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Longtime Fromin's Deli co-owner set to retire, hold celebration



Courtesy image

RETIREMENT: Maurice Solomon is retiring after almost three decades at Fromin's restaurant.

ANGEL CARRERAS
Daily Press Staff Writer

After a lifetime in the deli business, Maurice Solomon is eschewing club sandwiches for a different kind of club: retirement. The smiling face perennially seen behind a Westside/Santa Monica deli counter for over 60 years (Marjan's in the Brentwood Country Mart, then Fromin's Deli) is hanging up his apron for good and wants to celebrate the occasion with friends, regulars and anyone who has ever appreciated a meal from him.

On Tuesday, August 14 from 3 - 4:30 p.m., Solomon and family will celebrate his retirement at Fromin's, the deli restaurant he spent the last 28 years of his life at. Finger foods and baked goods will be served at the event as the 80-year-old retiree looks to celebrate and bask in the shop one more time before bidding his longtime employment at the deli adieu.

Dennis Fromin, co-owner and namesake of Fromin's, will carry the Fromin's torch from Solomon's long tenure.

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Voting Rights trial heads into third week

KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

DEMOCRACY ON TRIAL

While the City of Santa Monica heads into the third week of defending its election system against a lawsuit alleging it is illegal under the California Voting Rights Act (CVRA), a separate case is challenging the constitutionality of the law itself. The former mayor of Poway brought the case after his city settled and formed districts rather than face litigation from the same group of attorneys suing Santa Monica.

The lawsuit filed in federal court argues the CVRA violates the Equal Protection Clause of the Constitution because it makes race the deciding factor when drawing electoral districts. The case was brought by the Project on Fair Representation, the same conservative legal defense fund that brought affirmative action in college admissions before the Supreme Court in Abigail Fisher v. University of Texas.

"We make a pretty simple argument," said the non-profit's director Edward Blum. "The Supreme Court in lots of other cases has said, while race is permissible in certain election schemes, before you use race, a number of hurdles have to be overcome and race cannot be the predominant reason that a legislative body enacts an election law statute."

While Attorney General Xavier Becerra is the defendant in the case, the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) and other civil rights groups have stepped in as intervenors.

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New law would ban private wells

KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

A proposed law to ban new private wells in Santa Monica will go before the City Council Tuesday as part of a statewide attempt to better regulate groundwater. The ordinance aims to protect local aquifers from overdraft, pollution and contamination.

At this time, there is only one private residential well in Santa Monica, according to a recent staff report. Once a private well is permitted at the county level, there is no monitoring or reporting of water usage from the well or limitation on the amount of water extracted.

Throughout the state, unregulated water wells have caused overdraft of aquifers and the pollution of public drinking water. In Santa Monica, most of the drinking water comes from the Santa Monica Basin, which stretches 50-square-miles under the city, West Los Angeles, Culver City and part of Beverly Hills. Rain and runoff from the Santa Monica Mountains supply the basin.

Those cities and Los Angeles County have formed a Local Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) to enforce state law within the borders. The GSA has

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What's Up Westside

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Monday, August 13

Landmarks Commission Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Landmarks Commission. City Hall, 1685 Main St. 7 p.m.

Friends of the Santa Monica Public Library Board Meeting

Monthly Friends of the Santa Monica Public Library Board Meeting. Administration Conference Room near Computer Commons. 7 – 9 p.m.

A Summer of Woodburning Art

Woodburning is the art of writing and designing with fire. In this workshop, learn basic techniques and create your own piece of art. Materials provided. Space is limited. Call (310) 458-8684 to register. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 6:30 – 8 p.m.

Tuesday, August 14

New Short Fiction Series: Latinx Life in LA

The New Short Fiction Series, Los Angeles' longest running spoken word series, present "Stories of Latinx Life in Los Angeles." Join us for a spoken word evening with local actors Holger Moncada, Jr., Paul Lasa, Jill Remez, and Sally Shore reading works by local writers Elaine Barnard, Daniel M. Jaffe, Daniel A. Olivas and Desiree Zamorano. Annenberg Community Beach House, 415 PCH, 6:30 – 8 p.m.

City Council Meeting

Regular Meeting of the Santa Monica City Council. 1685 Main St, 5:30 p.m.

Fingerboard Event

Bring your own fingerboard, or borrow one from the library, and show off your finger skateboarding tricks. Please call 310-458-8684 to register. Grades 7-12. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 4 – 5 p.m.

ASR Time Travel Tuesdays: Bill and Ted's Excellent Adventure (1989)

Bill and Ted embark on a 'most excellent' adventure to collect famous figures from history before they fail their final exam. (90 min.) Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 3 – 5 p.m.

Blogging for Beginners

Learn how to create and customize your own free blog using sites such as Blogger.com and WordPress.com. Space is limited and on a first arrival basis. Fairview Branch Library, 2101 Ocean Park Blvd, 1:30 – 3 p.m.

Wednesday, August 15

Prospective "Tech Teen" Information Session

High school students and their families: Learn about the library's Tech Teen Volunteer & Leadership Program. We will provide an overview of the certification process, participation requirements, and benefits. Grades 9-12. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 7 – 8 p.m.

Planning Commission Meeting

The Santa Monica Planning Commission normally meets on the first and third Wednesdays of every month in the City Council Chamber, 1685 Main St. 7 p.m.

Montana Book Discussion Group: Forgotten Fatherland

In 1886 Elisabeth Nietzsche, Friedrich's sister, founded a "racially pure" colony in Paraguay with a band of fellow Germans. Macintyre tells of the survivors of this bizarre colony and the colorful history of Elisabeth's return to Europe, where she inspired the mythical cult of her brother's philosophy and became a mentor to Hitler. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave, 7 – 8:30 p.m.

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Citywide

New Leadership for the Los Angeles Pediatric Society

The Los Angeles Pediatric Society, the oldest independent pediatric society in the United States, elected new officers and a new Board of Directors at their annual meeting recently.

Patrick Whelan MD PhD, a pediatric specialist at UCLA, is the incoming president. Other officers include Dr. Neville Anderson (vice-president, Larchmont Pediatrics in Hancock Park), Dr. Paula Whiteman (chief financial officer, emergency medicine in Tarzana), and Dr. Ron Nagel (vice-president for programs, Lapeer Pediatrics in Beverly Hills).

Dr. Whelan is assistant professor of pediatrics at UCLA's David Geffen School of Medicine, and also holds an appointment as clinical assistant professor of microbiology and immunology at the Keck/USC School of Medicine. He returned to his native Southern California after twenty years working in the Pediatric Rheumatology Division at Massachusetts General Hospital and teaching at Harvard Medical School in Boston.

The Los Angeles Pediatric Society is 85 years old, and sponsors an annual internship program that placed 65 area high school students in the offices of pediatricians across the city this summer. The Eve & Gene Black Summer Program is 40 years old, and designed to help build interest in pediatrics careers to address future needs for quality children's healthcare in Los Angeles. In September, the Society will celebrate its signature event, the 75th Annual Brennemann Lectures, at the Disneyland Hotel. An opening reception will feature a performance by the Southern California Children's Chorus.

SUBMITTED BY ELLEN SEAMAN LAPS COORDINATOR

Ocean Park Blvd.

Time to Get Moving for Fun, Fellowship and Fundraising

Westside Family Health Center (WFHC) will host a Summer Dance Party on Thursday, August 16 from 6 - 10 p.m. Taking place at the Moose Lodge at 1600 Ocean Park Boulevard in Santa Monica, the event is in celebration of National Health Center Week. Dancing is fun, healthy and guests will enjoy the music—all the while supporting WFHC, a community health center in Santa Monica.

WFHC's Summer Dance Party will feature DJ Mike Damn playing your favorite songs and many others to get folks on their feet and having a good time with all proceeds to support health care for the underserved. Food and drinks may be purchased separately and special door prizes will be part of the event. Admission tickets are a minimum donation of only $25.

National Health Center Week has been celebrated for more than 30 years because health centers provide "affordable, high quality, cost effective health care to medically vulnerable and underserved people" according to the National Association of Community Health Centers. "Many people don't realize that we still have people who are uninsured or who have insurance, but can't afford to use it," said Debra A. Farmer, President/Chief Executive Officer of WFHC. "Without community health centers, our uninsured, low-income and underinsured community members would have nowhere to go for primary health care and health education," she continued.

The Summer Dance Party is all about community. Please bring your friends and colleagues and join WFHC on August 16 and celebrate the outstanding work of your local community health center. To RSVP, please email Celia Bernstein at cbernstein@wfhcenter.org.

Westside Family Health Center, founded in 1974, is a non-profit community health center providing a wide range of low-cost health care services. WFHC serves more than 12,000 low-income and uninsured women, men and children, regardless of one's ability to pay. To learn more about WFHC, please visit www.wfhcenter.org.

SUBMITTED BY CELIA BERNSTEIN, DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT WESTSIDE FAMILY HEALTH CENTER

Malibu

City of Malibu Seeks Proposals to Refurbish Environmental Public Art Pieces on Storm Drains in Malibu

The City put out a Request for Proposals (RFP) seeking an artist to creatively transform four storm drain catch basins with original art, broadening community members' understanding of the connection between gutters, storm drains, and the ocean environment while highlighting local art.

"Malibu's beautiful ocean environment has always inspired artists, so it's exciting to have public art that speaks to our strong environmental commitment," Mayor Rick Mullen said. "I look forward to seeing the ideas that will be presented and encourage all artists in the community to apply."

In 2014, the City hired an artist to paint four storm drains as part of the "Keep it Clean, Malibu" campaign focused on protecting the 24-mile-long Area of Special Biological Significance (ASBS) in Malibu. The primary goal of this project is to transform a mundane utilitarian structure into an art form to encourage environmental stewardship and a sense of connection to the ocean. All polluted runoff is prohibited from reaching the ASBS, which stretches across about half of the Malibu coastline to protect fragile marine habitats.

Despite being touched up several years later, the original artwork has faded or been damaged by the sun and vehicle traffic. The City is again seeking a talented artist to bring his or her craft to the City's environmental public art campaign. The selected artist will design and create innovative artwork to cover storm drain catch basins in prominent locations throughout Malibu.

Proposed designs for this project should celebrate Malibu's connection to the ocean and encourage dialogue within the community about how to protect our coast. All work and materials must conform to the City's strict environmental guidelines, and the work must meet requirements to be durable in outdoor conditions.

The catch basins are located on Cross Creek Road, in front of Point Dume Plaza on Heathercliff Road, at the corner of Morning View Drive and PCH, and at Trancas Park.

The deadline to apply is September 13 at 4 p.m. For more information on the project, guidelines and the bidding process, visit https://malibucity.org/bids.aspx?bidID=101.

SUBMITTED BY MATT MYERHOFF, MALIBU MEDIA INFORMATION OFFICER



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SOLOMON

FROM PAGE 1

"After 68 years in the deli business, I felt now is the time to enjoy life outside of the deli, spend time with family and relax," Solomon said.

After working almost every day for those 68 years, Solomon says his post-deli plans in life include spending more time with his family (especially his new great-granddaughter), volunteering, and playing a little golf. His family, of course, is ecstatic to have the anointed "Deli King" (he has the license plate to prove it) around more often.

"I am extremely proud of my grandfather for retiring after so many incredible years as The Deli King," Melanie Shaevel, one of Solomon's granddaughters and organizers of his retirement event said. "His happiness and health are most important to me. All of his friends and family are of course sad to see this chapter of his life come to an end, but we are all happy for him to begin a very well-deserved, relaxing retirement."

Reminiscing on his time at Fromin's, Solomon says some of his favorite memories at the deli were forming friendships with loyal customers, some of which included famous faces. Solomon says when he first started out in the deli business, he first served Cary Grant (!) and has since made sandwiches and exchanged words regularly with the likes of Al Pacino, Adam Sandler and Dustin Hoffman, to name a few.

Brushes with actors aside, Solomon says it's his family and friends who truly mattered most in his time at working on the Westside.

He details the joy of a lifetime in the business, seeing his daughter and granddaughter work side by side in the shop as well as seeing coworkers get hired as kids and now as he leaves the shop, they have kids of their own.

"It's a true family business," he said.

Just as storied as his time at the deli is Solomon's life. The cliff notes version shared with the Daily Press has a 9-year-old Solomon escaping occupied Belgium during World War II, he and his family eventually migrating to Cleveland, Ohio. A few years later at the age of 12, Solomon began working behind a deli counter, giving nearly all of his earnings to his parents to help support them and his family.

Now, in retirement, his family can support him— Maurice Solomon, the Deli King.

Maurice Solomon's retirement celebration will take place Tuesday, August 14 from 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. at Fromin's Deli, 1832 Wilshire Blvd.

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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Street Lighting Modernization Program

For the week of August 13, construction will be taking place throughout the project area bounded by Pico Blvd to the north, Ocean Park Blvd to the south, Lincoln Blvd to the west, and 16th St to the east. Parking on streets within the project area may temporarily be impacted. Please contact Robert Zak, Project Manager at (310) 458-2283 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.



Parking Structure #5 Tenant Improvement Project

For the week of August; 13, construction will take place in Parking Structure #5 at 1440 4th street and anticipates affecting the sidewalk in front of the building with the sidewalk pedestrian tunnel, lasting until 8/31/18 During this time, there may be intermittent closures of a single lane of south-bound traffic between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm Monday thru Friday. Should you have any questions, please contact Tim Purcell, Project Manager (310) 458-2205 ext. 502

Parking Structure Repair Project

For the week of August 13, Parking Structures #4, #5, and #3 will be undergoing maintenance and repair work. Construction may temporarily impact parking. Entrances and exits will remain open for smooth traffic flow. Please contact Robert Zak, Project Manager at (310) 458-2283 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

Edison Language Academy Project

For the week of August 13, Construction crews will be cautioning off sidewalks at various crosswalk locations near Edison Language Academy in order to work on irrigation lines and planting. Effected Crosswalks include: Delaware Avenue & 22nd Street; Kansas Avenue & 27th Street; Stewart Street & Kansas Avenue. Crews will be closing one lane going NB on Stewart St to stripe asphalt with traffic markings. Intermittent lane closures will occur on 27th Street and at the crosswalk of Kansas Ave and Stewart St. Alternate routes are recommended. Parking on streets near the crosswalks will be temporarily impacted. Please contact Brian Ochoa, Construction Manager at (310) 458-8721 Ext 5048 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

EPA Grant Funded Water Infrastructure Reliability Improvement Project

For the week of August 13, work will consist of installation of water main pipe on 17th Street between Pearl St and Ocean Park Blvd. Traffic will be reduced to one lane. Please use alternate routes whenever possible. Please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager at (310) 458-8721, x2620 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

LA Metro Public Art Project – "Tears Of Santa Monica"

For the week of August 13, construction will take place at the westerly wall of the Expo light rail station at 4th and Colorado. The project will run from Summer until the early part of Fall. Intermittent easterly sidewalk and northbound 4th Street lane closures will take place. For any questions or further information, please contact Henry Servín, at (310) 458-8291 or Leticia Ivins at LA Metro at IvinsL@metro.net with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

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Citywide

Red Cross urgently needs blood donations before summer ends

As summer winds down, the American Red Cross urges individuals to give blood and platelets now and help end an emergency summer blood shortage that began last month.

A critical need remains as many regular donors delay giving to take final summer vacations and prepare for school to start. To ensure lifesaving treatments remain available for patients in the coming weeks, donations are needed now, especially type O.

In thanks for helping at this urgent time, all those who come to donate blood or platelets July 30 through Aug. 30, will receive a $5 Amazon.com Gift Card via email. (Restrictions apply; see amazon.com/gc-legal. More information and details are available at RedCrossBlood.org/Together.)

Make an appointment to donate blood by downloading the free American Red Cross Blood Donor App, visiting RedCrossBlood.org or calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767). Those who donated blood earlier this summer may be eligible to give again. Blood can be safely given every 56 days, and Power Red donations can be given every 16 weeks.

Simply download the American Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit RedCrossBlood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age in most states (16 with parental consent where allowed by state law), weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. High school students and other donors 18 years of age and younger also have to meet certain height and weight requirements.

Blood and platelet donors can save time at their next donation by using RapidPass® to complete their pre-donation reading and health history questionnaire online, on the day of their donation, before arriving at the blood drive. To get started, follow the instructions at RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass or use the Blood Donor App.

Another way to support the lifesaving mission of the American Red Cross is to become a volunteer transportation specialist and deliver lifesaving blood products to local area hospitals. Volunteer transportation specialists play a very important role in ensuring an ample blood supply for patients in need by transporting blood and blood products. For more information and to apply for a volunteer transportation specialist position, visit rdcrss.org/driver.

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8/20/2018: 1 p.m. - 7 p.m., American Red Cross Santa Monica Chapter, 1450 11th St
8/21/2018: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Community Center, 2500 Broadway
8/24/2018: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Viceroy, 1819 Ocean Ave
8/27/2018: 1 p.m. - 7 p.m., American Red Cross Santa Monica Chapter, 1450 11th St

Venice

8/19/2018: 8 a.m. - 2 p.m., St Mark Catholic Church, 2475 Lincoln Blvd

SUBMITTED BY CHRISTINE WELCH, AMERICAN RED CROSS

Downtown

Parks & Recreation Master Plan: Community Workshop #1

After hearing from over 2,000 people this summer through the online survey, city-wide pop-ups, and discussions with community groups and boards/commissions, organizers want to share what they've heard. This workshop will build on community-proposed ideas and spark inspiration for even more ideas. Help develop a shared vision of what Santa Monica wants its parks, recreation, and beach to look like over the next 20 years. All residents and stakeholders are invited to participate in this public input opportunity.

A light breakfast will be served. Free parking validation will be available for the Civic Auditorium Parking Lot (immediately adjacent to the Auditorium). A bike valet will also be provided.

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LOS ANGELES

LeBron to make Lakers debut at Portland on Oct. 18

LeBron James will make his Los Angeles Lakers debut at Portland on Oct. 18 and play before home fans for the first time two days later.

The Lakers will host Houston on Oct. 20 at Staples Center.

The NBA released its complete regular season schedule Friday, and the Lakers will play on national TV 35 times.

For the 20th straight year, the Lakers will play on Christmas Day, traveling to face the defending champion Golden State Warriors.

James returns to Cleveland for his lone game against the Cavaliers on Nov. 21.

The Lakers' longest road trip of the season is a five-game, 12-day stretch from Feb. 1-12 when the Grammy Awards return to Staples Center.

They'll play 13 back-to-back sets, and two don't require any travel.

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Proposals shall be delivered to the City of Santa Monica, Civil Engineering Division, Room 300, 1437 4th Street, Santa Monica, California, 90401, not later than **3:00** p.m. on **August 23, 2018**. Each Proposal shall be in accordance with the Request for Proposals.

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CRIME WATCH

BY DAILY PRESS STAFF

Crime Watch is culled from reports provided by the Santa Monica Police Department. These are arrests only. All parties are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ON JULY 29, 2018 AT ABOUT 10:32 A.M.

Officers responded to the 900 block of Palisades Beach Road regarding a residential burglary in progress. The residents arrived home and located a subject in their home. The subject was told not to leave until police arrival. Officers arrived and located the subject walking along the side of the residence. Officers learned the residence is under construction and the male subject was seen entering the residence without consent or permission. The residents confronted the subject and told him to wait for the police to arrive. The subject complied. Miguel Angel Sanchez Leon, 42, homeless was arrested for burglary. Bail was set at $50,000.

ON JULY 24, AT ABOUT 6:39 A.M.

Officers responded to the 1200 block of 14th Street, alley rear, regarding a burglary in progress. A reporting party indicated a male subject was seen trying to open a garage door using a wooden pole. The subject was not able to defeat the lock and left the area. The subject left on a bicycle in the alley. The subject was located in the 1300 block of Euclid Court. The witness was able to identify the subject. The suspect was taken into custody. William Jeffrey Plumm, 25, homeless was arrested for attempted burglary and a parole violation. He was denied bail.

ON JULY 23, AT ABOUT 9:58 A.M.

Officers responded to a radio call for service at Spokes N Stuff – 1715 Ocean Front Walk – regarding a theft just occurred. The reporting party stated a male subject took money from the tip jar and was fighting with the employees. Officers learned out of fear of being harmed an employee wrestled the subject to the ground and told him not to return. The subject left the store. The subject was located in the 1700 block of Ocean Front Walk and taken into custody. Sadique Jhalon Compton, 26, homeless, was arrested for petty theft. Bail was set at $500.

TRIAL

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"The CVRA is essential to protecting the voting rights of minority community members in an electoral system that too often suppressed their voices," said Jonathan Stein, an attorney for Asian Americans Advancing Justice. "It is imperative that this important civil rights law is upheld."

Attorneys for former Poway mayor Don Higginson argue Malibu attorney Kevin Shenkman has created a cottage industry, bringing the threat of a CVRA lawsuit to cities across California. The law makes it easier for minorities to show at-large election systems dilute their votes, making it difficult for them to get preferred candidates on the dais. Shenkman has told the Daily Press roughly 40 cities have settled with his law firm rather than go to trial to defend their at-large election system. Shenkman's law-firm reaps $30,000 per settlement.

"One man, in particular - Kevin Shenkman - has been more prominent than any other attorney in utilizing the CVRA to reap private gains at the expense of California taxpayers," the lawsuit said, estimating the city of Palmdale spent $7 million fighting Shenkman's lawsuit in 2015 before capitulating and creating districts. "One by one, the targeted cities have suffered staggering liability or preemptively surrendered."

If Shenkman wins at trial, the city has to pay his attorneys' fees in addition to their own. In Palmdale, he was awarded $4.6 million.

Poway received one of Shenkman's letters in 2017. The City Attorney there promptly advised the at-large elected City Council that "the public interest may ultimately be better served" by a settlement to avoid hefty legal fees. Before ultimately voting to implement districts, one Poway Councilmember told the public "we have a gun to our heads and we have no choice."

Santa Monica is one of the rare cities to take the issue to court, arguing Latino voters can and do successfully vote their preferred candidates into office. Two current Councilmembers self-identify as Latino, Councilman Tony Vazquez and Mayor Pro-Tempore Gleam Davis. Voters have rejected two ballot measure that would have created districts, where voters choose one candidate from their neighborhood rather than a slate of candidates who represent the entire city.

Critics say Santa Monica has taken up an unwinnable case, hiring outside law firm Gibson, Dunn and Crutcher, LLC to defend the status quo. The City says the cost of the team of attorneys from Gibson, Dunn falls under attorney-client privilege until the case is over. Both sides vow to appeal any decision made in Los Angeles Superior Court.

As for the separate Federal Case, attorneys for the former mayor have asked the court to expedite the ruling. It's unknown how that case could impact the legal drama unfolding in Santa Monica.

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State attempts to facilitate housing may be moot in Santa Monica

MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

A group of new laws targeting California's housing shortage will have limited impact in Santa Monica according to a recently released staff report.

According to the report, Governor Brown signed 15 housing-related laws last year. While all State laws will be enforceable locally, Santa Monica's existing rules are either stricter than the state versions or the city will receive limited benefit from the changes.

Several laws increased funding for affordable housing.

SB2 funds affordable housing via a $75 document recording fee on some real estate transactions. Annual revenues are expected to reach about $250 million state wide and while Santa Monica could receive some cash, staff said the distribution method doesn't favor the city.

"Although HCD has yet to develop guidelines governing the allocation of funds, Santa Monica is expected to be a beneficiary of the new funding source," said the report. "However, given that the majority of funds are expected to be allocated through an entitlement formula, Santa Monica's share will likely be considerably lower than it would be through a competitive process or than it was through the redevelopment tax increment process."

SB3 puts a $4 billion housing bond on the November ballot to support the state's Multifamily Housing Program (MHP). Staff said Santa Monica projects don't traditional use the MHP program because other funding sources pay for a greater percentage of affordable housing costs. However, a portion of the bond money will pay for transit-oriented development and local housing trust fund matching grants that could benefit local projects.

Several new laws try to streamline the construction process by making it harder for local cities to impede projects that meet existing zoning requirements. Santa Monica will be exempt from some requirements and some of the City's own rules already accomplish the State goals.

Santa Monica's recently approved Downtown Community Plan streamlines approvals for the Downtown and staff are working on similar processes for Bergamot/commercial boulevards. That system means at least two State laws will have limited impact here.

A rule facilitating approval of projects that meet minimum zoning requirements initially looked like it would cover Santa Monica due to a gap in paperwork proving local housing construction surpassed state minimums. However, staff said they have rectified the necessary documents that show the city is meeting state mandated housing goals and dispute the law applying locally.

A trio of measures tighten existing rules that restrict the ability of local jurisdictions to deny or shrink housing developments. Staff said the rules were necessitated by cities acting in bad faith but that Santa Monica has always adhered to the provisions of the Housing Accountability Act (HAA).

However, the new rules will require the city to change its process.

"In light of these changes to the law, staff has added explanatory paragraphs to Planning Commission staff reports outlining the effects of the HAA and the clear findings that must be made for denial," said the report. "Since the zoning ordinance establishes clear development standards for Tier 1 and Tier 2 projects, the effect is that in nearly all cases, the Commission will not have the discretion to deny a housing project unless findings regarding adverse impacts to health and safety can be made. These changes do not negate the ability of the Commission to impose conditions of approval, such as design conditions, so long as the conditions do not actually reduce density or have the same effect on the ability of the project to provide housing"

The report said some housing projects might be removed from Planning Commission jurisdiction entirely to further adhere to the new rules.

Santa Monica's local Assemblymember, Richard Bloom authored two bills related to housing last year.

AB1505 gives the state the ability to review feasibility reports for inclusionary requirements to ensure inclusionary rules do not derail housing projects. Staff said this rule could provide the city with greater flexibility in implementing its local rules because Santa Monica has always based its program on fee studies and/or economic feasibility analyses.

Staff believes that as long as economic analyses demonstrate that development remains feasible, the City would be operating within legal requirements.

Bloom's second bill gives experienced housing organizations a first right of refusal to purchase affordable housing developments in order to keep the housing affordable. Staff said Santa Monica's affordable housing is at low risk of conversion to market-rate but the rule will be applicable if the situation arises in locally.

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until January 2022 to complete a sustainability plan for the basin.

The ordinance would not hurt the city's plans to achieve water self-sufficiency, according to the report. Staff will update the council on the plan to achieve that goal Sept. 25.

The local efforts are in accordance with the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA), which provides greater oversight over groundwater and required local agencies to develop management plans. Layers of aquifers make up nearly 40 percent of California's total water supply. In dry years, they contribute even more. Governor Jerry Brown signed the SGMPA into law in 2014 to halt overdraft, which has been particularly problematic in the Central Valley, according to state reports.

The City Council will meet Thursday, Aug. 14 inside City Hall Council Chambers at 1685 Main Street, room 213. Public items will be heard no earlier than 6:30 p.m.

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Jury backs man who claims Roundup weed killer caused cancer

A San Francisco jury on Friday ordered agribusiness giant Monsanto to pay $289 million to a former school groundskeeper dying of cancer, saying the company's popular Roundup weed killer contributed to his disease.

The lawsuit brought by Dewayne Johnson was the first to go to trial among hundreds filed in state and federal courts saying Roundup causes non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, which Monsanto denies.

Jurors in state Superior Court agreed the product contributed to Johnson's cancer and the company should have provided a label warning of the potential health hazard. Johnson's attorneys sought and won $39 million in compensatory damages and $250 million of the $373 million they wanted in punitive damages.

"This jury found Monsanto acted with malice and oppression because they knew what they were doing was wrong and doing it with reckless disregard for human life," said Robert F. Kennedy Jr., a member of Johnson's legal team. "This should send a strong message to the boardroom of Monsanto."

Monsanto has denied a link between the active ingredient in Roundup — glyphosate — and cancer, saying hundreds of studies have established that glyphosate is safe.

Johnson used Roundup and a similar product, Ranger Pro, as a pest control manager at a San Francisco Bay Area school district, his lawyers said. He sprayed large quantities from a 50-gallon tank attached to a truck, and during gusty winds, the product would cover his face, said Brent Wisner, one of his attorneys.

Once, when a hose broke, the weed killer soaked his entire body.

Johnson read the label and even contacted the company after developing a rash but was never warned it could cause cancer, Wisner said. He was diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma in 2014 at age 42.

"The simple fact is he is going to die. It's just a matter of time," Wisner told the jury in his opening statement last month.

But George Lombardi, an attorney for Monsanto, said non-Hodgkin's lymphoma takes years to develop, so Johnson's cancer must have started well before he began working at the school district.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency says Roundup's active ingredient is safe for people when used in accordance with label directions.

However, the France-based International Agency for Research on Cancer, which is part of the World Health Organization, classified it as a "probable human carcinogen" in 2015. And California added glyphosate to its list of chemicals known to cause cancer.

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Aug. 13)

Interesting meetups, family connections and professional alliances are part of the excellent social luck that visits you over the next 10 weeks. A change in what you offer the world (perhaps as a result of new training) will show you making a dream come true in November and making an important deal in June. Libra and Sagittarius adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 5, 28, 44, 3 and 19.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

Being constantly up for critique is a grind, but at least you can take heart in the fact that this is a direct result of being known, significant and integral to the lives of others.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

You'll be entering into new challenges, and you could really use a coach. There are behaviors that will be expected, and it will pay to know what they are and exactly how to execute them.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

There's an ancient part of your brain that couldn't care less about your hopes and dreams. It wants what it wants — and now. It's completely irrational and extremely strong. Success depends on your ability to trick it.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

Should you punish yourself for a mistake? Your aim is to avoid repeating it, and you think the harshness would help you remember. It might indeed motivate you in the short term, but in the long term it would do the opposite.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

You know what you want with great clarity and detail. You can see it in your imagination. Taking the time to visualize this again and again will help you have the willpower to overcome obstacles and prevail in weaker moments.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

Get on your own side. It's especially important on days such as today, when you're taking on something new. Keep reminding yourself that you're just as worthy as anyone else who's done this before. With confidence, you'll excel.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

Love is a very real human need, but you can't eat it. However, with a degree of contentment, care and a sense of belonging, you will be relaxed, clever and resilient enough to figure out how to make money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

One great thing about the past is that it got you here. Another great thing about it is that the bad parts are over. So bless it and leave it back there, where it belongs. Better days are ahead.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

To realize our full potential, our ego needs to shrink, not grow. The desire to feel special is understandable, yet no one should have to feel superior in order to feel worthy of respect and love.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Take a warm and understanding approach to yourself. Your suffering won't lessen if you're hard on yourself. You won't overcome perceived shortcomings by merely demanding it. Try self-compassion instead.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

Accept yourself with an open heart. The constant need to assess how you're measuring up is exhausting and benefits no one, least of all you. Drop it and enjoy the sense of wholeness and oneness with others that follows.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

The correctness of an action may be difficult to discern right now, as there are many facets to consider. Think in terms of doing what's helpful and what's useful instead of merely what's correct.

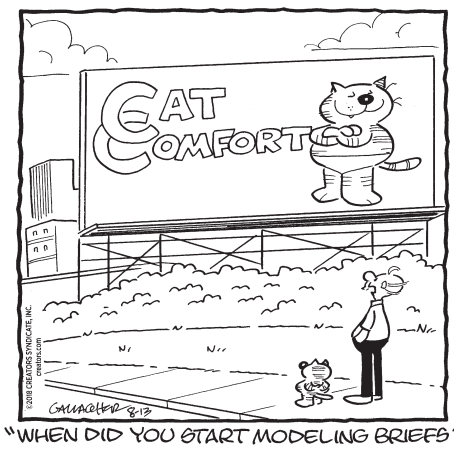
Virgo Moon of Advocacy

To be someone's greatest advocate is a privilege and a role to be cherished. Maybe you've been lucky to have had such an advocate, or maybe you just wish you'd been lucky in this way because you now know how hard life can be without support. Either way, the nurturing Virgo moon is an opportunity to show up strong for someone.

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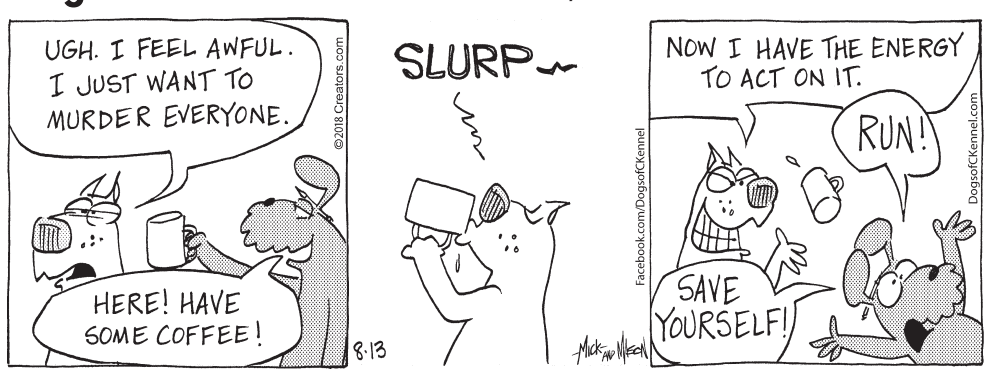
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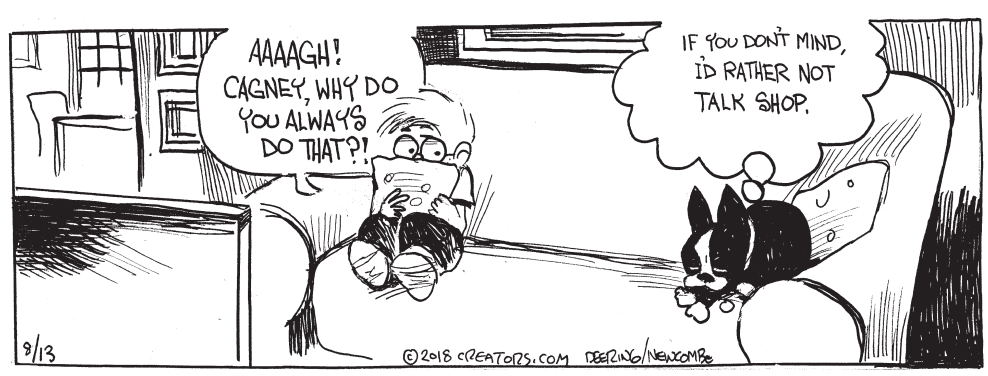
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Mega#: 2
Jackpot: 63M

SUPER LOTTO
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Jackpot: 22M

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WELL NEWS BY SCOTT LAFEE

Ashes to Electronics

■ The use of tobacco products among middle and high school students is declining, albeit not low enough for health officials. Food and Drug Administration researchers report that 3.6 million young people used tobacco products in 2017, down from 4.5 million in 2011.

■ E-cigarettes are becoming the preferred tobacco option, with nearly 12 percent of high school and 3 percent of middle school students saying they had used an e-cig in the past month during 2017.

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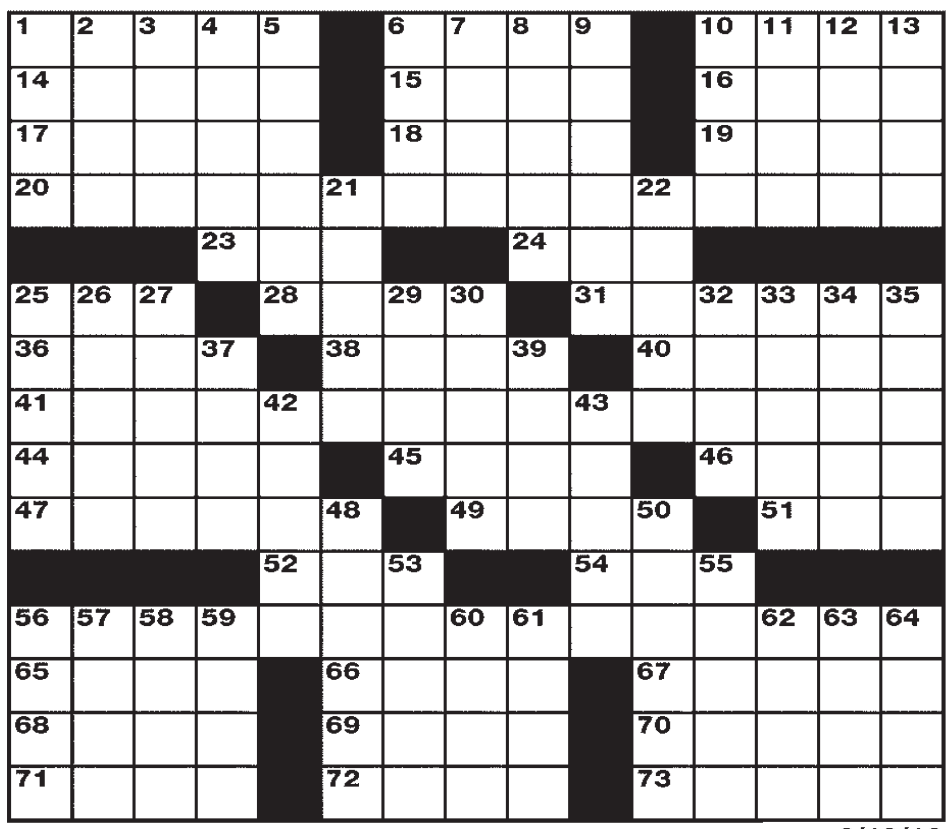
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17 Smooth transition
18 Football arbiters, for short
19 Part of a molecule
20 Making a "for luck" gesture
23 Kitchen foil metal
24 Point opposite WNW
25 Letter before tee
28 Fathers of lambs
31 Top often worn with jeans
36 Not sharp, as a knife
38 Is victorious
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41 Give a bribe
44 Insurance seller
45 Persuade gently
46 *Garfield* dog
47 Say again
49 Worker's end-of-week cry
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56 Was in a better competitive position
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68 Vitality, informally
69 Veggies in pods
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71 Enjoys a meal
72 Mailed away
73 Where students sit in classrooms

DOWN

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2 At any time
3 Letterhead emblem
4 "In God We __" (US motto)
5 Sailor's affirmative reply
6 Knitter's material
7 Designer Cassini
8 Embarrassing mistake
9 Help out
10 Stars and Stripes
11 At any __ (nevertheless)
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21 Mightily impressed
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Petition of CHANYA PUK- KALANUN AND CHATREE YODVISITSAK for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: CHANYA PUKKALA- NUN AND CHATREE YODVISITSAK filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: CHAMA YODVIS- ITSAK to CHAMA PUK- KALANUN. 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 peti- tion for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/14/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be pub- lished 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: July 24, 2018

Name Changes

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027379
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of JEANETTE MAY MEYERS for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: JEANETTE MAY MEYERS filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: JEANETTE MAY MEYERS to JEANETTE MAY CARLSWÄRD The court orders that all persons inter- ested in this matter shall ap- pear 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: 08/17/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: July 18, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS0273666
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of SHIOU KING CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: SCOTT S. LIN(SBN 193174) filed a petition with this court for a decree of chang- ing names as follows: SHIOU KING CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN CHAI AKA ALISER CHEN to ALISER SHIOU KING CHAI. The court orders that all per- sons interested in this mat- ter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08/24/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: July 10, 2018

Name Changes

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027376
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of COLLEEN SNOX- ELL JACQUEZ for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: COL- LEEN SNOX- ELL JACQUEZ filed a petition with this court for a decree of chang- ing names as follows: COL- LEEN SNOXELL JACQUEZ to COLLEEN SNOXELL. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08/24/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: July 13, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027399
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of NICOLE DABISH for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: NI- COLE DABISH filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as fol- lows: NICOLE DABISH to NI- COLE KRIKORIAN. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall ap- pear 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: 09/21/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be pub- lished 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: August 9, 2018

Name Changes

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027387
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of ELIZABETH WERONIKA SMIGIELSKA for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: ELIZABETH WERONIKA SMI- GIELSKA filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: ELIZABETH WERONIKA SMI- GIELSKA to ELIZABETH VAL- ENTINA ROSATI. The court orders that all persons inter- ested in this matter shall ap- pear 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: 09/7/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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Date: August 9, 2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS027408
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of MINDY LU for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PER- SONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: MINDY LU filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as fol- lows: MINDY LU to CHAMA MINDY LU ACEVEDO. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indi- cated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/14/2018, Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: K, Room: A-203
The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI- FORNIA – COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2018167386 ORIGINAL FIL- ING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 07/09/2018 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HAR- RISON & CO.. 1802 OCEAN PARK BLVD #B , SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: JON-PAUL HARRI- SON 1802 OCEAN PARK BLVD #B SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. This Business is being con- ducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact busi- ness under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)07/2018. /s/: JON-PAUL HARRISON-OWNER. JON-PAUL HARRISON. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGE- LES County on 07/09/2018. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUN- TY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this state- ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious busi- ness name statement in vio- lation of the rights of an- other under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 07/30/2018, 08/06/2018, 08/13/2018, 08/20/2018.

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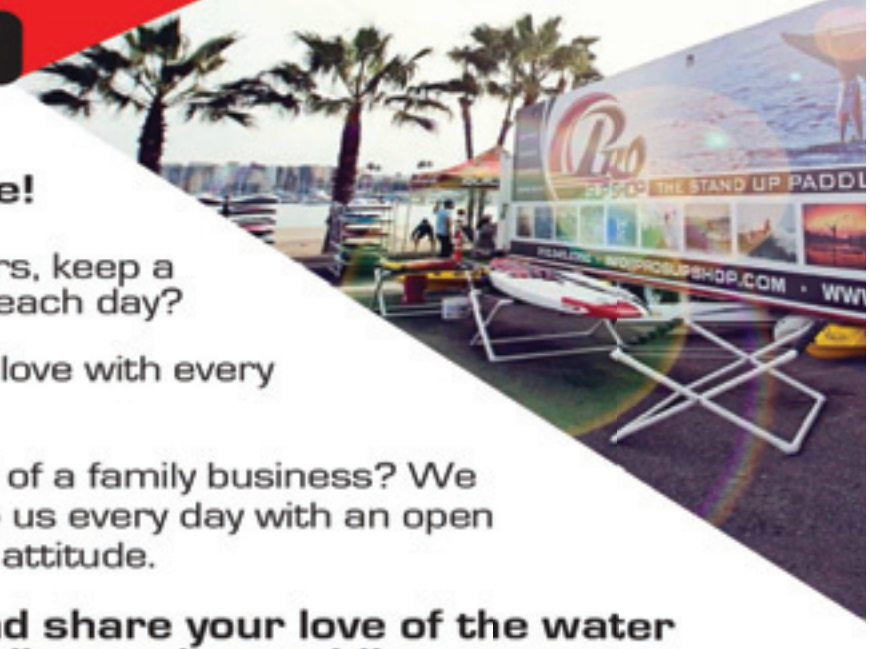
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