock, the latter of which being the only councilmember to ultimately vote in opposition.

"This could potentially blow out somebody who doesn't have a lot of money," said Shryock. "I'm okay with the extending of the five to ten days; that should be in place anyway. I don't really like it in terms of the timing. I think we should do this as part of the budget process...'

"It just has a little hint of The city cannot collect an 'hey we're going to knock down some of our work by making it cost prohibitive,' and the only one that impacts is poor people."

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Halloween parade set for this Saturday

NORWALK - The 36th annual Arturo Sanchez Sr. Halloween Parade will take place this Saturday, Oct. 19, starting at 11

The parade starts at Norwalk Boulevard and Mapledale Street and ends at Hermosillo Park.

This year's parade features two grand marshals: Michelle Trujillo and Reggie Berry.

Trujillo is a news anchor for Telemundo 52 Los Angeles/KVEA, a local station that serves the Spanish-speaking community in Southern California.

Berry is a former NFL player for the San Diego Chargers. founded the non-profit organization Goal for Life 30 years ago.

The program is in eight rwalk schools, serving serving Norwalk approximately 1,000 students per year and stresses the importance of goal-setting.

Prior to the parade, there will be a costume contest at 9:15 a.m. at Waite Middle School.

The parade will feature high school marching bands, classic automobiles, floats, equestrian and military units, and more.

Residents are invited to dress in costume and join in the

'Macbeth' presented at Cerritos Library

CERRITOS - The San taggers
Francisco Shakespeare Festival's "Shakespeare on Tour" presents "Macbeth" at the Cerritos Library Skyline Room on Friday, Oct. 25, at 7 p.m.

The hour-long event features a Q&A with the cast at the end of the performance.

Shakespeare's classic tale spotlights one man's unbridled ambition for power and how it leads him down a trail of betrayal, deceit and murder, ultimately ending in a dramatic, tragic fashion.

"Macbeth" marks the 32nd year of the "Shakespeare on Tour" program, which travels an average of 10,000 miles annually to bring a Shakespeare classic to community centers, senior centers, parks and schools throughout the state.

Registration is not required for the free event, and seating is on a first-come, first-seated basis. The Cerritos Library is located at 18025 Bloomfield Avenue. For more information, call (562) 916-1342.

Chamber hosting mixer luncheon

NORWALK - The Norwalk Chamber of Commerce will host its monthly "Creating Connections" mixer luncheon Tuesday, Nov. 5, from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Don's Teriyaki Grill.

There is no cost to attend; lunch is on your own.

RSVP by calling the chamber at (562) 404-0909 or email info@ norwalkchamber.com.

Norwalk man nearly shot after announces new confronting

NORWALK - A Norwalk man narrowly avoided being shot last week after confronting a group he caught spray-painting his neighborhood, authorities said.

The unidentified man spotted six men spray-painting a wall on the 12000 block of 165th Street at around 10:50 p.m. on Oct. 7.

The man yelled at the taggers, officials said. One of the men produced a gun and fired at the Good Samaritan, missing him but striking a home and several

The taggers ran away after the shooting.

'Night of Terror' returns for three-day event

SANTA FE SPRINGS Freedom Christian Center announced that it will host its third annual Night of Terror event. The Halloween maze and live production will also include photo booths and food trucks for all guests.

Last year, 5,000 people attended the three-night event. FCC anticipates a continued growth and are preparing to draw over 7,500 people this year.

Night of Terror will hold a 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. showing each night, beginning Friday, Oct. 25 and ending Sunday, Oct. 27. The event will take place at Freedom Christian Center in Santa Fe Springs.

Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at go2nightofterror.

Rep. Sanchez chief of staff

NORWALK - U.S. Rep. Linda T. Sánchez (D-CA) announced that Marsha (Catron) Espinosa will serve as her new Chief of Staff and promoted Melissa Kiedrowicz to serve as Deputy Chief of Staff.

Espinosa replaces Lea Sulkala who served since 2014 and is transitioning to the private sector.

"Lea served by my side for the past five years during my time as CHC Chair, Democratic Caucus Vice Chair and has been an indispensable leader of Team Sánchez," said Sánchez.

"I have no doubt she will succeed in this next chapter of her career to continue working women's rights, public health, and community change."

"I am proud to welcome Marsha back to Team Sánchez, where she started her Hill career," continued Sánchez. "When she left the team in 2010, she told me she was going out to get more experience so that one day she could come back as my chief of staff. I am proud to say that she has come through on that promise, bringing with her a wealth of experience and a continued commitment to the 38th District."

Marsha Espinosa (formerly Catron) leaves Swann Street Strategies, a firm she co-founded in 2018. She previously served as Chief of Staff for Rep. Nanette Diaz Barragán and as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs at the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) under President Obama.

Prior to that, she worked for Senator Dianne Feinstein and former New Mexico Governor Bill Richardson. She holds a Master of Arts in Communication Studies from Texas State University and a Bachelor of Science Degree from New Mexico State University.

"Melissa has institutional knowledge and the tenacity needed to oversee my legislative priorities," said Sánchez.

"I am very proud of this team, which has a proven record of success and a commitment to bettering the lives of working families. I'm ready to tackle the heavy issues coming up this Congress and to be the voice my constituents expect and deserve."

Melissa Kiedrowicz began her Hill career as an intern for Rep. Sánchez in 2009 and worked her way up through the legislative team eventually to the position of Legislative Director.

She has overseen the Ways and Means Committee portfolio and served as an advisor to the Congresswoman in her role as House Democratic Caucus Vice Chair and as the point person for the Labor and Working Families

Melissa holds a Doctorate from the University of Miami and a Bachelor of Science Degree from Cornell University.





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Why so many citizens are fleeing the Golden State

BY CORRIN RANKIN

It was recently reported that over half of California's voters have considered leaving the Golden State. While this may be good news for neighboring states who will gladly take the workers we paid to educate, this brain drain is horrible news for the future of California.

There are many issues and circumstances that have contributed to citizens fleeing California for states like Texas, California's unaffordable housing has certainly played a leading role in this migration. A recent survey asked California millennials what would cause them to leave the state, and 63 percent of those surveyed pointed to "housing costs and availability" as the main cause.

To make matters worse, California is falling behind when it comes to fixing our states housing problem. Based on data provided by California's own housing department, the state needs to build 180,000 new housing units per year to keep costs level. Unfortunately, over the last decade, California has averaged less than half of that.

What's even more alarming is that California policymakers have failed to address one of the root causes of our housing crisis - the myriad of rules and regulations that make it exceedingly difficult to build new housing structures that are needed to keep housing costs low. This includes multiple layers of bureaucratic government approval required to construct new housing. Unfortunately, many of the policies that our lawmakers have put in place to improve housing costs have backfired, with California's latest rent control law serving as a clear example of this.

In addition to housing costs driving citizens out of our state, burdensome regulations and other failed policies implemented by lawmakers have led to many business's leaving for states with "better business climates.'

Instead of promoting policies that drive people and business's away from California, one would presume that lawmakers in our state would work to promote a friendly environment for people and business's to excel. Instead, policymakers in California have implemented an astonishing number of anti-business and antiworker pieces of legislation.

One example of this can be seen in a bill recently introduced by State Representative Lorena Gonzalez Fletcher, which made national headlines for marking California as the first state to reclassify Uber and Lyft drivers. While the goal of ensuring workers are treated right by their employers is noble, the results of this policy will certainly be a lose-lose for the working people of California.

Rideshare workers spoke out before the bill became law to highlight how this change would reduce opportunities for them, meaning less take-home pay for rideshare drivers across the state. This is not to mention the millions of Californians who will see longer wait times and higher prices for their rideshares. And an estimated 6,461 rideshare drivers will be out of work in Lorena Gonzalez's own district. Increasing the price of transportation in our state and introducing a policy that slash's jobs is a far cry from the best recruiting tool for encouraging people and businesses to relocate

If you are struggling to understand why Fletcher would introduce this legislation in the first place, we should point out that this is the same Lorena Gonzalez Fletcher who just a few years ago backed the United Farm Workers union bosses' efforts to silence farmworkers and take 3% of their income. Thankfully, the courts intervened and allowed the farmworkers votes, which decertified the union, to be counted. However, the mere fact that Fletcher, who should be on the side of these farmworkers, would work instead to silence their voices is puzzling to say the least.

And it wasn't just Fletcher who played a role in this effort. Former state lawmaker Darrell Steinberg, who currently serves as the Mayor of Sacramento, introduced SB-25 while in the California State Senate, a bill that would have pushed these farmworkers into mandatory contracts with the UFW, regardless if these contracts reduced these farmworkers take-home pay. Fortunately, SB-25 did not become law.

California's minimum wage is another example of California lawmakers supporting a policy that has left businesses struggling to make ends meet. At the start of the year, California's \$12 minimum wage went into effect, and it is scheduled to rise to \$15 per hour by 2022. A study by UC Riverside School of Business shows that our minimum wage hikes have already slowed job growth in our once booming restaurant industry.

Whether it's housing costs and availability, or policies put in place by our lawmakers that are bad for workers and businesses, according to the data our state is clearly heading in the wrong direction. Unless we change course, we can expect to continue to lose some of our best and brightest to other states, and the responsibility for this should be laid at the feet of our elected officials.

Corrin Rankin is the President of Legacy Republican Alliance.

No, the President is not entitled to due rights

BY JUDGE ANDREW NAPOLITANO

Last week, the White House legal counsel wrote to congressional leaders stating President Donald Trump's legal views of the impeachment investigation now being conducted by the House of Representatives. The essence of Pat Cipollone's letter argued that the impeachment investigation is illegitimate, unconstitutional and

The illegitimacy argument contended that since the House has yet to vote to authorize an investigation of the president, its committees lack subpoena power. The unconstitutional argument offered that since impeachment seeks to overturn a valid election, it is a thinly veiled coup and thus is in violation of the Constitution. And his unfairness argument states that the president is entitled to due process at every stage of the impeachment proceedings.

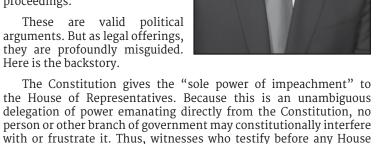
arguments. But as legal offerings, they are profoundly misguided. Here is the backstory.

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inquiry on impeachment — such as the one now being conducted by

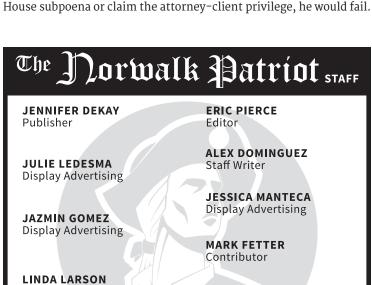
the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence — cannot

claim any privilege, other than those that also come directly from

So, if former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani, who has been conducting a secret shadow foreign policy with Ukraine at the president's request — during which it appears he has represented Trump's personal interests to the government of Ukraine and Ukrainian interests to the Trump administration — were to reject a







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The attorney-client privilege is grounded in a court rule, adopted by Congress, and thus it has the force of legislation. It permits clients to silence their lawyers about communications between them. Its sister privilege — the work product doctrine — also comes from a court rule, and it permits clients to keep secret certain documents prepared in furtherance of those legal communications.

But all legislation is subject to the Constitution and is subordinate to it. Thus, given the House's "sole power," any legislation interfering with the exercise of that power would become moot. Stated differently, Giuliani cannot constitutionally avoid a subpoena or assert the attorney-client privilege before a House committee, and could be jailed for doing so.

Can a House committee on its own issue a valid and enforceable slaughter. subpoena? Yes, it can. House rules permit that and the Constitution provides that the House - just like the Senate - writes its own rules. The president may not care for the House rules, but there is no appeal from them. The particular rule in question — the committee power to issue subpoenas without a full House vote — came about when Republicans controlled the House.

Impeachment is always constitutional if it originates in the House and if its basis is arguably for treason, bribery or other high crimes and misdemeanors. The "sole power" language enables the House to use the legal tools available to it — subpoenas, compelled testimony and other investigatory tools — to decide if the president Dear Editor: has committed impeachable offenses and, if so, whether a case against him can or should be proven.

The manner of making such decisions — what is the quality of the evidence, does it come from credible witnesses, does it constitute impeachable behavior — are law enforcement-like decisions that are always made in secret. When a prosecutor and investigators interrogate a witness or listen to a victim, this is never done in public to enhance privacy, encourage candor and permit prosecutors to exclude witnesses who bring more baggage than evidence.

Stated differently, House rules permit inquiries in secret of witnesses who have knowledge of alleged impeachable offenses, and no one may interfere with the inquiry or refuse to comply with a lawful demand from it.

the Nixon and Clinton models and a fair reading of the Constitution. Impeachment is no more a coup than a reelection defeat is. Elections when conducted according to law, like impeachments conducted according to House rules — are lawful, no matter the outcome. A coup is never lawful, no matter the outcome.

All of this leads to the question: Is the impeachment process fair? The short answer is: The impeachment process is whatever the House says it is. The Constitution guarantees due process when one's life, liberty or property are at stake. None of those is at risk to Trump in the present impeachment inquiry. Hence the demands of the White House legal counsel for the traditional adversarial system presided over by a neutral judge are based on the president's wishes, not on any due process or other known constitutional standard.

The due process Trump seeks — notice, hearing, fairness, counsel, cross-examination, confrontation, neutral judges — is only relevant during a trial. The House does not conduct trials; the Senate does. There and only there — if we get there — will the president have his due process rights.

The whole purpose of impeachment is to undo an election because of a strong national and congressional consensus that the president's mental state or official behavior is the literal, moral, or legal equivalent of high crimes and misdemeanors; and thus he is utterly unfit for office.

The president refused to deliver congressionally authorized and ordered military and financial aid to an ally threatened with Russian invasion until the ally's government performed a presidentially requested favor for his reelection campaign — a favor that is unlawful to ask for. Is it an impeachable offense?

Under the Constitution, it is if the House says it is.

Judge Andrew Napolitano is the senior judicial analyst for Fox News.

Trump rebuttal

Dear Editor:

Martha Morrissy lists a number of Trump actions and asks what is wrong with them. I shall address a few of her points. Here is what I believe is wrong:

- 1. Trump did not achieve the American dream: he inherited millions from his very rich father (and declared bankruptcy several times after failed business ventures). And he most definitely has not given up the comforts of luxury, having made hundreds of trips to his Mar a Lago golf resort since he took office.
- 2. There is nothing wrong with tax cuts when they are needed to stimulate the economy. But Trump's tax cuts came in the middle of a healthy economic cycle, did nothing to improve the economy, and have increased the national debt significantly.
- 3. Abandoning the Paris climate accord looks like a good deal, if indeed we will save trillions of dollars by doing so. But it won't look like a very good deal when climate-related devastation, which climate scientists say will surely occur, damages or destroys our infrastructure resulting in much higher costs than we will ever have
- 4. Analyses by industry experts of Trump's healthcare proposals and actions say that his policies will drive up healthcare costs even
- 5. The multi-billion dollar border wall will not stop illegal immigration, most of which occurs when foreign visitors enter legally and then overstay their visas.
- 6. Quid-pro-quo or not, it is illegal to solicit campaign help from a foreign government. But Trump has admitted to doing so with Ukraine, and publicly asked China for the same kind of help.

That's what's wrong. The list goes on, but this is enough for now.

Arnold Richards Downey

Dear Editor:

In response to a letter by Martha Morissey proclaiming "Trump is a patriot" and asking several questions about what is wrong with the actions of this president, here are some answers.

- It is wrong to ask a foreign government to interfere in our democratic elections.
- It is wrong to pressure a foreign government to investigate a
- It is wrong to detain immigrants in interment camps.
- It is wrong to cruelly and intentionally separate immigrant children from their parents and caregivers.
 - It is wrong to call Mexicans "rapists."
- It is wrong to ban people from entering this country because of their Muslim religion or any religion.
- It is wrong to refer to Haiti and African nations as "shithole" countries.
 - It is wrong to equate white supremacy as "very fine people". It is wrong to harass women or "grab'em by the pussy".
- It is wrong to make hush money payments to porn stars with donations from your campaign funds.
- It it wrong to profit from the presidency and funnel tax payer dollars to trump properties.
 - It is wrong to intimidate witnesses called by congress to testify.
 - It is wrong to attack the independent free press.
- It is wrong to remain silent on the gruesome murder of journalist Jamal Kasshoggi and contradict our own US intelligence.
- It is wrong to betray our Kurdish allies green lighting their

To answer the question, this president is far from being a patriot; he is a dangerous narcissist and lacks zero moral fortitude. He cheats and lies no matter the cost He will be impeached because he is a criminal and has been for a long time.

Miriam Gonzalez **Downey**

LeBron shoots and misses

What started out as an innocent tweet by Houston Rockets General Manager Daryl Morey has resulted in shocking responses.

The tweet was simply: "Fight For Freedom Stand With Hong Kong." This was as American as our flag, our constitution, apple pie and yet the National Basketball Association, including LeBron James, reacted in an outright shameful, anti-American and ignorant

How dare anybody of influence rain on the parade of the billions of dollars coming out of Communist China in their support of the NBA. After Mr. Morey's tweet, the Chinese went ballistic and, as predicted, the liberal, progressive NBA cowered.

Let's review the current circumstance in Hong Kong. Protesters None of what I have written above is novel and all of it is based on are fighting for civil liberties in the form of social, economic, political and legal autonomy from mainland China. Seems very American to me. I've met exactly nobody who is not backing the protesters. However, judging by LeBron's response a few nights ago, you would have thought Daryl Morey was asking for segregation.

> Here's part of what James said: "...I believe he wasn't educated on the situation at hand...And so many people could have been harmed not only financially, physically, emotionally, spiritually...'

> I had to read this several times to believe it. How exactly more educated could Morey have been for supporting protesters from gun shots, water cannons, tear gas, pepper spray in fighting communist dictators. Who could have been harmed financially? Oh, that would James and the NBA. Who would have been harmed emotionally, spiritually? The only one's who were harmed in this way are the protesters who have reportedly set fire to James' jersey. Good for

> I am sickened by the NBA's reaction to this positive, supportive tweet. We expect this type of behavior from Communist China.

> I fully expect LeBron to wear a bright red communist style jersey this year.

Carl Vesper

Height restrictions

Dear Editor:

Why is it that Randy's Donuts is allowed to install a giant, obnoxious donut but Arthur's was forced to remove its signage several years ago?

It seems like selective enforcement to me.

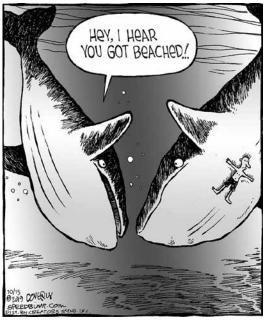
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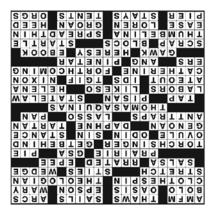
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2019264152
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) B L CASE
DOORS, 11608 HOLLYVIEW DR, LA
MIRADA CA 90638, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) WILLIAM
A LACAVA, 11608 HOLLYVIEW DR, LA
MIRADA CA 90638
State of Incorporation: N/A

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: 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 fin not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/ WILLIAM A LACAVA, OWNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2019261617
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) POLYTECHNIC, 2003 JELLICK AVENUE, ROWLAND HEIGHTS CA 91748, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) LUN AN YAO, 2003 JELLICK AVENUE, ROWLAND HEIGHTS CA 91748

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: N/A

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT File Number 2019252550 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) A3 MOBILE TRUCK WASH, 1053 AIRSHIRE LANE, POMONA CA 91766, LA COUNTY

POMONA CA 91766, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JOVITA DEL ROSARIO PINEDO-OROZCO, 1053 AIRSHIRE LANE, POMONA CA 91766

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: 09/2019

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S/ JOVITA DEL ROSARIO PINEDO-

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OROZCO, OWNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2019256103
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) STC SERVICES, 12202 ROSETON AVÈ., NORWALK CÁ 90650, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) SHARON
DYALA THOMAS-CLARK, 12202
ROSETON AVE., 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: N/A
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 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{S}}/\ensuremath{\mathsf{SHARON}}$ DYALA THOMAS-CLARK, OWNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
FILE NUMBER 2019268777
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) EUPHORIA
COLLECTION, 2561 SATURN AVE,
HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255, LA
COUNTY, 625 N GARFIELD AVE,
MONTEREL O CA 90640 MONTEBELLO CA 90640

MONTEBELLO CA 90640
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) HAIG
KOUFTAIAN ABECHIAN, 625 N GARFIELD
AVE, MONTEBELLO CA 90640 (2)
DAYANNY CANIZALES PIRELA, 4645
LIVE OAK ST APT 14, CUDAHY CA 90201
State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS RIJSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: 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: 10/2019
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2019270307
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ARTESIA
HISPANIC FOURSQUARE CHURCH (2)
CASA DEL PADRE, 12054 183RD ST,
ARTESIA CA 90701, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: 0126840
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1)
INTERNATIONAL CHURCH OF THE
FOURSQUARE GOSPEL, 1910 W SUNSET
BLVD. SUITE 200, LOS ANGELES CA
90026

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

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

or names listed above: 01/1987 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 fin not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

S/ INTERNATIONAL CHURCH OF THE

FOURSQUARE GOSPEL, SECRETARY, ADAM DAVIDSON This statement was filed with the County

Clerk of Los Angeles on OCTOBER 09, 2019 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 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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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT File Number 2019267532 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) THE BEST VISIONS, 13241 ACORO PLACE,

GERRITOS CA 90703, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1)
CHEULHYUN AHN, 13241 ACORO PLACE,
CERRITOS CA 90703

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: 10/2019 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 fin not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). S/ CHEULHYUN AHN, OWNER

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another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

PICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2019242898
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SPOTLESSS
SANITIZED BY STEFF, 2013 LEWIS
AVENUE, LONG BEACH CA 90806, LA
COUNTY COUNTY

COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1)
STEPHANIE LAFAYE WARREN, 2013
LEWIS AVENUE, LONG BEACH CA 90806

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: 09/2019 I declare that all the information in this who declares as 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 fin not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
S/ STEPHANIE LAFAYE WARREN,

OWNER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on SEPTEMBER 9

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2019250898

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DIABLITAS CLOTHING COMPANY (2) DIABLITA CLOTHING COMPANY, 11852 MAPLEDALE ST., NORWALK CA 90650,

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ROCIO MARCIAL, 11852 MAPLEDALE ST., NORWALK CA 90650 State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an Individual The date registrant started to transact ousiness under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 09/2019 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 fin not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). S/ROCIO MARCIAL, OWNER This statement was filed with the County

Clerk of Los Angeles on SEPTEMBER 17, 2019

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2019268342
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) EXECUTIVE
FIRE PROTECTION, 3907 EAST 2ND ST, LOS ANGELES CA 90063, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) SERGIO ANTONIO CRUZ, 3907 EAST 2ND ST, LOS ANGELES CA 90063

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: 10/2019

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2019261846 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)

DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MARROQUIN SERVICES, 2225 ½ W 14TH ST, LOS ANGELES CA 90006, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
Articles of Incorporation or Organization

Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) HIPOLITO CHOCOJ MARROQUIN, 2225 ½ W 14TH ST. LOS ANGELES CA 90006 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: 09/2014

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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on SEPTEMBER

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NOTICES

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: 19NWCP00291

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner RAY PALMER filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name (1) RAY PALMER to Proposed name (1) BOB RAY DEMERY 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 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.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: December 18, 2019, Time: 1:30 p.m.,

Date: December 18, 2019, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk, CA 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 patition in the following for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, NORWALK PATRIOT OCTOBER 15, 2019
Judge Margaret M. Bernal
Judge Of The Superior Court

Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per Ray Palmer 9830 Belmont St. #342 Bellflower, CA, 90706 (213) 864-1700

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA. COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: 19NWCP00329
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner
AGLAEN JATZENY MARQUEZ CALLES AGLAEN JAIZENY MARQUEZ CALLES filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) AGLAEN JATZENY MARQUEZ CALLES to Proposed name (1) AGLAEN JATZENY MARQUEZ

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 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

Date: October 30, 2019, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: N/A The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk CA 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, **NORWALK PATRIOT** AUGUST 27, 2019 Margaret M. Bernal

Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
AGLAEN JATZENY MARQUEZ CALLES 11544 ANGELL ST NORWALK, CA 90650 (323) 706-1799

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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO **ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:** ROBERT PETER PIMENTEL AKA ROBERT PETER PIMENTEL, SR., AKA ROBERT P. PIMENTÉL **CASE NO. 19STPB08331**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of ROBERT PETER PIMENTEL AKA ROBERT PETER PIMENTEL, SR., AKA ROBERT P. PIMENTEL

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by LISA AHUMADA in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that LISA AHUMADA 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 persona 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 in this court as follows: 11/13/19 at 8:30AM in Dept. 79 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.
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.

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 court clerk

Attorney for Petitioner PAMELA D. DAGURO - SBN 207262 5942 EDINGER AVENUE, SUITE 113-162 HUNTINGTON BEACH CA 94649 BSC217617 10/18, 10/25, 11/1/19

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TRUSTEE SALES

T.S. No. 083696-CA APN: 8078-020-033 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY

OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 1/11/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING. ACAINST YOU

OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER ON 11/5/2019 at 10:30 AM, CLEAR RECON CORP, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 2/2/2006, as Instrument No. 06 0258453, 2/2/2006, as instrument No. 06 0/256459, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: PREM MALLIDI, AS TO AN UNDIVIDED 50% INTEREST AND KOVVURI NIRMALA, AS TO AN UNDIVIDED 50% INTEREST WILL SELIAT DUBLIC AUGUSTON TO NUCLEET SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE: BEHIND THE FOUNTAIN LOCATED IN CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, 400 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, POMONA, CA 91766 all right, title and interest conveved to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: MORE ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 15423 BENFIELD AVE NORWALK, CA 90650 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$212,657.17 If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee. and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned or its predecessor caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. ou are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (844) 477-7869 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.STOXPOSTING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 083696 CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone

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information or on the Internet Web site. The

best way to verify postponement information

is to attend the scheduled sale. FOR SALES INFORMATION: (844) 477-7869 CLEAR RECON CORP 4375 Jutland Drive San Diego, California 92117

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 146515 Title No. 180444605 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/06/2017. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER OR 11/07/2019 at 9:00 AM AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 11/07/2019 at 9:00 AM, The Mortgage Law Firm, PLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/12/2017, as Instrument No. 20171169459, in book xx, page xx, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of California, executed by Gerardo Diaz Rodriguez and Sandra Diaz, Husband and Wife as Joint Tenants, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of autnorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States), Doubletree Hotel Los Angeles-Norwalk, 13111 Sycamore Drive, Norwalk, CA 90650 - Vineyard Ballroom. All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property cityated in said County and State described. situated in said County and State, described as: FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE DEED OF TRUST. APN 8074-008-011 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 11408 Mclaren Street, Norwalk, CA 90650 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any

shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$473,545.51 If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused a Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Dated: 9/27/2019 THE MORTGAGE LAW FIRM, PLC Adriana Durham/Authorized Signature 27455 TIERRA ALTA WAY, STE. B, TEMECULA, CA 92590 (619) 465-8200 FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL (800) 280-2832 The Mortgage Law Firm, PLC. may be attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (800) 280-2832 for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this Internet Web site - www. Auction.com - for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case: 146515. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. A-4706436 10/04/2019,

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T.S. No. 082066-CA APN: 8024-013-015 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/13/2017. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 11/12/2019 at 10:30 AM, CLEAR RECON CORP, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/20/2017, as Instrument No. 20171202745, in Book , Page , , of No. 20171202745, in Book, Page,, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: JUNG HYUN CHUN, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED BAING SPECIFIED IN SECTION SIDE OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE: BEHIND THE FOUNTAIN LOCATED IN CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, 400 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, POMONA, CA 91766 all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: MORE ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 11836 HERCULES STREET NORWALK, CA 90650 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, i any shown herein. Said sale will be held but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$390,636.98 If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned or its predecessor caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you

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postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn

whether your sale date has been postponed.

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and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (844) 477-7869 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.STOXPOSTING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 082066-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. FOR SALES INFORMATION: (844) 477-7869 CLEAR RECON CORP 4375 Jutland Drive San Diego, California 92117

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Re: N-123.02 APN: 8021-014-026 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED APRIL 22, 2008. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN A LAWYER. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the real property situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, City of Norwalk, commonly known as 12012 Piuma St., Norwalk, CA 90650, bearing assessor's parcel number APN: 8021-014-026 and legally described as Lot 4 of Tract No. 53035 in the City of Norwalk, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 1313, Pages 34 and 35 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County. except therefrom. all oil. oil of said County, except therefrom, all oil, oil rights, minerals, mineral rights, natural gas, rights, minerals, mineral rights, natural gas, natural gas rights, and other hydrocarbons by whatsoever name known that may be within or under the herein conveyed parcel of land, and the rights thereto, together with certain other conditions, as excepted in deed (state parcel 67536), recorded August 21, 1972 in Book D5574, Page 108, in deed (state parcel 60061), recorded October 30, 1972 in Book D5649, Page 913, in deed (state parcel 60062), recorded September 28, 1971 in Book D5205. Page September 28, 1971 in Book D5205, Page 605, in deed (state parcel 60063), recorded June 20, 1972 in Book D5500, Page 934 and in deed (state parcel 60064), recorded September 13, 1971 in Book D5188, Page 733, all of official records in said office, will said to tablic auctions the state parcel 60064. be sold at public auction at the plaza in front of 21700 Oxnard Street, Woodland Hills, CA 91367 at 12:00 noon on October 25, 2019 to secure obligations in favor of Elva Aranjo, also known are Elva Nevarez, a married woman, as her sole property, as beneficiary, describing the land therein, in the amount of \$567,397.34, including the total amount of the unpaid principal, taxes, advances, interest, late charges, trustee's fees and charges, attorneys' fees and charges incurred, posting, publication and recording fees, and reasonably estimated costs. expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. The real property subject to the deed of trust and which will be sold as provided herein is described in that deed of trust dated April 22, 2008, executed by Marco Lopez and Beatriz Lopez, husband and wife, as joint tenants, as Trustors to secure obligations in favor of Elva Aranjo, a married woman, as her sole property, as beneficiary, and recorded May 23, 2008 as instrument number 20080916885 of official records in the Office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, California. The undersigned trustee was appointed and substituted as trustee under the deed of trust by that substitution of trustee recorded May 7, 2019 as instrument trustee recorded May 7, 2019 as instrument number 20190413658 in the Official Records of Los Angeles County, California, and executed by Elva Aranjo, also known as Elva Nevarez. The Notice of Default and Election to Sell the described real property under the deed of trust was recorded on May 7, 2019 as instrument number 20190413659 in the official records of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, California. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING BIDDING ON THIS PROPERTY LIEN, YOU SHOULD LINDERSTAND THAT THERE SHOULD UNDERSTAND THAT THERE ARE RISKS INVOLVED IN BIDDING AT A TRUSTEE AUCTION. YOU WILL BE BIDDING ON A LIEN, NOT ON THE PROPERTY ITSELF. PLACING THE HIGHEST BID AT A TRUSTEE AUCTION DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY ENTITLE
YOU TO FREE AND CLEAR OWNERSHIP
OF THE PROPERTY. YOU SHOULD
ALSO BE AWARE THAT THE LIEN BEING
AUCTIONED OFF MAY BE A JUNIOR LIEN.
IF YOU ARE THE HIGHEST BIDDER AT THE AUCTION, YOU ARE OR MAY BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING OFF LIENS SENIOR TO THE LIEN BEING AUCTIONED OFF, BEFORE YOU CAN RECEIVE CLEAR TITLE TO THE PROPERTY. YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO INVESTIGATE THE EXISTENCE, PRIORITY AND SIZE OF OUTSTANDING LIENS THAT MAY EXIST ON THIS PROPERTY BY CONTACTING THE COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE OR A TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, EITHER OF WHICH MAY CHARGE YOU A FEE FOR THIS INSURANCE OF THE INSURANCE THIS INFORMATION. IF YOU CONSULT EITHER OF THESE RESOURCES, YOU SHOULD BE AWARE THAT THE SAME MORTGAGE OR DEED OF TRUST ON THE PROPERTY. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: THE SALE DATE SHOWN ON THIS NOTICE OF SALE MAY BE POSTPONED ONE ORE MORE TIMES. BY THE MORTGAGEE, BENEFICIARY, TRUSTEE OR A COURT UNDER SECTION 2924(g) OF THE CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE. THE LAW REQUIRES THAT INFORMATION ABOUT TRUSTEE SALE POSTPONEMENTS BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO VOLLAND THE RIBID OF A AVAILABLE TO YOU AND THE PUBLIC, AS A COURTESY TO THOSE NOT PRESENT AT THE SALE. IF YOU WISH TO LEARN WHETHER YOUR SALE DATE HAS BEEN POSTPONED, AND, IF APPLICABLE, THE RESCHEDULED TIME AND DATE OF THE SALE DESCRIPTION OF THE SALE OF THE PROPERTY. FOR THE SALE OF THE PROPERTY, YOU MAY CALL (818) 346-7300, USING THE FILE NUMBER ASSIGNED TO THIS CASE, N-123.02. INFORMATION ABOUT POSTPONEMENTS THAT ARE VERY SHORT IN DURATION OR THAT OCCUR SHORT IN DURATION OR THAT OCCUR CLOSE IN TIME TO THE SCHEDULED SALE MAY NOT IMMEDIATELY BE REFLECTED IN THE TELEPHONE INFORMATION. THE BEST WAY TO VERIFY POSTPONEMENT INFORMATION IS TO ATTEND THE SCHEDULED SALE.

of Foreclosure Services Company, 21700
Oxnard Street, Suite 1160, Woodland
Hills, California 91367, telephone number
(818) 346-7300. Directions to the property may be obtained by submitting a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the first publication of this notice. The name, address, and telephone number of the Trustee are: Foreclosure Services Company, as Trustee. 21700 Oxnard Street, Suite 1160 Woodland Hills, California 91367 Telephone No: (818) 346-7300
Attention: Stephen M. Fenster, Esq. DATED:
September 25, 2019 Foreclosure Services
Company, as Trustee Stephen M. Fenster,
Its President

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 19-00729-GM-CA Title No. 1080399 A.P.N. 8052-017-046 ATTENTION RECORDER: THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY IS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR ONLY PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE 2923.3 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/17/2017. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made n an "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: April Y. Shin, a single woman Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 04/25/2017 as Instrument No. 20170456453 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Los Angeles County, California. Date of Sale: 10/24/2019 at 9:00 AM Place of Sale: Doubletree Hotel Los Angeles-Norwalk, Vineyard Ballroom, 13111 Sycamore Drive, Norwalk, CA 90650 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$158,648.71 Street Address or other common designation of real property:
13935 Bayside Dr., Norwalk, CA 90650 The
undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability
for any incorrectness of the street address
or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5(b)/2923.55(c) were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on the property of t lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-280-2832 or visit this Internet Web site www.ndscorp. com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 19-00729-GM-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 09/25/2019 National Default Servicing Corporation c/o Tiffany and Bosco, P.A., its agent, 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 820 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-264-4010 Sales Line 800-280-2832; Sales Website: www.ndscorp. com Rachael Hamilton, Trustee Sales Representative A-FN4706009 10/04/2019, 10/11/2019, 10/18/2019

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

Smarty Pants Storytime, 10:30-11 am. Enjoy books, songs, rhymes, and movement while learning school readiness skills. Attendance is limited, and advance registration in required. For ages 2-5 with an adult caregiver. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

Arturo Sanchez Halloween

Parade, 11 am. Dress in your favorite costume and join in the parade alongside marching bands, floats, show cars, and more. Costume contest begins at 9:15 a.m. Norwalk Boulevard and Mapledale Street

Harbor Groove Band, 9 pm. Dance to live music by the Harbor Groove Band, playing a diverse playlist of 70s, 80s, and 90s music, plus Latin and R&B. IV Lounge, . 12500 Firestone Blvd.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

Family Worship Day, 10 am. Special worship service followed by a variety of fun games and food. Meet other families and make new friends. Trinity Lutheran Church, 11507 Studebaker Rd.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

Santa Sleigh Volunteer Meeting,

7 pm. Are you interested in helping spread joy as Santa Claus visits Norwalk neighborhoods this holiday season? Volunteers help as line monitors, elves, assistants to Mr. and Mrs. Claus, and general helpers. Must be at least 15 years old. Norwalk Transportation Building, 12650 E. Imperial Hwy.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24

Origami for Adults, 2 pm. Join us to learn about the art of origami and create your own art out of paper. All materials will be provided. For ages 18 and up. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial

DIY Comic Books, 4-5 pm. Be a writer and illustrator of your own comic book. We have all the materials for this cool project. For ages 12-18. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

Play & Explore, 10:30–11:30 am. Play and explore sessions are designed to promote toddler social skills as well as cognitive and motor skills. Ages 1-3 with an adult caregiver. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

Halloween Dance, 6-9 pm. Wear your appropriate Halloween costume and dancing shoes. This dance is designed for children, teens and adults with developmental, physical or learning disabilities. \$14 per person. Sproul Reception Center, 12239 Sproul St.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

Game and Activity Day, 2-4 pm. Drop in for board games, card games, puzzles, and play! We'll have activities for children and family members of all ages. Best suited for ages 4 and up. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28

Lit Wits Book Club, 2 pm.

Join us to read and discuss the novel, The Women in the Castle by bestselling author Jessica Shattuck. For ages 18 and up. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial Hwy.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30

Toothpick Sculptures, 4-5 pm. Have fun constructing two and three-dimensional structures with simple materials. Great STEM project. For ages 5-12. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31

Halloween Festival Dia de los **Muertos,** 6-9 pm. Family-friendly event with games, a costume contest, cake walk, music, crafts, an inflatable village, and candy. Food available for purchase. City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Legal Research Class: Custody and Child Support, 1:30 pm. Get the basics on child custody and support, including modifying and enforcing orders, and resources to help. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial Hwy.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

MakMo: Microphotography, 4-5 pm. Capture the unseen world with a combination of microscopes, fascinating slides and mobile phones! For ages 12-18. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Corn Husk Dolls, 2-3 pm Celebrate Native American Heritage Month at the library by creating your own corn husk doll. These dolls were made by a number of indigenous groups across the Americas, and are still made today. Join us and make your own corn husk doll. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Smarty Pants Storytime, 10:30 -11 am. Let's get ready for school! Enjoy books, songs, rhymes, and movement while learning school readiness skills and having fun. Advance registration is required. For ages 2–5 with an adult caregiver. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

Clay Sculpture Class, 12 pm. Learn about the fundamentals of working with clay and create your own piece of art! Registration is required as materials are limited. Visit the Information Desk or call the library to sign up. For adults. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Diabolic Lounge, 6:30 pm. An all-ages concert with music from The Radiacs (UK), The Quaranteds, The Peabrains, Radarmen, Lost Boys and Salems Ghosts. American Legion Post 359, 11986 Front St.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

How to Avoid Holiday Weight Gain, 10 am. Learn how to indulge in the holidays in a healthy way and without being overly restrictive. Coast Plaza Hospital, 13100 Studebaker Rd.

Classic Book Club - "Anne of Green Gables" by L. M.

Montgomery, 6:30-7:30 pm. Anne, an orphan, is sent to live with a lonely, middle-aged brother and sister on a farm in the fictional town of Avonlea on Prince Edward island and proceeds to make an indelible impression on everyone around her. More than 50 million copies of the book have been sold since it was published. Copies of the book available at the library or online at lacountylibrary.overdrive. com. New members welcomed. For Adults 18+. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Hopi Feathered Sun God Mask,

2 – 3:30 pm. Join us as we learn about the Hopi Native American Indian tribe and create a Feathered Sun God Mask using a variety of art materials. This program will be led by the Barnsdall Art Center. For ages 8-12. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Succulent Terrarium Workshop,

2 pm. Gardener Joan Borgman will teach you how to create your own succulent terrarium. Registration is required as materials are limited. Visit the Information Desk or call the library to sign up. For adults. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Citizenship Clinic, 9 am to 1 pm. Stop by for citizenship application assistance, fee waiver application, and study materials. Call the library or sign up at the Information Desk

and receive a list of documents to bring to your appointment. In partnership with SAHARA. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial Hwy.

Game and Activity Day, 2-4 pm. Drop in for board games, card games, puzzles, and play! We'll have activities for children and family members of all ages. Best suited for ages 4 and up. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

Daddy-Daughter Hollywood Glamour Dance, 5:30-8:30 pm. Light dinner, crafts, games, activities and dancing. \$20 per couple, \$7 each additional child. Norwalk Arts & Sports Complex, 13000 Clarkdale Ave.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Painting with Acrylics, 2-3 pm. Students will learn acrylic art techniques, learn how to mix colors, and complete a work of art on canvas. All materials will be provided. Attendance is limited, and advance registration is required. For ages 18 and up. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Kaleidoscope Fun, 4 - 5 pm. Construct your own optical instrument and watch shapes and colors turn into beautiful patterns. For ages 5-12. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Smarty Pants Storytime, 10:30 -11 am. Let's get ready for school! Enjoy books, songs, rhymes, and movement while learning school readiness skills and having fun. Advance registration is required. For ages 2–5 with an adult caregiver. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Lit Wits Book Club: The Death of Mrs. Westaway, 6:30 pm. Join us to read and discuss "The Death of Mrs. Westaway" by Ruth Ware. Hal receives a letter bequeathing her a substantial inheritance but soon it dawns on her that there is something wrong about the inheritance. For adults. Norwalk Library, 12350 Imperial Hwy.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Tower Building STEM Challenge, 4 - 5 pm. Work in groups to build the tallest tower out of basic materials! We provide all supp Best suited for ages 5 and up. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Game and Activity Day, 2-4 pm. Drop in for board games, card games, puzzles, and play! We'll have activities for children and family members of all ages. Best suited for ages 4 and up. Alondra Library, 11949 Alondra Blvd.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

SnowFest and Tree-Lighting Ceremony, 12-8 pm. Snow slides, a snow play area, game booths, train rides, craft tents, face painting, live entertainment, and a visit from Santa Claus. The tree lighting is scheduled for 6 pm.

Diabolic Lounge, 6:30 pm. Live music by The Grim, Peabrains, and The Dead Ricardos. \$14 pre-sale, \$18 at the door. All ages show. American Legion Post 359, 11986 Front St.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Holidays at the Museum, 5-8 pm. Tour Norwalk's historic museum which will be decorated just for this occassion. D.D. Johnston-Hargitt House Museum, 12426 Mapledale

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4

Las Posadas, 6-9 pm. A traditional cultural celebration featuring a candlelight procession, caroling of holiday songs, performances by mariachis and ballet folkloricos, and more. City Hall lawn, 12700 Norwalk Blvd.

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PIH gets approval to expand in Uptown Whittier

The City Council approved PIH's request to add workers to its Uptown Whittier offices, but only after PIH threatened to move to Downey.

By Eric Pierce **Editor**

WHITTIER - PIH Health received the go-ahead last week to expand its administrative presence in Uptown Whittier but only after threatening to take its nearly 300 workers to nearby

Council members voted 4-0 to allow PIH to house up to 297 employees at its Uptown offices with the stipulation that PIH hire security personnel to escort its workers to and from the Uptown parking structure.

PIH took over the former Meyers Department store at 6557 Greenleaf Ave. in 2009 and had its number of on-site employees

After acquiring Cerritosbased Pioneer Medical Group earlier this year, PIH sought to bring its 72 new employees to Uptown Whittier to consolidate operations.

The move was opposed by the Whittier Uptown Association, however, which voiced concerns that the increased number of workers would take up coveted parking on Greenleaf Avenue.

Council members said they shared the same concerns, especially since PIH workers were structure located a half-block away out of safety concerns.

James West, CEO of PIH Health, said his employees spend an average of \$15 per day in Uptown Whittier, pumping nearly \$1 million into the local economy on an annual basis.

"What [Whittier] was missing nine years ago was a daytime group of people who were consistently here to spend money in the morning and through the day," West said. "You can't keep a restaurant open if there's nobody to go to it in the daytime."

West said he was being courted by Downey officials to move his administrative operations to its downtown. PIH operates a hospital in Downey.

"The city manager of Downey, who lives in Whittier, is begging us not to move the employees operated with a permit limiting up here. They want us to move employees to Downey," West said. "They want employees in their downtown area in Downey to help them revive their economy."

> City officials acknowledged that enforcement of existing traffic laws could help alleviate some of the parking troubles plaguing Uptown. In a recent enforcement operation targeting parked vehicles in Uptown, officers issued "about 140" citations in one week for various parking violations.

"We issued that many citations because we do not do

bypassing the existing parking area," said Whittier Police Chief Jeff Piper. "The fact is we're not up there because we can't be because I don't have enough staff to do that."

> voted in support of PIH's request but acknowledged that the parking situation in Uptown Whittier requires a long-term

"I don't like that we are effectively holding PIH responsible for something that is not really under their control," said Councilman Henry Bouchot. "We can manage our parking better. That's our responsibility, not PIH's...Uptown is a very mom-and-pop shop place and don't think we should be the bad guys for trying to protect that."

Mayor Pro Tem Fernando Dutra said what Uptown ultimately needs is more parking.

"Somebody can say, 'Well, you gotta manage it better. It's about the management.' Once again, that is very weak and it doesn't have any substance behind it," said Dutra. "Because really what the issue is, it's the number of parking stalls. That's what it comes down to. We need parking stalls to accommodate what we want to happen in Uptown Whitter. And we don't have it.

science providing more parking stalls so that we can increase business in Uptown Whittier."

Before the Council members eventually Councilwoman Cathy Warner warned that denying PIH's request for more employees would be a "grave mistake.'

> "It saddens me to think that if we don't have at least three members voting for this that your decision might be to pull everybody out and move them to Downey, and that saddens me greatly," Warner said, directing her comments to James West. "If for any reason we do not have three votes to affirm this action tonight, I think we are making a grave mistake and we are not being supportive of probably the largest employer in our area."

Earlier in the same meeting, the city council delayed a decision on a proposed \$13.3 million tri-level parking structure in Uptown, partly over concerns that it would primarily be used by PIH employees.

"You can easily see 200-plus employees filling up that parking structure," said Bouchot. "I am not for a big public gift to PIH, to real estate developers, or to anybody else, especially not one that comes at this tremendous

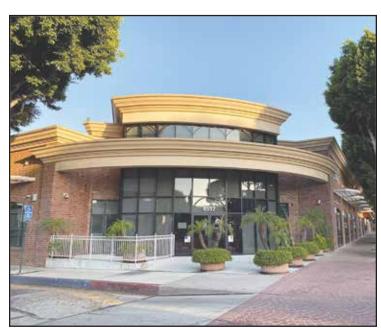


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PIH Health took over this building at 6557 Greenleaf Ave. in Whittier in 2009.

"I don't see this as a public gift to PIH and I don't think that's appropriate to characterize this as a public gift to anyone," he

Mayor Joe Vinatieri disagreed. said. "Because this is Uptown and this is a public parking lot and we own all the public parking uptown."









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The Pain is Still Present

Short Stories

By Yolanda Reyna Contributor

The worst day of my life was hearing the news of the death of my younger brother Louie. It's been five years and the pain is still present.

He was only 53 years old and sadly, he died in his sleep. The knife is still wedged in my heart, and each time I think about him, it jabs me deeper and deeper.

I still recall that day of receiving the news. It is something I will never forget. It was a Friday morning, January 3, 2014. A new year had just rolled in. I had awoken early and, from my bedroom, I made

sat on my recliner and with technology these days, you don't necessarily have to turn on the T to hear the news. You can just turn your smart phone on, which is what I did.

What grabbed my attention was the death of a well-known actor, James Avery. The father of a popular sitcom, The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air, a show I always watched and enjoyed. He died of a heart attack. It saddened me to hear the news of his death; the irony of my own brother dying of a heart attack soon afterwards.

After reading the news, I adjusted my recliner to get some more sleep, but my cell phone started to ring and I didn't answer the call because I didn't recognize the number.

living. I received a message and these are the words I will never forget. The message said: "Hello Yolanda, this is Shelly. I don't know if you know but Louis passed away."

I immediately tossed my phone out of my hand, and I felt an adrenaline come over my entire body. It felt like I was coming up from water. I gasped and I jumped up and went to my son Daniel's room.

I said, "Daniel, your Uncle Louie passed away." He said, "What?!" My heart was pounding terribly and I was trembling.

I said, "Daniel, please listen to the message and tell me if it's true." He listened and he said, "Mom, it was Shelly, and she said Uncle Louie passed

me to handle. I started crying and crying and I could not stop, then I began to scream and scream! My knees buckled and I fell to the floor. I continued to cry for what seemed like an eternity. At that moment, I felt like I was drowning in my own tears.

After all the weeping, I called Shelly asked her what happened. Shelly was a close friend of my brother. She said she had dinner with him New Year's evening at his place and she had left around 7:30 pm. He walked her to her car and as she drove off, he waved goodbye to her. She watched him from her rearview mirror.

I started thinking when I last talked to him and I recalled the last text message I sent him. I texted him on New Year's Eve: "Have a Happy and safe New Year's brother, I love you." He replied, "I love you

After I hung up with Shelly, I called the mortuary to get some information. I was having these crazy thoughts that maybe it wasn't my brother, or maybe he staged his own death. Did he commit suicide? I was having these insane thoughts as to what could have happened.

I wasn't able to go to Kansas City until five days after his death due to bad weather. I asked the mortuary to send me a photo of my brother so that he could be properly identified. I had to ask if they there was any sign of a struggle when they found him. I thought maybe he tried to get up from bed. But they said he was lying on his back with the covers on him. It seemed he went to sleep and he never woke up.

Shelly said he was found by the maintenance man. He didn't show up for work that day and his boss got worried

and sent someone to check on

When I received the photo of my brother from the mortuary, I could not look at it, and each time I tried to bring myself to look at it, I would feel anxious and start to tremble. I asked my older brother Ricky to look at it, and he said, "Sis, that's our baby brother.

I could never bring myself to look at the photo until recently, after five years. What I saw in the photo was my brother. He just looked like he was asleep.

It's been five years and the pain is still present.

Yolanda Reyna is a member of the writing class offered through the Cerritos College Adult Education Program. It is held off-campus at the Norwalk Senior Center.

But little did I know, the call was coming from Kansas City my way to the living room. I where my brother had been The shock was too much for THE WORKS LOS ANGELES • TIRE ROTATION AND PRESSURE CHECK **BRAKE INSPECTION** VEHICLE CHECKUP FLUID TOP-OFF **BATTERY TEST** • FILTER CHECK BELTS AND HOSES CHECK 5645 FIRESTONE BLVD. SOUTH GATE CA 90280. SERVICE (877) 311-2180 NO CASH VALUE. NON TRANSFERRABLE. OFFER EXCLUDES DIESELS AND IS GOOD FOR UP TO 5 QUARTS OF OIL PLEASE PRESENT COUPON AT WRITE UP. COUPON NOT VALID ON PREVIOUS CHARGES. GOOD ONLY WITH THIS COUPON AT LA CENTRAL FORD. NOT VALID WITH ANY OTHER COUPONS OR SPECIALS. EXPIRES

Jars, Rags and a Sleeping Bag

Short Stories

By Sharon Benson Smith Contributor

I'll never forget the Christmas that Dad told the family all he wanted that year were empty jars. I passed the word around to all female family members to save jars for me to give to Dad at Christmastime.

Dad's garage had every tool available for the weekend handyman jobs he had lined up. All he wanted were jars so he could organize his nails, nuts, bolts, and screws by size. Over the counter or his work space in the garage he built a contraption of slats that suspended from the ceiling. He nailed the lids of the baby food jars to the slats then just screwed the jar into it. Dad was genius at this type of thing...his

garage was neat and clean and well organized at all times. Any mess he created was cleaned up as soon as he was finished with the project at hand.

The family sure came through with the jars (especially those sisters of mine). I wrapped them in tissue to keep them from clanking and breaking, and he had the largest box to open under the tree. We shared in such family joy and laughter just watching dad fumble to open his humongous box of jars.

The following year, he exclaimed to the family that all he wanted were rags. Again, I passed the word to the family, gathered and cleaned rags all year long, then presented him once again with the largest box under the tree. This year too, the family shared in the fun and jocularity created when dad opened his Christmas "gift wish" of a load of rags.

The first year that I worked

my "real job" and received a paycheck, I bought a very extra nice gift for each family member. My special gift to Dad was an all-weather super deluxe sleeping bag. He loved it and was so proud of it that he kept it in his car at all times.

He had that sleeping bag for years until he had to go to a union meeting in Los Angeles. His car was broken into and the sleeping bag was stolen. He was quite upset about it for the longest time.

I'm so glad, dad, that after all you gave to me, I could at least come through for you with a few jars, rags and a sleeping bag.

Sharon Benson Smith is a member of the writing class offered through the Cerritos **College Adult Education** Program. It is held off-campus at the Norwalk Senior Center.



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