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St. Paul hires Mike Moschetti as new Football Coach

■ Mike Moschetti leaves La Mirada to become new St. Paul Football coach

By John Sherrard
Contributor

SANTA FE SPRINGS — A three-week search for a new head football coach is over at St. Paul High School, with the official announcement of the hiring of former La Mirada football coach Mike Moschetti.

After the release of St. Paul coach Rick Zepeda on Feb. 10, who had been there for the last 10 seasons, athletic director Rich Avina and the staff have been searching for his replacement.

"It's a complete and total honor to be able to coach here," Moschetti said. "I remember coaching against coach (Marijon) Ancich on this field. I remember he was like this mythical creature. I didn't know if I was allowed to go talk to him. Do I have to get on my knees and bow to him....."

Moschetti, who had the opportunity to go to St. Paul as a kid, continued..."I never thought that this day would come, but it's a total dream come true."

"We're going to embrace all the cultures and traditions. I can't wait to get these boys in the weight room and be able to be a part of this great school."

They found the right man for the job, as Moschetti officially became the new head coach for the Swordsmen on Friday (March 3).

"Coach Moschetti possesses the knowledge, skill and character required of the head coach of our program," St. Paul principal Robert Miller said. "He brings years of knowledge of the game as well as experience in coaching athletes who have gone on to compete at the college level and beyond. His successes and accolades speak for themselves."

Moschetti was asked about his current La Mirada staff.

"Almost everybody from La Mirada is going to come over," he said. "We're in the process of

meeting with the former staff from St. Paul. They all are welcome and going to have a spot if they want to. I think it's important to develop a relationship with the old staff.

"We've got to gain these kids trust. I'm ready for the football aspect of it and I'm ready to meet the teachers, the students and truly become a part of this great school."

Moschetti, who is a graduate of La Mirada, led the Matadores to their first-ever CIF-SS Championship in 1992.

Moschetti comes to St. Paul with many accolades, beginning in high school and all the way to college.

More than 70 student-athletes coached by Moschetti played college football at schools such as USC, Notre Dame, Oklahoma, Alabama, BYU, Utah, Colorado, Texas Tech, Kansas, Army, Air Force, Penn, and Yale.

While at La Mirada in his first nine years (2008-2016) as head coach, Moschetti guided the team to multiple Suburban League titles. Included in those winning years was three CIF Championship game appearances.

His first championship was in his second year (2009) at La Mirada and with coach Ollie Lynch, as they defeated Garden Grove, 49-27 in the Southern Division game.

He won a second title in the CIF Southeast Division in 2015 and went on to win the school's only state championship that year.

In his last season of his first stint as coach, the Matadores lost to Edison in the 2016 D3 title game.

Moschetti, after two years away from the program in 2017 and '18, has been coach from 2019 up until this past season.

While in college as a player, Moschetti was the quarterback at Mt. SAC and guided the Mounties to a state title in 1997.

The La Mirada alum then transferred to the University of Colorado for his final two years as a player.

A few years after his playing days were over, Moschetti began his coaching career at his college



Top: New head football coach, Mike Moschetti. (Photo by Keith Durlflinger)



Right: New head football coach, Mike Moschetti, meets players on campus at St. Paul High School on Monday. (Photos by Keith Durlflinger)

alma mater, Colorado, and began coaching the quarterbacks. He also coached at Mt. San Antonio College and Colorado State.

More Moschetti:

"We played St. Paul over the years when I was at La Mirada and I walked the campus with my dad and uncle one night and you could

truly feel the spirit about the place." Mirada and it worked out.

I remember coming to a game here with my dad when I was in eighth grade and I just fascinated with the culture, the tradition, the discipline, the toughness.

I took the placement test to come to St. Paul and didn't score very well. I ended up going to La

When this opportunity arose, I wasn't going to make the same mistake again and become a Swordsmen."

Sprouts opens up to large crowds



Members of City Council and the Norwalk Chamber of Commerce celebrate the opening of Sprouts with a ribbon cutting (Photo by Vincent Medina)

■ Sprouts Farmers Market opened to hundreds of shoppers eager to take advantage of special discounts during opening weekend.

By Vincent Medina
Contributor

NORWALK - Hundreds of residents eager to be the first shoppers in the new Sprouts Farmers Market began lining up for the grand opening on Friday.

The Farmers Market opened at 7 am, but residents began lining up hours before and braved the 45-degree weather to take advantage of the store discounts during its opening weekend.

Natalie Merrick, Sprouts service manager, explained she saw people waiting in line as early as 5 am. The store opened a few minutes early to accommodate the crowd.

"Every [Sprouts] store has its own story. We sell the same product and merchandise, but each store has its team members that set it apart from other Sprouts locations," Merrick said.

The Norwalk Sprouts offered 20% off all products to shoppers during its opening weekend.

However, customers had to text a phone number to receive the discount and were encouraged to download the Sprouts app and receive savings in the future.

Brand ambassadors and Sprouts employees assisted customers in line to ensure everyone had an opportunity to save money on their purchase.

"The first 200 people in line today also received a bag filled with goodies and we will be doing that tomorrow as well," Merrick said.

Norwalk city council and the chamber of commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony for the farmers market on Saturday, so as not to disturb the large crowd on opening day.

Grace Napolitano, former Norwalk mayor and U.S. congresswoman of District 31, expressed her pride in the city and its evolution over her 62-year career.

"There's a lot more the city is going to do and I'm looking forward to it," Napolitano said. "We welcome all the businesses in Norwalk because not only do they bring that diversity, but they also bring the healthy food we need."

The Sprouts Farmers Market is open daily from 7 am - 10 pm at 11522 Alondra Blvd.

Norwalk awarded funding to update Homeless Plan

NORWALK — Los Angeles County Supervisor Janice Hahn awarded \$90,000 to the City of Norwalk last month to fund an update to the city's Homeless Plan.

Norwalk mayor Ana Valencia called the financial commitment "a significant start to update the city's homeless plan and show that we remain committed to the health and safety of our community."

Norwalk has taken an active approach to homelessness in recent years.

In 2018, the city created the Homeless Operation Prevention and Engagement (HOPE) team, which connects homeless people to resources.

Students performing 'Fiddler on the Roof'

BELLFLOWER - Theater department students from St. John Bosco High School and St. Joseph High School are performing the award-winning musical "Fiddler on the Roof" opening this weekend.

Set in the small village of Anatevka, the story centers on Teyva, a poor milkman, and his five daughters. With the help of a colorful and tight-knit Jewish community, Teyve tries to protect his daughters and instill them with traditional values in the face of changing social mores and the growing anti-Semitism of Czarist Russia.

Rich in historical and ethnic

The city council increased HOPE's funding by nearly \$500,000 in fiscal year 2021-22. An additional \$4.8 million was allocated to enhance homeless services and resources through the L.A. County Sheriff's Narcotics Enforcement Team.

In June 2022, the city council voted to offer homeless support service seven days a week through its Social Services Department.

And last month, Norwalk began construction of the Veteran Villas at San Antonio Drive, a 60-unit affordable residential development.

The development is described by the city as "the first veteran housing project in the Gateway Cities region to curb veteran homelessness."

detail, "Fiddler on the Roof's" universal theme of tradition cuts across barriers of race, class, nationality and religion, leaving audiences crying tears of laughter, joy and sadness.

Performances are scheduled for March 10-11 at 7:30 pm, March 12 at 2:30 pm, March 16-18 at 7:30 pm, and March 19 at 2:30 pm.

All performances are at the theater at St. John Bosco.

To purchase tickets online, visit bosco.ticketleap.com. Tickets can also be purchased at the theater's ticket booth, which opens one hour prior to each performance.

Weekend at a Glance

Friday	57°	
Saturday	66°	
Sunday	67°	

ON THIS DAY

1864: The Red River Campaign began in the American Civil War, an unsuccessful Union effort to seize control of the important cotton-growing states of Louisiana, Arkansas, and Texas. It lasted for several months before Confederate troops under General Richard Taylor defeated the Union forces.

1876: Alexander Graham Bell's "liquid" transmitter design permitted the first transmission of speech by Bell to his assistant, Thomas Watson.

1903: Playwright and politician Clare Boothe Luce—who was noted for her satiric sense of humour, which she displayed in such oft-quoted aphorisms as "No good deed goes unpunished"—was born.

1913: In Toledo, Ohio, William Knox became the first bowler to make a perfect score of 300 in an American Bowling Congress tournament.

1933: Soon after Adolf Hitler became chancellor, the first concentration camp in Germany opened at Dachau, where at least 32,000 people would die from disease, malnutrition, physical oppression, and execution.

1949: Mildred Gillars, who earned the nickname "Axis Sally" as a radio propagandist for the Nazi government during World War II, was convicted of treason; she served 12 years in prison.

1969: James Earl Ray pled guilty to murdering American civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr., and was sentenced to 99 years in prison.

1978: "The Incredible Hulk", starring Lou Ferrigno as the Hulk, premiered on CBS.



1997: The cult television series Buffy the Vampire Slayer premiered; created by Joss Whedon, the show centred on Buffy Summers, "an alternative feminist icon" who battles vampires, demons, and other assorted supernatural forces of evil.

2006: NASA's Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter entered Mars orbit and began searching for signs of water on the planet.

2015: "See You Again" by Wiz Khalifa featuring Charlie Puth was released as a tribute to the late actor Paul Walker.

Birthdays

Martial arts actor **Chuck Norris** (83), film actress **Sharon Stone** (65), "Mad Men" star **Jon Hamm** (52), music producer **Timbaland** (51), R&B singer **Robin Thicke** (46), country singer **Carrie Underwood** (40), actress **Olivia Wilde** (39) and reggaeton artist **Bad Bunny** (29).

Paging Dr. Frischer...

By Dr. Alan Frischer

How can we live a long and healthy life? We are stuck with the genes that we're born with. Even our environment may be largely out of our control, due to work, family, and other factors.

However, there is clear and overwhelming evidence that our lifestyle choices have an enormous impact on our health and longevity. Making good choices can add years and quality to our lives. Here's my disclaimer: None of what you are about to read will come as much of a surprise. Nevertheless, many people actually pay me to hear it...so why not take a few moments and read on?

Get enough sleep. The link between sleep and life expectancy is well established in studies. It is clear when we aren't getting enough sleep; we feel tired, and our daily performance is affected, both physically and mentally.

Be physically active. A good rule of thumb is to make time for a minimum of thirty minutes, four days per week. It protects the heart, bones, blood pressure, sugar levels, brain, and so many other aspects of our health. Even in short increments, it gets the blood flowing, helps to manage stress, increases alertness, and burns calories. Any exercise will do as long as it gets the heart beating faster and results in some shortness of breath. Opportunities to walk are everywhere. Park further away, use the stairs, take walk

breaks.

Maintain a healthy body weight. Obesity is a major risk factor for so many disease conditions, and is closely associated with a shorter lifespan and poorer quality of life. Body Mass Index (BMI) is weight divided by height. A BMI of 18.5-24.9 is considered "normal." When compared to normal and controlled for age, those with a BMI of 30-35 experience a 27% increase in mortality. What's even more shocking is that those with a BMI of 35-40 have a 93% increase in mortality! It's very clear that genetic predisposition can make it extremely difficult to achieve a lower BMI, and I do advise that it is better to be healthy than to be slender. This is when eating a nutritious diet and getting proper exercise

becomes even more critical.

Eat a healthful diet. Eating natural foods including fruit, vegetables, nuts, beans, whole grains, seeds, fish, chicken and turkey; and limiting red meat, processed foods, sugar and other simple carbohydrates; gives us energy and lowers the risk of heart disease, diabetes, cancer, and most other diseases. Some good examples include the Mediterranean diet, the DASH diet, and Weight Watchers.

Limit alcohol. It does appear that drinking red wine might confer some positive health benefits, and clearly a bit of relaxation can be a very good thing. A guideline I recommend is that men drink no more than two drinks, four days per week; and that women drink no more than

one drink, four days per week. Women who have three drinks per week show a 15% higher risk of breast cancer, and that number goes up by 10% with each additional daily drink. And of course, for those who have a problematic history with alcohol, the right amount to drink is none at all.

Do not smoke. Where have you heard that before? Smoking accounts for about 480,000 deaths per year in the United States alone. This will likely be the hardest habit to break. Nonetheless, if you want to live well, and to be spared the whims of your addiction, I urge you to consider quitting ASAP.

You have heard this all before, and it makes sense. These recommendations have been extremely well studied

and documented. But they bear reminding, in order to help us focus on some attainable goals. Devoting ourselves to small improvements in our daily health habits will lead to feeling better, living longer, and enjoying life more. We are all imperfect humans, so let's just work on being just a little more human and a little less imperfect.

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Spring forward: How to prepare for losing an hour of sleep

Contributed by Kaiser Permanente

Whether we like it or not, daylight saving time will begin at 2 a.m. this Sunday, March 12, when clocks are moved forward one hour. Light will last longer into the evening, but the sun will rise later in the morning than during standard time.

Many welcome the opportunity to spend more time outdoors with an extra hour of daylight. But the start of the annual ritual of "springing forward" also means we're losing an hour of sleep, leaving many of us feeling sluggish and tired.

Dr. Kendra Becker, a sleep medicine physician with Kaiser Permanente Southern California, says preparing your body for the time change helps

you better cope. She notes the effects of switching to daylight saving time on your sleep cycle could have dangerous consequences unless you take certain steps to minimize the impact.

"This temporary loss of sleep can increase your tiredness, worsen your performance of tasks, and studies have shown it could also increase your risk of heart attacks and car accidents,"

Dr. Becker cautioned. "Children affected by sleep deprivation also have a more difficult time in school with potentially worsened behavior."

Dr. Becker notes that our internal sleep cycle often normalizes within a few days or up to one week after daylight saving time starts. To

help you cope with the daylight saving time shift, Dr. Becker shared four practical tips that can help you adjust to the time change and minimize any potential negative effects. She stressed getting adequate sleep is essential to good health.

Gradually adjust your sleep schedule. You should shift your bedtime and wake-up time a few days before the time change to help your body adjust.

Create a bedtime routine. Establishing a relaxing bedtime routine can help your body recognize when the time is right to wind down and prepare for sleep.

Get plenty of sunlight. Get outside and soak up some sun, especially in the morning. By doing so, this will help your brain produce melatonin

naturally and earlier in the evening, assisting in the adjustment of your biological clock.

Practice good sleep hygiene. Avoid electronics, late snacks, caffeine, and alcohol before going to bed. These things can disrupt your sleep patterns, making it more difficult to fall asleep or stay asleep.

"Losing an hour of sleep may be challenging for many in the beginning, but it doesn't have to be hard," Dr. Becker said. "It's all about embracing the change and taking steps to minimize the impact. After all, we don't have a choice. The time change will take place whether we want it to or not, so from a health standpoint, we need to adjust and embrace it!"



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Joe Biden: My plan to extend Medicare for another generation

By Joe Biden

Joe Biden is president of the United States of America.

Millions of Americans work their whole life, paying into Medicare with every working day — starting with their first job, even as teenagers. Medicare is more than a government program. It’s the rock-solid guarantee that Americans have counted on to be there for them when they retire.

For decades, I’ve listened to my Republican friends claim that the only way to be serious about preserving Medicare is to cut benefits, including by making it a voucher program worth less and less every year. Some have threatened our economy unless I agree to benefit cuts.

Only in Washington can people claim that they are saving something by destroying it.

The budget I am releasing this week will make the Medicare trust fund solvent beyond 2050 without cutting a penny in benefits. In fact, we can get better value, making sure Americans receive better care for the money they pay into Medicare.

The two biggest health reform bills since the creation of Medicare, both of which will save Medicare hundreds of billions over the decades to come, were signed by President Barack Obama and me.

The Affordable Care Act embraced smart reforms to make our health care system more efficient while improving Medicare coverage for seniors. The Inflation Reduction Act ended the absurd ban on Medicare negotiating lower drug prices, required drug companies to pay rebates to Medicare if they increase prices faster than inflation and capped seniors’ total prescription drug costs — saving seniors up to thousands of dollars a year. These negotiations, combined with the law’s rebates for excessive price hikes, will

reduce the deficit by \$159 billion.

We have seen a significant slowdown in the growth of health care spending since the Affordable Care Act was passed. In the decade after the A.C.A., Medicare actually spent about \$1 trillion less than the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office projected before the A.C.A. reforms were in place. In 2009, before the A.C.A., the Medicare trustees projected that Medicare’s trust fund would be exhausted in 2017; their latest projection is 2028. But we should do better than that and extend Medicare’s solvency beyond 2050.

So first, let’s expand on that progress. My budget will build on drug price reforms by strengthening Medicare’s newly established negotiation power, allowing Medicare to negotiate prices for more drugs and bringing drugs into negotiation sooner after they launch. That’s another \$200 billion in deficit reduction. We will then take those savings and put them directly into the Medicare trust fund. Lowering drug prices while extending Medicare’s solvency sure makes a lot more sense than cutting benefits.

Second, let’s ask the wealthiest to pay just a little bit more of their fair share, to strengthen Medicare for everyone over the long term. My budget proposes to increase the Medicare tax rate on earned and unearned income above \$400,000 to 5 percent from 3.8 percent. As I proposed in the past, my budget will also ensure that the tax that supports Medicare can’t be avoided altogether. This modest increase in Medicare contributions from those with the highest incomes will help keep the Medicare program strong for decades to come. My budget will make sure the money goes directly into the Medicare trust fund, protecting taxpayers’ investment and the future of the program.

When Medicare was passed, the wealthiest 1 percent of Americans didn’t have more than five times the wealth of the bottom 50 percent combined, and it only makes sense that some

adjustments be made to reflect that reality today.

Let’s ask them to pay their fair share so that the millions of workers who helped them build that wealth can retire with dignity and the Medicare they paid into. Republican plans that protect billionaires from a penny more in taxes — but won’t protect a retired firefighter’s hard-earned Medicare benefits — are just detached from the reality that hardworking families live with every day.

Add all that up, and my budget will extend the Medicare trust fund for more than another generation, an additional 25 years or more of solvency — beyond 2050. These are common-sense changes that I’m confident an overwhelming majority of Americans support.

MAGA Republicans have a different view. They want to repeal the Inflation Reduction Act. That means they want to take away the power we just gave to Medicare to negotiate for lower prescription drug prices. Get rid of the \$35 per month cap for insulin we just got for people on Medicare. And remove the current \$2,000 total annual cap for seniors.

If the MAGA Republicans get their way, seniors will pay higher out-of-pocket costs on prescription drugs and insulin, the deficit will be bigger, and Medicare will be weaker. The only winner under their plan will be Big Pharma. That’s not how we extend Medicare’s life for another generation or grow the economy.

This week, I’ll show Americans my full budget vision to invest in America, lower costs, grow the economy and not raise taxes on anyone making under \$400,000. I urge my Republican friends in Congress to do the same — and show the American people what they value.

The stakes in the Texas abortion medication suit are broader than just one pill

By Greer Donley and Rachel Sachs

Greer Donley, an Associate Professor of Law at the University of Pittsburgh School of Law, was a drafter and signatory of an amicus brief filed in Alliance for Hippocratic Medicine v. U.S. Food and Drug Administration. Rachel Sachs is the Treiman Professor of Law at Washington University in St. Louis School of Law.

The lawsuit in Texas filed with the goal of removing a common abortion medication, mifepristone, from the market nationwide has the potential to disrupt the drug approval and development system more broadly. This could affect patients’ access to a variety of medications and weaken pharmaceutical companies’ incentives to develop new drugs.

The plaintiffs are asking for something unprecedented. They’re demanding that a generalist federal judge overrule the Food and Drug Administration’s expert scientific conclusions about the safety and efficacy of a drug that has been approved for more than two decades and remove it from the market.

If successful, this case could invite copycat lawsuits to limit other forms of politicized health care. Potentially at risk would be medications for a much larger range of indications, including contraception, HIV prevention and treatment, vaccines in general (as well as those specifically for covid-19), substance use disorder, gender-affirming care and others. The sudden loss of needed medications could be particularly harmful on short notice.

Already, bills at the state and local level seek to ban the administration of coronavirus vaccines. Employers offering health insurance have prevailed in an ongoing lawsuit in which they have requested not to provide coverage for HIV prevention medications on religious grounds. State legislators and conservative activists

have begun to attack birth control. Seven states have already passed legislation limiting gender-affirming care for minors. This lawsuit in Texas provides a blueprint to expand these efforts by eliminating access to certain medications across the country, not just in limited jurisdictions.

If a judge can override the FDA and remove a drug from the market nationwide, particularly at such an early stage of litigation, it will undermine the interests of pharmaceutical companies as well as patients. Obtaining approval for a new drug is expensive, time-consuming and risky. It typically involves years or decades of research and can cost hundreds of millions, or even billions, of dollars. Most drugs that enter the research and development process fail, never making it to market. The prize at the end of this ordeal is the FDA’s approval to sell the product.

Recognizing this, Congress has established an administrative process involving many steps that the FDA must comply with before it can remove products from the market. This reassures the pharmaceutical industry that its approved products cannot be removed without serious, well-documented concerns about safety or efficacy. When the FDA does attempt to remove a fully approved product from the market, the manufacturer typically complies voluntarily.

It could chill innovation nationwide if political actors could circumvent the agency’s data-driven process by engaging the courts. Manufacturers might become wary of investing time and money into products for a wide range of conditions which may — decades down the line — be the subject of nuisance litigation. The pharmaceutical industry has grown increasingly risk averse in recent years.

Companies that have learned to navigate FDA requirements could no longer rely on one, predictable regulator but would be subject to conflicting judgments from around the country. Indeed, the industry has argued in favor of regulatory harmonization globally to ensure that the trials they conduct to demonstrate safety and efficacy are accepted by a broad range of national regulators, not just one. Lawsuits such as this reduce the predictability of the regulatory process within the United States.

These concerns could exacerbate existing health disparities. The products most likely to be at risk are disproportionately used by women, LGBTQ people, those with substance use disorders, and other marginalized groups. These populations are already underrepresented in drug discovery.

The potential impact of this case on reproductive rights has been well-documented. If Judge Matthew Kacsmaryk rules for the plaintiffs in Texas, his decision could threaten access to the gold standard of medication abortion throughout the United States. Providers, scholars and advocates are preparing alternative regimens — just in case — and pushing the FDA to consider how it can comply with an adverse order while permitting mifepristone to remain on the market. The government would be expected to appeal a ruling for the plaintiffs, a process that could be lengthy.

But the stakes in this lawsuit are broader than just one pill and one medical indication. Mifepristone’s safety and efficacy record is outstanding. The FDA followed sound procedures in approving it. If a judge can remove mifepristone from the market with such little notice, all drugs are vulnerable — those on the shelf, and those yet to be.

Latinos are still waiting for their close-up

By Carolyn Curiel

Carolyn Curiel served as a U.S. ambassador and White House senior speechwriter in the Clinton administration.

Latinos will be an integral part of the Academy Awards on Sunday. You likely won’t notice them, though. They’ll be parking celebs’ cars. Or working security, or serving food for the stars. They’ll be at the after parties — cleaning up the mess.

Could Hollywood, of all places, be unconcerned by appearances? Apparently, yes.

The #OscarsSoWhite campaign, launched eight years ago, helped to secure the beginning of diversity where it counts, among the voting members of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences. And this year, Black and Asian artists are major contenders for top awards, including in the best picture and acting categories, though more progress is certainly needed for both groups.

But Latinos, the largest among ethnic or racial minority groups, remain mostly sidelined. A 2021 study by the Annenberg Inclusion Initiative (AII) at the University of Southern California reported that just 5 percent of speaking roles in 1,300 popular films between 2007 and 2019 were Latino. Only 3.5 percent were leading roles.

Latinos also were least likely among racial and ethnic groups to be hired for anything but low-skilled service jobs in the film industry, a study last year by the U.S. Government Accountability Office found. They also were least considered for jobs before and behind the camera, or for those steering content, such as casting and writing. Even fewer were hired on the business side, and they were rarely promoted to management, where they might help change a culture of exclusion.

It can’t be that Hollywood hasn’t noticed that nearly 1 in every 5 people in America is Latino, most of them U.S.-born and English speaking. Because, in the cinema capital’s backyard, Los Angeles County, Latinos are nearly one-half the population, most of Mexican heritage. As Chris Rock noted about the industry’s dismal hiring nine years ago in the Hollywood Reporter, “You’re in L.A.,” he wrote, “you’ve got to try not to hire Mexicans.”

It can seem that way. The AII’s latest Oscars report found that in

94 years of awards, and more than 13,000 nominations, Latinos won just 57 Oscars.

Ten of those went to three men: Mexican-born directors Alfonso Cuarón (four), Alejandro Iñárritu (four) and Guillermo del Toro (two). Cuarón and del Toro are again nominated this year. This year’s nominees also include Cuban-born Ana de Armas for her portrayal of Marilyn Monroe in “Blonde.” These accomplished artists have something in common. They conquered Hollywood only after building careers elsewhere: the three directors in Mexico (like former Oscar nominee Salma Hayek), and de Armas in Cuba and Spain.

The exclusion is homegrown, part of Hollywood’s skewed ways to determine bankability — that subjective something that a talent or topic possesses to draw wide audiences. Such decision-making favors the familiar. And it ignores the fact that Latinos buy movie tickets in disproportionately high numbers, according to the Motion Picture Association.

There’s also a chicken-and-egg problem contributing to exclusion. Stories about Latin heroes at home and in wars, artists and even sports stars (look up Joe Kapp, Tom Flores, Jim Plunkett and Tony Romo, for starters), all film fodder material, are not widely told. The GAO study found that two other major storytelling entities, news media and publishing, also have failed to include Latinos as subjects and as part of their businesses. As Rep. Joaquin Castro (D-Tex.), head of the commission prompting the report noted, Hispanics are missing from the national narrative.

The familiar story of America bypasses a foundational fact. Present-day Latinos are largely but not exclusively descendants of natives and the first European settlers, who were from Spain, not England. That’s a lot of history — dating to 1565, with the founding of St. Augustine in what is now Florida — that hasn’t gotten its due.

In Hollywood history, the earliest filmmakers embraced Latin lead actors such as Dolores del Rio, Lupe Velez, Ricardo Montalban, Cesar Romero and Jose Ferrer (the first Hispanic Oscar winner). Jerry Velasco, an actor-producer who led Nosotros, the advocacy group founded by Montalban, said Hollywood forgets how important Latinos were to the bottom line, “Things changed,” he said, “beginning in the 1950s” — a decade of rising anti-Mexican

sentiment, and mass deportations of Mexicans, even those here legally.

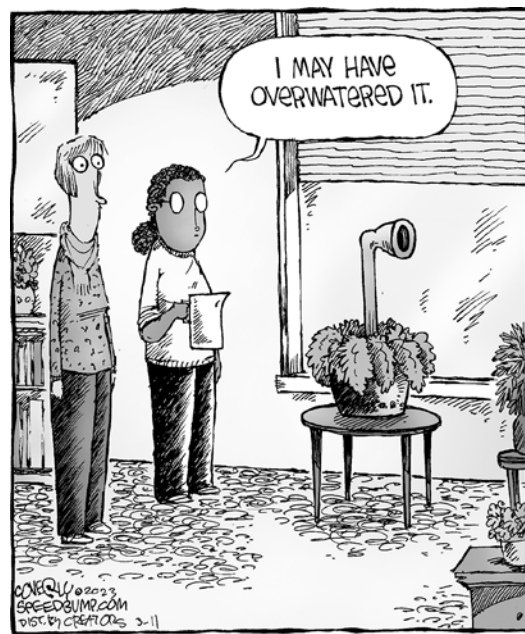
In an uncertain time, Hollywood could have stood by its talents and helped to destigmatize. But for not the only time in its history, it failed to step up. With some exceptions, it still hasn’t.

Stereotypes and bit roles as street criminals, maids and poor immigrants were normalized, and Latinos even lost to Whites the few leading roles written about Latinos. Natalie Wood played a Puerto Rican Maria in “West Side Story,” while Rita Moreno, who is Boricua, won an Oscar as Anita in a supporting role; Marlon Brando was Mexican revolutionary Emiliano Zapata in “Viva Zapata!,” and Mexican-born Anthony Quinn, in the film’s supporting role, won his first of two Oscars. Jeffrey Hunter played Guy Gabaldon, a Mexican American war hero raised by Japanese American foster parents, in “Hell to Eternity.” More recently, Ben Affleck played CIA operative Tony Mendez in Oscar-winning “Argo,” and Jennifer Connelly won an Oscar for portraying Alicia Nash, a Salvadoran American physicist, in “A Beautiful Mind.”

Of course, by the nature of their profession, actors are not who they portray. But if that standard were evenly and widely applied, Latinos on and off screen would have a fair chance to take White roles. Why shouldn’t they? And cinema might look more like Lin-Manuel Miranda’s “Hamilton,” a rich and real reflection of America. Now, that was bankable.

When it comes to Latino representation, Hollywood has more than an appearance problem. It has a bad business model.

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Norwalk Community Calendar

MONDAYS

1st Mon., 6 pm - Public Safety meetings - Council Chambers
2nd Mon., 7 pm - Relay for Life meetings - Mr. Rosewood Family Restaurant

TUESDAYS

9:00 a.m. - 1 pm - Farmers Market - Norwalk City Hall
1st & 3rd Tues., 6 pm - Toastmasters Meetings - Registrar Recorder/County Clerks Office
1st & 3rd Tues., 6 pm - City Council - Council Chambers
3rd Tues., 5:45 pm - Housing Authority - Council Chambers

WEDNESDAYS

1st & 3rd Wed., 7 pm - Lions Club - Bruce's Restaurant
2nd Wed., 10:30 am - Norwalk Woman's Club - Faith Church
2nd & 4th Wed., 1:30 pm - Alondra Senior Citizens - Social Services Center
2nd & 4th Wed., 6 pm - Soroptimist International - Via Zoom
2nd & 4th Wed., 7:30 pm - Planning Commission - Council Chambers
4th Wed., 11:30 am - Coordinating Council - Arts & Sports Complex

THURSDAYS

7 pm - Boy Scouts Troop 924 - Norwalk United Methodist Church
2nd Thurs., 6 pm - 605 Kiwanis Club - Mr. Rosewood Family Restaurant
2nd Thurs., 7 pm - American Legion Post No. 359 - 11986 Front St.
2nd Thurs., 7:30 pm - Golden Trowel - Norwalk Masonic Lodge

SATURDAYS

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Farmers Market - Norwalk City Hall
2nd Sat., 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. - Pancake Breakfast - 1st Christian Church of Norwalk

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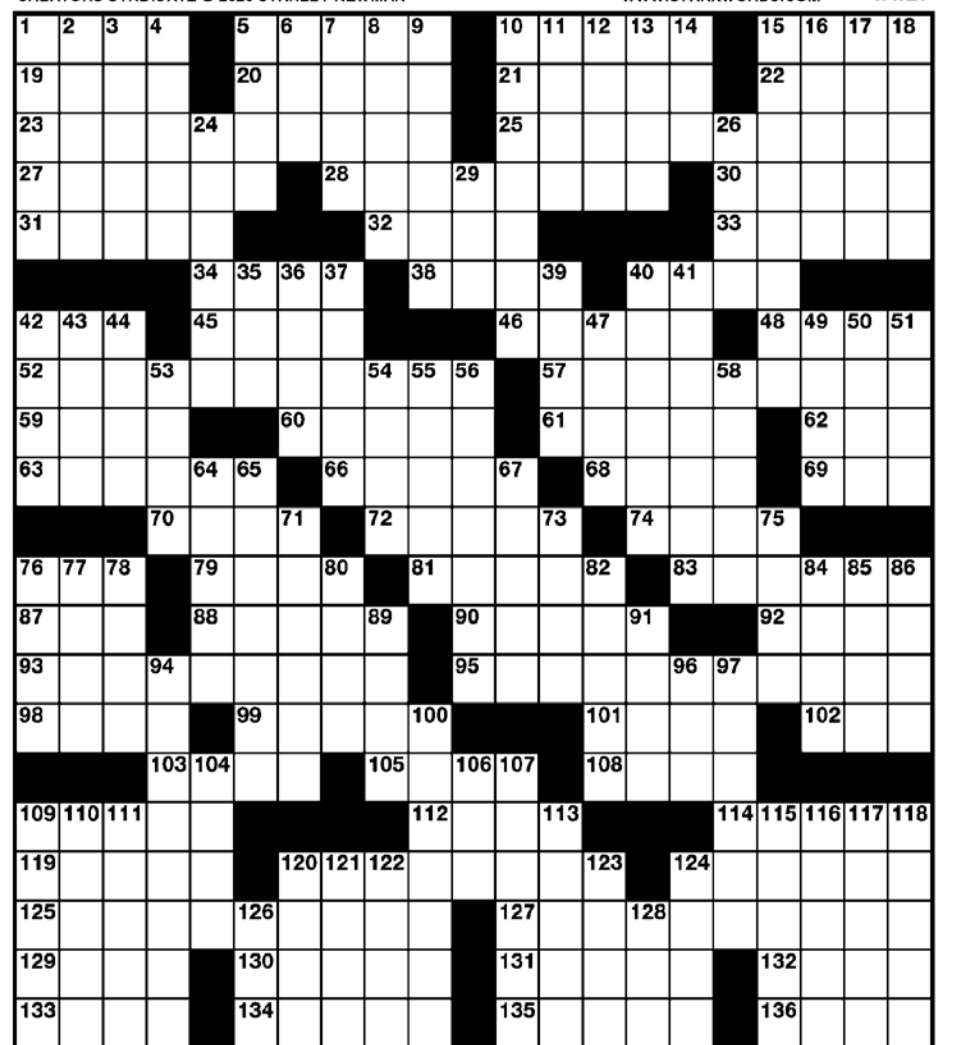
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Golf-card figures
- 5 Don't play fair
- 10 Fender flaws
- 15 Ones walking, for short
- 19 Russia's ___ Mountains
- 20 Oscar actress Berry
- 21 Reader's download
- 22 Beauty bar additive
- 23 Antibiotic (1928)
- 25 Stationery stick-on (1968)
- 27 Ill will
- 28 Icy confections
- 30 Hiked, as prices
- 31 Sprinters' assignments
- 32 Cupid alias
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- 63 Makeup mishaps
- 66 No longer in bed
- 68 Flat-topped land
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- 72 Meek
- 74 Comic actor Rogen
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- 79 Julius Caesar conquest
- 81 Makes angry
- 83 Add herbs to
- 87 Lawyers' org.
- 88 Spinning slowly, as a fan
- 90 Make blissful
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- 93 Strong adhesive (1942)
- 95 Windshield material (1903)
- 98 Go nowhere
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- 101 Where the Gobi is
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- 105 Lengthy story
- 108 "Coal Miner's Daughter" singer
- 109 From now on
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- 119 Standoffish
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- 124 Color variations
- 125 Bouncy toy (1940s)
- 127 How all the theme answers were invented or discovered
- 129 Bart's bus driver
- 130 San Antonio landmark
- 131 In between ports
- 132 "Add to that..."
- 133 ___-do-well
- 134 Gourd family fruit
- 135 Climb aboard
- 136 Bringing up the ___ (in last place)
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- 1 Insect stage after larval
- 2 Boxing match venue
- 3 Nabbed
- 4 Ghostbusters goo
- 5 Frat letters
- 6 Shakespearean prince
- 7 Right-angle shapes
- 8 Get ___ on (learn about)
- 9 Choral contingent
- 10 Overthrows
- 11 Black, to poets
- 12 Airplane's front
- 13 Whom sitters sit
- 14 Glide on snow
- 15 Deep-dish dinner
- 16 Wed on the run
- 17 Overindulgent one
- 18 Food for birds
- 24 Standard practice
- 26 Ballet attire
- 29 Foldaway furniture
- 35 Eventful period
- 36 Bank statement no.
- 37 HBO talk show host
- 39 Chef's spice
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- 41 Ten Commandments pharaoh
- 42 Logging-camp gear
- 43 Airport shuttle
- 44 Bouquet holder
- 47 False front
- 49 Frozen waffle brand
- 50 For a second time
- 51 Juan Ponce de ___
- 53 Century fraction
- 54 "What's the harm ___?"
- 55 Respectful refusal
- 56 Combatants
- 58 Dish for dinner
- 64 Strictness
- 65 Bit of glitter
- 67 Toddler's ice cream term
- 71 Moody
- 73 Refusing to listen
- 75 Concert venue
- 76 On a grand scale
- 77 Share a border with
- 78 Western wine region
- 80 Awkward one
- 82 Make off with
- 84 Lather producer
- 85 Estimate follower
- 86 Home on a branch
- 89 Haunted-house décor
- 91 Handicrafts website
- 94 Driver's license datum
- 96 Yang's counterpart
- 97 "The Father of India"
- 100 Toward the start
- 104 Refuse to obey
- 106 Empty space
- 107 Auto inflatable
- 109 Wears
- 110 Select group
- 111 Nick of films
- 113 Philippine island
- 115 Speeder detector
- 116 London-born singing star
- 117 Smart society
- 118 Fur-trading tycoon
- 120 West Point mascot
- 121 Footnote notation
- 122 Prefix like aer-
- 123 Time gone by
- 124 Read rapidly
- 126 Country singer Tillis
- 128 Big boss, for short

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LA County Board delays discussion of overhauling juvenile detention facilities

LOS ANGELES (CNS) - The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors Tuesday delayed consideration of advancing what it terms a new "Global Plan" for the placement and care of juvenile detainees when the state begins to close its own youth detention facilities this summer.

The board had been scheduled Tuesday to discuss a motion by board Chair Janice Hahn and Supervisor Lindsey Horvath that calls for the optimal use and renovation of the county's current

youth facilities to accommodate the new influx of detainees into what will be called Secure Youth Treatment Facilities. As it is phased out in accord with Senate Bill 883, the state's Division of Juvenile Justice intends to transfer all the youth in its custody into SYTFs -- located at various county youth camps and juvenile detention centers throughout the state -- by July.

Around 150 are destined for Los Angeles County, whose Probation Department has 17 detention

centers. Two of them are operating as Juvenile Halls with a census of 380. Another 86 detainees live in the remaining centers, most of which are camps. Many of the camps are no longer in use, since the county's youth detainee population outside juvenile halls has shrunk considerably over the past decade. Meanwhile, staff levels have remained high, though some of the camps are in need of renovation.

The motion is scheduled to be heard by the board in two weeks.

It would initiate a short-term

plan to be presented in 15 days, and completed a month after that, which, according to the motion, "must be feasible to implement without the need for extensive renovation, security enhancements or new hiring."

Another objective is reducing the current population of Barry J. Nidorf Hall, possibly by moving some detainees to the underused Los Padrinos Hall facility in Downey. Nidorf is in partial use as a SYTF, but according to the board motion, it "sorely lacks the

core components of a successful program."

The Los Angeles County Probation Department has been plagued with troubles for more than a year.

In March of last year, about 140 juvenile detainees were hastily transferred from Central Juvenile Hall in Lincoln Heights to Nidorf -- a move that the county inspector general later concluded was orchestrated to avert a state inspection that appeared likely to fail.

Recently the Board of Supervisors admonished Chief Probation Officer Adolfo Gonzales for the continued use of pepper spray in juvenile detainees. Last week, two board members called for Gonzales' resignation.

Department officials have blamed their problems on staff shortages and the pandemic.

The county has also been sued by hundreds of former detainees alleging they were sexually assaulted by probation and detention officers at county juvenile facilities.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2023038762

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: PATSY NAIL SPA, 1717 CENTINELA AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302 LOS ANGELES. Mailing address if different: N/A. Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number: 5500399. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: PATSY NAILS SPA INC, 1717 CENTINELA AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CALIFORNIA). This business is conducted by: CORPORATION. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: PATSY N NGUYEN, CEO. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 02/21/2023. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 02/24/2023, 03/03/2023, 03/10/2023, 03/17/2023. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1100956.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2023038909

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: JM PAINTING COMPANY, 320 S. ALVARADO ST APT 205, LOS ANGELES, CA 90057 LOS ANGELES. Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: JUAN ANTONIO MARTINEZ, 320 S. ALVARADO ST APT 205, LOS ANGELES, CA 90057. This business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: JUAN ANTONIO MARTINEZ, OWNER. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 02/2023. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 02/21/2023. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 02/24/2023, 03/03/2023, 03/10/2023, 03/17/2023. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1101154.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2023038909

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: OASIS GOLF COURSE, 12116 MAIDSTONE AVE, NORWALK, CA 90650 LOS ANGELES. Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: ELA REBECA ABELENO ROMERO, 12116 MAIDSTONE AVE, NORWALK, CA 90650. This business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: ELA REBECA ABELENO ROMERO, OWNER. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 01/2023. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 02/21/2023. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 02/24/2023, 03/03/2023, 03/10/2023, 03/17/2023. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1101155.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 2023039117

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: BK WHOLESALE, 12116 MAIDSTONE AVE, NORWALK, CA 90650 LOS ANGELES. Mailing address if different: N/A. The full name(s) of registrant(s) is/are: ELA REBECA ABELENO ROMERO, 12116 MAIDSTONE AVE, NORWALK, CA 90650. This business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) Signed: ELA REBECA ABELENO ROMERO, OWNER. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on (date): 02/2023. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on (Date) 02/21/2023. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: 02/24/2023, 03/03/2023, 03/10/2023, 03/17/2023. THE NORWALK PATRIOT. AAA1101157.

GOVERNMENT

CITY OF NORWALK SPECIAL PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING DIRECTORS APPROVAL REQUEST NO. 2023-02

Date: Wednesday, March 22, 2023 Time: 6:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard
Place: City Council Chambers, Norwalk City Hall, 12700 Norwalk Boulevard, Norwalk, CA 90650 and Via Videoconference

Project Description: For the Planning Commission to consider the following application filed by Gladis Uriarte and Evelyn Soto, Marisoco El Chapo ("Applicant"), a request to allow the on-site sale and consumption of alcohol (beer and wine) within an existing 820 square foot restaurant. The subject property is generally known as 14419 Pioneer Boulevard, located on the west side of Pioneer Boulevard between Lindale Street and Mapledale Street (also known as Assessor's Parcel Number ("APN") 8074-021-050), in the General Commercial zone.

Environmental Review Information: Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), this project will not have a significant effect on the environment and is listed as a Class 1 Categorical Exemption. Class 1 consists of operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, licensing or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time.

Public Comment: Interested persons may review the agenda report for the above-described project at the City's webpage at: <https://www.norwalk.org/city-hall/meeting-agendas-393>. Until further notice, Planning Commission meetings will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Assembly Bill 361, which allows Planning Commission and/or staff to participate from a remote location without listing a physical location. You may watch the meeting from home on Charter Channel 3, Verizon Fios Channel 32, or livestream through the City's website. If you wish to make a comment on the item, you may provide input in-person, by phone, or electronically, no later than 5:00 pm on the day of the meeting through the following procedure: 1) by emailing planning@norwalkca.gov. Please limit your comments to three (3) minutes maximum, which is the same time allotted at meetings. Emails will be read during the meeting; or 2) by dialing into the Zoom Meeting at 1-669-444-9171, Meeting ID: 929 283 6465# to speak on the proposed item; or 3) mailing written comments: Attention: Community Development Department at the address noted above prior to the time set for the hearing. If you challenge the proposed matter, you may be limited to only those issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered prior to the public hearing.

More Information: Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Ilianna Padilla, Planning Technician, at (562) 929-5776; ipadilla@norwalkca.gov.

Accessibility: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in a City meeting or other services offered by this City, please contact the Community Development Department at (562) 929-5744. Notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting or time when services are needed will assist the City staff in assuring that reasonable arrangements can be made to provide participation in the meeting or service. Assisted hearing devices will be available at this hearing without prior notification.

Dated this 10th day of March 2023.

John P. Ramirez, AICP
Director of Community Development

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LIEN SALES

Extra Space Storage will hold a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at the location indicated:

10950 Firestone Blvd
Norwalk, CA 90650

03/28/2023 11:00am

Robert Dojay
Household items

Jesse Silvers
Household items

David Montoya
Household items

Desiree Romero
Household items

Reylene Ugalde
Household items

Monica Ordaz
Household items

Julien Emanuel
Household items

Tricia Hinton
Household items

Monica Chavez
Household items

Arlene Miranda
Household items

SLS Energy Solutions AP PO1227
Household items

Eva Hoffman
Household items

Antonio Lopez
Household items

The auction will be listed and advertised on www.storage-treasures.com. Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.

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Pursuant to the California Self-Service Storage Facility Act, notice is hereby given that the following personal property described below is being sold at public auction in the below-listed occupants' leased unit(s) to satisfy the owner's lien. The personal property stored therein by the following tenants may include but is not limited to general household, office and personal items, furniture, boxes, clothes, and appliances. The unit(s) will be sold at public auction through online auction services of www.storage-treasures.com. Bidding will begin opening at 10:00AM PT on March 14th, 2023 and closing at 10:00AM PT on March 21st, 2023. Bidding may close later than stated to allow all interested bidders to participate and to permit soft closing if needed. Unit 2065- Sean Bond; Unit 1026- Juan Gallardo; Unit 2109B- Roseanne Neenan; Unit 2205- Shiraz Hafeez; Unit 1225- Linda James; Unit 2393- Tyler Laurer; Unit 2059- Samir Palmar; Unit 3050- Ruben Rodriguez; Unit 2410- Espie Soto; Unit 3411- Nicole Varga

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NOTICES

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: 23NWCP00069
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner KATHERINE ALBERTA CLAY filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) KATHERINE ALBERTA CLAY to Proposed name (1) ALBERTA KATHLENE CLAY
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: APRIL 7, 2023, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is Norwalk Courthouse, 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 before the date set for hearing on the petition in a newspaper of general circulation: **NORWALK PATRIOT FEBRUARY 27, 2023**
JUDGE OLIVIA ROSALES
Judge of the Superior Court
ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY
KATHERINE ALBERTA CLAY
11901 176TH ST APT. 249
ARTESIA, CA 90701
562-860-9565

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: 23NWCP00045
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner ERIC MAGANA filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) ERIC MAGANA to Proposed name (1) ERIC MARTIN MAGANA BARBOSA
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: APRIL 7, 2023, Time: 10:30 a.m., Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is Norwalk Courthouse, 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 before the date set for hearing on the petition in a newspaper of general circulation: **NORWALK PATRIOT FEBRUARY 09, 2023**
JUDGE OLIVIA ROSALES
Judge of the Superior Court
ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY
ERIC MAGANA
10657 SOLO ST.
NORWALK CA 90650
(562) 281-3096
ericmaganaga@gmail.com

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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: GONZALO GARCIA

CASE NO. 23STPB02164
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both, of GONZALO GARCIA.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by MARIA V. FLORES in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that MARIA V. FLORES be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 04/11/23 at 8:30AM in Dept. 44 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: DAVID A XAVIER ESQ SBN 102045
LAW OFFICES OF DAVID A XAVIER 401 S MISSION DR SAN GABRIEL CA 91776
CN994766 CHAVEZ Mar 10, 17, 24, 2023

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ANGELINA CHAVEZ

Case No. 23STPB02061
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both, of ANGELINA CHAVEZ.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Stephanie Zavala in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Stephanie Zavala PPF be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 04/11/23 at 8:30AM in Dept. 2D 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.
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JEANETTE CLEVELAND JONES

Case No. 23STPB01688
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both, of JEANETTE CLEVELAND JONES.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by SOPHIA CLEVELAND in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that SOPHIA CLEVELAND be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. THE PETITION requests authority to

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF KATHLEEN M. MATHEWS aka KATHLEEN MARIE MATHEWS

Case No. 23STPB01447
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of KATHLEEN M. MATHEWS aka KATHLEEN MARIE MATHEWS
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Juanita Mathews in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
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A HEARING on the petition will be held on March 17, 2023 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 29 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.
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Attorney for petitioner: M BRIAN CULLEN ESQ SBN 213662
LAW OFFICE OF M BRIAN CULLEN APC 12 NEVADA ST STE A REDLANDS CA 92373
CN994255 MATHEWS Feb 24, Mar 3, 10, 2023

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DAVID A XAVIER

Case No. 23STPB02061
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A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: March 27, 2023 Time: 8:30 am Dept.: 4 Room: N/A located at LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT, PROBATE DEPT. ROOM 429, 111 N. HILL STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
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