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Parks, money and development on Council's Jan. 26 agenda

BY MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

It will be a busy night for council on Jan. 26 with a diverse group of agenda items.

Council will consider an official name for "buffer park," receive a budget update, debate a new movie theater downtown and discuss the compliance of all current development agreements.

Staff is recommending the official name of the new park be Gandara Park.

The 2.35-acre park was created to separate the residential neighborhood along Exposition Boulevard from the new Expo Maintenance Facility. As part of the project, staff solicited potential name ideas from the community and 135 names were submitted. Among the most popular were Toypurina Park (16 submissions); Exposition Park (or similar variation; 9 submissions); George Ishihara Memorial Park (or similar variation; 6 submissions); Santa Monica Park (5 submissions); People's Park (4 submissions); Hachi Park (3 submissions); Nisei Park (3 submissions); Vida Park (3 submissions).

After the outreach process, community members came forward with the suggestion of Gandara Park and city officials have accepted the idea.

"The name Gandara Park is recommended by the Recreation and Parks Commission to memorialize and honor Private Joe Gandara, a Santa Monica native who was fatally wounded by enemy fire in World War II at the age of 20. Although hailed a war hero, he was passed over for awards and medals at the time of his death due to his Hispanic heritage. In March 2014, Private Joe Gandara was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor by President Obama in recognition of his heroism and valor," said the staff report.



Photo by Jennifer Maas

FROM PARKING LOT TO CINEMA: On Jan. 26, Council will consider a Development Agreement for a new movie theater located at the current site of Parking Structure No. 3 on Fourth Street.

Official action on the park name was postponed to allow Private Gandara's family to request the nearby Expo stop be named after him. The Metro Board has voted to dedicate the station in his memory with placement of a plaque and the family also supports naming the park in his honor.

Alternate names submitted for the park include Heroes Park in recognition of all Santa Monica veterans.

The Jan. 26 meeting will include a budget update. The outlook for the general fund is positive in the short term, but projects a shortfall of $2.2 million (0.6 percent) in financial year 2019-20. Non-general fund revenues remain stable.

"Proposed FY 2015-16 midyear budget adjustments result in a $9.5 million, or a 1.7% increase over the adopted citywide revenue budget, and expenditure adjustments result in a net $4.9 million or a 0.9% decrease over the adopted citywide expenditure budget. In this report, staff also proposes adjustments to the City's master fine resolution and discontinuance of the $25 non-resident library card fee," said the report.

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Local student wins regional marketing title

Senior leads Samohi contingent to state DECA conference

BY JEFFREY I. GOODMAN
Daily Press Staff Writer

As an incoming freshman at Santa Monica High School, Alex Spanos was shy and easily overwhelmed by large groups of people. Public speaking was out of the question.

He was interested in business and entrepreneurship, though, and a friend introduced him to the campus DECA club.

"Before I knew it, I was competing and making new friends," he said. "It was truly an organization that accepted me as part of its extensive family."

Now a senior, Spanos isn't just competing. He snagged top honors in the sports marketing competition at the Southern California District DECA conference, which was held Jan. 8-10 in Anaheim.

DECA, which was founded as Distributive Education Clubs of America, aims to prepare future leaders in marketing, finance, hospitality and management. The organization, which hosts competitions, conferences and other events, has more than 215,000 members in the United States.

Spanos wasn't the only student in Samohi's DECA club who found success at the recent district event. Yahn Bruggeman and Srishti Soni took second place in the financial services category, while Amy Matsushima finished third in hospitality and tourism.

They will join fellow top-10 finishers Emily Dorsey, Emily Flavin, Mostafa Diab, Andrew Finebaum and Nathan Trotter at the state competition, which will be held March 3-6 at Town and Country Resort and Convention Center in San Diego. The students will be vying for spots at the

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SMMUSD vaccine rules amended

Changes follow enactment of new state law

BY JEFFREY I. GOODMAN
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With California's new vaccine law now in effect, the school board on Thursday approved changes to the district's policies and regulations for immunizations.

Senate Bill 277, which was co-authored by former SMMUSD board member Ben Allen, bans personal-belief exemptions for students in public and private schools.

But, as assistant superintendent for human services Mark Kelly and board member Craig Foster noted, the new law provides some exceptions.

Personal-belief exemptions submitted before Jan. 1 will remain valid until a student reaches kindergarten or 7th grade, whichever comes next. Students who are

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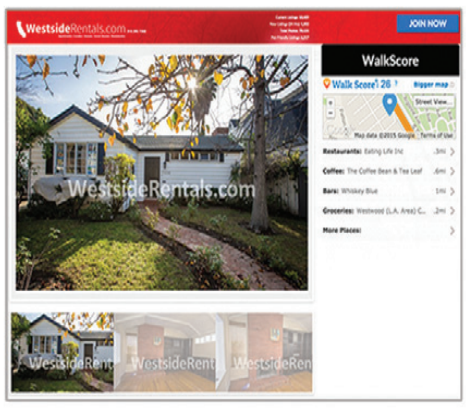
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Monday, Jan. 25

Airport Commission Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Airport Commission. City Hall, 1685 Main St., 7:30 p.m. www.smgov.net/Departments/Airport/Commission.

Social Services Commission Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Social Services Commission, Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th, 7 p.m. www.smgov.net/Departments/CCS.

Homework Help

Get help with your homework. This drop-in program offers a separate study area, basic supplies, and friendly volunteers to assist with homework questions. For students in grades 1-5 only. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd., 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Writer-In-Residence Office Hours 11am- 2pm

Jennifer Caloyeras is the 2016 Beach House Writer-in-Residence, and will be working on a novel in her office at the Marion Davies Guest House from Jan. 12 - March 15. Her most recent novel, Strays, is for young adults and explores an incarcerated teen's relationship with a pit bull. Caloyeras' short fiction has appeared in Booth, Storm Cellar and other literary magazines. Jennifer's current project is her first adult novel - a mixture of humor and pathos - that explores a mother's journey with her transgendered six-year-old daughter, and the weight of expectations parents place on their children. She will share her work with three public events, a weekly blog, and open office hours throughout her tenure. Annenberg Community Beach House, 415 PCH, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 26

Computer Class: Finding Free and Open Source Software

Discover free and open source alternatives to popular software programs. This is an advanced level class and requires knowledge of computers and internet searching. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave., 2 - 3 p.m.

Teen Time

A space just for Teens. Stop by and play board games, make some crafts, play music, do homework or just talk to your friends. Refreshments will be provided. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd., 3:30 - 5 p.m.

Memory and Aging: What You Need to Know

Learn about the way the brain changes with age, what is normal, what is not, and what you can do about it. Monica Moore, UCLA, discusses the latest research surrounding brain health, as well as practical tips to stay mentally focused and sharp. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St., 3:30 - 5 p.m.

City Council Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica City Council. City Hall, 5:30 p.m.

Movie Screening: The End of the Tour (2015)

The story of the five-day interview between Rolling Stone reporter David Lipsky and acclaimed novelist David Foster Wallace, conducted just after the release of Wallace's epic novel Infinite Jest. Starring Jesse Eisenberg and Jason Segel. (106 min.) Seating first come, first served. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 7 - 8:45 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 27

Yoga

All levels. Drop in for $15/class or sign up for series (5 week/$62, with parking) Wed 1/6-2/3/16. Annenberg Community Beach House, 415 PCH, 9 - 10 a.m.

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City Staff reflection

The recent passage of Santa Monica's comprehensive Minimum Wage law was a landmark public policy achievement - and there is a lot of credit to go around. The movement to support local workers and pay a living wage began in the mid-1990s and has continued through this day (http://the-healthycitylocal.com/2014/01/20/gathering-the-tribes-to-celebrate-labor-victories-in-santa-monica/). Many City Councilmembers over the years have also been bold and unequivocal in their support for the idea that we don't want our parks, schools and police funded by tax dollars generated on the backs of underpaid workers.

But also noteworthy has been the role of City Staff. The draft Minimum Wage ordinance brought to the City Council on Jan. 12 was the result of intensive collaboration between the Finance Department, the Housing and Economic Development Department and the City Attorney's office.

That effort showed how working for our local government can provide exceptional opportunities for City Staff to be part of great cutting edge accomplishments, just like being elected to the City Council gives our local politicians the opportunity to voice support for and vote for them.

MINIMUM WAGE MINI-DISSERTATION

In Santa Monica, we often takes on issues that go beyond what many consider to be the regular operations of municipal government, and this requires becoming expert in many areas.

With the City's draft Minimum Wage law, not only did City Staff need to be well versed in state and federal labor law, but also it necessitated an understanding of how such a comprehensive minimum wage law would specifically apply to our local economy.

To do that, City Staff convened an intensive eight-month local stakeholder outreach process, taking input from a range of interests - from big hotels and small restaurants, to car washers, housekeepers and a variety of advocacy organizations and think tanks. Staff then issued their draft recommendations almost a month before they were due to come to Council (http://www.smgov.net/WorkArea/DownloadAsset.aspx?id=53687091667), to give opportunity for even more feedback, then further fine tuned their recommendations in response.

Of course, such work is not without its political context, and City Staff deftly offered some thoughtful compromises that made their recommendations more likely to be accepted. At the same time, they charted out several alternative approaches to key issues as advocated by a range of stakeholders, and analyzed their pros and cons as well.

The result was a Staff report that serves as a de facto primer on how a comprehensive minimum wage law might apply to Santa Monica (http://santamonicacityca.iqm2.com/Citizens/Detail_LegiFile.aspx?ID=1530) - as well as a potential resource for other communities seeking to do the same, and for academics and others who want to study the issue.

ATTRACTING AND RETAINING GREAT CITY EMPLOYEES

In addition to the City Attorney's office (which plays a key role in developing most City policies), both the Housing and Economic Development (HED) Department and the Finance Department deserve special recognition for this professional work on behalf of our community - and how it demonstrates how staying with the City can also lead to great personal professional achievement.

Andy Agle is the director of HED and Gigi Decavalles-Hughes the director of Finance. From my own early years on the City Council in the late 1990s, I remember both as junior staff members sitting in the front row in the Council chambers, as is customary, while their own department directors would be giving a Staff report to the Council. Now today almost twenty years later, they are leading their own departments in this historic effort.

After serving as a community development project manager for the City of Anaheim, Agle came to Santa Monica in 1998, serving first as a special projects manager in the City's Planning and Community Development Department (PCD), then as assistant PCD director in 2001, PCD interim director between 2005 to 2006, and then director of HED ever since.

Decavalles-Hughes started with Santa Monica in 1997 as a senior budget analyst, then moved up to principal analyst and budget manager in 2001. Then as should be in a progressive city, she was able to take an extended maternity leave of 18 months, before coming back to work in the City's Community and Cultural Services Department (CCS) as a senior administrative analyst on a part time basis while her kids were young. She coordinated the department's budget and worked on special projects such as the construction of the new OPCC Shwashlock/Access Center facility and the Annenberg Beach House, before moving to HED in 2009 to serve as Agle's administrative services officer, then returned back to Finance as director in 2011.

In both cases Agle and Decavalles-Hughes gained experience working in different City departments before landing in their present positions, something also true of current CCS director, Karen Ginsberg, who cut her teeth in PCD before moving to CCS to take over when previous director, Barbara Stinchfield, retired in 2011. This long-time practice within City Hall of working in different City Departments further builds intellectual dexterity in our City's workforce, helping them better understand how the City works and the connections between different policy areas.

ACHIEVING MANY 'FIRSTS' FOR SANTA MONICA

Another long-time City employee who has been part of many of Santa Monica's groundbreaking achievements has been Environmental Programs manager Dean Kubani. Kubani has been with the City since 1994, and helped shape and implement Santa Monica's Sustainable City Plan, one of the first municipal sustainability programs in the world. Along the way he's been part of many "firsts": first city to buy 100-percent renewable power, first municipal urban runoff treatment system, one of the first to ban Styrofoam containers ,and more. Based on the experience gained and lessons learned, Kubani has also helped countless other cities and other government agencies develop their own sustainability efforts - and many other cities now have sustainability plans based upon the work done here in Santa Monica.

ALSO IN THE RANK-AND-FILE

Doing cutting-edge work in Santa Monica is not limited to department heads, as there are countless City employees behind every program and service. Hence the opportunity to be part of something special professionally extends to hundreds and hundreds of City employees.

Back in the late 1990s when the City wanted to switch to more environmentally-friendly cleaning projects, I remember being impressed with how the City's custodial staff had played an important role in evaluating the new products which they would work with, and for this reason ultimately embraced the change when it came to Council. This is only one example among many that continues to this day.

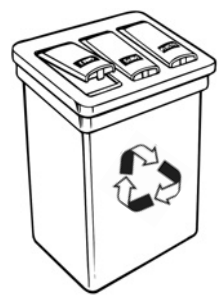
What this should tell us is that the opportunity to work for the City of Santa Monica brings with it many benefits, and that our high quality of life as residents is partly the result of many long-time employees being able to achieve greatness in their fields, fields that by definition are also in public service and the public interest. Such longevity and commitment by city workers isn't present in every community, and we are fortunate that it exists here.

MICHAEL FEINSTEIN is a former Santa Monica City Councilmember from 1996-2004

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Time for an elected City Attorney

CRAIG MILLER, ANDREW NASATIR AND Ana Valle-Lopez have announced plans to float a ballot initiative. The "City Attorney Accountability Act," asks Santa Monica voters to collect signatures to qualify the measure and vote to change the City Charter to make the City Attorney an elected position as opposed to an appointed one.

The City Attorney would be elected by popular vote for four-year terms with the first election being within 120 days of the ballot measure's approval. Salary would be determined by City Council. Council would be able to appoint an interim replacement if the office is vacated, then a new City Attorney would be elected in the next general election.

The duties of the City Attorney are to handle litigation of all kinds for and against the city; draft and interpret ordinances statutes and regulations pertaining to the city; advise council and staff on a variety of legal matters; and play a major roll in negotiating deals and contracts, especially development agreements.

The ballot measure proposes that the City Attorney should be democratically elected by the voters of Santa Monica and held directly accountable to city residents instead of City Council.

Here, the basic relationship between the City Attorney's office and the City Council is one of a mutual admiration society that often works against the public interest.

An elected City Attorney would eliminate the precarious relationship between his or her direct employer (the Council) and lots of internal politics. Because the City Attorney knows where all the skeletons are buried, councilmembers may be reluctant to fire the individual in the case of wrongdoing or incompetency. That's why electing major department heads is good policy.

Over the last few years, the current City Attorney Marsha J. Moutrie has been criticized on a number of fronts.

Elisabeth Riel was terminated by then City Manager Rod Gould shortly after being hired as the city communications chief after complaints were made about her past political alliances by Councilwoman Pam O'Connor. Riel sued and the settlement cost the city a million bucks.

Did the city have to pay out so much for that settlement? Could the city have recouped some of that money? In addition, it appears the city's process was too long and by the time the complaint reached the District Attorney's office, the statute of limitations expired making it impossible to investigate or prosecute O'Connor for any possible wrongdoing.

15 units of deed-restricted (low and middle income apartments) housing required in a development agreement (DA) with the Dorchester House condominiums on 4th Street were never implemented. Units were bought and sold at market rate and occupied by owners - a blatant violation of the D.A.

The D.A. was modified as part of the settlement and the city lost 15 low-income units.

The City Attorney's office was also a part of the City Hall bureaucracy that ignored state-mandated procedures pertaining to processing parking ticket appeals.

I like the idea of an elected City Attorney because the existing cozy relationships between city policymakers, as well as outside business-related special interests, need changing.

The public may pay more attention to City Attorney office activities and become more involved with how it works. Decisions will be better made when the City Attorney is answerable directly to the people.

CIVIC CENTER PLANS IN CHAOS

Final recommendations for the future of the Civic Center have been released by the Civic Center Working Group. The nearly 1,200 pages of reports and information represent a momentous amount of work by all those involved. Their effort will be reviewed by City Council at their Feb. 9 meeting.

The overall conclusion by the CCWG is that the landmark Civic Auditorium and immediate surrounding area would be best served by some kind of arts or entertainment-complex. This would involve securing a private operator to renovate the aging structure and operate art and entertainment related activity.

Renovations alone could cost around $100 million and even under the best of circumstances, multi-million dollar yearly losses are still projected for the facility.

Additional enhancements could include adjoining music and entertainment venues and art galleries. The addition of a roster of appropriate amenities would add a weekend and evening nightlife element to the area that doesn't exist at present.

Inclusion of café's and social amenities would enhance the desirability of the Auditorium as a venue as well as an arts and cultural center for the public.

There are different opportunities opposed to this philosophy. One is for a soccer field or combination soccer facility/ice rink on the 1,000 car surface parking lot adjacent to the Civic.

Another says that the losses associated with a money-losing arts complex could be mitigated by leasing land near the Auditorium for a hotel, apartment complex or other non-related revenue generating options. However like the sports uses and a badly misplaced Early Childhood Education Center, this all takes space away from the arts and entertainment "heart" conceived for our Civic Center.

It's time to bite the bullet. Demolish the hopelessly out-of-date Civic Auditorium and start with a fresh, clean slate.

I'm sure we could build one heck of an arts - or sports - complex. And, we'd have a spanking new venue that would be a crowd pleaser, have universal appeal and make money!

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The Arctic and global warming

Dear EarthTalk:

Why is the Arctic such a crucial area to focus on in efforts to stem global warming?

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THE IMAGE OF A POLAR BEAR STANDING on a shrinking iceberg has become one of the most iconic symbols of global warming, yet few of us realize just how important the Arctic's ice is, wherever we may live on the earth. Researchers consider the Arctic to be an "indicator region" for the rest of the planet, given that even small differences in temperature there can have profound ecosystem impacts and can give us a better idea of the types of problems we can all expect down the road.

Of course, the effects of global warming have been under scrutiny in the Arctic for decades already. Since 1979, the extent of the Arctic's permanent ice cap has shrunk by upwards of 20 percent. Even worse, the remaining ice has thinned by as much as two-thirds in some parts of the Arctic. Recent models suggest this ice loss will only accelerate in the next several years due to a global warming feedback loop called the "albedo effect," whereby less ice means less reflection of the sun's radiation back into space and thus more warming at the Earth's surface. And not only is the ice shrinking-parts of the ice cap are also rupturing: The Ward Hunt Ice Shelf, the largest block of ice in the Arctic and intact for some 3,000 years, finally cracked in 2000, and within two years split all the way through.

These changes up north are already starting to have ripple effects elsewhere. For starters, the entire Arctic ecosystem is being forced to shift with the changing climate. Animals like polar bears, whales and seals are changing migration patterns, in turn impacting native people who depend on them for sustenance. Meanwhile, other organisms are overpopulating, given all the new habitat opening up. Rising temperatures have allowed the spruce bark beetle to add an extra reproduction cycle each year. As a result the pesky little beetles decimated 3.4 million acres of Alaska's forests over just 10 years.

And then there's the issue of sea level rise. Thanks in large part to melting Arctic glaciers, sea level is expected to rise some three feet on average around the world in the next century, flooding over 22,000 square miles in the United States alone. This pressing issue threatens island nations especially. Countries like the Maldives, precariously perched just six feet above sea level, are as concerned as anyone about melting glaciers in the Arctic. And warming in the Arctic also affects weather patterns vital for food production all over the world. Cold water from the melting ice could also potentially halt the Gulf Stream, which brings warm weather to Europe. This would result in a steep drop in temperature for much of northwestern Europe and would affect weather patterns far beyond.

While it may seem futile for us to try to stop Arctic ice melting, we do in fact have the power. We can all work to reduce our carbon footprints by flying and driving less, turning down (or off) the heat or air conditioning, speaking up to our elected officials, and even divesting from companies that support the continued development of fossil fuels.

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COUNCIL

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According to staff, the fine changes are necessary due to the recently updated zoning code. Council action will realign the new zoning violations with the existing master fine resolution. No revisions to fine amounts are required.

One new fine will be created to penalize violations of Transportation Demand Management Plans. Fines will be set at $5 per residential unit per day and $5 per employee in the project. Staff is also recommending increasing the administrative fine for illegal vacation rentals to $500.

The update will potentially eliminate the $25 non-resident fee for receiving a library card. According to staff, 90-percent of libraries offer free cards to all state residents and many local agencies, including the Library Board, want the Santa Monica fee dissolved.

"The City's current practice of assessing a non-resident fee is broadly perceived as exclusionary, especially by neighboring library systems such as Los Angeles Public Library and the County of Los Angeles Public Library, who both offer Santa Monica residents free cards to access their large library networks," said the report. "Additionally, the Library is disqualified from membership in the Southern California Library Consortium (SCLC) because it does not provide free library cards to non-residents. SCLC is the local consortium of library systems supported by the California State Library in accordance with the California Library Services Act. It is a valuable source for professional development and resource sharing for its member libraries."

For those who think the movie version of a story is always better, Council will consider a Development Agreement for a new movie theater located at the current site of Parking Structure No. 3 on Fourth Street. The project requires demolition of the parking structure and "construction of an approximately 100,000 square foot building, which includes 90,000 square feet of theater floor area with up to 16 auditoriums/screens; approximately 2,700 theater seats; interior restaurant/lounge space available to theater patrons as well as to the public; and approximately 10,000 square feet of ground floor retail/restaurant tenant space leased separately from the theater use," according to the report.

The City has long anticipated redevelopment of the parking structure and added additional parking spaces to the Civic Center garage to make up for the future loss of parking downtown.

Council will consider conceptual business terms with the development team and a potential development agreement. At a recent Planning Commission meeting, the Commission took issue with several elements of the project including parking, building height/mass, and a passageway through the alley to Fourth Street.

Discussion of development agreements will continue with the City's annual summary of compliance for all 31 agreements currently in effect.

"This year's summary includes review of all 19 completed projects, five projects that are under construction, and the status of the remaining seven Agreements where construction has not commenced," said the report.

Of the 19 projects that have been built, 18 are recommended to be in good faith compliance. The last, relating to the Agensys building at 1800 Stewart Street, is still under review and will be the subject of its own report later in the year.

City Council meets Jan. 26 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall, 1685 Main St. Visit http://www.smgov.net/departments/clerk/agendas.aspx for more information.

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VACCINE

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homeschooled and do not receive classroom-based instruction are not required to be inoculated. In addition, students with individualized education programs must be granted access to special education and other related services.

Medical exemptions approved by a licensed physician will still be honored.

"We have to make clear what [parents'] options are," Foster said. "I know there are certain points where they have no discretion, and I know the district feels strongly that this is the right thing, but we want to make sure we're clearly following the law and that parents know they have options available to them under the law."

Students are required to be inoculated against measles, mumps and rubella; diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis; polio; Hepatitis B; chickenpox; and Haemophilus influenza. The California Department of Public Health has the authority to designate other diseases that require immunization protection.

If a student is determined not to be properly vaccinated, the district will give the parent or guardian 10 days to provide evidence of immunization or a valid letter of exemption, according to the approved regulations. After the grace period, a student without the proper vaccines will be excluded from school and reported to the campus principal or attendance supervisor.

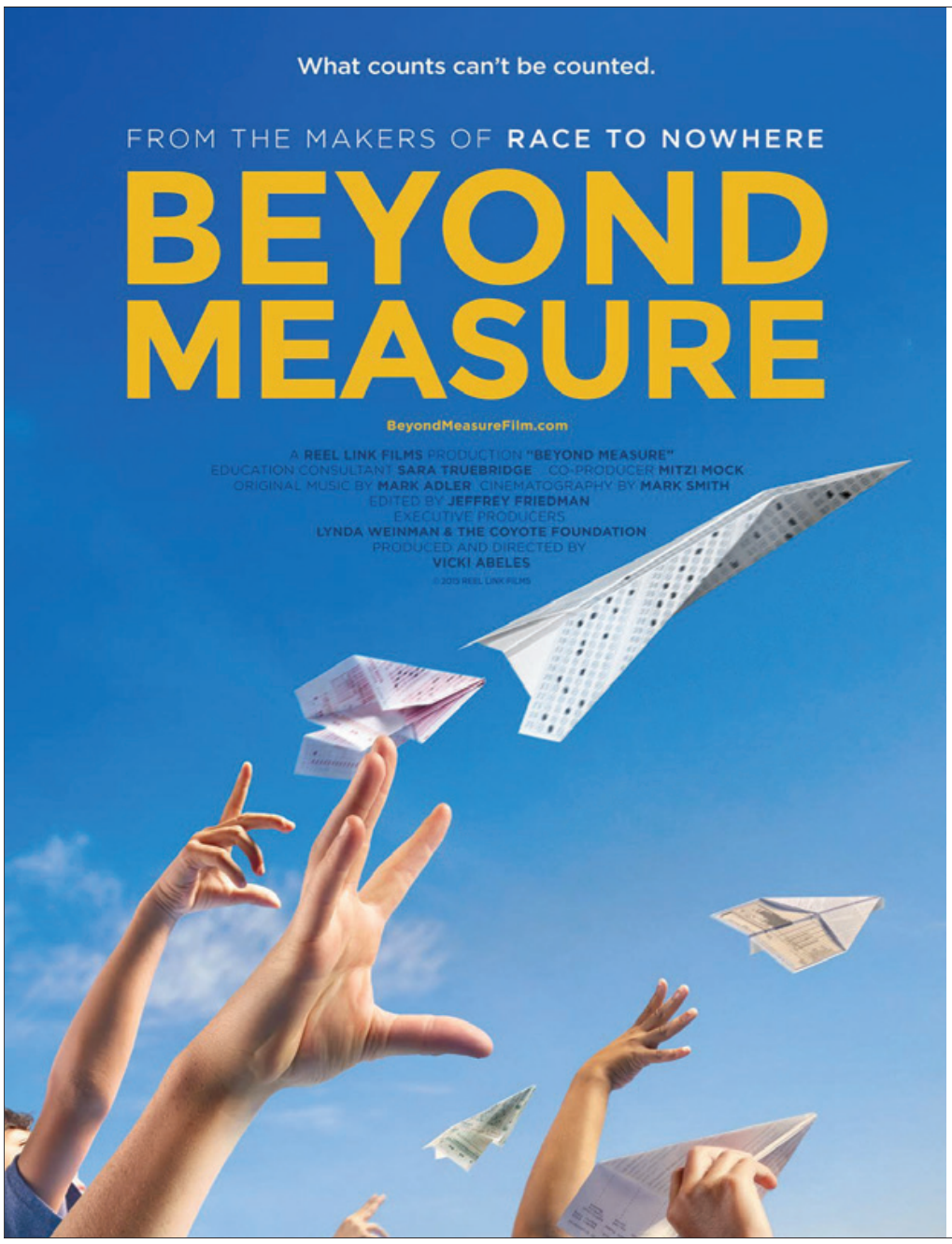
The district will immediately enroll homeless students, foster youth and students of military families "even if their immunization records are missing or unavailable at the time of enrollment," according to the new policies.

SMMUSD officials have created a notice to inform parents of students with personal-belief exemptions about the new law. Faculty members will also be briefed on the law so they can answer families' questions. Meanwhile, school nurses will meet with enrollment staffers to discuss the changes.

The school board's approval of amended regulations came about a year after a Southern California measles outbreak. In late January 2015, a Santa Monica High School coach was diagnosed with the highly contagious virus. Less than two weeks later, more than a dozen infants at the school's child care center were ordered quarantined after a baby who attends the center was found to have measles.

"SMMUSD is in support of this new law and has continued to encourage parents to have their students immunized regardless of their grade to best protect our entire student population and staff from preventable diseases such as whooping cough and measles," district spokeswoman Gail Pinsker said.

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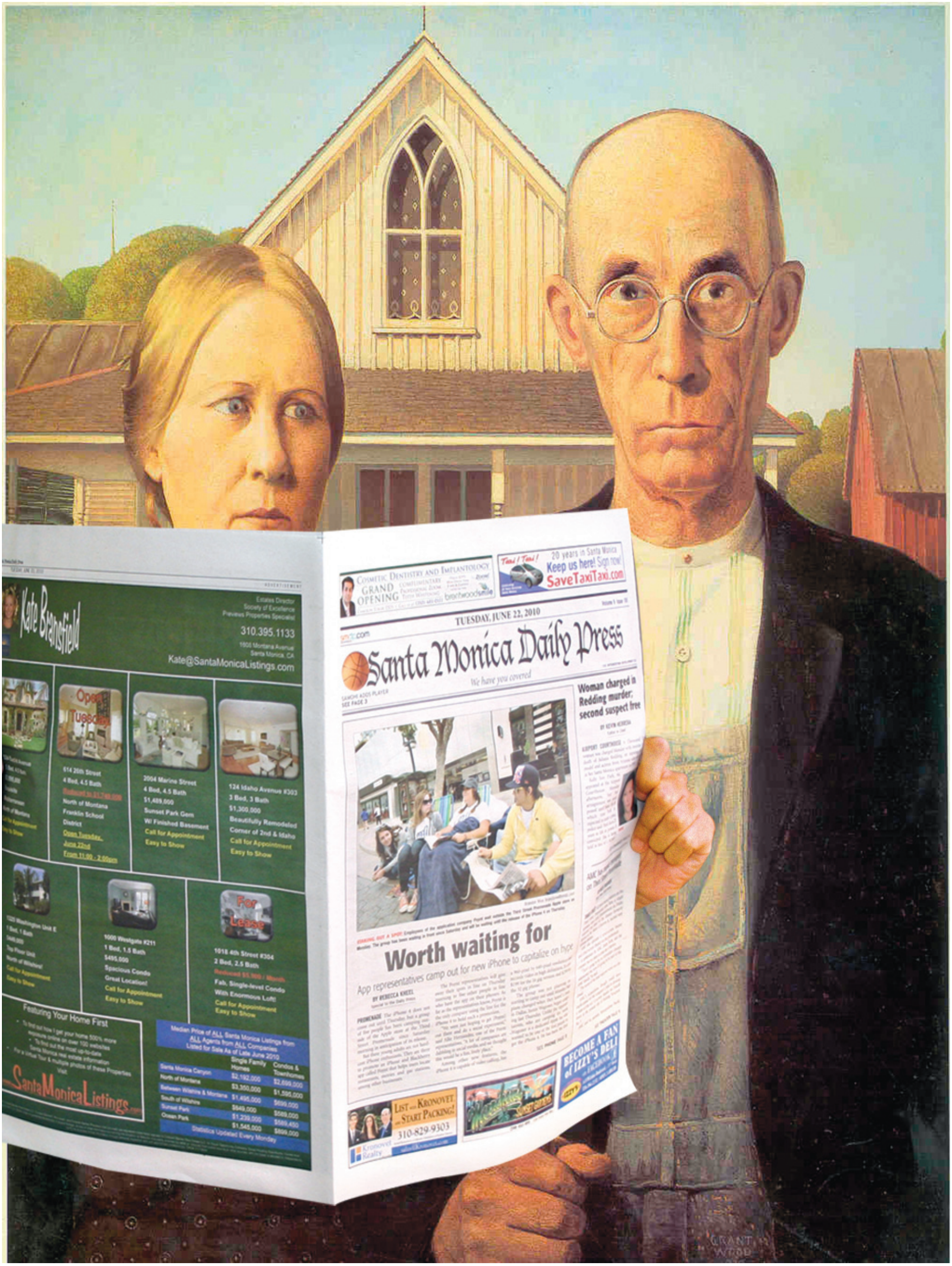
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DECA

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international DECA conference, which is scheduled for April 23-26 in Nashville, Tennessee.

"The competition is fierce," Spanos said, "but hopefully with enough studying, my chapter and I can excel in our categories and make it to the international competition."

Many of the students in advisor Mariam Shafiey's group at Samohi are interested in finance, marketing or related fields. But the skills acquired through participation in DECA, Spanos said, transcend the business world.

"It teaches you about public speaking, how to do well in an interview, how to solve problems in a creative and analytical way, and most importantly how to be confident," he said. "No matter what field you may try to pursue, it is important to trust yourself when under pressure and speak your opinions with confidence."

Spanos garnered first place in a competition that included a 100-question marketing test, two role-play scenarios and an interview-style presentation. The competition encourages strong speaking abilities, proper interview techniques and other skills that are useful in the working world.

Spanos has put those kinds of skills to use at Samohi, where he is vice president of student council, president of the Interact chapter and secretary of the Delians honor society.

He will likely study law, finance or international business in college, or perhaps a combination of the three, and he plans to pursue graduate studies before working as an attorney or entrepreneur.

"I have had many people ask me why they should join DECA if they are not sure whether or not they are interested in business," Spanos said. "Sure, DECA revolves around the topic, but it teaches important skills that can be used in any sort of field of study."

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Main Library

Santa Monica Public Library presents 'An Armchair Visit to Gardens of Britain'

Santa Monica Public Library invites you on "An Armchair Visit to Gardens of Britain," a virtual journey hosted by seasoned traveler Sheila Stone on Saturday, Jan. 30, 2016 at 3 p.m. in the Main Library's Martin Luther King, Jr. Auditorium, 601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Join professional tour guide, Sheila Stone, as she shares images of Royal Botanical gardens, cozy cottage gardens, surprising rooftop gardens, and intimate hidden gardens across Britain. A writer, anthropologist and former stand-up comedian, Sheila lived in the north of England for two years, while attending graduate school. She offers unique tours of the UK through her site Britain Your Way (britainyourwaytours.com).

This program is free and all ages are welcome. Space is limited and on a first-arrival basis. This is an event of The Living Room ...a place for adults program series. For more information, visit smpl.org or contact the Santa Monica Public Library at (310) 458-8600. The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair-accessible. For special disabled services, call Library Administration (310) 458-8606 one week prior to the event. The Main Library is directly served by Big Blue Bus lines 1, 7, R7, 8, and R10. Big Blue Bus lines 2, 3, 3M, 5, and 9 also stop within a short walking distance. Ride your bike. Bicycle parking racks are available at the library.

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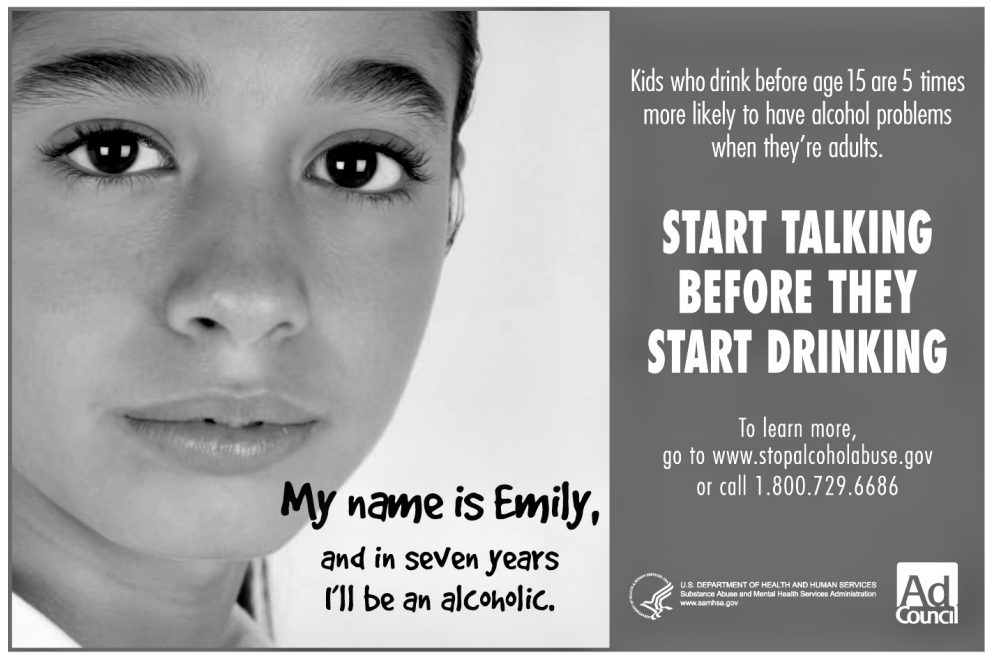
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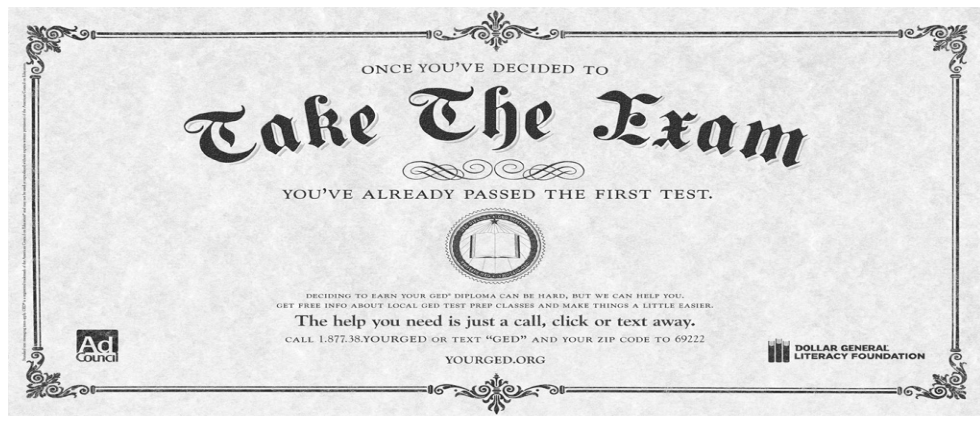


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Week of Jan. 25, 2016

EXPO LIGHT RAIL LINE:

For the week of January 25, 2016, please note the following activities:

1. Train Testing This Week - The Expo Light Rail Line extension from Culver City to Santa Monica is scheduled for train testing activities in Santa Monica this week and will continue for several months. The trains are now operated on their own power. Testing will be ongoing along the entire alignment in Los Angeles and Santa Monica. The testing activity will test train clearances, the Overhead Catenary System which powers the trains, the crossing gates and traffic signals, and all related systems before the project is turned over to Metro for pre-revenue operations.

A more detailed notice is online at http://goo.gl/AMLPxq.

2. Colorado Avenue between 5th & 18th Streets - Expect westbound and eastbound street closures during daytime hours. Alleys on the North side of Colorado between 6th and 18th Street will have limited access at Colorado.

3. Olympic Blvd. between 20th St. and Stewart St. - Eastbound and Westbound lane closures daytime hours Monday to Saturday.

4. 17th St. between Olympic Blvd. and Broadway - Northbound and Southbound lane closures during daytime hours.

5. 20th St. between Olympic Blvd. and Colorado - Northbound and Southbound lane closures during daytime hours.

6. Cloverfield Blvd. between I-10 Freeway and Broadway - weekend lane closures 24 hours per day.

7. Stewart St. between Olympic Blvd. and Exposition Blvd.- Northbound and Southbound lane closures during daytime hours.

For more information about the Expo Line project, visit BuildExpo.org or call (213) 922-EXPO (3976). Traffic control measures will be employed in all work zones.

COLORADO ESPLANADE:

For the Week of January 25, 2016, Construction work on Colorado Ave. will continue daytime Monday through Friday. Pedestrian access is accommodated by use of temporary barricaded pathways marked with signage. Please use caution when navigating through the work zones on Colorado Ave. at 4th St., Main St., 2nd St., and Ocean Ave. Traffic control will be set up for northbound traffic on Ocean Ave. Expect minor delays at the intersection of Colorado and Ocean Ave. For more information contact Gene Higginbotham, Project Manager, at (310) 458-8729.

CALIFORNIA INCLINE BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT:

The California Incline will be closed until Summer 2016 while construction crews demolish the existing structure and build the new bridge and roadway. Motorists are advised to use Ocean Avenue (via Moomat Ahiko Way) and Lincoln Boulevard as alternate routes. For more information on this project, please contact: (888-303-6026 or incline@smgov.net).

WASTEWATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT:

For the week of January 25, 2016, the contractor will continue with restoration work on 22nd Court at Georgina, Princeton Street north or Wilshire, Euclid Street between Pearl Ave to Maple and Ocean Park Blvd to Oak Street. The week of February 1, 2016, the contractor will begin with the installation of a new manhole on Ocean Front Walk at Moss Ave. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620.

SAN VICENTE PUMP STATION EMERGENCY GENERATOR:

For the Week of January 25, 2016, the contractor will continue with the installation of the new engine driven standby generator and begin trench excavation on 25th Street for installation the street improvements on the south side of San Vicente Blvd and 25th Street. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620.

CROSSWALK RENEWAL PROGRAM:

For the Week of January 25, 2016, the contractor crews will begin daytime crosswalk removal and restriping at various locations along Montana Ave between Ocean Ave and Harvard Blvd. Please be advised that striping removal will generate noise and dust. Temporary traffic control signs will be deployed to guide vehicular traffic in and around work areas. Please contact Kori Jones, Street & Fleet Services, (310) 458-2201 ext. 5002 or kori.jones@smgov.net with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

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SURF FORECASTS

WATER TEMP: **60.5°**

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TUESDAY – **POOR** – SURF: **1-2 ft** knee to thigh high
The old WNW swell fades out, while long period energy of a new WNW swell starts to creep in - possible larger sets showing before dark. New but very small SW swell. Good AM wind.

WEDNESDAY – **FAIR** – SURF: **2-3 ft** Knee to chest high occ. 4ft
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DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department responded to 282 calls for service on Jan 23.

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Disturbance of the peace, 1500 block of 2nd, 12:37 a.m.
Vandalism, 100 block of Strand, 12:43 a.m.
Construction noise, 4th/San Vicente, 3:17 a.m.
Shots fired, 28th/Ocean Park, 5:07 a.m.
Shots fired, Cloverfield/Kansas, 5:08 a.m.
Party complaint, 1000 block of 21st, 5:09 a.m.
Burglary, 2900 block of 31st, 7:13 a.m.
Burglary, 2600 block of Lincoln, 7:34 a.m.
Hit and run, 1300 block of Grant, 7:56 a.m.
Assault with a deadly weapon, 1800 block of 16th, 8:54 a.m.
Burglary, 200 block of 21st, 10:51 a.m.
Disturbance of the peace, 1400 block of 16th, 11:00 a.m.
72 hour psychiatric hold, 1400 block of Ocean, 11:27 a.m.
Fight, 3rd/Marine, 11:27 a.m.
Public intoxication, 2400 block of Main, 11:36 a.m.
Family disturbance, 1400 block of Broadway, 11:55 a.m.
Person down, 1300 block of Santa Monica, 11:57 a.m.
Hit and run, 1300 block of Grant, 12:00 p.m.
Family disturbance, 2600 block of Broadway, 12:22 p.m.
Person with a gun, 1900 block of Lincoln, 12:59 p.m.
Armed robbery, 1900 block of Lincoln, 1:03 p.m.
Traffic collision, 7th/California, 1:06 p.m.
Battery, 2000 block of 19th, 1:11 p.m.
Person with a gun, 1300 block of Santa Monica, 1:21 p.m.
Vandalism, 2500 block of Santa Monica, 1:34 p.m.
Fight, 1800 block of 7th, 1:35 p.m.
Vandalism, 900 block of California, 1:57 p.m.
Vandalism, 700 block of Navy, 2:11 p.m.
Traffic collision, 16th/Wilshire, 3:20 p.m.
Person down, 4th/Pico, 3:57 p.m.
Hit and run, 1500 block of 6th, 4:59 p.m.
Family disturbance, 1400 block of Lincoln, 5:08 p.m.
Battery, 1500 block of 9th, 6:14 p.m.
Person down, 2900 block of 3rd, 6:30 p.m.
Person with a gun, 600 block of Santa Monica, 6:39 p.m.
Person with a gun, 3100 block of Ocean Front, 7:00 p.m.
Hit and run, 5th/Wilshire, 10:00 p.m.
Traffic collision, 400 block of PCH, 10:52 p.m.
Battery, 1300 block of 14th, 11:42 p.m.
Loud music, 1000 block of Lincoln, 11:58 p.m.

DAILY FIRE LOG

The Santa Monica Fire Department responded to 42 calls for service on Jan. 23

HERE IS A SAMPLING OF THOSE CALLS CHOSEN BY THE SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS STAFF.

EMS, 300 block of San Vicente, 12:09 a.m.
EMS, 1300 block of 15th, 12:58 a.m.
EMS, 17th/Delaware, 1:46 a.m.
EMS, 2500 block of Santa Monica, 1:54 a.m.
EMS, 1500 block of Ocean, 2:28 a.m.
EMS, 300 block of San Vicente, 3:17 a.m.
EMS, 500 block of Olympic, 3:47 a.m.
EMS, 1700 block of Hill, 5:38 a.m.
EMS, 5th/Colorado, 8:43 a.m.
Elevator rescue, 500 block of Wilshire, 9:46 a.m.
Automatic alarm, 1900 block of Ocean, 10:06 a.m.
EMS, 2900 block of Santa Monica, 10:38 a.m.
EMS, 2000 block of Delaware, 10:44 a.m.
EMS, 1300 block of 20th, 10:46 a.m.
Automatic alarm, 1000 block of Ocean, 11:40 a.m.
EMS, 700 block of Broadway, 11:56 a.m.
EMS, 1300 block of Santa Monica, 11:58 a.m.
EMS, 1000 block of Michigan, 12:04 p.m.
Structure fire, 500 block of Pacific, 12:06 p.m.
EMS, 1200 block of Ozone, 12:37 p.m.
EMS, 2400 block of 34th, 12:57 p.m.
EMS, 2100 block of Ocean, 1:00 p.m.
Injuries from assault, 2000 block of 19th, 1:14 p.m.
EMS, 600 block of Santa Monica, 3:12 p.m.
EMS, 1700 block of Appian, 3:14 p.m.
EMS, 16th/Wilshire, 3:22 p.m.
EMS, 300 block of Pico, 4:01 p.m.
EMS, 2800 block of Ocean Front, 5:31 p.m.
EMS, 1300 block of 17th, 5:41 p.m.
Automatic alarm, 1500 block of 5th, 6:35 p.m.
EMS, 2900 block of 3rd, 6:59 p.m.
EMS, 1100 block of 14th, 7:17 p.m.
Public assist, 2200 block of 22nd, 9:08 p.m.
Elevator rescue, 0 block of Pico, 9:19 p.m.
Elevator rescue, 2800 block of Pico, 9:23 p.m.
EMS, 1100 block of Arizona, 9:59 p.m.
EMS, 800 block of San Vicente, 10:13 p.m.
EMS, 400 block of PCH, 10:53 p.m.
Automatic alarm, 200 block of Santa Monica, 11:24 p.m.
EMS, 500 block of Olympic, 11:29 p.m.
Automatic alarm, Neilson/Barnard, 11:34 p.m.
EMS, 1400 block of 21st, 11:46 p.m.



CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

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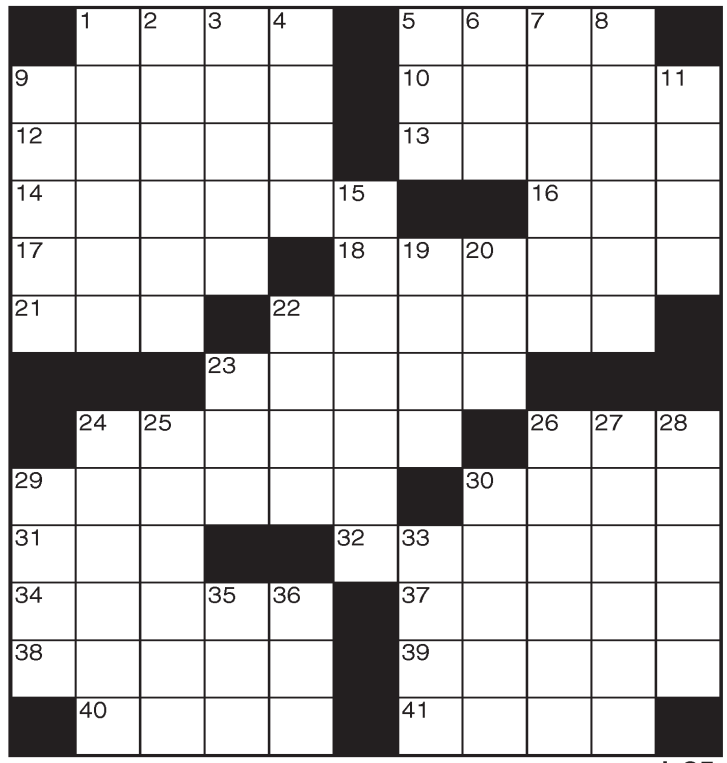
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Difficulty Level ★

GETTING STARTED

There are many strategies to solving Sudoku. One way to begin is to examine each 3x3 grid and figure out which numbers are missing. Then, based on the other numbers in the row and column of each blank cell, find which of the missing numbers will work. Eliminating numbers will eventually lead you to the answer.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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TODAY IN HISTORY

1915 – Alexander Graham Bell inaugurates U.S. transcontinental telephone service, speaking from New York to Thomas Watson in San Francisco.

1918 – Ukraine declares independence from Bolshevik Russia.

1924 – The 1924 Winter Olympics opens in Chamonix, in the French Alps, inaugurating the Winter Olympic Games.

1932 – Second Sino-Japanese War: The Chinese National Revolutionary Army begins its defense of Harbin.

1937 – The Guiding Light debuts on NBC radio from Chicago. In 1952 it moves to CBS television, where it remains until September 18, 2009.

1941 – Pope Pius XII elevates the Apostolic Vicariate of the Hawaiian Islands to the dignity of a diocese. It becomes the Roman Catholic Diocese of Honolulu.

1942 – World War II: Thailand declares war on the United States and United Kingdom.

1944 – Florence Li Tim-Oi is ordained in China, becoming the first woman Anglican priest.

1945 – World War II: The Battle of the Bulge ends.

1946 – The United Mine Workers rejoins the American Federation of Labor.

NEWS OF THE WEIRD BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ (1) The "public art" statues unveiled in January by Fort Myers, Florida, Mayor Randy Henderson included a metal structure by sculptor Edugardo Carmona of a man walking a dog, with the dog "lifting his leg" beside a pole. Only after inspecting the piece more closely did many observers realize that the man, too, was relieving himself against the pole. Carmona described the work as commentary on man and dog "marking their territory." (2) A recent anonymously authored "confidential" book by a National Football League player reported that "linemen, especially," have taken to relieving themselves inside their uniforms during games, "a sign that you're so into the game" that you "won't pause (even) to use the toilet."

■ The popular Nell's Country Kitchen in Winter Haven, Florida, was shut down again (for "remodeling," the owner said) in December after a health inspector found that it had been operating for two weeks without its own running water -- with only a garden hose connection, across its parking lot, to a neighbor's spigot. It had also closed for a day earlier in 2015 because of mold, roach activity and rodent droppings (although management insisted that business had immediately picked up the day they reopened).

Get some R and R, Libra

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ You still might be ablaze with energy, ideas and the desire to pursue a dream. What is stopping you? You will confront a liability or problem in the next few days, if not today. The clarity you gain will drive you to the desired results. Tonight: Catch up on a friend's news.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ You might act like a stick in the mud in the morning. Your creativity emerges and is likely to explode with one idea after another. What has been a restriction or problem until this point will dissipate after a conversation. You finally can clear a painful hurdle. Tonight: Celebrate.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★ Your ideas might have been misrepresented during the past few weeks. As of today, you will enter a period that parallels the recent past. Do not claim responsibility falsely. On the other hand, do take responsibility for your share of a mess. Tonight: Close to home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ You are like a seesaw with your mood. You will experience greater stability within yourself. Once you clear up a misunderstanding, you might feel as if you have jumped a hurdle that up till now has felt impossible. Tonight: Invite a friend out for munchies and a drink.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Get a head start in the morning; you still have that magic that makes a difference. A problem involving your finances seems insurmountable. In the next few days, if not today, you will discover a solution. Tonight: Be forthright with a friend about a confusing situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ You might not come out of your cocoon until midday. Make this OK, but understand that what you previously thought was a problem no longer is one. Avoid making the issue much bigger than it needs to be. Do your best to resolve it now. Tonight: So what if it is Monday?

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ Use your positive attitude to move important projects quickly. If you hit a snafu, don't be surprised. You will be able to clear it up if you take responsibility for your side of the issue. Try not to get pouty; others like you better when you're upbeat. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ You will be the dominant partner on a project. You will get what you desire. Know that you could change your mind about what your role needs to be and what it is that you desire from the situation. Honor your priorities, as they could change again. Tonight: Brainstorm with a buddy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ You have a strong sense of what might be heading down the pike. Do some research early in the day, and look at your alternatives before a situation becomes more toxic. Trust in your ability to lead and to straighten out a problem. Tonight: Out until the wee hours.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★★ Listen to a partner or dear friend. This person's vision is much different from yours, but that does not disqualify his or her perspective. In fact, you can learn from this association. Greater clarity comes forward after you take a step back. Tonight: Detach, then decide.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ Others clearly dominate, and you would be well advised to follow their lead. The smart move here is to say nothing and be gracious. One-on-one relating is highlighted later in the day. What has been a problem in the past can now be resolved. Tonight: Visit over dinner.

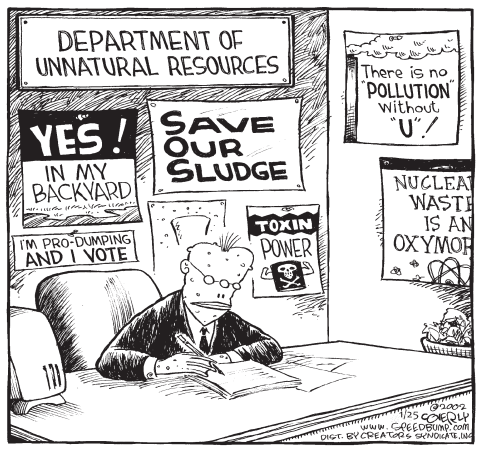
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ While others may be distracted by interpersonal issues, you clearly want to dig your heels into a project and get it done. Others' minds seem to be elsewhere. You will see communication work better tomorrow or the next day. Tonight: Listen to a friend's news and gossip!

Monday, January 25, 2016

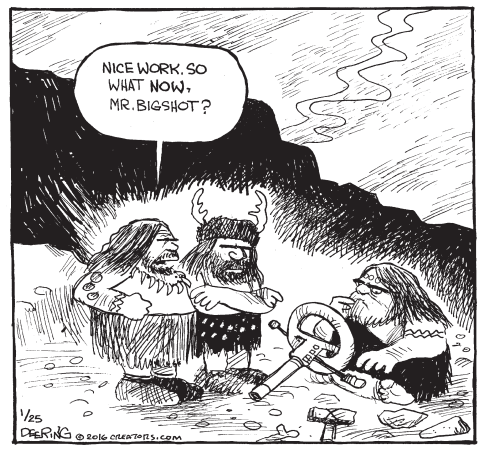
JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS
The stars show the kind of day you'll have:
★★★★★Dynamic ★★ So-So
★★★★ Positive ★ Difficult
★★★ Average

This year confusion surrounds you. Be careful when communicating, and make sure that you and others are on the same page. Confirm meeting places and times, and repeat any off-the-wall statement you hear for clarification. If you are single, you are likely to get involved with someone with whom you have a karmic connection. Ending this bond could be difficult. If you are attached, you and your significant other maintain a sense of humor, which makes your misunderstandings seem less serious. You are happy you're with the one you love. VIRGO can be very difficult.

Speed Bump
By Dave Coverly



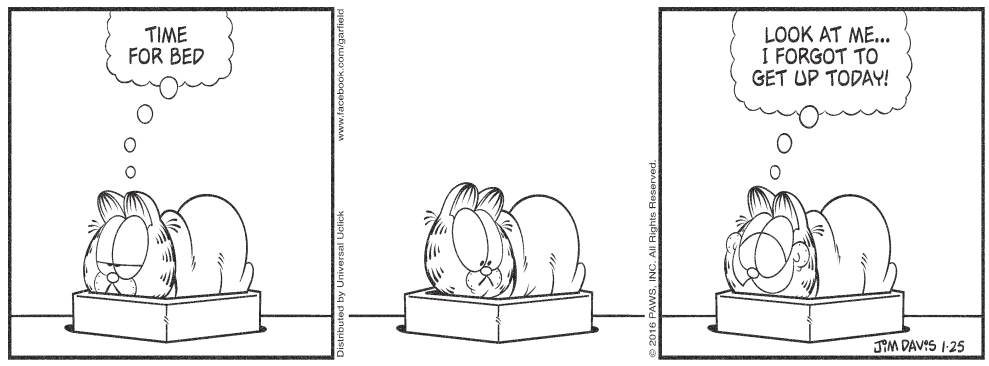
Strange Brew
By John Deering



Dogs of C-Kennel
By Mick and Mason Mastroianni



Garfield
By Jim Davis



The Meaning of Lila
By John Forgetta & L.A. Rose



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015317967 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/17/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RL BIZPLANS. 26261 PRIMA WAY , SANTA CLARITA, CA, 91350. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: RL BUSINESS PLANS, LLC 19197 GOLDEN VALLEY RD. #226 SANTA CLARITA, CA, 91350. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:RL BUSINESS PLANS, LLC. RL BUSINESS PLANS, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/17/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015326423 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/30/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FADEAWAY BARBERSHOP, LANDRUM FAMILY PROPERTIES, LANDRUM FAMILY REAL ESTATE, LANDRUM PROPERTIES. 16364 LASHBURN ST. , WHITTIER, CA, 90603. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: DARNIQUE LLC 16364 LASHBURN ST. WHITTIER, CA, 90603. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:DARNIQUE LLC. DARNIQUE LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/30/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016015986 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/22/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PURE MALIBU. 225 MARINE PL , MANHATTAN BEACH, CA, 90266. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MALIBU HEALING TREE, LLC 225 MARINE PL MANHATTAN BEACH, CA, 90266. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:MALIBU HEALING TREE, LLC. MALIBU HEALING TREE, LLC. This statement was filed

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 323095 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/24/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as UNIVERSITY TONER RECOVERY, UTRS. 1180 S. MUIRFIELD RD. , LOS ANGELES, CA 90019.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: STEVE LIGHTFOOT 1180 S. MUIRFIELD RD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90019. This Business is being conducted by: Äan Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)04/29/2005. /s/: STEVE LIGHTFOOT. STEVE LIGHTFOOT.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/24/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 322323 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/23/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ROSA BELTRAN DESIGN. 4306 Melrose Ave , LOS ANGELES, CA 90029.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ROSA BELTRAN 1441 MURRAY DR. LOS ANGELES, CA 90026. This Business is being conducted by: Äan Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/01/2011. /s/: ROSA BELTRAN. ROSA BELTRAN.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/23/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 322321 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/23/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YOUNG SCENT. 4141 S. NOGALES ST. #A105 , WEST COVINA, CA 91792.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: YANG SHENG CORP 4141 S. NOGALES ST. #A105 WEST COVINA, CA 91792. This Business is being conducted by: Äa Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:CHINHUA LEE. YANG SHENG CORP.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/23/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 318825 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/18/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ANIMALS ADVISORS & MARKETING PARTNERS ÄAAMP. 4650 Cartwright Ave. , TOLUCA LAKE, CA 91602.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Karen Rosa 4650 Cartwright Ave. TOLUCA LAKE, CA 91602. This Business is being conducted by: Äan Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Karen Rosa. Karen Rosa.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/18/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 318821 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/18/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FOOD IN PIXELS. 1326 WELLESLEY AVE. APT. 7 , LOS ANGELES, CA 90025.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: LADY CHOCOLATT, LLC. 1326 WELLESLEY AVE. APT. 7 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025. This Business is being conducted by: Äa Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:ROBERT ZUCCHI. LADY CHOCOLATT, LLC..Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/18/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015 323093 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/24/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LITTLE FIELD 3 TRANSPORT. 208.W 14TH STREET , LOS ANGELES, CA 90015.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: CHERIF DJIGAL 208.W 14TH STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90015. This Business is being conducted by: Äan Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business

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name or names listed on (Date)01/05/2015. /s/: CHERIF DJIGAL. CHERIF DJIGAL.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/24/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016 001870 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/05/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DENNIS YANG. 19143 SINGINGWOOD DRIVE , ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA 91748.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: SYNERGY BUSINESS CONSULTING LLC. 19143 SINGINGWOOD DRIVE ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA 91748. This Business is being conducted by: Äa Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)09/01/2006. /s/: DENNIS YANG. SYNERGY BUSINESS CONSULTING LLC..Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/05/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.Ä

Statement of Withdrawal from Partnership Operating under Fictitious Business Name
Document Record #2015324283
Current File No. 2014014318
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have withdrawn as a general partnership from the partnership operating under the fictitious business name:
SIGNATURE CABINETS & ARCHITECTURAL WOOD WORK, 4601-5 BROOKS ST., MONTCLAIR, CA 91763.
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 01/07/2014
in the county of LOS ANGELES.
Registered owners: SOIR RABADI.
This business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL
/s/ SOIR RABADI.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County
on 12/28/2015
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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record #2015 324284
Current File No. 2013179169
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
ENTERTAINMENT LIGHTING SERVICES AND ELS
Registered owners: JC ENTERTAINMENT LIGHTING SERCICES, INC., 11440 SHELDON ST., SUN VALLEY, CA 91352
This business is conducted by: A CORPORATION
/s/ TODD RICHARDS as filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on Ä08/27/2015.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015318617 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/18/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SIFTED: LA, CHRIS & MARY. 2204 1/2 PICO BLVD. , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: GETTOBIRDS, INC. 2601 20TH ST., #4 SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above.

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/s/:GETTOBIRDS, INC.. GETTOBIRDS, INC.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/18/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/11/2016, 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016015987 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/22/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GYPSY KING. 11930 LOUISE AVE #4 , LA, CA, 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: EMILEE WILSON 11930 LOUISE AVE #4 LA, CA, 90066. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:EMILEE WILSON. EMILEE WILSON. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/25/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015327561 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 12/31/2015 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FOR GOOD. 1329 19TH STREET APT. A , SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: KRISTINA DIAMANTONI 1329 19TH STREET APT. A SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)08/01/2015. /s/: KRISTINA DIAMANTONI. KRISTINA DIAMANTONI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 12/31/2015. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016011287 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/15/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VENETIAN REAL ESTATE. 1128 22ND STREET APT. 2 , SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: PARISA AMIRMOSTOFIAN 1128 22ND STREET APT. 2 SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:PARISA AMIRMOSTOFIAN. PARISA AMIRMOSTOFIAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/15/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016007825 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/12/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALIFORNIA IMAGING SOULUTIONS, CALIFORNIA IMAGING SOLUTIONS. 406 BROADWAY STE 333 , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: SAN DIEGO IMAGING, INC. 406 BROADWAY STE 333 SANTA MONICA, CA, 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:SAN DIEGO IMAGING, INC.. SAN DIEGO IMAGING, INC.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/12/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016011289 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/15/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FRESHMAKER MEDIA. 11717 DARLINGTON AVENUE #9 , LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: COREY ACKERMAN 11717 DARLINGTON AVENUE #9 LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/15/2012. /s/: COREY ACKERMAN. COREY ACKERMAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/15/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016001397 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/05/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as C & R Gardening Services. 6019 Eileen Ave. , Los angeles, CA 90043.Ä The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Celos Rodriguez 6019 Eileen Ave. Los angeles, CA 90043. This Business is being conducted by: Äan Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Celos Rodriguez. Celos Rodriguez.Ä This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/05/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.Ä

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS028505
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of RUBY SPARKS JACKSON for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: RUBY SPARKS JACKSON filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: RUBY SPARKS JACKSON to MICAH SPARKS JACKSON. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for

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A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Santa Monica Daily Press.
Date: JAN 15, 2016

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016011288 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/15/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NAMASTAY. 1834 MONTANA AVE., APT. B , SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: STAYJAX, LLC 1834 MONTANA AVE., APT. B SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:STAYJAX, LLC. STAYJAX, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/15/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/18/2016, 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016010577 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/14/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PRINT MORE, SPEND LESS, WWW.PRINTMORESPENDLESS.COM. 957 7TH STREET, SUITE C , SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: JEFFREY HARSTEDT 957 7TH STREET, SUITE C SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/01/2013. /s/: JEFFREY HARSTEDT. JEFFREY HARSTEDT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/14/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016015985 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/22/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as URBLINKS. 2633 LINCOLN BLVD., SUITE 837 , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: JEFFREY MATTHEW TAYLOR 737 PIER AVE. #1 SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/03/2015. /s/: JEFFREY MATTHEW TAYLOR. JEFFREY MATTHEW TAYLOR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/25/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016006592 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/11/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LANGE VENTURES. 3110 MAIN ST. THE ANNEX , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: WILLIAM DE LANGE 5534 RANGE VIEW AVE LOS ANGELES, CA, 90042. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:WILLIAM DE LANGE. WILLIAM DE LANGE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/11/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS028534
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of LARRY DANIEL JOLLY for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: LARRY DANIEL JOLLY filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: LARRY DANIEL JOLLY to DANIEL JOLLY. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall 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.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 2/26/2016 Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room:
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA - COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Santa Monica Daily Press.
Date: DEC 31, 2015

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016015455 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/25/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BISHOP INTERNATIONAL GROUP. 1734 SOUTH WESTGATE AVE. #11 NONE , LOS ANGELES, CA, 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: BISHOP INTERNATIONAL GROUP, LLC 1734 SOUTH WESTGATE AVE. UNIT 11 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/01/2011. /s/: BISHOP INTERNATIONAL GROUP, LLC. BISHOP INTERNATIONAL GROUP, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/25/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2015324342 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/22/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LOS ANGELES ART GALLERY TOURS, LA ART GALLERY TOURS, ART TOURS, LA ART ADVISORY, LA ART TOURS, LOS ANGELES ART ADVISORY, LOS ANGELES ART TOURS. 1247 22ND ST., NO. 3 , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: WILLIAM JAY KLEIMAN 1247 22ND ST., NO. 3 SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)06/30/2010. /s/: WILLIAM JAY KLEIMAN. WILLIAM JAY KLEIMAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/25/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2016016630 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 01/22/2016 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BARBARA LIPSCOMB COACHING. 417 BAY ST. # 3 , SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: BARBARA LIPSCOMB 417 BAY ST. # 3 SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:BARBARA LIPSCOMB. BARBARA LIPSCOMB. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 01/22/2016. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 01/25/2016, 02/01/2016, 02/08/2016, 02/15/2016.

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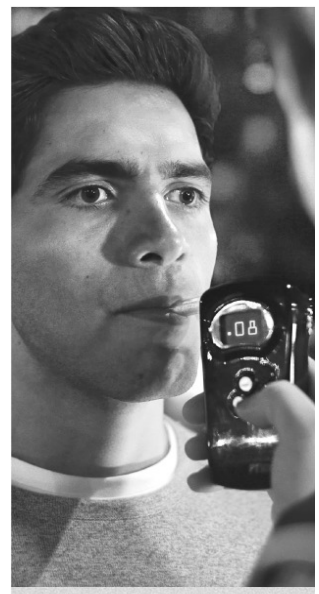
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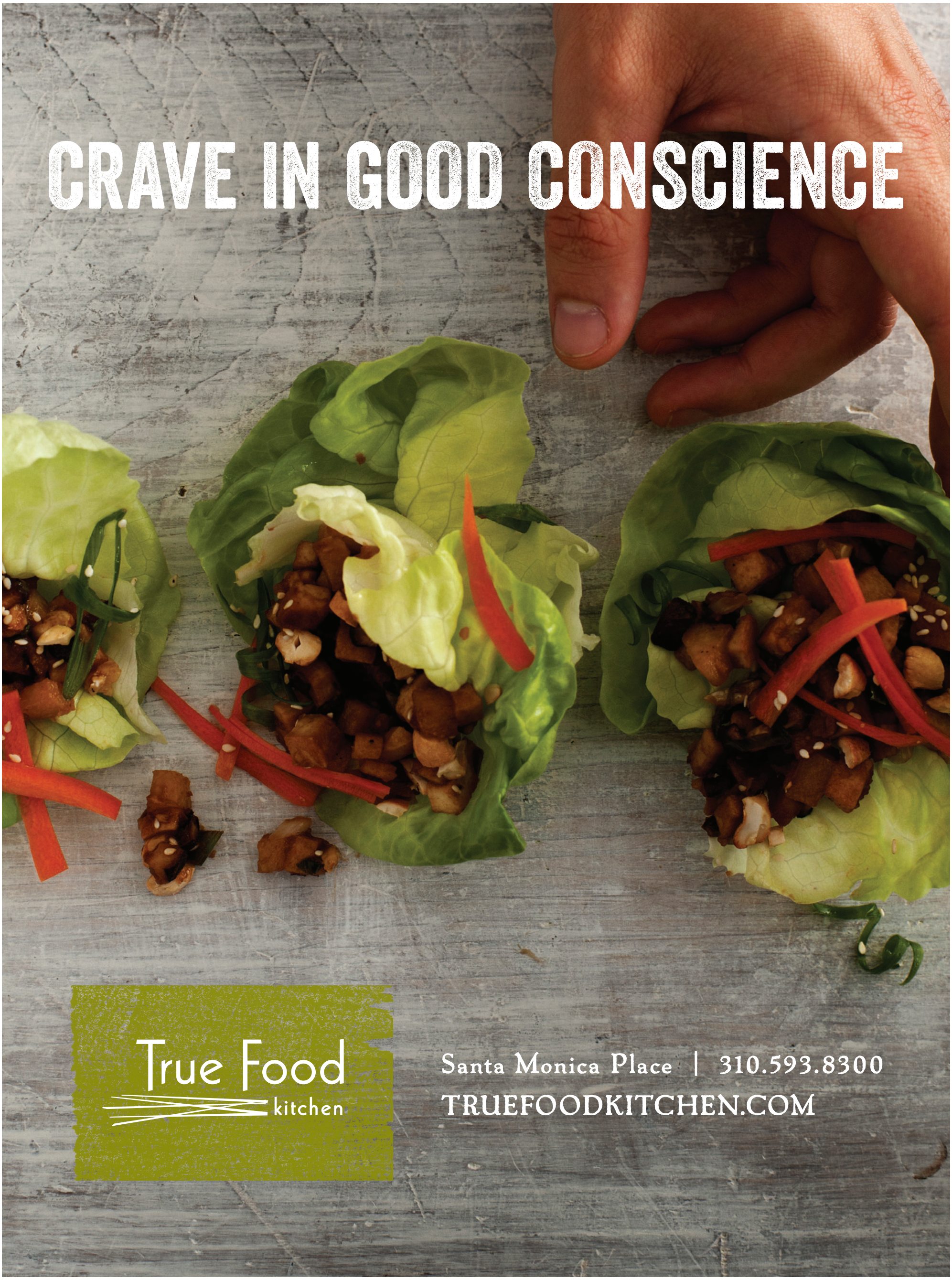
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