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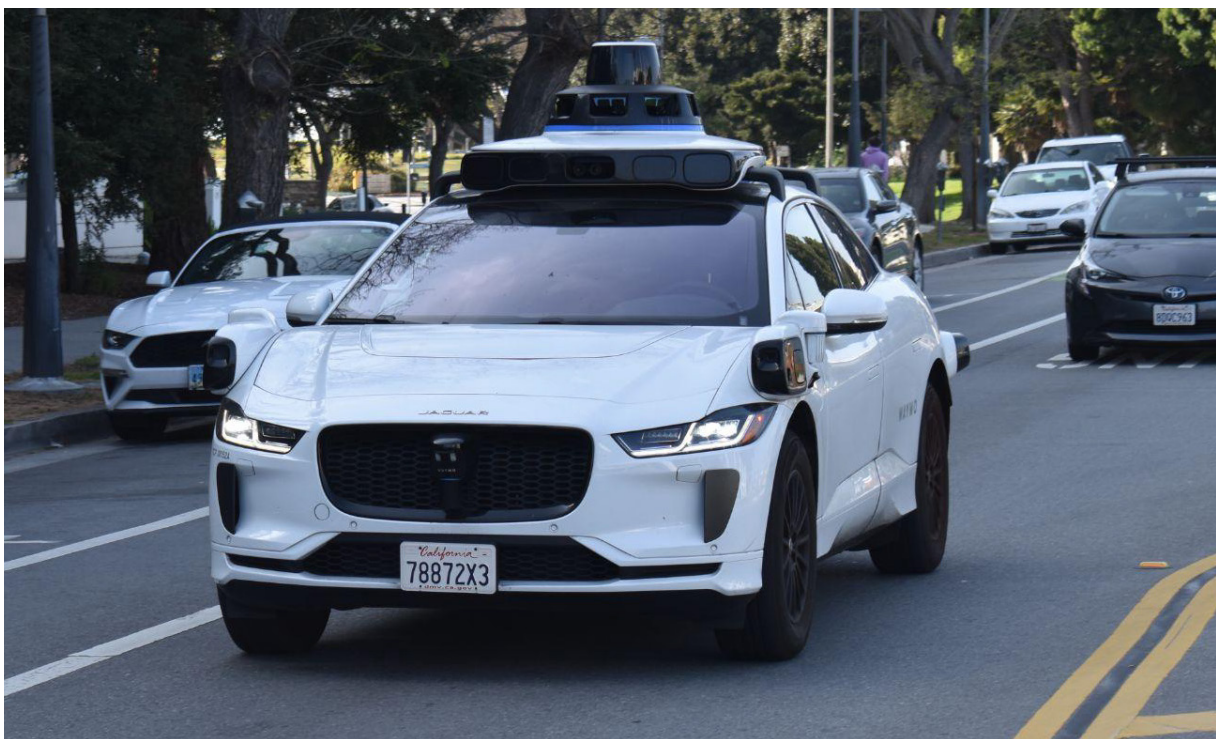
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Waymo's charging station in Santa Monica is driving complaints from neighbors

MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor



Devyn Hamilton

WAYMO: The self driving cars are creating a noise problem for some residents.

Residents living near Waymo's charging facilities in Santa Monica are demanding immediate action over what they describe as persistent noise pollution that has disrupted their neighborhood and daily lives.

The charging stations, located on Broadway near Euclid Street and in close proximity to both an elementary school and multiple apartment complexes, have become the focus of growing resident complaints about noise from the autonomous vehicles.

While some residents have taken their complaints to the City and Waymo directly, others have mounted a public campaign to spur change.

"My home is next to the new Waymo station located at Euclid & Broadway in Santa Monica. Its close proximity to an elementary school and multiple apartment complexes including mine, has turned our once peaceful neighborhood into a hub for noise pollution," said Christopher Potter in a public petition.

Local resident Darius Boorn, who has lived at his 14th Street address for eight years, described the situation as "dire straits" in communications with city officials. Boon claims the charging stations emit "a piercing fire-alarm like bell ring in procession with loud electronic beeps" that persist throughout day and night.

"I have lost sleep, and my ability to work day and night," Boorn wrote in a statement to city officials. "I have lost and am losing sleep, my work is suffering, my ability to work and make money from my work is suffering... Worst of all, I have developed auditory hallucinations and now hear these sounds elsewhere because of this."

The most frequent complaint centers on the backup beeping sounds made by the autonomous vehicles. According to the petition, the "constant 'beep-beep-beep' sound as the autonomous vehicles back out of their spaces (in their own lots) is an incessant disturbance that hinders both our tranquility during the day and our peace during the night."

Residents have proposed specific solutions, including altering the vehicles' programming to lower the volume of backup sounds when operating within Waymo's own facilities, while maintaining normal volume levels when in public spaces.

The situation has already led to confrontation, with one neighbor reportedly being issued a restraining order from Waymo for blocking vehicles from entering the lot. Residents have attempted multiple avenues to address their concerns, including contacting the city, commenting on Waymo's social media, emailing the company directly, and speaking with on-site workers.

In response to resident concerns, Waymo says it is taking steps to address the noise issues. "We strive to be good neighbors in the cities that we operate. We are in ongoing conversation with the City's Department of Transportation as we explore and implement mitigations that address neighbors' concerns," a Waymo spokesperson said.

The company has already implemented several measures, including planting trees and other foliage to serve as physical sound barriers.

According to Waymo, "The City of Santa Monica has taken sound measurements at the charging facility. City Code Enforcement staff confirmed the noise levels did not rise to the level of a violation of the City's Exterior Noise Standards."

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Proposals must include forms furnished by the City of Santa Monica. Request for Proposals may be obtained on the **CITY'S ONLINE VENDOR PORTAL.** The website for this Request for Proposals and related documents is OpenGov (https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/santa-monica-ca). There is no charge for the RFP package.

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SANTA MONICA-MALIBU UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice of Destruction of Special Education Records

Attention – Parents/guardians/legal conservators and Former Students of Santa Monica Malibu Unified School District (SMMUSD) Special Education.

Special Education records collected by SMMUSD related to the identification, evaluation, educational placement, or the provision of Special Education services in the district must be retained under state and federal laws for a period of five (5) years after Special Education services have ended for the student. Special Education services end when the student is no longer eligible for services, graduates, moves from the district and/or completes his or her education program at the age of 22.

This notification is to inform parents/guardians/legal conservators and former students of Santa Monica Malibu Unified School District's intent to destroy the Special Education records of students born between 1995 to 1997. These records will be destroyed in accordance with state law beginning June 1, 2025.

Copies of records may be requested by May 30, 2025, with proof of identity and payment of a nominal fee by the parent/guardian/legal conservator or eligible (adult) student by contacting SMMUSD's Special Education Department at 310-450-8338 ext. 70372.



With homelessness top of mind for lawmakers, local students want more action



Devyn Hamilton

HOMELESSNESS: Students at Samohi have thoughts about the City's handling of the crisis.

DEVYN HAMILTON
SMDP Intern

Homelessness remains the most pressing issue throughout the Los Angeles region with officials at the local and County level scrambling to address the ever growing crisis. While governments are working on their solutions, local youth, some of whom have been homeless themselves, are divided on the efforts.

At the highest level, a recent Supreme Court's decision reversed a lower court ruling that had limited cities' ability to penalize homeless individuals for camping in public places when no shelter was available. The ruling enabled governments to tighten their regulations on public camping and prompted action from both the State and local cities

However, advocates for the homeless populations have pushed back. A report by the National Alliance to End Homelessness explained that criminalization tactics lead to more criminal records, making it more difficult for those experiencing homelessness to find permanent housing or employment.

The City of Santa Monica initially tightened its anti-camping rules after the Supreme Court ruling but loosened them again with the installation of a new council this year.

Students at Samohi seem to be either undereducated about the city's homelessness policies or in disagreement with the criminalization methods.

"Rehousing policies, I think, should be more focused on than just criminalizing it, because it's not really their fault for being homeless. I mean, some people, I guess, could have made better choices, but like other people, it's really not up to them," said Athena Burton, a sophomore at Samohi. "We're not kind of people who are in the position to judge others for that kind of thing, because we don't really know about their lives. And I think it's wrong to just criminalize people if you don't really know the whole story."

This opinion was shared by several students interviewed by the Daily Press who were against criminalization methods. Some students who were less knowledgeable about the City's policies still believed that there was definitely an ongoing problem that affects daily life, and current solutions aren't working.

A student who requested to remain anonymous spoke to the Daily Press about their personal experience with homelessness.

"Santa Monica isn't the worst place to be homeless, but at the same time it's not the best. On the good hand, the weather is good and there are services that can help. But on the bad hand, there is a lot of policing and acting like you're a problem that needs to be moved. … People think it's easy because it's a nice city, but surviving is a full time job," they said.

The problem with the City's policies, according to students, is the direction of the funding. Most students surveyed by the Daily Press believed that instead of putting money into the police force to try and drive homeless people away, money should be spent creating affordable and permanent housing.

"Honestly, I think they're trying, but they're missing the mark in a lot of ways. There's a lot of money being spent, but it doesn't always reach the people who need it," said the student. "There are programs, but the waitlists are long… Outreach is getting better, but there's still a disconnect between the services and the actual people living on the streets."

City officials recently ratified an emergency proclamation on homelessness, extending the local emergency through December 31, 2026, as the crisis continues to worsen across the region.

The Santa Monica City Council first declared a homelessness emergency in February 2023, followed by another proclamation in May 2024. On March 11, 2025, the council adopted the 2025 Proclamation, citing persistent conditions of "deplorable living conditions and illness and deaths of unhoused and unsheltered persons."

The emergency declaration, ratified at the April 22 council meeting, enables the city to expedite services and programs addressing homelessness. It allows officials to receive additional county, state and federal resources while preventing rental price gouging and streamlining certain city processes.

At the county level, the Board of Supervisors has withdrawn from the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA), creating a separate department to manage millions in homelessness funding following transparency concerns.

The LA County Board of Supervisors voted 4-0 on April 1 to establish its own homelessness department after an audit revealed inadequate

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Local teens leverage Santa Monica community for a global impact



Courtesy photo

STUDENTS: Youth in Santa Monica are supporting a school in Ethiopia.

ARABELLA JOAQUIN
SMDP Intern

Melese Light-Orr and his sister, Meaza Light-Orr, could have never imagined the impact they would one day have on the Ethiopian village they left behind as babies but these Crossroads students have already raised over $120,000 to help build the future of the educational landscape for Kembata, Ethiopia.

Melese Light Orr, alongside his best friend Shiv Munjal, are both high school students who plan to kick off the next fundraiser through a live music performance at the Crow in Santa Monica on May 3.

"One Crossroads tuition would pay for over 130 kids at Kololo to go to school," said Julie Light-Orr, mom of Melese and Meaza. "That's the difference in money it takes to educate a kid. The disparity between places is huge."

Their journey to give the gift of education began in 2011 when Julie heard her daughter's constant love for books; she knew that these were luxuries that children in their birth village simply didn't have. Julie said her plan was originally to build a library but after talking to nonprofits that work in the region, she was told that a school was needed first to teach students how to read.

What originated as a family's vision to give back blossomed into a movement that continues to transform lives worldwide.

Since the founding of the Kololo School, this facility not only provides children with an education but also a crucial daily meal. Julie said, "It's their only meal of the day, a simple lunch of beans and rice, which helped make the attendance almost 100%. Because these kids don't really eat lunch, they come to school to get lunch for sure."

The impact goes beyond just the students. "Now, kids are reading to their parents, and the literacy rate in that village is much better. People in the community are employed at the school," Julie said.

The value of education is not lost with Melese, who has attended Crossroads School for the Arts and Sciences since kindergarten.

"Our relatives, and even some of my siblings older than me, did not have an education. Now I have cousins who go to the school," he said.

Munjal and Melese aim to raise $20,000 with their upcoming music project to install solar panels at the school.

"There's no electricity in the area," said Melese. "However, they have access to a computer now, so with electricity, they can access the internet."

The Santa Monica community has been the backbone in supporting the Kids For Kololo program. Mickey Blaine, who runs the Crow Comedy Club, helped secure them the Crow as a venue. In addition to venue space, the organizers said that they've received donations from two Santa Monica local businesses, Cafe Ruisseau and Tiato's Kitchen. Melese and Munjal were able to rally 50 high school students to join their movement to increase educational equity. The pair have successfully rallied 50 high schoolers to join their movement to increase educational equity. The Crossroads community has shown strong support, with families contributing lightly used sports equipment, maps, and posters for the classrooms in Ethiopia.

Beyond fundraising, the project has fostered a meaningful connection for the 2nd graders at Crossroads Elementary School with the children in Kololo. Allowing them to share the experience of gardening. "They are growing the same plants and sharing these photos. It's bringing our communities together in a special way." Munjal added.

For those interested in joining in on a fun night of live music, the fundraiser will take place on May 3, with a traditional coffee ceremony at 12 p.m. and the bands beginning at 1 p.m. at The Crow (2525 Michigan Ave Unit F4, Santa Monica, CA 90404). Tickets are priced at $12 for students and $20 for adults. All proceeds are going directly toward the solar panel project. Tickets can be purchased online at https://jetbook.co/e/kids-for-kololo-presents-shine-a-light—a-benefit-concert-for-the-kololo-school248m



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Monday: Sunny, with a high near 64.
Monday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 54.
Tuesday: Sunny, with a high near 68.
Tuesday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 56.

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00172 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Alexandra Lauren Pinkus for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Alexandra Lauren Pinkuswith this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Alexandra Lauren Pinkusto Alexandra Lauren Stodghill . 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 05/16/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 7512 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

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00166 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Belinda Louise Abner for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Belinda Louise Abnerthis court for a decree of changing names as follows: Belinda Louise Abner to Belinda Louise Phillips. 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 05/16/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 7512 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

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00180 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Nicholas Dujmovic for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Nicholas Dujmovic this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Nicholas Dujmovic to Nicholas Shaffer . 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 05/23/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 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

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25STCP01312 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Thomas David Garceau for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Thomas David Garceau this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Thomas David Garceau to Tommy David Garceau. 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 09/12/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: 45 Room: 529. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 111 N Hill St Los

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Angeles, CA 90012. 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

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00186 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Johan Mischa Moiallaistein for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Johan Mischa Moiallaistein this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Johan Mischa Moiallaistein to Johan Mischa Mojallali Zuz . 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 05/23/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 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

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Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00207 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Chung-Le Hong for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Chung-Le Hong this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Chung-Le Hong to James Chung-Le Hong . 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 05/30/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 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

Summons

NOTICE (HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE 11488.4 & 11488.5) NOTICE OF INTERESTED PARTY/CLAIMANT (NOTICIA A RECLAMANTE O PERSONA INTERESADA) Cortez Donta Darnell Penn Gale Cameron William Trent Young Joseph Ernest Hanos IIPLAINTIFF HAS FILED A LAWSUIT TO FOREFEIT THE FOLLOWING: $69, 244.00 currency. (EL DEMANDANTE HA COMENZADO UNA ACCIÓN LEGAL PARA EL DECOMISO DE LA SIGUIENTE PROPIEDAD) $69,244.00 currency You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this notice is served on you to file a typewritten response at this court. You may not use a Claim Opposing Forfeiture as a response A letter or phone call will not protect you; your typewritten response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case, and the money and property may be taken without further warning from the court. There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may call an attorney referral service or a legal aid office (listed in the phone book). Después de que le entreguen esta noticia usted tene un plazo de 30 DÍAS CALENDARIOS pare presentar una respuesta escrita a máquina en esta Corte. Un reclamo opuesto a este procedimiento de entrega no servirá como respuesta. Una Carta o una llamada telefónica no ofrece protección; su respuesta escrita a menudo tiene que cumplir con las formalidades 169,41es apropiadas si usted quiere que la Corte escuche su caso. Si usted no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puedo perder a/ caso, y /a pueden quitar, a/ dinero y otras cosas de su propiedad sin aviso adicional por parte de la corte. Existen otros requisitos legales. Puede que usted quiera /1 amar a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no Conozco a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de referencia de abogados o a una oficina de ayuda legal. ((vea el directono telefónica).The name and address of the court is:(El nombre y dirección de la corte es)Mendocino County Superior Court 100 North State StreetUkiah, California 95482Case Number (Numero del Caso) 25CV01662The name, address and phone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que noi tiene abogado, es): C DAVID EYSTER (SBN 113115) MENDOCINO County DISTRICT ATTORNEY Ducan M James. SBN-40505

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Summons

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Hill Street Los Angeles California 90012The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's attorney, or the petitioner without anattorney, are: (El nombre, direcci6n y número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o deldemandante si no tiene abogado, son) Thomas H. Schelly, Esq., Lipeles Law Group, APC, 880 Apollo Street, Suite 336, El Segundo, California 90245, (310) 322-2211 Date 09/12/2023 DAVID W SLAYTON , Executive Officer/Clerk Court Clerk by (secretario) Y.Ayala Deputy (ajunto)



OPINION | BECOMING SANTA MONICA

Miles Warner

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The Next Generation takes the reins with an entertainment zone

On Wednesday evening our newly elected youthful city council passed a resolution to turn the promenade into an "entertainment zone." What you ask is an Entertainment Zone? As far as I can tell it's just a place you can drink alcohol on the streets. I'm sure they intend more than that, but at this point that's all I can glean, and it is still just a plan to make a plan, so the details will have to wait.

There is something so earnestly desperate about this idea. After years of the promenade's slow death-spiral, after ignoring all kinds of flashing red lights; the loss of REI and the mall's implosion just to name a few, the city council is (finally) really and truly trying something new.

Let us imagine the wonders that await in our newly minted entertainment zone. Young hip 30-somethings sipping limited edition IPAs as they meander amongst the suddenly attractive cobble stoned Promenade. Beautiful people enjoying their beautiful lives, all thanks to alcohol. That seems to be the vision, as far as I can tell. And it's a wonderful vision. I'm excited. No really, I am.

I just have a few concerns and there is a lot to consider here.

Councilmember Torosis, I think rightly kept asking for end goals and a sense of the return on investment involved? City staff answers were somewhat vague, and I'm still not sure who or how this is being paid for.

These are very important questions, as we know the devil is in the details and we're talking about a city that keeps telling us it's broke. A city that couldn't afford to host the Olympic beach volleyball or Olympic marathon. So how are we going to pay for the police and other staff necessary to operate something like this? What about branding and marketing?

Will the newly collected taxes from liquor sales be enough to cover these new and somewhat unprecedented expenses?

How will we ensure that inviting hundreds if not thousands of people to come drink on the street won't end in mayhem? How will they keep them from taking their hip city approved cups down to the pier etc?

Council member Zwick referenced 6th street in Austin and Beale Street in Memphis as examples and that was where mind went too. I've been to 6th street in Austin, a place that locals affectionately refer to as "dirty 6th", and I can tell you it does not fit the magazine advertisement laid out above. It is, as it is known, dirty. And it is almost never frequented by those locals.

Mayor Negrete suggested that activating the space made it safer. To some extent I think this is true, but not for Austin's 6th street, or Bourbon street or Nashville's Lower Broadway, all of which require a heavy police presence and where there is ample and regular unsavory events.

This I believe is why city staff suggested it as a pilot program on one block, and only doing it a few times. So, they could explore the quantitative and qualitatively costs to determine the scale and viability for the city.

But our young and vibrant city council said nope! We want this seven days a week, 8am-2am, and we want it to not require the continuing resolution a pilot would need to continue. They want to bring it into being and work out the kinks along the way. Let the good times roll!

I think the intention is so great, but I think alcohol should not be the anchoring element here. It risks creating a mayhem zone, not a magnetic vibrant cultural space, the latter of which I think is the intention.

Just as the pier music series of the 90's brought thousands to Santa Monica, live music and entertainment on the streets should be the magnet that attracts the city and the kind of attention we want to be known for.

One or two days a week might also make it have a festival like feeling. The danger I think in seven days a week is it becoming culturally just a place to party. I can't help wondering if the city council is underestimating the dangers in an alcohol anchored project? There seems to be a 'it'll all just be fine' vibe. Fingers crossed. Drunk people are not known for their good choices.

Maybe the arts and music will come after? Maybe DTSM will find local bands to play Saturday nights or local artists will be given space to display their work? Maybe the vision includes something more interesting and compelling than taking a beer out into the sunshine or moonlight? I hope so, but so far if it's there, I haven't heard it.

But importantly—wonderfully—magically, there is the glimmer of a new generation of city leaders taking their vision into a city that has lacked vision for too many years and that's honestly extremely exciting.

Whatever comes from this, whatever we learn, we are evolving. The boomers who have sanctimoniously controlled Santa Monica since the late 70's are finally losing their grip on our lives and I'm all here for it!

Miles Warner is a Santa Monica parent and resident. His column will explore the emerging and changing identity of our city and stir the pot...a bit

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Supporting Trump at the pump

I have a new job: I stand at the edge of a neighborhood Arco station at rush hour with a big sign that reads, "When You Buy Gas, You Support Trump."

It's true. Every trip to the pump demands, with your dollars, that Big Oil stay in business. And, Big Oil spent $445 million—which doesn't include likely obscene sums of dark money—to install Drill, Baby, Drill Donald and his crony Congress. Trump continues to stockpile cash almost as fast and ferociously as he works to desecrate environmental safeguards and our democracy.

So, every time you pump, you support Trump.

It's just math. You, gas-car driver, are adding to the stockpile.

I'm sure that pisses off a lot of people. I occasionally get the finger as I stand with my sign on the corner.

Even liberals are likely angry at my message. They should be:

Americans spent nearly $425 billion on gasoline last year. Given that the electorate is split roughly 50-50, this means people on the left gave oil companies over $200 billion. Even while working tirelessly on policy campaigns, petitions and sidewalk protests to fight Trump and the conservative agenda, most liberals are simultaneously funding their opponents' war chest.

This analogy works: Protesting fossil fuels while driving a gas car is like smoking two packs a day while trying to take down Big Tobacco. You're sustaining the very thing you're trying to destroy.

Can't you just picture Big Oil execs laughing as they overturn laws we've spent years to pass—all while buying their products and boosting their stock?

I've attended more than a few climate rallies whose protestors got there on gas.

Yes, this is an inconvenient truth. We can't slay Goliath while feeding him.

But facts are inconvenient, too: Climate change is accelerating, with some impacts now irreversible for centuries, according to a new scientific report which confirmed that global temperatures, greenhouse gas emissions and sea levels all reached record highs in 2024. Meanwhile, just the other day I saw several slickly produced primetime TV commercials from Energy Transfer, the company that recently won a suit ordering Greenpeace to pay a staggering $660 million for alleged defamation. The ads made oil and gas seem nearly as essential to daily life as oxygen.

All this while Trump and his stooges eviscerate domestic clean air and water protections and cancel millions in aid to help vulnerable countries avoid climate disasters. Trump's latest is to proclaim he wants to convince the world that climate change is a good thing.

Some people think I'm crazy, a 72-year-old dude with a bad back standing on the corner. They tell me I need to get a real job, or worse. But I've been trying to get this message across for decades. Along with others striving to get the world off oil, we've cajoled, we've rallied, we've educated, we've petitioned, we've post-carded and we've voted. Yet, we're nowhere close to where we need to be. I had to try something new. And I don't care what people think of me.

I do care what people are thinking, though, and I am imploring people to acknowledge this truth and connect the dots: When you buy gas, you support Trump.

I am also urging this: With transportation as the country's largest source of greenhouse gasses, don't ever buy a new gas car again. This should be especially easy for millions who have known about EVs for years and have been implored to carpool or take mass transit but won't budge.

Above all, to break the lethal hold Big Oil has on political power, we've got to kill the internal combustion engine industry and we've got to strive to do it by 2035. That's the year plans call for no new gas cars to be sold in California, in 11 other states and the European Union. The UK wants to prohibit internal combustion engine vehicle sales five years sooner and last year, nearly all new cars sold in Norway were fully electric.

I'm far from alone in my thinking, you see.

The fact is, we can wield tremendous power by refusing to buy gas cars, despite the billions Big Oil has spent over decades. We can help defund the opposition.

And guess what, even if my back does ache and I get yelled at now and then, I get a lot of solidarity honks and thumbs up. Far more than middle fingers, in fact.

So, connect the dots: Don't buy gas. Refuse to support Trump. And don't ever buy a new gas car again. We've got the power of the purse. Let's use it.

Paul Scott Co-Founder, Plug In America

GET IT DAILY...

WAYMO

FROM PAGE 1

The City of Santa Monica acknowledged receiving complaints from residents beginning in February. The Department of Transportation reports hearing from three residents and has been working with Waymo to resolve concerns related to "noise, nighttime charging and cleaning operations and driverless vehicles moving quickly through alleys to access the facilities."

According to a statement from the city, Waymo has implemented both short-term and long-term measures in response to complaints. Short-term actions include instructing staff to avoid loud talking and music playing, introducing quieter vacuums, restricting vacuuming hours to between 7 a.m. and 9 p.m., and programming vehicles to operate at speeds below 10 mph in alleys.

Medium and longer-term measures include planting 10-foot, rapidly growing bamboo and cypress around the perimeter of charging station sites to reduce sound and light, and reviewing whether vehicle sounds can be adjusted while maintaining pedestrian safety.

The city notes there are regulatory challenges in addressing resident concerns.

"The city has no jurisdiction to regulate Waymo's operations, as autonomous vehicle/robotaxi services are exclusively permitted in California by the California Public Utilities Commission and the Department of Motor Vehicles," the city statement reads. Additionally, "federal regulations require all hybrid vehicles and EVs to beep when backing up at a volume sufficient to alert any pedestrians or bicyclists."

Despite these limitations, the Department of Transportation says it will continue working with Waymo to address resident concerns.

Residents remain skeptical of the efforts made thus far. "Neither the company nor the city has done anything," Boorn stated. "I believe through the preponderance of evidence so far that I have obtained, that Waymo is well aware of the problem and is simply ignoring it for some reason."

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City of Santa Monica

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA PLANNING COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to the Text of the Santa Monica Municipal Code to Authorize Commercial Cannabis Uses Within Certain Zoning Districts.

A public hearing will be held by the Planning Commission to consider a Resolution recommending to the City Council that the City Council adopt an Ordinance amending the text of the Municipal Code to authorize commercial cannabis uses within certain zoning districts.

DATE/TIME: **WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 2025 AT 6:00 PM**

LOCATION: City Council Chamber, Second Floor, Santa Monica City Hall, 1685 Main Street, Santa Monica, California

HOW TO COMMENT

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Address your comments to: **Tony Kim, Principal Planner**
Re: Cannabis Ordinance

VIA E-MAIL: planningcomment@santamonica.gov
VIA MAIL: City Planning Division
1685 Main Street, Mail Stop 28
Santa Monica, CA 90401

MORE INFORMATION

If you want more information about this project or wish to review the project file, please contact Tony Kim by e-mail at tony.kim@santamonica.gov. The Zoning Ordinance is available on the City's web site at www.santamonica.gov. For disability-related accommodations, please contact (866) 311-7266 at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Every attempt will be made to provide the requested accommodation. All written materials are available in alternate languages provided the request is received 72 hours prior to the meeting. Santa Monica Big Blue Bus Lines serve City Hall and the Civic Center area. The Expo Line terminus is located at Colorado Avenue and Fourth Street and is a short walk to City Hall. Public parking is available in front of City Hall, on Olympic Drive, and in the Civic Center Parking Structure (validation free).

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ESPAÑOL

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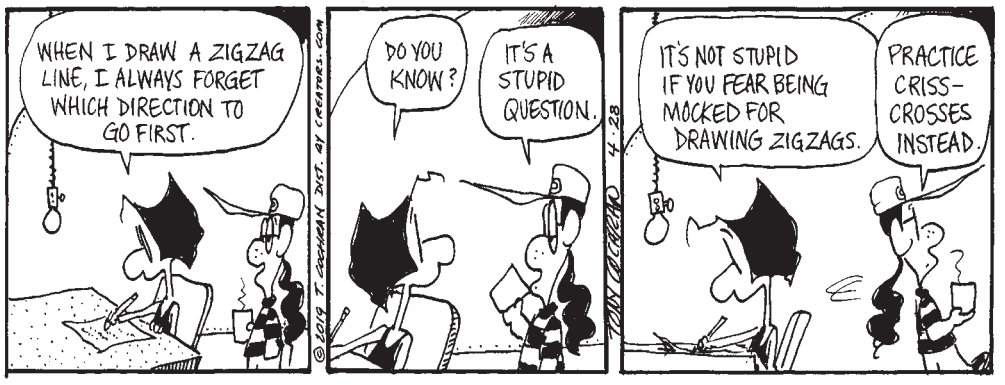
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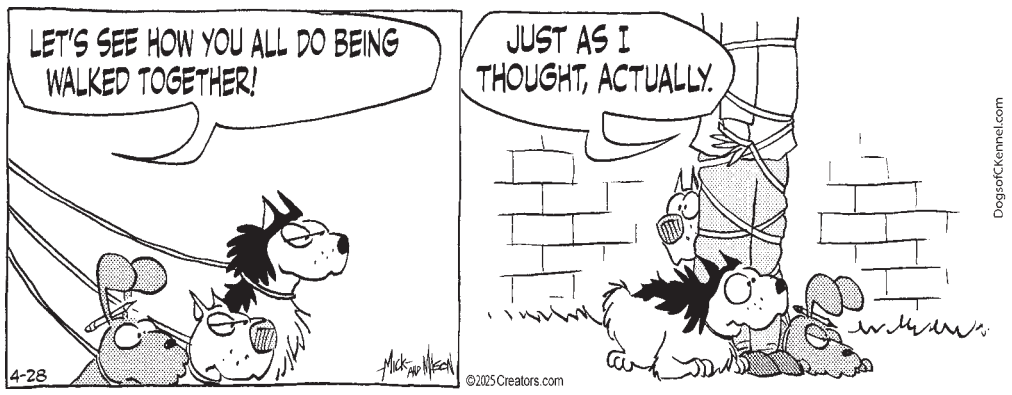
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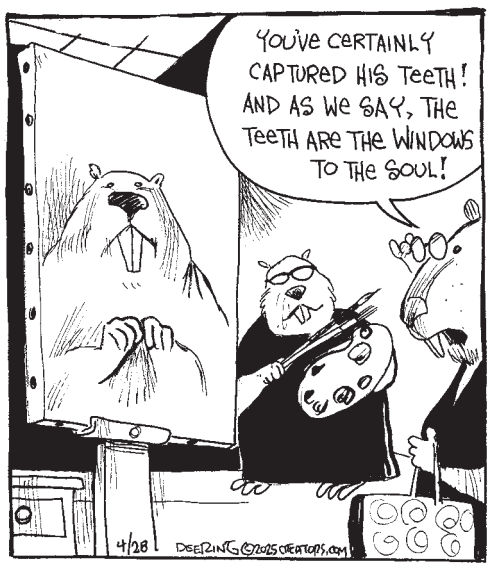
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FIND THE WORDS

This is a theme puzzle with the subject stated below. Find the listed words in the grid. (They may run in any direction but always in a straight line. Some letters are used more than once.) Ring each word as you find it and when you have completed the puzzle, there will be 19 letters left over. They spell out the alternative theme of the puzzle.

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Annexe	Creek	Heat	Mugs	Rods
Ants	Doona	Hike	Nature	Room
Arvo	Dutch	Idle	Ocean	Share
Away	oven	Inlet	Open	Site
Bacon	Embers	Jam jar	Pack	Sleep
Bats	Esky	Jump	Parks	Towel
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You've an instinct for taking on responsibility and doing the right thing in this year when your head will be metaphorically adorned with various hats, halos and crowns. More highlights: a playful, electric romance, the guts to take on a big venture that makes you feel a bit scared but also truly alive, and a solid team that clicks firmly into place when it's game time. Pisces and Libra adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 6, 14, 23, 9 and 35.

HOROSCOPES

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Little changes along the way are normal in even the healthiest of relationships. Growing doesn't have to mean growing apart. A spurt could be what makes new points of connection finally possible.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). When the map disagrees with the ground, even the mapmaker knows who to side with. You'll get instructions — they're there to use, but forget them if reality demands otherwise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Though much of what you do is a collaboration, you'll become aware of the many ways in which you create yourself. It's an empowering awareness today as your actions, wishes, exercises, work, relationships and reflections add up to being you.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Don't let a lack of preparation stop you from jumping in and doing your best with whatever you have. It's plenty — much more than is necessary to get this job done. And once you begin, you'll realize that readiness was never the key — courage was.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Meditation sweeps the mind, though for but the moment. Then there's a glorious torrent of ideas that will need to settle before it's time to sweep again. This cycle — clear, create, settle, repeat — is the rhythm of a vibrant mind.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). The day offers a happiness trifecta: something to do, someone to love and something ahead to look forward to. Your appreciation of life's balance makes the steadiness even sweeter.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). As the seasons change, so does your professional life. Fear not, the power dynamic is about to change. Juicy assignments are coming your way, and when you dive in, you'll leave a stellar impression.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You've sorted thoughts and feelings to get through an emotional reset. During the process, you pushed aside an old resentment or bitterness. It's still there in your mind but it has lost intensity, like an old spice pushed to the back of the pantry and faded over time.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Clarity doesn't come from just adding more light (information, exposure or insight). Instead, true understanding comes from contrast — the balance between light and shadow, knowledge and mystery, highs and lows.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Ease into things before diving in. Just like physical muscles need warming to prevent injury, your mindset or emotional state needs warming to prevent missteps. Rushing in cold — unprepared or disconnected — can lead to avoidable mistakes.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). So what if you leaned on something or someone when you hoped to stand tall? There's a huge difference between leaning and falling. Give yourself credit for showing up at all. Good posture is just extra credit.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The road ahead is calling, not with certainty but with possibility. Adventure will require creativity and courage, a good plan and a little money. What it doesn't require is permission. Decide and go!

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD

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Sudoku

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column, and 3x3 block. Use logic and process of elimination to solve the puzzle.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S SUDOKU

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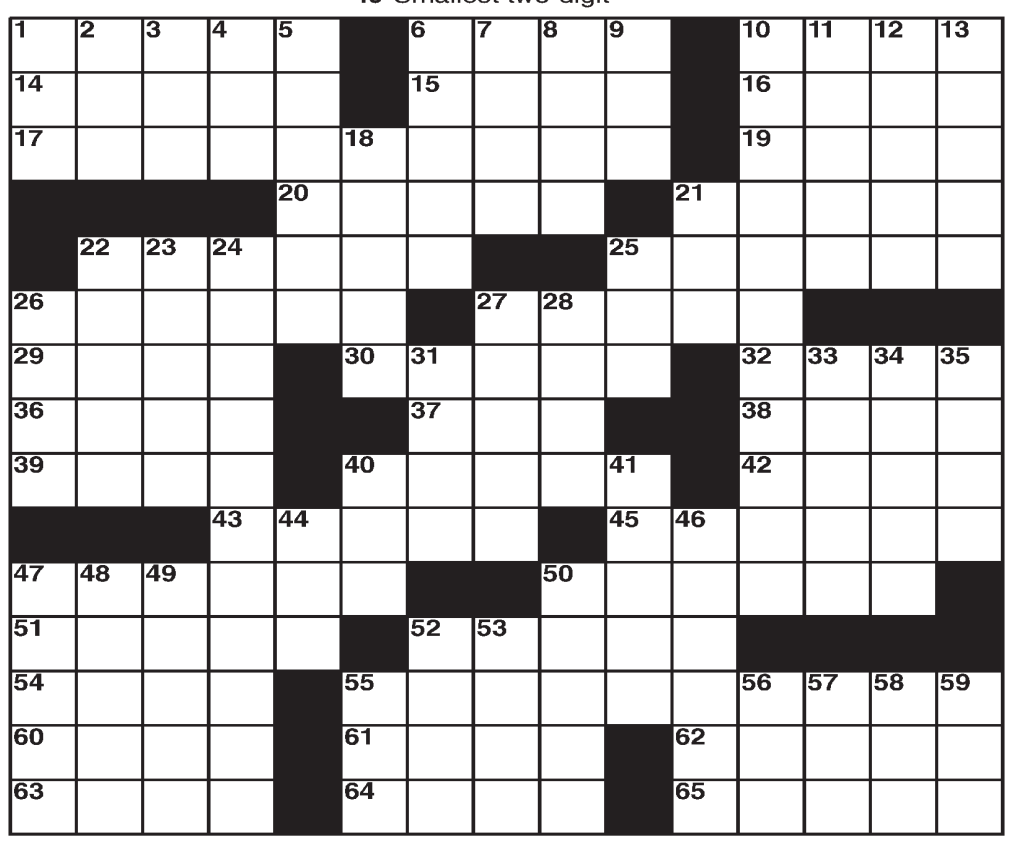
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ACROSS

1 Giant of industry
6 Sports cable network
10 "Constrictor" snakes
14 Get out of bed
15 Unexciting, informally
16 "That hurts!"
17 What an athlete shoots into a hoop
19 "Do ___ others as..."
20 Weight loss plans
21 Acquire, as expenses
22 Climbed, as a mountain
25 Receive willingly
26 More agile
27 Earth tremor
29 Wild animal's home
30 Spa's steam room
32 "Be quiet!"
36 Any line on a shopping list
37 Unmannerly man
38 Just a single time
39 Small plateau
40 Heart's pulsation
42 Fully aware of
43 Bird's chirp
45 Balance sheet pluses
47 Milk container
50 Capital of Greece
51 Be very fond of
52 Hot chocolaty drink
54 Back of the neck
55 Where nonswimmers can splash around
60 Improves, as wine
61 Gave approval for
62 Wine fruit
63 Not as much
64 The Loch ___ monster
65 Linked, as oxen

DOWN

1 Bar bill, informally
2 Keogh plan alternative
3 "My country, ___ of thee"
4 Make a request
5 Tailor's pointy tool
6 Receded, as the tide
7 Narrow plank
8 Close friends
9 Sports group with pucks and goalies: Abbr.
10 Rental put on lawns for kids to jump on
11 Fraction of a pound
12 Behave badly
13 Brief in duration
18 Levels of stadiums
21 Exclamation like "Yuck!"
22 Sudden outpouring
23 Sheds tears
24 Camper's sleeping surface
25 Small cylindrical battery
26 Thin in physique
27 Fraction of a gallon
28 Open, as shoelaces
31 Have sore muscles
33 Turn loose from a corral
34 Traditional kilt wearers
35 Barnyard birds
40 Smallest two-digit number
41 Relay-race stick
44 Misfortune
46 Long-haired, as a sheepdog
47 Waterway through Panama
48 Wise maxim
49 Lassos
50 Corrosive liquids
52 Birthday party dessert
53 Poems of praise
55 Was victorious
56 Athlete who's paid
57 Tree with acorns
58 Unlock, in verses
59 Was in first place



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HOMELESS

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spending oversight. The decision prompted LAHSA CEO Va Lecia Adams Kellum to resign after serving since 2023.

The county's new homeless agency is expected to begin operations January 1, with approximately $300 million transferred from LAHSA by July 2026. The restructuring coincides with a new voter-approved permanent half-cent sales tax for homeless programs.

Samohi students said any programs for temporary shelter or permanent housing programs shouldn't separate families or partners.

"I think more just general housing that's like, more available for people with lower incomes and things like that. The criminalization of homelessness mostly just keeps people homeless because it gives them criminal records that make it harder for them to get a job in the future, to get them off of the street. So it's not really helping at all," said sophomore Ansley Lowe.

City of Santa Monica

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA LANDMARKS COMMISSION

SUBJECT: **137 HART AVENUE** Landmark & Structure of Merit Designation Nomination 25ENT-0011 & 25ENT-0012

APPLICANT: David Kaplan, Kaplan Chen Kaplan Architects
PROPERTY OWNER: Ashley M. Simonsen

A public hearing will be held by the Landmarks Commission to consider the following request:

The City Landmarks Commission will be conducting a public hearing to consider Designation applications 25ENT-0011 & 25ENT-0012 for the property located at 137 Hart Avenue to determine whether the residential structure in whole or in part, should be designated as a City Landmark OR Structure of Merit and, if designated a Landmark, whether an associated Landmark Parcel should be defined and described in order to preserve, maintain, protect, or safeguard the Landmark. The Landmarks Commission will consider the application based on whether the application, research and public testimony presented demonstrates that the building meets one or more of the required criteria for Landmark designation pursuant to SMMC Section 9.56.100(A) OR Structure of Merit Criteria 9.56.080.

DATE/TIME: **MONDAY MAY 12, 2025, AT 7:00 PM**

LOCATION: City Council Chamber, Second Floor, Santa Monica City Hall, 1685 Main Street, Santa Monica, California

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Address your comments to: **Stephanie Reich, Design and Historic Preservation Planner**
Re: 137 Hart Avenue, Landmark & Structure of Merit Designation Nomination 25ENT-0011 & 25ENT-0012
VIA E-MAIL: planningcomment@santamonica.gov
VIA MAIL: City Planning Division
1685 Main Street, Mail Stop 28
Santa Monica, CA 90401

MORE INFORMATION
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MONDAY | APRIL 28

THE GORDONS IMPROV RESIDENCY
7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Westside Comedy Theater 1323-A 3rd St Santa Monica. Welcome to The Gordons Improv Show at Westside Comedy Theater! IMPROV RESIDENT TEAM NIGHT! Check out our current lineup of Resident Improv Teams! These teams perform Long-Form Improv all inspired by a suggestion from the audience. Think of it as a sitcom made up on the spot. Catch them before they are gone! These teams rotate every three months!Get ready for a night filled with laughter, spontaneity, and hilarious moments. Join us for an evening of unscripted comedy where every joke is made up on the spot. Our talented improv performers will have you in stitches as they create scenes, characters, and stories based on your suggestions. Don't miss out on this one-of-a-kind experience! Grab your friends and come on down to Westside Comedy Theater for a night you won't forget. TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED @ https://ci.ovationtix.com/34923/production/1126449?performanceId=11576550. Visit: https://smdp.com/events/#/details/the-gordons-improv-residency/14863274/2025-04-28T19

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TUESDAY | APRIL 29

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11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Santa Monica College 1900 Pico Blvd Santa Monica. Workshops are offered via Zoom by the Business Department. Prior registration not required. Open to all SMC students. More information about the free personal finance workshops. Students with disabilities who require accommodations should contact Center for Students with Disabilities at 310-434-4265 or at dsps@smc.edu at least 5 business days prior to the event. Visit: https://smdp.com/events/#/details/investing-fundamentals-personal-finance-workshop/15266303/2025-04-29T11

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 04/23/25 2025082838The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INP Partners 2515 Cardigan CT Los Angeles, CA 90077 . Los Angeles Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Ai #ON. The full name of the registrant(s) is/are 1. Joseph Scharlin and Miriam Scharlin, Trustees for The Scharlin Family Trust 5702 White Cloud Circle Westlake Village, CA 91362 . 2. Loretta Naughton Helfant, Trustee for The Loretta Gail Naughton Trust If corporation or LLC- Print State of CA This is Business is Conducted: A General Partnership . The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A . Registrant / Corp/LLC INP Partners Title: Partner Mark Naughton . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 04/23/2025NOTICE: 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 14411 et seq. ,Business and Professions Code).

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Name Change

Order Show to show cause for Name Change Case No.25SMCP00210 Superior Court of California, County of Los AngelesPetition of Patricia Jo Cohen for Change of Name. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner or Attorney: Patricia Jo Cohen this court for a decree of changing names as follows: Patricia Jo Cohen to Patricia Jo Marguiles Patricia Jo Brandt to Patricia Jo Marguiles 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 05/30/2025 Time: 8:30 a.m, Dept: K Room: _. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Courthouse 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

HOURS MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:00am - 5:00pm
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