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Council ponders lifting bee ban

BY NICK TABOREK
Daily Press Staff Writer

CITY HALL Santa Monica could take a step toward repealing its beekeeping ban on Tuesday, as the City Council is set to discuss a proposal that also calls for setting up a bee sanctuary on City Hall-owned land.

The plan has the ardent support of the Los Angeles-area beekeeping community, members of which have criticized Santa Monica for its current policy of exterminating bees — rather than transporting them — when their hives worry residents.

Last month the proposal received a vote of confidence from of the Task Force on the Environment, with members of the panel calling a repeal of the beekeeping ban a no-brainer for a city that prides itself on environmental sustainability.

With a mysterious phenomenon known as "colony collapse disorder" greatly reducing the global bee population and threatening crops that depend on bees for pollination, protecting honey bees in urban environments should be an important goal for environmentalists, beekeeping activists say.

Councilman Kevin McKeown placed the beekeeping item on Tuesday's agenda after learning about the issue from Santa Monica resident and beekeeper Daniel Salisbury, who had his illegal backyard beekeeping operation shut down by City Hall last year.

Since then Salisbury has been pushing City Hall to change its stance on bees and has offered to spearhead a volunteer effort to maintain a bee sanctuary near the Santa Monica Airport. Rather than killing bees that build hives too close to people, Salisbury and his supporters want to trans-

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MAD DASH

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Patient and expectant mother Leslie Beattie is wheeled on her gurney to meet her fiance Dennis DeGeorge to exchange vows in a brief ceremony at the Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center and Orthopaedic Hospital chapel on Saturday afternoon. Beattie was admitted to the hospital's Antepartum Unit for pre-term labor on March 31 and is expecting twins on July 26.

New retailers named for improved mall

BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

DOWNTOWN As summer nears, Santa Monica Place emerged from its two-year renovation to announce the addition of 14 new retailers to its already robust line-up of shopping and dining attractions.

In addition to brands like Burberry, Hugo Boss, and Swarovski, the property revealed on Thursday that Betsey Johnson, Barneys Co-Op, L'Occitane, and White House | Black Market will also be among the new additions to its roster.

Other names include Johnny Was, which offers urban bohemian style clothing; Pandora, a jewelry shop featuring handcrafted Danish designs; Bird Pick Tea and Herb, the L.A. Chinatown-based retailer of teas, Asian imports, and fine wines; Chilli Beans, a Brazilian sunglasses company; Tous, a popular international jewelry brand; Foreign Exchange, a California clothing concept for men and women; Kensington Luggage, a local luggage purveyor; Sea of Silver, a local jewelry concept; and GNC, a popular stop for nutritional supplements.

Since the old mall closed in March 2008, the property which lies just a block south of the Third Street Promenade has undergone a complete stylistic and conceptual transformatiion. Slated to open on August 6, 2010, the new three-level open-air shopping and dining destination will focus on creating an urban beach experience, reflecting the Santa Monica lifestyle.

"As we get closer to opening and, now, at the peak of construction activity, it's exciting to see these strong retail names become part of Santa Monica Place," said Anne Singleton, vice president of leasing for Macerich, the parent company of Santa Monica Place. "With each announcement of new retailers, more and more we are delivering on the balanced retail mix that is right for Santa Monica."

In keeping with Santa Monica's commitment to environmental responsibility, the new mall will focus on sustainability by adding a solar power and utilizing new technologies and water-efficient landscaping to

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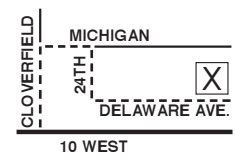
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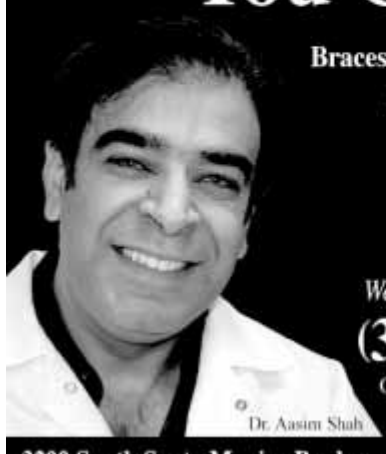
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Monday, April 26, 2010

Colin Broderick reading
Finn McCool's Irish Pub
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Colin Broderick will read excerpts of "Orangutan," host a Q&A session and sign copies of his book at Finn McCool's. Colin was raised Irish Catholic in the heart of Northern Ireland. In 1988, at the age of 20, he moved to the Bronx to drink, work construction, and pursue his dream of becoming a writer. For the next 20 years, there were failed marriages, car wrecks, hospitals and jail cells. "Orangutan" is the story of an Irish drunk unlike any readers have met before. Broderick manages to find humor and even joy in the direst of circumstances.

Schola Cantorum de Venezuela
SMC Performing Arts Center
1310 11th St., 7:30 p.m.
Schola Cantorum de Venezuela performs as part of Gustavo Dudamel's Americas L.A. Phil Festival, a three-part a capella program including sacred, secular and popular music of South America, Venezuelan Madrigals, and choral songs. Call (310) 434-3412 for more information.

Vista Santa Monica
Annenberg Community Beach House
415 PCH, 11 a.m. — 3 p.m.
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For more information, call (310) 458-4904.

Tuesday, April 27, 2010

McKinley Elementary School's 'Live It Up/Laugh It Up' comedy night
Shutters on the Beach hotel
1 Pico Blvd., 7 p.m. -- 10 p.m.
McKinley Elementary School presents "Live It Up/Laugh It Up" comedy night with Paula Poundstone and Bobby Collins to raise money for McKinley's visual and performing arts programs. Admission is $30 to $40. Call (310) 828-5011 for more information.

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Get the freshest fruit and produce available at this weekly Farmers' Market. There are also a variety of prepared foods available.

For more information on any of the events listed, log on to smdp.com and click the "Events" tab for the given day's calendar.



Home sales surge in West

ERIN CONROY
AP Business Writer

Home sales surged 17 percent in the West last month, as buyers scrambled to take advantage of low mortgage rates and qualify for tax credits that expire at the end of this month.

The median price in the 13-state Western region was $209,400, down almost 8 percent from a year ago, the National Association of Realtors said last week.

Nationwide, by contrast, sales of previously occupied homes rose almost 20 percent from March of last year, without adjusting for seasonal factors. The median sales price was flat at $170,700,

Shoppers who have been on the hunt for some time can hear the clock ticking and are trying to make offers before the tax credits run out. Even some people who weren't planning to buy are jumping in, said Kathi McLeod, sales manager for Windermere Real Estate in Boise, Idaho.

First-time buyers can get a federal tax break of up to $8,000, while current homeowners who relocate to a new home get up to $6,500.

"Last year, a lot of buyers were afraid to follow through with a purchase because of the economy and the extent that lending had changed," she said. "What we're seeing now is confidence, as well as acceptance of what types of loan programs are available."

Sales across most major Western metros improved in March, according to The Associated Press-Re/Max Monthly Housing Report, which tallies all home sales in the metropolitan statistical areas. The report, also released Thursday, counts sales filed by all real estate agents, regardless of company affiliation.

All but one of the 13 Western cities tracked in the report saw annual sales increases last month. Boise and Seattle both posted gains of more than 50 percent, according to the report. Los Angeles was the only major city that saw a decline in sales, off 7 percent.

San Francisco saw the sharpest gain in median price, up nearly 38 percent to $489,000. The city also had the lowest average number of days on the market, which dropped by about a quarter from last year to 49 days.

Sales in San Francisco climbed nearly 9 percent from a year ago.

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ALL TOGETHER NOW

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The Santa Monica Oceanaires barbershop chorus perform at the Radio Days Revived show at the Westwood United Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon. The chorus performed many favorites from bygone eras as well as modern standards.

Protecting the homeless from crime

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Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES Sobs overcome Susanne McGraham-Paisley when she thinks about her mentally ill brother who lived for years on a city sidewalk — John McGraham died when a man doused him with gasoline and set him ablaze.

She believes the murder was spurred by a warped hatred of homeless people, yet she has managed to find forgiveness for Ben Martin, a former barber who has pleaded guilty to the October 2008 killing.

"It's awful, when I think of my brother burning to death...," she said amid tears, "... just awful. Ben Martin was sick, mentally sick. He had a thing against homeless people and he took it out on my brother."

Martin, 31, faces life in prison without parole when he's sentenced on Wednesday.

McGraham-Paisley and many homeless advocates argue McGraham's murder should be classified a hate crime, saying these type of attacks show bias just like racially or ethnically motivated crimes and should carry stiffer prison terms.

But as states grapple with budget cuts and turn to releasing nonviolent offenders to reduce prison costs, advocates are seeking innovative ways to protect the homeless.

In California, which ranks second in the nation in homeless crimes, an Assembly bill would give homeless people, or public interest groups on their behalf, the right to seek redress by suing their attackers for civil rights violations.

With prisons already overcrowded, "the appetite for any kind of penalty enhancement is limited," says Will Shuck, spokesman for Assemblywoman Bonnie Lowenthal, the Long Beach Democrat who authored the bill.

"This is a way around the physical problem that still addresses the issue," he said.

In Los Angeles County, the sheriff's department has started tracking crime against the homeless. More law enforcement agencies plan to join the effort while training police officers to be more sensitive to transients.

Outreach teams of formerly homeless youths will go into schools to teach about the causes of homelessness. The homeless have also been included in the county's anti-prejudice programs.

"It's important to provide protections any way you can," said Robin Toma, executive director of the county's Commission on Human Relations.

Other cities and states including Cleveland, Seattle and Alaska have designated homeless people as a protected class, alongside other vulnerable populations

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Ripping off students

Editor:

Regarding recent articles about fare hikes for the Big Blue Bus, few citizens know about the $1.2 million fare rip-off of Santa Monica College students by the Big Blue Bus that was facilitated by their own Associated Students organization. The Big Blue Bus currently gets a $1.2 million yearly payment from Santa Monica College for a limited student bus pass that is good only on the BBB. You can't use it on Metro, you can't use anywhere but on BBB's minuscule service area.

This money does not come from SMC as the article suggests. They are only the "middleman." The $1.2 million represents a $16 increase in the Associated Student fees voted by a handful of students out of their genuine concern for a "sustainable Santa Monica." Legally, it is voluntary only, but the college has been collecting the fee, telling students that they know nothing about it being voluntary.

The collection of this fee by SMC amounts to $600,000 per semester. It is then delivered to BBB for their puny pass. I say puny pass because other schools have a super pass for their students that covers every bus line in L.A. County. Metro, Foothill Transit, BBB, all of them. Rio Hondo College paid $100,000 for all their full-time students last year to get a super pass. They won an award for this program. But here is the shocker: Santa Monica College and the Associated Students were offered the same deal by the special Metro office that arranged the program. And they said "No."

I was researching an article on this matter for the SMC student paper The Corsair and I spoke to the director of the program at Rio Hondo College. He said they approached the folks at SMC and were told by the representative of the Associated Students that they had a "special consultant" who told them not to get involved with Rio Hondo and to deal only with BBB. And the rest is history. The identity of this "special consultant" and what his, assumed, fee was is another story.

BBB now looks at SMC students as a million dollar cash cow. A source of a huge amount of revenue for zero services other than the regular schedule. No special buses to ease crowding, nothing but rude drivers who sometimes will delay service while they check every student's ID to make sure the same students the BBB is ripping-off aren't cheating them.

Any response from the parties involved in this shameful mess will make interesting reading. The challenge is now up to the SMC students to get mad and demand a super pass. And a refund.

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Roads to perdition and more taxes

PICO NEIGHBORS HAVE BEEN WAITING since 1999 for City Hall to deliver on promises of landscaping for 20th Street and Cloverfield Boulevard between the I-10 Freeway and Pico Boulevard. After 11 years and hundreds of thousands of dollars in staff and consultants time, nary a twig has been planted.

Years after neighbors requested greenscaping, preliminary designs were presented in a community meeting over two years ago. With the exception of the loss of parking spots on Cloverfield for planters, neighbors generally liked the concepts.

At the March 11, 2008 City Council meeting, the late Ken Genser wanted medians added on 20th, the late Herb Katz asked for traffic islands. Kevin McKeown and Bobby Shriver supported dedicated bicycle lanes which meant eliminating traffic lanes and altering traffic patterns on 20th.

Based on that input, a new series of designs were submitted to Pico neighbors for review. Proposals with traffic alterations were poorly received. But, at a Jan. 9, 2009 council meeting, Genser and others still felt that even more traffic mitigation was needed despite staff reservations and neighborhood opposition.

Another community meeting on the newest designs was held at Virginia Park this March. City planner Peter James told attendees this project resulted from requests to provide bike and pedestrian friendly enhancements on 20th and Cloverfield, soften the hardscape, provide traffic calming measures and adhere to the new Land Use and Circulation Element (LUCE) principals still pending council approval. Huh?

Being the original request was just for trees, this revisionist take on neighborhood history was dismissed as more City Hall "hard sell" of its deeply flawed plans to "socialize the streets." Nobody bought it.

Nevertheless, one proposal featured two dedicated bike lanes and only one northbound and two southbound traffic lanes on 20th. An alternate design retained the current dual north and southbound lanes but suggested that the two outer lanes be marked with graphics indicating bicycles share the lanes. The alternate design was favored because the current traffic patterns were kept in place, minimizing congestion and cut-through traffic.

City traffic planner Sam Morrissey disclosed that preliminary traffic studies (June of 2009) indicated that if just one traffic lane was removed from 20th, 800 cars during peak hour periods would divert onto adjacent neighborhoods streets including 17th Street and Cloverfield. On average, 20th between the I-10 and Pico Boulevard carries 16,664 vehicles daily. Cloverfield, where no traffic changes were proposed, currently carries 28,185 vehicles daily. Morrissey added that an Environmental Impact Report would have to be completed if a lane(s) were removed from 20th thus delaying the project further and adding even more cost.

After 11 years of micro-managing and agenda pushing, this project has come full circle — a monument to wasted staff time, cost run-ups and unfulfilled promises. It can all get the "green light" tomorrow night when the latest proposal will be reviewed and approved — hopefully without any other traffic modifications. City Council needs to "OK" this quickly and stop fooling around. It's time to give Pico residents what they want: beautiful tree-lined streets.

OH, NO! NOT ANOTHER SCHOOL PARCEL TAX

Your special Measure A ballot is in the mail.

The measure — the latest in a long series of school parcel tax schemes — calls for an additional tax of $198 per year for the next five years to make up for shortfalls in the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District's budget resulting, in part, from cuts in educational funding by the state of California.

School administrators, school board members and the usual school cheerleaders claim this "emergency" tax is desperately needed to avoid teacher layoffs, program cuts and permanent damage to our educational system. I'll be writing more about this tax in the coming weeks and why you shouldn't vote for it. But here's something to think about in the meantime:

If Measure A passes, every property owner will pay a total annual school tax of $544 per parcel This will increase slightly each year because of the current parcel tax's cost of living increase. A has exemptions for senior (over 65) property owners, but senior renters and low income persons receive no such exemption. Renters will pay the tax because landlords can pass it on. A's cost will be divided by the total number of rental units on the property.

All properties will pay the same tax — whether they are a small one-bedroom condo or luxury hotel, office park or upscale regional shopping center. Aside from eliciting subsidies from the cities of Malibu and Santa Monica, no other plans for funding have been considered because, in the words of a high ranking school administrator, it's easier to float a parcel tax because people in Santa Monica and Malibu support their schools.

NEXT TIME

A 20 year history of parcel taxes and school bond measures, dealing with ongoing financial crises and how millions of dollars are wasted annually by the district.

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Gulf rig blast cleanup delayed

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NEW ORLEANS Oil was leaking from a damaged well Sunday nearly a mile below the surface of the Gulf of Mexico, worrying officials who say the spill has the potential to threaten shores from Louisiana to possibly Florida.

High seas forced cleanup crews trying to vacuum and disperse the oily mess to take a second consecutive day off. Airplanes, boats and equipment were mobilized, but on standby as waves stopped them from trying to prevent the spreading oil from washing ashore beaches, barrier islands and wetlands.

What appeared to a manageable spill a couple of days ago after an oil rig exploded and sank off the Louisiana coast, has now turned into a more serious environmental problem. The new leak was discovered Saturday, and as much as 1,000 barrels — or 42,000 gallons — of oil is leaking each day, Coast Guard Rear Adm. Mary Landry said.

The new leak is troubling for the coast's fragile ecosystem of shrimp, fish, birds and coral. Officials said it's still too soon to say whether the sensitive habitat will be affected.

"What crude oil tends to do is float to surface and then under wave action it turns into what looks like chocolate mousse and sinks. It's way too early to tell" the impact, said James Cowan, an oceanography and coastal sciences professor at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge.

The initial spill occurred Tuesday when there was an explosion on the Deepwater Horizon about 50 miles off the Louisiana coast. More than 100 workers safely escaped the platform, which is about the size of two football fields, but 11 workers have not been found and are presumed dead.

The explosion created a rainbow sheen of oil on the surface of the water for a couple of days. On Thursday, the rig sank, adding another twist to the accident.

Still, officials maintained that no more oil appeared to be leaking.

Severe weather rolled into the region Saturday, and crews had to suspend cleanup efforts. Then, officials offered up the grim news: the new leak had been found.

The sheen on the surface has grown, extending 20 miles by 20 miles Saturday — about 25 times larger than it appeared to be a day earlier, Landry said.

Study: Cow feed may be causing smog

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Associated Press Writer

FRESNO Air officials for years have blamed dairy cow emissions for the unusually high ozone levels in California's San Joaquin Valley, but a new study points more to what goes into the animals than what comes out.

The study — funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, California Air Resources Board and the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District — initially was intended to measure the impact of animal manure, urine and flatulence on ozone levels.

University of California, Davis researchers, however, found that the bigger ozone culprit appears to be millions of tons of fermenting cattle feed. This previously unrecognized source is likely the reason why ozone levels have not dropped even as the region has implemented control programs, scientists said.

"The take-home is that feed sources might be more important than all of the things we've been caring about in the past," said Michael J. Kleeman, a professor in UC Davis' department of civil and environmental engineering who was the study's lead investigator.

When tests on animal waste failed to find as much ozone as expected, researchers turned their attention to the silage — giant mixes of corn, alfalfa, almond shells and corn stalks that's piled to ferment under black plastic. The alcohol-drenched concoction is scooped with tractors and dumped into dairy cow feed troughs.

Researchers found that the gases emitted during the fermentation react in the atmosphere to turn oxygen into ozone.

"What was surprising was the scale of the issue," Kleeman said. "We looked at the census of agriculture and realized how much is being used."

The valley, which is under federal mandate to reduce its ozone levels, is the No. 1 dairy production region in the country with nearly 1.5 million dairy animals. Repeated exposure to ozone can scar lung tissue and worsen asthma, emphysema and bronchitis.

With air officials focusing for years on animal waste as the reason why smog is highest here despite having less vehicle traffic than large cities, many dairies invested in expensive methane digesters to deal with the problem.

Dairy operators long suspected that something other than the manure lagoons could be to blame and requested more studies.

"We felt more likely it was coming from the fermentation process and likely the feed," said Michael Marsh, executive director of Western United Dairymen.

The focus on controlling emissions at dairies and other confined animal operations to improve air quality has grown in recent years — along with the size of the operations. In 1992, only 10 percent of all dairy cows lived on farms with more than 1,000 others. By 2007, that increased to 36 percent, most in the San Joaquin Valley.

The Q Line

Breaking away

A group of Malibu parents and teachers are interested in operating Point Dume Marine Science Elementary School as a charter school if the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District is forced to close it because of declining enrollment and budget issues.

So, this week's Q-Line question asks:
Do you think this is a sustainable idea or are those parents and teachers in over their heads?

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CHECK THE MARK: **Whether you're shopping for building materials, wooden furniture or other items, the simplest way to tell if the wood you are considering buying was harvested from sustainable sources is to look for the FSC (Forest Stewardship Council) label.**

Being wood wise

Dear EarthTalk:

Which woods are OK to purchase, and which are not, in the interest of preserving forests and not harming those who depend upon them?

Jon Steiner,
Boise, ID

Deforestation continues to be one of the world's biggest environmental problems, especially in fast developing regions like South America, Southeast Asia and Africa. Cutting down large numbers of trees erodes land and silts waterways, displaces native people and wildlife, and releases tons of carbon dioxide (which is stored in living wood fiber) into the atmosphere, contributing to global warming.

Of course, wood products are essential to modern life. Without wood we wouldn't have the buildings, furniture, paper and other essentials we make use of every day. That's why protecting sources of wood has become a leading concern among not just environmentalists but everyone else as well.

In response to the problems wrought by increasing deforestation, some forward-thinking wood products professionals teamed up with environmentalists, native people's advocates, community forestry groups and responsible corporations to form the nonprofit Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) in 1993. Previous attempts to stem the tide of unchecked logging — including international negotiations and boycotts — were having little effect, so FSC vowed to use the power of market forces to create change for the better.

FSC promotes responsible management of forests by certifying forestry operations around the globe and promoting its certification system at every step of the wood products distribution chain. Whether you're shopping for wooden furniture, building materials or other items, one easy way to tell if the wood you are considering buying was harvested from sustainable sources is to look for the FSC label on it or its packaging. If it is, you can trust that such products were harvested sustainably and are not contributing to deforestation-related woes. If you don't see the FSC logo, you should inquire as to where the wood came from and whether or not it was harvested sustainably.

The nonprofit Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) warns consumers to avoid purchasing some tropical hardwoods unless they can be assured that it came from sustainable forestry operations. Many of these woods — including Big Leaf Mahogany, Spanish Cedar, Caribbean Pine, Ipe, Rosewood, Teak, Ramin, Merbau, African Mahogany, and Okoume — are difficult to manage sustainably as they typically grow in low densities in natural forests and regenerate poorly after logging. Some woods and wood products may contain FSC-certified wood without bearing the logo, while other woods may be OK without going through the FSC certification process. If you don't see an FSC logo you should ask. If the store salesperson can't provide information, then you can't be sure.

Even better than purchasing sustainably harvested new wood is to seek out reclaimed or salvaged wood, as it precludes the need for logging altogether. An added benefit of using reclaimed or salvaged wood — look for it at used building supply stores and even at construction sites where older materials are being tossed — is that it provides incentives for municipal recycling programs. NRDC suggests that if you can't source used wood, consider recycled plastic lumber or composites if they are applicable for your project.

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Ash-stranded Europeans finally heading home

DAVID STRINGER
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LONDON Most tourists stranded by the volcanic ash crisis will be home by today although thousands could be stuck for nearly another week, European airlines and government officials said.

A week of airspace closures caused by ash spewed by Iceland's Eyjafjallajokull (pronounced ay-yah-FYAH-lah-yer-kuhl) volcano prompted the worst breakdown in civil aviation in Europe since World War II, with about 100,000 flights canceled.

Mark Tanzer, chief executive of Britain's ABTA, which represents British travel agents and tour operators, said about 100,000 stranded British travelers should have been returned home by Monday morning. About 35,000 more will remain marooned until Friday, the group said.

"While most flights are back to normal, and most stranded British passengers will be back by the end of this weekend, there is still quite a high level of disruption in some destinations. In some areas of the world, there is a significant lack of air capacity to enable British people to be returned quickly," Tanzer said.

Airlines said about 2,000 Belgians are stuck mainly in Egypt and Tunisia and 3,000 French tourists in various destinations. Austrian Airlines say passengers stuck in Thailand would return home Sunday. German and Swiss airlines reported few problems with stranded travelers.

Many Icelandic airports are closed and though authorities say Eyjafjallajokull is now producing much less ash, they confirmed no signs of the eruption ending.

More than one hundred volunteers joined Iceland's Red Cross and other agencies over the weekend to help clear ash from farms and houses close to the volcano site, Iceland's Civil Protection Agency said.

The agency said scientists flew over the eruption site late Saturday as part of work to monitor Eyjafjallajokull's activity. "The quantity of the volcanic plume is slowly decreasing," the agency said in a statement. But it added that there are "no indications that the eruption is coming to an end."

Scientists said this weekend the volcano is unlikely at present to cause further disruption to European airspace, as the ash plume is now too small to reach jet streams and because winds have changed direction.

Austrian Airlines says passengers still waiting for flights at long haul destinations including Bangkok would be home within days. "We are confident that by Monday all passengers will be returned to Europe," Austrian spokeswoman Pia Stradiot said. "The situation is fully under control."

In Belgium, foreign affairs spokesman Patrick Deboeck said most travelers should be on the way on Monday at the latest. "There are still some problems in Bangkok and the United States but we expect a lot of departures today and Monday," he said. "We hope that everything within the coming week will be back to normal."

Elisabeth Manzi, spokeswoman at Scandinavian airline operator SAS, said it is aiming to bring back all stranded passengers over the weekend, but that "a few" may still be left on Monday. Swedish foreign ministry spokeswoman Barbro Elm said an estimated 250 Swedes were still stuck in Bangkok as of Friday — including about 150 who are waiting at Bangkok airport.

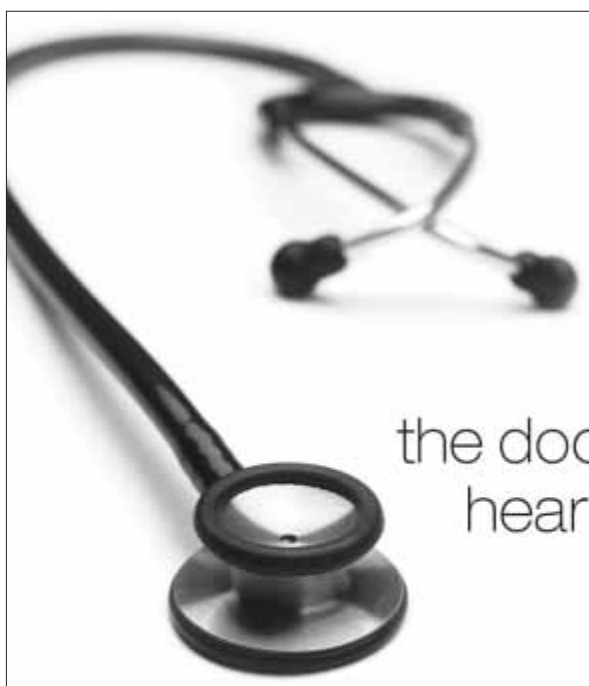
France's foreign ministry said a small number of French passengers remain grounded in Nepal and about 300 in New Delhi. The Environment Ministry said that as of Sunday evening fewer than 1,000 people were waiting for a flight back home — out of 150,000 French initially stranded when air traffic came to a stop.

Budget carrier easyJet, which operates services across Europe and North Africa, said airlines were attempting to move 200,000 people back home. "Bringing 200,000 passengers home has required a massive airlift," said chief executive Andy Harrison.


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Flaws found in state child-abuse registries

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NEW YORK Combatting child abuse is a cause with universal support. Yet a push to create a national database of abusers, as authorized by Congress in 2006, is barely progressing as serious flaws come to light in the state-level registries that would be the basis for a national list.

In North Carolina, an appeals court ruled last month that the registry there is unconstitutional because alleged abusers had no chance to defend themselves before being listed.

In New York, a class-action settlement is taking effect on behalf of thousands of people who were improperly denied the chance for a hearing to get removed from the state registry.

And the U.S. Supreme Court is scheduled to hear a case this fall arising from the plight of a California couple whose names remain on that state's registry years after they were cleared of an abuse allegation made by their rebellious teenage daughter.

"Nobody wants to be seen as soft on child abuse — and that's gotten us where we are," said Carolyn Kubitschek, a New York attorney who has waged several court battles over the registries. "In the state of New York, it is still almost impossible to get off the list."

More than 40 states have the abuse registries — which are distinct from the better-known registries of convicted sex offenders that every state makes publicly available on the Internet. The abuse lists aren't accessible to the public, but are used by day-care centers, schools, adoption agencies and other entities to screen people who want to adopt, be foster parents or get a job working with children.

Even critics of the registries say they can serve a vital purpose in barring perpetrators of serious abuse from roles where they would interact routinely with children. It's the process underlying many of the registries that has come into question — and their potential to entangle innocent people as well as wrongdoers.

A person doesn't have to be convicted or even charged with a crime to get listed. Under the general practice in most states, entries are based on a child protection investigator's assertion that the person committed an act of abuse or neglect; hearings or appeals, if granted at all, often come long after the name is entered.

"Anybody can call a child abuse hotline and report abuse — anybody, including your ex-spouse who hates you, your landlord who's trying to evict you," Kubitschek said.

By law, she said, child protection services must investigate each call — and their subsequent reports can lead to a person's placement on an abuse registry before they are notified or allowed to defend themselves.

The problems with due process were highlighted last year in an interim report by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, which has been directed by Congress to assess the feasibility of a national child abuse registry.

"Strong due process protections could necessitate significant changes to CPS investigation processes in some states that could be costly to implement and may discourage participation in a national registry," the HHS report said.

The report also questioned whether a national registry might be plagued by "false positives" affecting innocent people sharing a name with a perpetrator.

The potential problems will be assessed by a new HHS-commissioned study over the next two years, examining the state registries, gauging the states' interest in participating in a national registry, and trying to determine if one is indeed needed.

"Would a national registry in fact be useful to states?" said Barbara Broman, an HHS official who oversaw preparation of the interim report. "We do not know the answer to that question."

Congress authorized a national child abuse registry in 2006 as part of the Adam Walsh Act, named for a Florida boy abducted and murdered in 1981. His father, John Walsh, hosts the TV series "America's Most Wanted."

Among those urging faster progress toward a national registry is Sen. Chuck Schumer, D-N.Y., who says such a list would help track child abusers who cross state lines to avoid detection and offend again in the new location.

"It doesn't make any sense at all that while we try to watch sex offenders like hawks, we let child batterers, who physically batter children, slip through the cracks," he told a news conference last month.

However, Howard Davidson of the American Bar Association's Center on Children and the Law, said most people on the state registries are accused of neglect, not battering or other physical abuse.

Davidson supports use of the registries to screen potential adoptive or foster parents. But he questions whether they're a suitable tool for employers to vet job applicants because of inconsistencies in the level of proof required to register a name.

A disproportionate number of people on the registries are poor, Davidson said, decreasing their chances of successfully challenging an unfair inclusion on the list.

Even the National Child Abuse Coalition, a major player in Washington in advocating on behalf of abused children, is cautious about the proposed national registry.

Tom Birch, the coalition's legislative counsel, said there are many unanswered questions about the registry's costs and how it would reconcile differences in the states' definitions and handling of child maltreatment.

"Rushing ahead to create a national registry is not the way to go at this point," he said. "It would need to be done right."

While the abuse registries remain out of the spotlight in most states, there have been some notable recent developments. Among them:

California has had a series of cases involving people who were exonerated of abuse allegations yet struggled to get their names off the state's Child Abuse Central Index.

One such case is scheduled to be heard by the U.S. Supreme Court this fall. Lawyers say it will draw attention to the registry debate even though the issue before the justices involves a dispute over Los Angeles County's position in the case — not some of the more fundamental issues raised during their nine-year legal battle.

The couple, Craig and Wendy Humphries of Valencia, were arrested in 2001 after their daughter, then 15, accused them of abuse; their younger children were placed in foster care. State courts ruled the allegation was false but they remain on the list of 800,000 names.

In 2008, a federal appeals court found the registry system unconstitutional because there's no way for the innocent to clear their names. The ruling empathized with the Humphries as "living every parent's nightmare."

Esther Boynton, the Humphries' attorney, is frustrated by what she considers a slow, piecemeal government response to the ruling.

"It shows how the defendant is circling the wagons, how hard they will fight," she said. "This goes on and on and on. My clients are living through that."

Boynton knows the ordeal firsthand — she was placed on the abuse index in 1990 after accidentally splashing her 17-year-old daughter with hot coffee. Only three years later, applying for a volunteer job, did she learn she was on the list; it took two more years of litigation to get removed.

Later, Boynton represented a Bakersfield stockbroker, Scott Whyte, who had been accused of child abuse by an ex-girlfriend in 1986. Whyte avoided contact with their son for years, worried that another allegation might land him in prison, before he was cleared and won a 2007 court ruling upholding his right to challenge the index system.

Despite the vindication, Whyte says being on the registry left lasting scars.

"I will never get over this — it is still oozing out of me," he said in a telephone interview. "I think I've given up my anger, but I have to continually readdress that. Forgiveness was so difficult."

Boynton says the officials responsible for the registries have good intentions, with the aim of protecting children, but often overlook the harm that can befall people wrongly placed on the lists.

"If they do look, they'll see that parents and children have a shared interest," she said. "Accurate information helps everyone. Inaccurate information can pull people apart unfairly."

North Carolina's Court of Appeals ruled in March that the state's registry process was unconstitutional because it gave suspected abusers no chance to defend themselves prior to being listed. The ruling also required a higher standard of proof before a name could be entered.

Rescuers fan out after twister kills 10 in Mississippi

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YAZOO CITY, Miss. Rescuers spread out Sunday to find anyone who might be left behind in the rural Mississippi countryside hit hard by a tornado that killed 10 people a day earlier, while others returned to demolished homes to salvage what they could and bulldoze the rubble.

About 40 National Guard soldiers patrolled the devastated Yazoo City, some in Humvees and others in a Blackhawk helicopter. Dozens of volunteer state troopers and other law enforcement officers also came from far-flung parts of the state to help.

The high winds on Saturday ripped roofs off buildings in Yazoo County, a county of about 28,000 people known for blues, catfish and cotton where Gov. Haley Barbour grew up. He described "utter obliteration" among the picturesque hills rising from the flat Mississippi Delta.

"This tornado was enormous," Barbour told The Associated Press as searchers resumed their work.

He said there are about 100 homes in Yazoo County and another 38 in Choctaw County that are uninhabitable. State emergency officials are still trying to determine how many people have been left homeless after Saturday's storm, he said. It's unlikely the final tally of damage and other figures will be done before Tuesday.

Mississippi Emergency Management Agency spokesman Greg Flynn said Sunday that at least three dozen people were hurt and nearly 200 homes damaged in Attala, Holmes, Monroe and Warren Counties. Officials were still working to assess the total damage in Choctaw and Yazoo counties.

On Sunday, many people were focused on cleanup, with the buzz of chainsaws and tractors rumbling across the region. The scent of splintered pine trees permeated hard-hit Choctaw County as people tried to salvage what they could from mobile homes torn from their blocks. Utility workers in cherry-pickers hovered over police officers directing traffic on a two-lane highway busy with relief workers and volunteers arriving to help.

About 20 student volunteers from the National Association for the Prevention of Starvation drove through the night from Oakwood University in Huntsville, Ala., to Yazoo City to help. Wearing white hard hats and yellow or orange reflective vests, they used chain saws to cut fallen trees into pieces small enough to haul away.

Illegal immigrant law opponents rally in Arizona

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PHOENIX Opponents who fear that Arizona's tough new immigration law will lead to police harassment of legal immigrants and U.S. citizens who look Hispanic rallied against the measure at the state Capitol Sunday afternoon.

The protest comes two days after Gov. Jan Brewer signed a bill that requires police to question people about their immigration status — including asking for identification — if they suspect someone is in the country illegally. The law also toughens restrictions on hiring illegal immigrants for day labor and knowingly transporting them.

Civil rights advocates have vowed to challenge the law in court, saying it would undoubtedly lead to racial profiling despite Brewer's assurances. The Rev. Al Sharpton said Sunday in New York City he's ready to travel to Arizona and march in the streets to protest the law. He said activists are prepared to commit civil disobedience to fight it.

Supporters have dismissed concerns of racial profiling, saying the law prohibits the use of race or nationality as the sole basis for an immigration check. Brewer has ordered state officials to develop a training course for officers to learn what constitutes reasonable suspicion someone is in the U.S. illegally.

Hundreds gathered outside the state Capitol in Phoenix on Friday shouting that the bill would lead to civil rights abuses. After she signed the bill, Brewer said critics were "overreacting."

A handful of protesters lingered at the Capitol Saturday morning. Others gathered in Tucson outside the campaign headquarters of U.S. Rep. Raul Grijalva, a Democrat who opposes the measure and has called on businesses and groups looking for convention and meeting locations to boycott Arizona.

Current law in Arizona and most states doesn't require police to ask about the immigration status of those they encounter, and many police departments prohibit officers from inquiring out of fear immigrants won't cooperate in other investigations.

The new law makes it a crime under state law to be in the country illegally. Immigrants unable to produce documents showing they are allowed to be in the U.S. could be arrested, jailed for up to six months and fined $2,500. It also allows lawsuits against government agencies that hinder enforcement of immigration laws.

Mexican President Felipe Calderon's office said in a statement Saturday that "the Mexican government condemns the approval of the law" and "the criminalization of migration, far from contributing to collaboration and cooperation between Mexico and the state of Arizona, represents an obstacle to solving the shared problems of the border region."

Arizona has an estimated 460,000 illegal immigrants and is the state with the most illegal border crossings, with the harsh, remote desert serving as the gateway for thousands of Mexicans and Central Americans.

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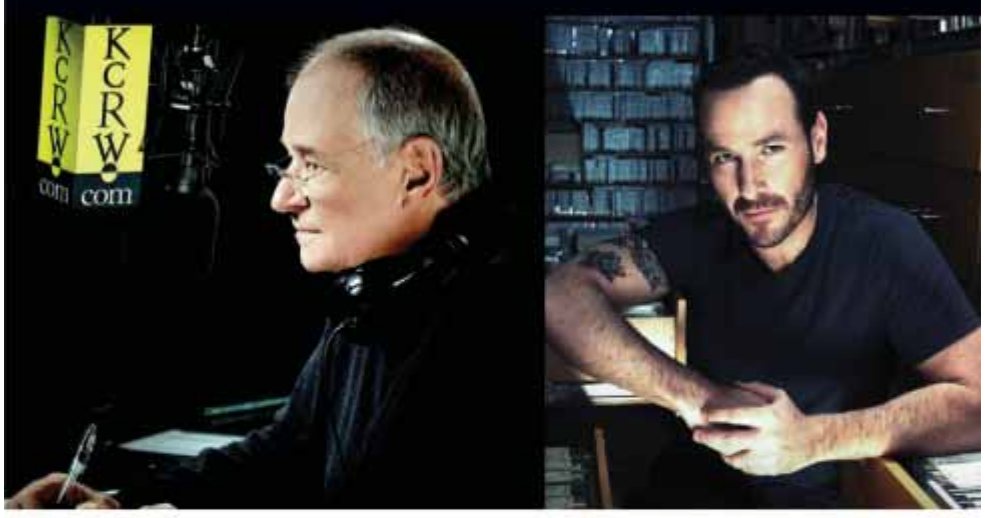
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Homeless say safety a concern

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such as the elderly and disabled. This type of classification can make sentences harsher.

Pressure for homeless hate-crime laws, which have been adopted in Maine, Maryland and Washington D.C., has been mounting in recent years as attacks against transients started rising with the popularity of videos called "Bumfights." Producers ply homeless people with alcohol in return for doing humiliating acts on videotape.

In 2007, the National Coalition for the Homeless reported 160 attacks against homeless people — including 28 fatalities — up from 142 in 2006. The number of attacks dropped in 2008, after major retailers removed the DVDs, but there may now be a similar threat.

A European Internet video game called "Bumrise," which debuted in the U.S. in February, allows players to assume the role of a homeless character moving up from a cardboard box to a Manhattan penthouse by pickpocketing, collecting cans, fighting and panhandling.

"This all kind of normalizes abuse toward a population that is just so unprotected," said Neil Donovan, the coalition's executive director.

Still, many say attacks against the homeless are hard to classify as hate-fuelled violence because the crimes do not involve derogatory symbols or epithets. Others point to homelessness as a transitory state, unlike race, gender or ethnicity.

The key element in homeless crime, they say, is the victim's weakness.

"They are crimes of opportunity — you do it because it's easy," said Mark Potok, spokesman for the Southern Poverty Law Center, which monitors hate groups. "These crimes are, in effect, a way of making the powerless feel powerful."

Homeless people say safety is a constant concern. Many buddy up at night or arm themselves with knives or boxcutters. Joe Thomas, a 60-year-old Vietnam veteran who's been living on the streets of downtown LA for the past year, said he seeks out benches in well lit areas.

"You have people who have a thing about people being homeless," he said. "We had kids coming down here about three months ago, hitting people in the head with a baseball bat."

Deanna Weakly said women are particularly vulnerable. She spent the last four years homeless before obtaining a federally sponsored apartment last month.

With far fewer shelter beds for women, security guards often demand sex or food in exchange for a cot, she said, so she spent nights catnapping on buses, then moved into a county hospital lobby. If men made advances, she screamed at the top of her lungs to scare them off.

"I'd be wandering around at 3-4 in the morning with my bags, looking for a place to sleep. I was always kind of ready to give up my life," the 50-year-old former real estate agent said. "I always had to have my guard up."

For McGraham-Paisley, her older brother's death has made her painfully aware of the plight of homeless people and what she says is a woeful lack of compassion for them.

"My brother did not make a choice to be homeless. He was mentally ill. We didn't abandon him. We tried to get him help. We'd contact agencies and they said they'd go out there, but we'd never hear back," she said. "That person is a human being. There has to be a solution."

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Activists want to change bee laws in L.A. next

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port problem hives to the temporary yard, and later take the feral bees to farms where they can help pollinate crops.

If a majority of the council agrees on Tuesday, City Hall staff will begin work on a new bee ordinance which would later come before the council for final approval.

McKeown said it's high time City Hall reconsidered its beekeeping ordinance, which hasn't been reviewed for decades.

"Cities like New York and Denver have already legalized beekeeping, and the Obamas have two hives in their organic garden at the White House. Reviewing and potentially repealing our old law is the first step toward a saner and more environmentally sustainable policy on bees, which pollinate trees, flowers and food crops," he said.

Max Wong, who raises bees in her backyard in the Mt. Washington section of Los Angeles, said most people are needlessly afraid of bees and are blithely unaware of the potentially serious threat of colony collapse disorder.

"Bees are disappearing at 6 percent every year globally, [and] when you hear about bees in urban areas it's always, 'Oh my god, Africanized insects,'" she said.

Danger from Africanized bees, also called "killer bees," she said, is a media-generated sham. Bees that originated in Africa have been in the U.S. for 40 years, and while they tend to swarm more than other bee species, they don't pose serious risks to humans, she said.

> "WHEN BEES SWARM THEY'RE LOOKING FOR NEW HOUSES, THEY'RE NOT HUNTING PEOPLE."
>
> Max Wong,
> Beekeeper

"When bees swarm they're looking for new houses, they're not hunting people," she said.

A member of Backwards Beekeepers, an L.A.-area beekeeping group that is so named because it rejects the use of pesticides and other chemicals to keep bees thriving, Wong is among the supporters from outside of Santa Monica who see the city as a type of proving ground for better beekeeping policy in the region.

Beekeeping is permitted in some parts of Los Angeles, but, in Wong's words, the rules are "checkerboard, arbitrary and stupid."

"We're working on Santa Monica, and then we're going to turn around and work on L.A.," she said.

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Santa Monica Place nears grand opening

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reduce water usage. Unlike the previous indoor mall, the new incarnation of Santa Monica Place will take advantage of its outdoor design to utilize more natural light and air-flow ventilation.

The property's August grand opening comes with the unveiling of a rooftop dining deck which will offer ocean and city views in conjunction with casual and chef-driven dining concepts. Last month, the property announced the addition of The Market, a boutique-sized complement to the local Farmer's Market, which will feature independent vendors of gourmet chocolates, fresh-roasted coffee beans, wines, and other offerings.

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Santa Monica home prices are strong

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"Buyer confidence has increased dramatically from last year," said Sue Schultes, an agent with Paragon Real Estate Group in San Francisco. "When things are uncertain, people have a difficult time making a decision. We're now noticing many houses selling over list prices with multiple offers and a lot more movement in the luxury market."

In Los Angeles, Julie Kryukova, an agent with 360 Realty, said she expects there will be a jump in sales this month too as buyers grab up foreclosures and other financially distressed properties.

"People are ready to make that last-minute dash and take advantage of these deals," Kryukova said.

While Los Angeles saw an average decline in sales, swanky pockets of the city including West Hollywood, Santa Monica and Marina del Rey are seeing sales up as much as 300 percent from last year, she said.

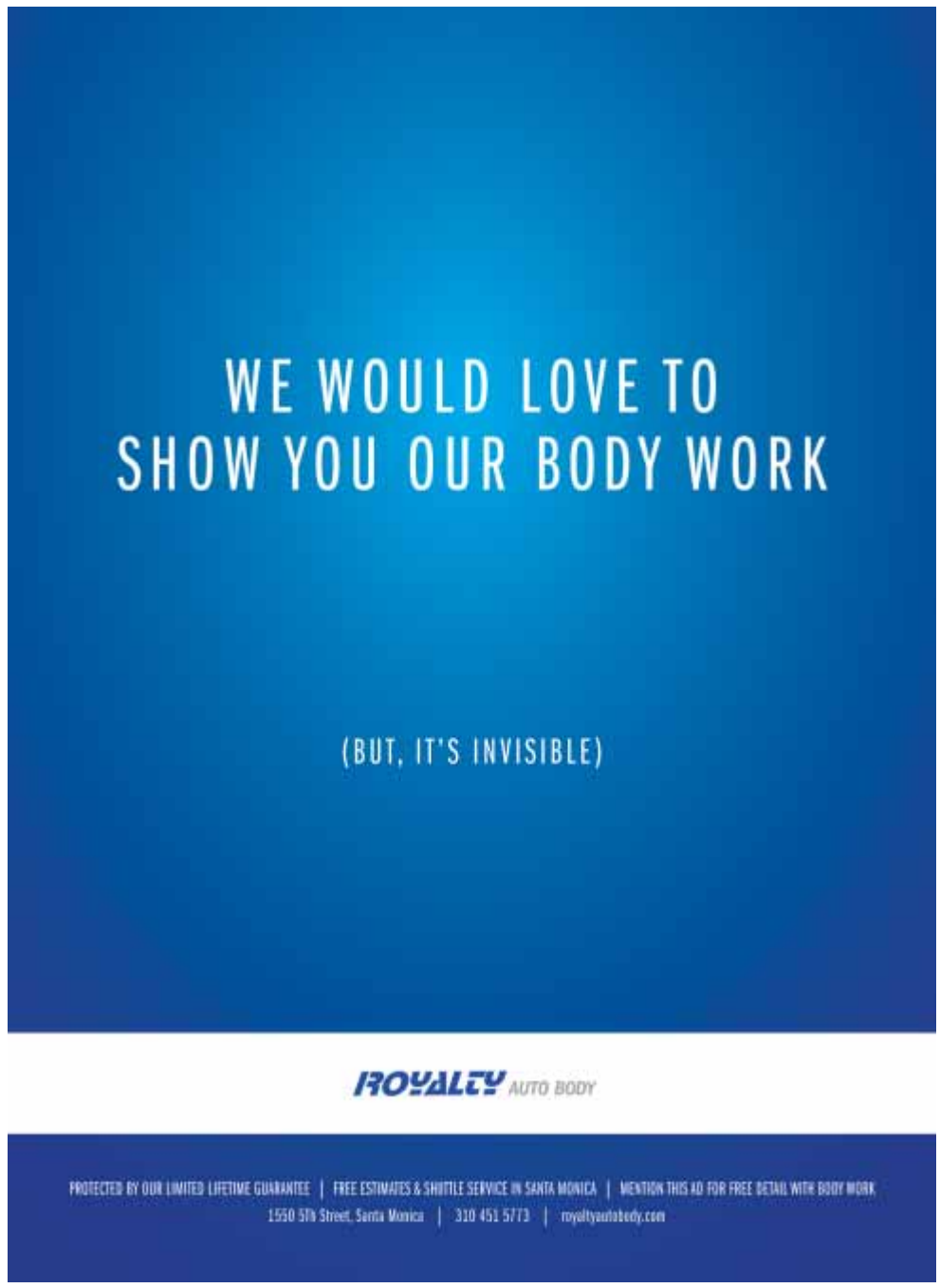
Though sales in Boise were strong, the city had the biggest price decline among the Western cities in the AP-Re/Max report. With a drop of 14 percent to $149,900, prices are now back to 2003-levels.

"Now we see affordability back to what it was. Inventory has grown, prices are dropping and investors are back in the market with all of these movers and first-time buyers," said Van States, an agent with Keller Williams Realty in Boise. "It's shaping up to be a great selling season."









Plans percolate to revive Frisco native creeks

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Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO Riffling through old maps while researching a history project for San Francisco public schools, landscape architect Bonnie Sherk made a discovery: a century ago a creek coursed where two school campuses stand today.

"There was Islais Creek, running where Balboa High School is now," said Sherk. "All of a sudden it made sense: the school's cafeteria had been flooding and the basements of homes in this neighborhood flood during heavy rains because they're in this large watershed."

Two wells have been drilled on the school campuses since Sherk's discovery a decade ago, tapping the hidden creek's water to irrigate community gardens, parks and street vegetation, while hopefully reducing the threat of floods.

Now, as part of an estimated $4 billion sewer upgrade, Islais Creek and other streams that last saw daylight more than a century ago could flow openly once again through neighborhoods of one of the country's most densely built cities.

Such "daylighting" of urban creeks is being embraced in cities throughout the world. Seattle, Portland, Ore., Yonkers, N.Y., Providence, R.I., as well as Zurich are among many places reopening long hidden waterways. Resurrecting old creeks can help remove hundreds of millions of gallons of storm water from sewer systems each year — meaning fewer sewage spills and cleaner water.

Covered up during and after the Gold Rush when the city's booming population created demand for housing, San Francisco's many creeks were diverted and sent underground into the sewer system — parts of it still utilizing 1850s-era brick pipes. The water is mixed with the waste and sent to a treatment plant before being expelled into San Francisco Bay or the Pacific Ocean.

Each year, these rain-swollen creeks often overload the system — and about a dozen times a year raw or partially treated sewage spews into the bay and sea.

Currently, Islais Creek, once the city's largest, can only be seen in a park in the southern part of the city, where it flows into concrete sewer pipes.

The only place people can catch a glimpse of Mission Creek is in the basement of the San Francisco National Guard Armory and Arsenal building, a massive brick structure not open to the public and currently owned by a pornography film company.

"We want to partially restore the natural hydrology of San Francisco," said Tyrone Jue, spokesman for San Francisco's Public Utilities Commission, the agency in charge of the project. "It helps the sewer system by reducing flow, beautifies neighborhoods and can bring back natural wildlife that may once have lived in an area."

San Francisco is studying the best sites for unearthing these historic creeks, and officials say the first phase of projects would likely start in five to 10 years.

Islais Creek, which starts in the city's Glen Park neighborhood, and Mission Creek, which runs beneath the trendy Mission and South of Market districts, are likely the first candidates.

Both creeks flow toward the bay through densely packed neighborhoods, which could expose the water to pollutants such as auto runoff and garbage.

Regulators may delay diesel-emission rules

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Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO California air regulators took steps Thursday to delay the nation's toughest rules to slash emissions from diesel-powered construction equipment, saying the poor economy has left many of the vehicles sitting idle.

Members of the California Air Resources Board said they want to give companies more time to comply because construction activity in the state is down about 50 percent since the regulations were adopted three years ago, and that has significantly reduced harmful emissions.

"Unfavorable economic times make it more difficult for industry to comply with our regulations and function," board chairwoman Mary Nichols said.

The regulations, referred to as off-highway diesel rules, were scheduled to take effect this year, and some companies have already spent millions of dollars on new equipment to comply.

No formal vote was taken Thursday, but the board directed its staff to determine ways the construction industry can more easily reach the state's goal of cutting diesel emissions by 2014, the date required to meet federal clean air standards.

Thursday's debate comes four months after the board decided to explore loosening similar diesel rules for trucks and buses.

Any new guidelines for trucks and construction equipment were expected to be put to a vote in September.

While the economy was the driving reason for reviewing both rules, board staff reported Thursday they had overestimated how much pollution construction equipment, buses and trucks emit into the air.

For example, there are about 200,000 fewer construction vehicles in California than the board had initially thought, and the industry didn't use as much diesel as expected. So, the regulation assumed there were 50 to 80 percent more emissions that needed to be cut, according to board staff.

The revelation drew criticism from a few of the board members and industry groups who called for better numbers before imposing costly regulations.

"Until they are right, you're asking us to spend billions of dollars to reduce phantom emissions, and we're not going to do that," said Michael Lewis of the Construction Industry Air Quality Coalition, which is based in Southern California.

Industry representatives urged the board to delay the regulations by five years, citing the much lower emissions footprint of construction.

Gas prices drop less than half a cent in two weeks

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAMARILLO The average price of regular gasoline in the United States was virtually unchanged over a two-week period, dipping only .42 cents to $2.85.

That's according to the national Lundberg Survey of fuel prices released Sunday.

Analyst Trilby Lundberg says the average price for a gallon of mid-grade was $2.97. Premium was at $3.09.

Tulsa, Okla., had the lowest average price among cities surveyed at $2.60 a gallon for regular. Honolulu was highest at $3.47.

Diesel was at $3.08, up 2.59 cents from two weeks ago.

In California, the average price for a gallon of regular down 1.14 cents to $3.05.

Stockton had the state's least expensive gas at $3.01 a gallon. San Francisco was the steepest at $3.09.

Murder case magnifies death penalty's faults

PAUL ELIAS
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO Chelsea King's parents reluctantly agreed to a sentence of life in prison for their daughter's rapist and killer, calling the death penalty in California "an empty promise."

The Kings join a growing list of victims' families, law enforcement officials and other capital punishment proponents who have grown disillusioned with California's death penalty. The decision to forego capital punishment for registered sex offender John Gardner, who this month admitted killing Chelsea King and another teen girl, has once again thrust the gridlocked system into the spotlight.

Five more inmates joined California's death row this year, pushing the population past a record 700 inmates, by far the nation's largest.

Florida is second with 394 inmates on death row, and Texas is third with 333, but both of those states regularly carry out executions.

Legal challenges over how lethal injections are administered to condemned prisoners in California have halted executions in the state since Clarence Ray Allen was put to death Jan. 17, 2006. The lawsuits are far from being resolved, and most observers believe it could be years before another execution takes place at San Quentin Prison.

Even before the suspension, only 13 condemned inmates have been executed from the time capital punishment resumed in the state in 1977 until February 2006, when U.S. District Court Jeremy Fogel halted executions until prison officials revamped their lethal injection process.

After a lengthy regulatory review, the Department of Corrections is expected to issue the long-awaited new protocols this week.

Still, state and federal judges must approve the new regulations before executions can resume — and lawyers challenging the death penalty promise to vigorously attack the new protocols as inadequate.

California Chief Justice Ron George told the California Commission on the Fair Administration of Justice that the state's capital punishment system is "dysfunctional." Death penalty appeals account for 25 percent of the high court's workload, he has said.

"Most of us realize a death sentence at this time is a hollow promise in California," San Diego District Attorney Bonnie Dumanis said at the news conference with the King family announcing that Gardner would plead guilty in exchange for a life sentence.

Dumanis said in a telephone interview Thursday that she still files death penalty cases when appropriate "because it's the law," but the state's glacial execution rate is frustrating to victims' families.

"They have to live with it every day," she said.

In voicing frustration with capital punishment, these supporters of the penalty are lending momentum to a renewed push by death penalty foes to abolish executions in California.

With the state's financial woes as a backdrop, the foes have launched a new assault on the death penalty, saying California cannot afford it.

The state Legislature created the California Commission on the Fair Administration of Justice to investigate the chronic problems with the state's death penalty. The commission concluded that the state needed to spend more money, mostly on hiring more defense attorneys to hasten the automatic appeal process.

The commission, led by former California Attorney General John Van de Kamp, released a study in 2008 concluding that capital cases cost the state an additional $125 million a year to administer. In response to a court order, the Department of Corrections spent $400 million building a new death chamber and death row.

"We are spending money on a broken death penalty," said Natasha Minsker, an American Civil Liberties Union lawyer who won the Abolitionist of the Year award from the National Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty in 2008. "We aren't spending money on unsolved murders and other crimes. These are the trade-offs we are making."

The system is so topsy-turvy that convicted killer Billy Joe Johnson last year fought for a lethal injection sentence rather than life imprisonment at Pelican Bay State Prison. The convicted killer said death row inmates enjoy better accommodations such as larger cells that they don't have to share and access to television.

When a jury and a judge granted the white supremacist leader his wish, he was packed off to death row last year knowing that nearly all inmates there die of causes other than executions.

The state's capital punishment system also let down Maria Keever, who was counting on the death penalty to punish her son's killer.

Keever demanded that Scott Erskine receive the death penalty for murdering and raping her 13-year-old son and another boy in 1993 in San Diego.

Erskine was sentenced to die in 2004. The California Supreme Court has yet to schedule a hearing for Erskine's automatic appeal to the high court.

"He's up there watching television knowing I am going to die before he does," said Maria Keever. "The system is not what they say it is."

MLB

Nat's Olsen mows down Dodgers, 1-0

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON Scott Olsen was back to form, helping the Washington Nationals close out a long homestand on a productive note.

Olsen pitched seven shutout innings for his first victory since having shoulder surgery in July and Matt Capps worked around a leadoff double in the ninth to preserve the Nationals' 1-0 win over the Los Angeles Dodgers on Sunday.

"For today, it feels good," said Olsen of his first victory since July 5. "Enjoy this for about 20 more minutes and then start thinking about six days from now."

The Dodgers' Chad Billingsley (1-1) gave up four hits and an Adam Dunn RBI groundout over six innings.

"I was being a little more aggressive with my fastball today, and just pretty much went out there today and kept it simple, just went after guys," Billingsley said. "It was a tough one, a close one, a real pitchers' game. I tried to stay away from anything fancy out there."

Olsen (1-1) allowed six hits, walked one and struck out eight in his third start since being recalled from Triple-A Syracuse on April 15. The left-hander's disappointing 2009 season — 2-4 with a 6.03 ERA in 11 starts after being acquired in a trade from Florida — ended with surgery. He failed to make the Nationals out of spring training because of diminished velocity.

"His concentration level was at a peak," Washington manager Jim Riggleman said of Olsen. "You could tell. Every pitch, he was driven to make a good pitch. He kept battling, made great pitches (and) went further than I thought he could go today."

While Olsen's fastball has returned to its low-90s form, it was an effective slider that confounded the Dodgers on Sunday.

"We were down in the zone for the most part all day," Olsen said. "We got ahead in the count and when we got ahead in the count, the slider was working well so we stayed with that. ... We got a lot of swings and misses with it."

Tyler Clippard worked the eighth and Capps finished the seven-hitter for his major league-leading eighth save.

The Dodgers threatened in the ninth, when James Loney opened with a double down the left-field line. But Capps got Casey Blake on a bouncer to second, right fielder Justin Maxwell made a diving grab of Ronnie Belliard's pop to short right and Garret Anderson flied out to center.

"I knew (Belliard) got in on it a little bit, so I just started to hauling it in and made the play," Maxwell said. "You can just call them Willie Harris plays, because he's the one who usually does that at the end of the game. It was my turn today, and Hammer, too."

Maxwell was referring to left fielder Josh Willingham, who dived to snag Rafael Furcal's sinking liner leading off the eighth.

Olsen kept the Dodgers off-balance for his first win over Los Angeles, the only National League team he had not beaten. Olsen was 0-3 against the Dodgers.

The triumph capped a 6-4 homestand for Washington, which has alternated wins and losses in its past eight contests but sits a game over .500.

"It just shows how far our pitching's come. ... For the most part, when we've won our games, we have great starts and our bullpen's been solid," Maxwell said. "It just shows that pitching and defense really do win."

The Dodgers loaded the bases in the first on consecutive singles to center by Russell Martin, Matt Kemp and Loney. But Olsen fanned Blake and got Belliard to fly to center. The left-hander allowed only one runner to reach second base after that — Blake, on a one-out double in the fifth.

"We let (Olsen) off the hook the first inning," Blake said. "A lot of times, you do that with a pitcher and they're going to stick around."

Added Dodgers manager Joe Torre: "Unfortunately, we had that opportunity in the first and then in the last but not much in between."

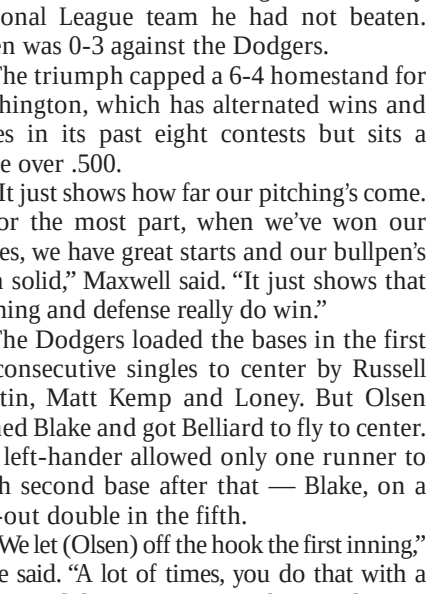
Washington took the lead in its half of the first. Nyjer Morgan led off with a single to left, Adam Kennedy drew a walk and both runners moved up on Cristian Guzman's sacrifice. Dunn's grounder to second scored Morgan.

That provided the only offense in Washington's second shutout of the season. The Dodgers were blanked for the second time this year.

"We need to get better. We just need to get it all together," said Torre, whose team has started a nine-game road trip 2-4.

NOTES: After going 0 for 3 against Billingsley, Willingham is 0 for 11 in his career versus the right-hander. ... 3B Ryan Zimmerman was out of the starting lineup for a fourth straight game with right hamstring soreness but hopes to play in the Nationals' series that begins Monday in Chicago. "It depends on how it feels tomorrow," he said after batting practice. "It's looking better and better each day." Zimmerman lined out as a pinch hitter in the seventh, and was under orders not to run hard. ... The Dodgers have lost 11 of 18 games in D.C.

Hey let's celebrate!
Audrey's turning eight!
Happy Birthday
Audrey Burgomaster!





SURF REPORT

Surf Conditions **Water Temp:** 58°

Swell Forecast

Waist to chest high day most everywhere as NW continues to we get a slight boost in SW swell.

Long Range Synopsis

Is looking similar. Conditions are likely to deteriorate by mid to late morning.

Tide Forecast for Today in Santa Monica



BEACH REPORT CARD

NORTH LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Grades for this report are based on monitoring data from the previous 30 days up to the ending date of **April 20, 2010**

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QUICK STATS (for the last 30 days)

- Number of sewage spills -- 0
- Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 0
- Number of wet days -- 10
- Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 42 / 22
- Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 5 / 22

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Heal the Bay reminds you not to swim or surf within 100 yards of any flowing storm drain or for 3 days after a rainstorm. After a rain, indicator bacteria counts at beaches throughout California usually far exceed health criteria in the state's Beach Closure and Health Warning Protocol.

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Leo Carrillo Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth.	A+	A+
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth.	A+	A+
El Pescador State Beach, between Lechasa and Los Alisos creeks.	A+	A+
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach.	A+	A+
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth.	A	F
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth.	A	A+
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private).	A+	A+
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth.	A+	A+
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach.	F	A+
Latigo Canyon Creek mouth.	A+	D
Solstice Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach.	A+	B
Puerco State Beach at creek mouth.	A+	F
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerco Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd..	F	F
Surfrider Beach at Malibu Colony fence.	A+	A+
Surfrider Beach (breach location)- daily.	D	D
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east.	B	F
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon.	A+	A
Los Flores State Beach at Los Flores Creek (point zero).	A	F
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs.	A+	A+
Pena Creek at Los Tunos County Beach.	A+	A+
Tuna Canyon.	A+	A+
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth.	F	F
Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach.	A+	A+
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach.	A+	A+
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain).	A+	F

LOCATION	DRY	WET
Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence.	A+	F
Will Rogers State Beach at Pulga Canyon storm drain.	A+	B
Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain.	A+	F
Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauqua).	F	F
Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain.	A+	F
Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain.	A+	F
Santa Monica Municipal Pier.	A	D
Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain.	A+	A+
Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restrooms).	A+	A+
Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain.	A+	A
Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain.	A+	A+
Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain.	A+	D
Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain.	A+	A
Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south.	A+	C
Venice Beach- projection of Topsail St..	A+	F
Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower.	A	B
Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth.	A+	C
Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain.	A+	B
North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach.	A+	A+
Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty).	A	F
Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain.	A+	A+
Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant.	A+	D
Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain.	A+	F

LEGEND

DRY -- each location is graded on an A – F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone
WET -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days
ns -- no sample taken

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Heal the Bay

Heal the Bay's Beach Report Card® is based on weekly water quality monitoring data provided by the City of Los Angeles' Environmental Monitoring Division and the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services. Data is analyzed as soon as it is made available to us by the public agencies. Beaches are graded on an A–F scale based on the risk of ocean users becoming ill. Samples are analyzed for bacteria—enterococcus, total and fecal coliforms—that indicate biological pollution. A fact sheet detailing the exact methodology used in determining grades for each location is available from the office or on our web site. The report is not designed to measure the amount of trash or toxins found at local beaches.

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MOVIE TIMES

Aero Theatre
1328 Montana Ave.
(323) 466-FILM

Call theater for information.

AMC Loews Broadway 4
1441 Third Street Promenade

The Joneses (R) 1hr 33min
2:30pm, 5:00pm, 7:30pm, 10:05pm

Greenberg (R) 1hr 47min
4:30pm, 9:40pm

Clash of the Titans 3D (PG-13) 1hr 50min
2:00pm, 7:00pm

Alice in Wonderland in Disney Digital 3D (PG) 1hr 49min
2:05pm, 4:35pm, 7:15pm, 9:55pm

Hot Tub Time Machine (R) 1hr 40min
2:40pm, 5:15pm, 7:45pm, 10:15pm

AMC 7 Santa Monica
1310 Third St.
(310) 289-4262

The Back-up Plan (PG-13) 1hr 38min
1:15pm, 4:15pm, 7:00pm, 9:35pm

Clash of the Titans 3D (PG-13) 1hr 50min
2:00pm, 4:45pm, 7:20pm, 9:55pm

Date Night (PG-13) 1hr 28min
12:45pm, 3:05pm, 4:00pm, 5:20pm, 6:30pm, 7:45pm, 10:05pm

Kick-Ass (R) 1hr 57min
12:35pm, 9:15pm

Kick-Ass (Digital Presentation) (R) 1hr 57min
1:30pm, 2:30pm, 4:30pm, 5:30pm, 7:30pm, 8:30pm, 10:10pm

Oceans (G) 1hr 24min
12:30pm, 3:00pm, 5:30pm, 8:00pm, 10:15pm

Kenny Chesney: Summer in 3D (NR) 1hr 39min
2:00pm

Laemmle's Monica Fourplex
1332 Second St.
(310) 394-9741

When You're Strange (R) 1hr 42min
1:00pm, 3:10pm, 5:20pm, 7:40pm, 10:00pm

The Ghost Writer (PG13) 2hr 23min
1:20pm, 4:10pm, 7:10pm, 10:10pm

The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo (NR) 2hr 49min
1:00pm, 4:30pm, 8:00pm

City Island (PG-13) 1hr 55min
1:50pm, 4:20pm, 7:20pm, 9:50pm

Mann's Criterion Theatre
1313 Third St.
(310) 395-1599

Death at a Funeral (R) 1hr 30min
11:20am, 12:20pm, 1:50pm, 2:50pm, 4:20pm, 5:20pm, 6:50pm, 7:50pm, 9:20pm, 10:20pm

How to Train Your Dragon (PG) 1hr 38min
12:10pm, 2:40pm, 5:10pm, 7:40pm, 10:10pm

How to Train Your Dragon 3D (PG) 1hr 38min
11:10am, 1:40pm, 4:10pm, 6:40pm, 9:10pm

The Losers (PG-13) 1hr 38min
11:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm, 3:00pm, 4:30pm, 5:30pm, 7:00pm, 8:00pm, 9:30pm, 10:30pm, 11:45pm

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Get some exercise, Taurus

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★ Deferring to others really isn't like you, but you are experiencing considerable pressure. You might not feel comfortable with a choice. Hedging helps create a little extra time. Know that you can find the answer. You might not be looking in the right place. Tonight: Give up being rigid.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★ An easy pace works well, but others might be having a very difficult time. Others often dump their stuff on you. In any case, be willing to say "no." A change in plans just might work well. Be careful with a family member who has abundant energy. Tonight: Fit in some exercise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ You are very playful and open. Re-evaluate what needs to happen within your immediate circle. Pressure builds where you feel you don't have control. Why worry about something you cannot control? Let go instead. Tonight: An unexpected invitation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★ You could be overwhelmed by everything that is on your plate. What's more, someone you count on could be more difficult than in the past. Understanding evolves to a new level if you let go of rigid thinking about what must happen. Tonight: Try not to be vested in plans.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★ Communication might not be as even and steady as you might like. You wonder what is happening behind the scenes. Others seem more touchy than they have been in a while. You cannot hold on to a changing financial matter. Tonight: Let go of what you think. See what is happening.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★ Curb financial dealings. You could be ill at ease with someone who is trying to open a door. Your nerves could be fried by others people's unexpected statements and actions. Tonight: Lighten up; relax.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ You handle more than most people today. You could be very concerned about a trend that could radically change the status quo. Be willing to work on different terms and think differently. Tonight: The world is your oyster.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★ Pull back from an immediate problem. You might be put off by how someone presents an idea or approaches you. A boss or someone you look up to could push you way beyond your normal levels. The unexpected occurs. Accept change. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ You might be more upbeat and positive than many. Still, realize that a desire to hold on to a situation and avoid change could dominate. Let go of what doesn't work. A difficult or headstrong associate could be demanding. Tonight: Where your friends are.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★ You might want to rethink a situation more carefully. Leading others could be unusually difficult. Let go of being vested in a situation. You might need to let go of a set thought process or approach. Tonight: Ride the waves of change.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You usually are quite innovative, but at the present moment you could be a little more rigid about partnerships and finances. Look at what is working and what isn't. Most certainly, an adjustment will be needed. Tonight: Be flexible, and listen to new ideas.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ Your unpredictability dominates. If a partner is fed up or has had enough, be careful. This person, too, is eyeing the quality of his or her life. Remember, a bond needs to work for both parties -- business or personal. Don't provoke a confrontation. Tonight: Don't box yourself in.

Happy birthday

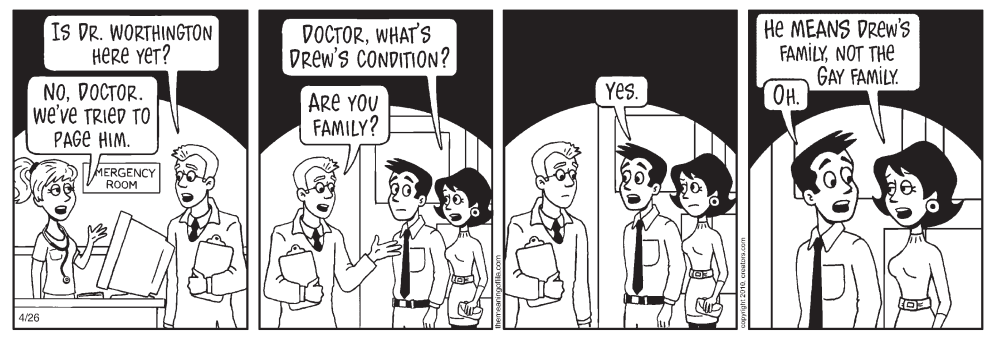
This year, you will witness many changes. How well your life works will depend on your flexibility and willingness to work with others. If your ideas haven't worked up till now, try new ones. Listen to avant-garde thinking. See where you have closed off your thought process. If you are single, a relationship could be exciting, but not necessarily stable. If you are attached, use care with your children or loved ones. Close loved ones might be more touchy than in the past. LIBRA is a good co-worker.

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

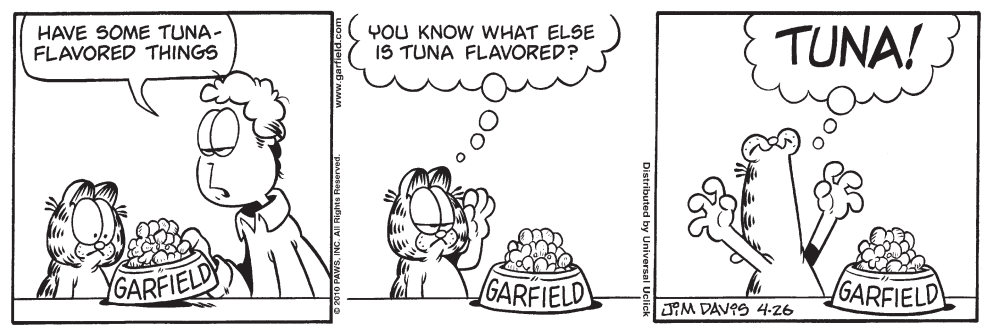
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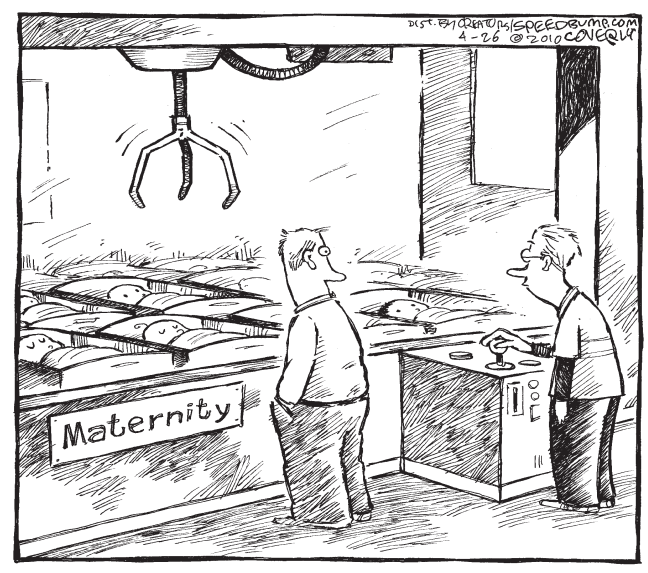
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SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

9	4	2	8	6	1	7	3	5
1	8	3	5	7	2	6	9	4
6	7	5	4	3	9	2	1	8
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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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1 Hindu hero
5 Scheme
9 Fragrant wood
10 Helpers
12 Love, to Luigi
13 Singer Reese
14 What regulars run up
16 In need of a doc
17 Some poetry
18 Hopping mammal
21 Tycoon Turner
22 Red shade
23 Instructional
24 Hits the campaign trail
26 Spoil
29 Chest of drawers
30 First-rate
31 Big galoot
32 Illegal search, in slang
34 Romulus' twin
37 Forest clearing
38 Penniless
39 Crude home
40 Writer Harte
41 Really impresses

DOWN

1 Filmed anew
2 Cherished
3 Shopping centers
4 Region
5 Spot to jot
6 Tell tales
7 Unscripted lines
8 World traveler Bly
9 Labrador explorer
11 Shaker fill
15 Bar's cousin
19 Newspaper section
20 Life story, for short
22 Deep sleep
23 Color
24 Splendid
25 Small quake
26 California desert
27 Battery ends
28 Yankee's foe
29 Biting remark
30 Radiant
33 Turkish title
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36 Harden

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Saturday's answer

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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Arrested recently and awaiting trial for murder: Russell Wayne Upton Jr., Reno, Nev., March (charged at last in a 1995 murder); Kenneth Wayne Scott, Fort Worth, Texas, March; John Wayne Wilson, Bethel Springs, Tenn., March; Robert Wayne Hurst, Knoxville, Tenn., January; Bart Wayne Johnson, Pelham, Ala., December. Murder trial completed, awaiting delayed judgment: Steven Wayne Hillier, Canberra, Australia, April. Convicted of murder: Kevin Wayne Dunigan, Sacramento, Calif., November; Michael Wayne Wesley, Eugene, Ore., November. Appeal denied: Kelly Wayne Dozier, Houston, April (convicted of a 2006 murder).

■ (1) Itinerant contractor Billie Bobbie Harrison, 24, was charged in Spartanburg, S.C., with indecent exposure in February, after he approached a homeowner, lowered his pants, and offered to pave her driveway later if she would have sex with him. (2) Hemingway, S.C., police, responding in March to shots fired at the BT Express gas station, apprehended James Scott after he and Jackie Dollard had finished cleaning a chicken. Witnesses said Scott and Dollard fought over who got to keep the chicken.

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1802 Napoleon Bonaparte signs a general amnesty to allow all but about one thousand of the most notorious émigrés of the French Revolution to return to France, as part of a reconciliary gesture with the factions of the Ancien Regime and to eventually consolidate his own rule.

1805 United States Marines captured Derne, Tripoli under the command of First Lieutenant Presley O'Bannon.

1865 American Civil War: Confederate General Joseph E. Johnston surrenders his army to General William Tecumseh Sherman at the Bennett Place near Durham, North Carolina.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. ES013958
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of PROMISE BRITT JULES WALSH AND GUILLAVME HENRI WALSH III for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: PROMISE BRITT JULES WALSH filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: PROMISE BRITT JULES WALSH to PROMISE BRITT JULES WALSH-LOCCI and GUILLAVME HENRI WALSH III to GUILLAVME HENRI WALSH-LOCCI. 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: JUNE 11, 2010 Time: 8:30, Dept. B
The address of the court is 14400 Erwin Street Mall, Van Nuys, CA 91401, Van Nuys Courthouse West.
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Date: 4/16/2010
MARY THORNTON HOUSE
Judge Of The Superior Court
4/26/2010, 5/3/2010, 5/10/2010, 5/17/2010

Name Changes

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. BS125785
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of JUAN MANUEL TERRONES for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: JUAN MANUEL TERRONES filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: JUAN MANUEL TERRONES to JOHN MANUEL FRAIRE. 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: MAY 13, 2010 Time: 9:00, Dept. 1A., Room 548
The address of the court is 111 NORTH HILL STRRET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012.
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Date: 4/7/2010
MATTHEW C. ST. GEORGE, COMMISSIONER
Judge Of The Superior Court
4/19/2010, 4/26/2010, 5/3/2010, 5/10/2010

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS019288
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of SHAWN NAIM for Change of Name
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Notice of Hearing:
Date: MAY 13, 2010 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. A., Room 104
The address of the court is 1725 Main St., 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: MAR 29, 2010
GERALD ROSENBERG
Judge Of The Superior Court
4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100438462 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ONNI, 830 20TH STREET, FRONT UNIT, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MIRA FAIN, 830 20TH STREET, FRONT UNIT, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MIRA FAIN, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/31/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100416266 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DANDELION XI DESIGN STUDIO, 10714 WOODBINE STREET, #6, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034; PO BOX 1364, SANTA MONICA, CA 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : TERESA BARAHONA, 10714 WOODBINE STREET, #6, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: TERESA BARAHONA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/26/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100389523 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LP INTERNATIONAL, 11239 HOMEDALE STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049; PO BOX 24039, LOS ANGELES, CA 90024. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LIGHTING PARTS INC., 11239 HOMEDALE STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049; PO BOX 24039, LOS ANGELES, CA 90024 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2000. /s/: LIGHTING PARTS, INC., PRESIDENT, DAVID OKUN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 1/1/2000. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FILE NO. 2010-0439192
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: EL PALACIO CLOTHING, 6680 PACIFIC BLVD., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 12/23/2009, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 20091959948. The business was conducted by: A CORPORATION. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 03/31/10. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: MOHAMMOD SAAB/PRES.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100437937 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LOS ANGELES POST PRODUCTION GROUP, 1642 17TH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GEOFFREY WOODHALL, 1815 PURDUE AVE, APT 301, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/1/2010. /s/: GEOFFREY WOODHALL, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/31/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100377189 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLEAN WITH KARE, 1242 S. WELLESLEY AVE, #5, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KATRINA VARGAS, 1242 S. WELLESLEY AVE, #5, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: KATRINA VARGAS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/18/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100298098 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VENICE BOARDWALK BIKE RENTAL, 517 OCEAN FRONT WALK, UNIT #1, VENICE, CA 90291. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : QUYNN N. TON, 1285 CRESCENT HEIGHTS BLVD., APT G, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90046 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/1/2010. /s/: QUYNN N. TON, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/4/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100418249 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 55 GRILL AND BAR, 8825 E. WASHINGTON, PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ERDM, INC., 8825 E. WASHINGTON, PICO RIVERA, CA 90660 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EVA MENESES
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/26/10. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FILE NO. 2010-0464363
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: GS PROPERTY SERVICES, 146 W. HILLCREST AVE., INGLEWOOD, CA 90301. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 3/26/04, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 20040724910. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 04/06/10. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: GRICELDA SMITH/OWNER.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100428053 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BIZ-PRO, 14500 McNAB AVE. APT. 2608, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : UPALI TENNAKOON, 14500 McNAB AVE. APT. 2608, BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/29/2010. /s/: UPALI TENNAKOON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/30/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100417858 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CASTELLANOS SATELLITE, 7153 EL VIENTO WAY, BUENA PARK, CA 90620. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WERNER CASTELLANOS, 7153 EL VIENTO WAY, BUENA PARK, CA 90620 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: WERNER CASTELLANOS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/26/10. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100446628 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HAJR RICHSHAW, 3611 CRENSHAW BLVD., L.A., CA 90016. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HENRY STATEN DUNHAM, 3611 CRENSHAW BLVD., L.A., CA 90016 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/31/2010. /s/: HENRY STATEN DUNHAM
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 4/1/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100445799 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GLOBAL AND TRANSNATIONAL CONSULTING OPERATIONS, 1474A MORTON CIRCLE, CLAREMONT, CA 91711; PO BOX 8296, LA VERNE, CA 91750. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHARLES RAY LEMONS JR, 1474A MORTON CIRCLE, CLAREMONT, CA 91711 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2005. /s/: CHARLES RAY LEMONS JR, OWNER & CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 4/1/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100422634 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as S S SOUND SPECIALTY, 262 E. 55th ST., LONG BEACH, CA 90805. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JOSE J. GARCIA, 262 E. 55th ST., LONG BEACH, CA 90805 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JOSE J. GARCIA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/29/10. 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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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100418122 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SUNKEN CITY; SC RECORDS, 2369 EUCALYPTUS AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90806. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARIO T. DE ALBA, 1115? S. PACIFIC AVE., SAN PEDRO, CA 90731, ROBERT RIOS, 2369 EUCALYPTUS AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90806 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/22/2010. /s/: MARIO T. DE ALBA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/26/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100439293 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THRIFTY AIRPORT SHUTTLE, 829 CEDAR AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90813. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SOKHENG STACEY YOU, 829 CEDAR AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90813 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/31/2010. /s/: SOKHENG S. YOU
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/31/2010. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100439193 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TRUE DENIM EMPIRE TRADING, 6680 PACIFIC BLVD., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LUXURY DENIM, INC., 6680 PACIFIC BLVD., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MOHAMMOD SAAB
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/31/10. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100415126 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PHOTOGRAPHERS & VISUAL ARTIST FOR CAUSES, 8216 BIRCHCREST RD., DOWNEY, CA 90240. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : IRENO RODRIGUEZ, 8216 BIRCHCREST RD., DOWNEY, CA 90240 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: IRENO RODRIGUEZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/26/10. 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 4/5/2010, 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100460345 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BAMM RENTALS, 2497 NIAGRA WAY, LOS ANGELES, CA 90041. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DAVID MATTHEW SAMMONS, 2497 NIAGRA WAY, LOS ANGELES, CA 90041 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DAVID SAMMONS, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 4/5/2010. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100357826 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE LIFE STYLED, 11611 DARLINGTON AVE, #13, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CATHERINE ANN HANSON SHEPPARD, 11611 DARLINGTON AVE, #13, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CATHERINE SHEPPARD
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/16/2010. 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 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010, 5/3/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100431615 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CAMERA CREATIONS, 6141 AFTON PL, #111, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JULIE FRANCES HOPKINS, 6141 AFTON PL, #111, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/8/2005. /s/: JULIE FRANCES HOPKINS
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 03/30/2010. 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 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010, 5/3/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100423786 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GALEXIS; AI #/ON 3079270, 2341 TUNA CANYON RD, TOPANGA, CA 90290. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VISIONARY TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 2341 TUNA CANYON RD, TOPANGA, CA 90290 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: VISIONARY TECHNOLOGIES, INC, DANIEL METRAUX
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/29/2010. 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 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010, 5/3/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100435307 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FIRST CLASS VISAS; FIRST CLASS VISA SERVICE, 3520 HUGHES AVE, APT 209, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GABRIEL MASET DURAN, 3520 HUGHES AVE, APT 209, LOS ANGELES, CA 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/31/2010. /s/: GABRIEL MASET DURAN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/31/2010. 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 4/12/2010, 4/19/2010, 4/26/2010, 5/3/2010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100453940 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 2 JACK PRODUCTIONS; ANDI PANDI PRODUCTIONS, 951 N. HARPER AVE, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90046. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANDREA HARRISON, 951 N. HARPER AVE, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90046 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ANDREA HARRISON
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 4/2/2010. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100465154 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SAN GABRIEL IMMIGRATION AND WEDDING SERVICES; ATLANTIC PROFESSIONAL GROUP, 1103 S. SAN GABRIEL BLVD., STE D, SAN GABRIEL, CA 91776. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AMERICAN PREMIER CONSULTING CORPORATION, 1103 S. SAN GABRIEL BLVD., STE. D, SAN GABRIEL, CA 91776 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: STEVEN SHAW
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100452562 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MAJESTIC KREATION EVENTS, 9254 PARK ST., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PORSHA RENA SMITH, 9254 PARK ST., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PORSHA RENA SMITH
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100464023 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AL SULTAN GRILL & KABOB, 8237 2nd ST., DOWNEY, CA 90241. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AMERICAN FIRST ENTERPRISES, INC., 2230 W. CHAPMAN AVE., ORANGE, CA 92868 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: BRAGIN MOURAD
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100465027 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ELAN COHEN CONSULTING, 12157 MOORPARK #203, STUDIO CITY, CA 91604. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ELAN COHEN, 5417 ZELZAH #304, ENCINO, CA 91316 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/9/2010. /s/: ELAN COHEN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100476329 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GOSPELIVE!-LIVEDREAM!, 539 E. BIXBY RD., STE 155, LONG BEACH, CA 90807. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SERVANTS HEART FOUNDATION, 539 E. BIXBY RD., STE. 155, LONG BEACH, CA 90807 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100463102 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HMZ PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, 1314 MOSSBERG AVE., WEST COVINA, CA 91790. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HECTOR MENDOZA, 1314 MOSSBERG AVE., WEST COVINA, CA 91790 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/6/2002. /s/: HECTOR MENDOZA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100451416 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JALISCO CARNECERIA, 4118 E. CESAR CHAVEZ AVE., L.A., CA 90063. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RIGOBERTO ALDANA, 3205 PICO BLVD., L.A., CA 90023 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/13/2010. /s/: RIGOBERTO ALDANA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100450666 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LAKEWOOD MEMORIAL POST 8615 VETERANS OF FORIEGN WARS OF THE U.S., 2805 SOUTH ST., LONG BEACH, CA 90805. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LAKEWOOD MEMORIAL POST NO. 8615 VETERANS OF FORIEGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES, 2805 SOUTH ST., LONG BEACH, CA 90805 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)3/23/1953. /s/: WILLIAM A. WARD
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100459539 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MASTERED GLASS & METAWORKS, 5537 N. DEL LOMA AVE., SAN GABRIEL, CA 91776. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JOSE MANUEL PLEITEZ, 5537 N. DEL LOMA AVE., SAN GABRIEL, CA 91776 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JOSE MANUEL PLEITEZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100460675 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PAUL'S PLACE HAPPY FABRICS, 100 AQUARIUM WAY DOCK #2, LONG BEACH, CA 90802. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PAUL BATES, 5880 GARDEN GROVE BLVD. #6, WESTMINSTER, CA 92683 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PAUL BATES
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100465935 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ROYAL IMAGE 87, 10430 SAN JOSE AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ALAN SERRANO, 10430 SAN JOSE AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2009. /s/: ALAN SERRANO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100473275 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as S.A.P.G.A.; ANOROUL THE HYPNO WIZARD; SPIRITUAL ACTUALIZATION PERSONAL GROWTH & AWARENESS, 4141 EAGLE ROCK BLVD. #103, L.A., CA 90065. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KEVIN LAWRENCE FRICKE, 4141 EAGLE ROCK BLVD. #103, L.A., CA 90065 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: KEVIN FRICKE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100358857 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SMILEY FACE BAIL BONDS, 12411 MAGNOLIA BLVD. #306, VALLEY VILLAGE, CA 91607. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EYAL REVAH, 12411 MAGNOLIA BLVD. #306, VALLEY VILLAGE, CA 91607 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EYAL REVAH
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100452525 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE EYE 4 FASHION, 1919 W. PIRU ST., COMPTON, CA 90222. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ASHLEY LYNNE TARLTON, 1919 W. PIRU ST., COMPTON, CA 90222 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ASHLEY L. TARLTON
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100460043 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ZONG CONNECT, 1600 S. AZUSA AVE. #321-A, CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91748. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MUHAMMAD M. QURESHI, 110 GUNSMOKE DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA 91765 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MUHAMMAD M. QURESHI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100472246 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JENSEN PROCESS SERVING, 3042 PAULA DR, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ADAM JENSEN, 3042 PAULA DR, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405; HAILEY JENSEN, 3042 PAULA DR, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/7/2010. /s/: ADAM JENSEN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100454153 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ERRANT KNIGHT CREATIVE, 1010 4TH STREET, APT 6, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EDWARD C. QUEAIR, 1010 4TH STREET, APT 6, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/1/2004. /s/: EDWARD C. QUEAIR
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100500653 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LAPOG GRAND REUNION INTERNATIONAL 2010, 17919 CALLE BARCELONA, ROWLAND HTS., CA 91748. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RICARDO T. GUZMAN, NINFA S. GUZMAN, 17919 CALLE BARCELONA, ROWLAND HTS., CA 91748 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: RICARDO T. GUZMAN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100519956 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KMM Productions, Kevin Manthei Music, 2414 30th St, Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Kevin Manthei, 2414 30th St, Santa Monica, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)1/23/1998. /s/: Kevin Manthei
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100495711 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YOUNG MEI, 20024 BROADACRES AVE., CARSON, CA 90746. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MELVIN PIGRAM JR., 20024 BROADACRES, CARSON, CA 90746 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MELVIN PIGRAM JR.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100489900 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SERENDIPITY ENTERPRISES, 6285 E. SPRING ST. #379N, LONG BEACH, CA 90808. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICHELLE RHEA, 6285 E. SPRING ST. #379N, LONG BEACH, CA 90808 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MICHELLE RHEA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100515667 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SALUD ENERGIA Y BIENESTAR, 5114 IMPERIAL HWY., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VIRGINIA ACEVES, 9804 CALIFORNIA, SOUTH GATE, CA 90280, GUDELIA OLIVA, 3180 SEMINOLE AVE., SOUTH GATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: VIRGINIA ACEVES
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100495719 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NEW RHYTHM ENT., 20024 BROADACRES AVE., CARSON, CA 90746. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MELVIN PIGRAM SR., 20024 BROADACRES, CARSON, CA 90746 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MELVIN PIGRAM
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100487588 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MASTER REMODELERS, 610 N. MONTE VISTA AVE., SAN DIMAS, CA 91773. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STEVEN M. KYNE, 610 N. MONTE VISTA AVE., SAN DIMAS, CA 91773 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: STEVEN M. KYNE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100493934 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as i DELIVER INSURANCE, 7850 IMPERIAL HWY #C, DOWNEY, CA 90242. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ELIAS GOMEZ, 8107 QUOIT ST., DOWNEY, CA 90242 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ELIAS GOMEZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100488799 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GRUPO FUSION, 11935 MOLETTE ST., NORWALK, CA 90650. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ABEL MEDINA, 12785 HOMERIDGE LANE, CHINO HILLS, CA 91709 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ABEL MEDINA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100499286 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BELGICA BOUTIQUE, 2564 E. GAGE AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARIA ORTIZ, BELGICA URQUIZU, 11137 SANTA FE AVE., LYNWOOD, CA 90262, MANUEL MEDINA, 11141 SANTA FE AVE., LYNWOOD, CA 90262 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARIA C. ORTIZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100499763 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A.P.S. SERVICES; AMERICAN PROPINE SECURITY SERVICES, 1935 S. CORNING ST. #4, L.A., CA 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : OSITA T.O. AKANNO, 1935 S. CORNING ST. #4, L.A., CA 90034 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/1997. /s/: OSITA T.O. AKANNO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100542572 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NOCTILUCA INTERNATIONAL, 1861 ARMACOST AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PETER J. VOGGENTHALER, 1861 ARMACOST AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PETER J. VOGGENTHALER
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100495043 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ANCESTRY WEST, 2238 GLENDON AVE, LA, CA 90064. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARA HECHT FEIN, 2238 GLENDON AVE, LA, CA 90064 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARA HECHT FEIN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100542776 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WESTSIDE POWER WASHERS, 2303 25TH ST, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANDREW J. POULIN, 2303 25TH ST, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ANDREW J. POULIN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523462 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TOP LINE BARBER SHOP, 4632 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #80, L.A., CA 90029. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARCO PANTOJA, 348 E. GAGE AV., L.A., CA 90003 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/16/2010. /s/: MARCO PANTOJA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523461 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TOP LINE BARBER SHOP, 4561 SANTA MONICA BLVD., L.A., CA 90029. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARCO PANOJA, 348 E. GAGE AV., L.A., CA 90003 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/1/2008. /s/: MARCO PANTOJA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523772 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as E. & E. CREATIONS, 939 S. BROADWAY #508, L.A., CA 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are :

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100529050 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DOSA HOUSE; HOUSE OF DOSA, 11710 SOUTH ST. #106, ARTESIA, CA 90701. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : COUNTRYWIDE GROUP, INC., 111 BASTANCHURY RD. #1C, FULLERTON, CA 92835 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: RAJ GUDAPATI
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523792 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EL SERENO MEAT MARKET, 4944 HUNTINGTON DR. S, L.A., CA 90032. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LUPE GUTIERREZ, 604 S. 5th ST., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LUPE GUTIRREZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100541739 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHARLIE ROCKET, 3121 S. GRAUD AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90007. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PROMISES PROMISES, INC., 3121 S. GRAUD AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90007 (CALIFORNIA) This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: EUGENE M. HARDY, PRESIDENT, PROMISES PROMISES, INC.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100542442 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as H20 POWER WASH, 1349 GRANADA AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90804. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PATRICK WOLOVICH, 1349 GRANADA AVE., LONG BEACH, CA 90804 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: PATRICK WOLOVICH
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100473481 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 2819 LOUNGE, AI #/ON 201006710232; 2819 PICO BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : 2819 PICO, LLC, 5 CONCHO LANE, BELL CANYON, CA 91307 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: 2819 PICO LLC
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523771 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FINE LINE COLLISION, 738 E. 59th ST., L.A., CA 90001. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANDERS A. MOJICA, 613 E. 115th ST., L.A., CA 90059 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/1/2010. /s/: ANDERS A. MOJICA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100537054 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M I BEAUTY SALON; MI BEAUTY SALON, 4079 SANTA ANA ST., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BARRY WILLIAMS PINTO, 6618 OTIS AVE. APT. E, BELL, CA 90201 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/18/2010. /s/: BARRY WILLIAMS PINTO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100532435 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SANDBOX ENTERPRISES, 11575 MISSOURI AVENUE, #12, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LOUISE KINOSHITA OCASION, 11575 MISSOURI AVENUE, #12, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LOUISE KINOSHITA OCASION
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100549738 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DIAMONDS-JEWELRY.BIZ, 550 S. HILL ST. STE. 1548, L.A., CA 90013. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARVIN, INC., 550 S. HILL ST. STE. 1548, L.A., CA 90013 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/21/2010. /s/: PRES.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20100523465 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as F&L ICE CREAM, 267 SAN LORENZO ST., POMONA, CA 91766. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LIZBETH REYNEL, FELIPE AVITIC, 1019 E. ELMA ST., ONTARIO, CA 91764 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: FELIPE AVITIC
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