



Write-in papers issued for City Council

BY MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

Phil Brock has pulled papers to file as a write-in candidate for City Council.

After pulling papers, Brock posted to Facebook asking residents to come to an address in Mid-City to sign something. He did not elaborate on what he wanted signed but in a conversation with the Daily Press he said the signatures were for a potential write-in campaign.

He said he requested the paper-

work to recognize the sentiment expressed by voters.

"I went down yesterday afternoon because people have still been calling and emailing me and they said they want to cast a vote for me even if it's a losing vote," he said.

Brock said he wasn't sure if he would actually file the application but said he was distressed by the tone of the current election and a lack of communication between all parties.

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Housing Commission to debate rent subsidies

BY MATTHEW HALL
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Santa Monica is still struggling to refine a plan that would have City Hall subsidize rents for some tenants in rent-controlled buildings.

A draft of the proposal will be presented at the Oct. 20 meeting of the Housing Commission and discussion will focus on the very foundation of the program — how much money should be given to how many residents.

City Hall has been developing

guidelines for some kind of rent subsidy since 2015 and according to the draft available online, the Preserving Our Diversity (POD) program is designed to maintain economic diversity by providing rental assistance to rent-controlled tenants who could be forced to leave Santa Monica due to an inability to pay their rent. The report said the program would have a secondary benefit of collecting data about the problems of rent-burdened tenants.

The budget for the pilot pro-

gram is \$200,000 for rent assistance with an additional \$100,000 for administration that could include hiring a consultant to help manage, collect and analyze data to determine who should receive assistance as well as conduct eligibility screening.

To be eligible for the pilot program, renters must be extremely low-income (earn less than 30 percent of area median income), severely rent-burdened (pay more

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CONFERENCE VICTORY

Morgan Genser

The Santa Monica College mens soccer team hosted Allan Hancock College in a western state conference soccer match and won 5-1 to improve their record to 1-0-1 in conference and 8-3-3 overall. Pictured are Rudi Ibrahim chasing the ball, Kevin Martinez splitting defenders, Ibrahim evading a tackle, and Anthony Galeana shooting the ball.



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Celebrate your love of Star Wars and books with a costume contest, trivia, crafts, and more. 1704 Montana Ave., 3 - 4:30 p.m.

Commission for the Senior Community Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Commission for the Senior Community. Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St, 1:30 p.m. www.smgov.net/Portals/Seniors/content.aspx?id=19277

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Regular Meeting of the Santa Monica Recreation and Parks Commission, Council Chambers, City Hall, 1685 Main St., 7:30 p.m.

Housing Commission Meeting

Regular meeting of the Santa Monica Housing Commission. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 4:30 p.m.

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Docent led tours are offered the third Friday of each month. Docent led tours of the Main Library cover the library's gold LEED rating of sustainability, its art, architecture and even the library's collection. Docents are able to adapt the tour to fit your interest and time. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Citywide
Pink wiper blade sales benefit breast cancer nonprofit

A local oil change station is selling pink wiper blades during the month of October to support breast cancer research, treatment and awareness.

Henley Enterprises, a franchisee of Valvoline Instant Oil Change, will donate a portion of wiper blade sales proceeds to the National Breast Cancer Foundation.

Now in its fifth year, the campaign has raised more than \$55,000 for the foundation over the last four years.

"This campaign gives back to the communities in which we serve," franchise CEO Don Smith said in a press release. "The pink wipers are a highly visible product that many Americans can rally behind. The blades allow individuals who have been affected or know someone affected by breast cancer to show their support."

The Santa Monica service center is located at 1757 Lincoln Blvd. (between Pico and Olympic boulevards). Another service center is located east of Santa Monica at 11827 Santa Monica Blvd. (between Bundy Drive and Barrington Avenue).

The blades fit on most cars, trucks and SUVs that were manufactured after 2003.

— DAILY PRESS STAFF

Loews Hotel
21st Annual Celebrating Success Breakfast

The 21st annual Celebrating Success Breakfast honors 21 previously homeless individuals who, with the support of local nonprofit agencies, have made extraordinary transitions from homelessness to lives filled with passion and promise. The event also honors 11 local businesses, organizations, and individuals who have dedicated significant resources to supporting the member agencies of the Westside Coalition, and Dr. Coley King, who will receive the 2016 WC Partnership Award. Major events sponsors include Providence St. Johns Health Center, Downtown Santa Monica, Gilead Sciences, Kaiser Permanente and several faith congregations.

Emcee will be Assemblymember Richard Bloom

The Westside Coalition is a group of over forty social service providers, faith congregations and supporting organizations committed to ending homelessness through service coordination, public education and advocacy. The Coalition members work together to provide a continuum of care for homeless, low-income individuals and their families by serving their needs in a cost effective and cooperative manner. They have built an infrastructure that serves the needs of the many sub-groups of the homeless population including veterans, battered women, youth, families and individuals with mental illness, drug or alcohol addiction, and/or HIV/AIDS.

Friday, Oct. 21, 7:30 a.m. (breakfast buffet) and program begins at 8 a.m. at the Loews Santa Monica Beach Hotel.

Individual tickets \$50 for Coalition Members or \$65 for non-members. Table of 10 \$500 for Coalition Members or \$650 for non-members. Table of 12 \$600 for Coalition Members or \$780 for non-members.

Visit www.westsideshelter.org for more information.

— SUBMITTED BY WESTSIDE COALITION DIRECTOR DARCI NIVA

Playa Del Rey
Friends Of Ballona Wetlands Gala Honors Environmental Activist And Local Philanthropist

Friends of Ballona Wetlands held their 11th annual Moonlight on the Marsh celebration to a sold-out crowd on this month. At the dinner, held at Loyola Marymount University, the Friends honored Dr. Shelley Luce, Executive Director of Environment Now; and Susan Zolla, local businesswoman, philanthropist and owner of the Inn at Playa del Rey.

Luce was Executive Director of the Santa Monica Bay Restoration Commission and The Bay Foundation at a time when the battle for the Ballona Wetlands was fierce. She presided over often unruly meetings with grace and courage. In addressing the critical need to restore the Ballona Wetlands, Luce said in her acceptance remarks, "I feel we are sisters and brothers here, in the long fight to right the wrongs that have been done to the wetlands, and to our world ... The Friends of Ballona Wetlands have set an example of stewardship for all of us."

Susan Zolla's Inn at Playa del Rey overlooks the Ballona Wetlands. She is a generous supporter and has made the Ballona Wetlands a prime feature of the Inn, introducing visitors from all over the world to the wonder of wetlands, as well as to the Friends.

"We are very grateful to Susan and her staff at the Inn who promote the beauty of the wetlands by encouraging their guests to enjoy viewing the open space of the last wetland in Los Angeles County right outside their window - a real treat!" said Lisa Fimiani, Executive Director of the Friends.

The program featured Lucas, age 11, and Theo, age 10, who participated this past summer in Ballona Discovery Nature Camp under the guidance of Friends' Manager of Environmental Education, Day Scott, describing their experiences in the Wetlands in breathless detail, to the delight of the audience.

In addition to the children, the audience was treated to a visit by Eddie, the Great Horned Owl, who was right at home on the stage, accompanied by his handler, Melissa Loeb, from South Bay Wildlife Rehab, a non-profit devoted to rescuing and rehabilitating wounded wildlife.

The Friends' mission is to champion the restoration and protection of the Ballona Wetlands, involving and educating the public as advocates and stewards. They restored the dunes at Ballona with the help of over 90,000 volunteers, leading to the return of the endangered El Segundo Blue butterfly, participated in the creation of the freshwater marsh (mandated by their settlement agreement with the landowner), and initiated the change of tide gates to allow much-needed saltwater back into the wetlands where pickleweed provides nesting habitat for another endangered species, the Belding's Savannah Sparrow. The Friends' hold regular tours, habitat restoration and cleanup activities as well as educational programs at Ballona, allowing over 9,000 visitors a year to "Explore Ballona!"

For further information on the Wetlands go to www.ballonafriends.org, or to find out how you can participate please contact the Friends at (310) 306-5994, info@ballonafriends.org.

— SUBMITTED BY LISA FIMIANI, BOARD MEMBER FRIENDS OF BALLONA WETLANDS

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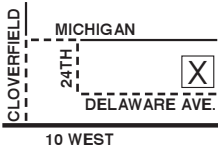


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Free speech? Don't be silly

LET'S SEE, WHERE WERE WE?

Oh yeah, at the park, in last week's column, with an odd tale of Sunday morning soccer and shenanigans.

Some would laugh off even the notion of shenanigans. Others see abuse of power and suppression of free speech. That's quite a gap in perception. But that's the problem of the day, isn't it? From Clover Park to Trump Tower.

Here's the rest of the story.

Clover Park was filled with happy, squealing young ball kickers and their families on Sunday morning, Oct. 9, for the big annual AYSO Soccer Fun Day. People set up canopies, for adults to be able to relax in the shade while the kids went nuts.

But at least one soccer parent seemed not as relaxed as the others. City Council member Terry O'Day saw a canopy set up by people in favor of Measure LV, who were talking with passersby and handing out their information, and even though when he confronted them they assured him they had City Hall permission (and they did), he decided to contact City Manager Rick Cole and ask him to look into it. Right now. Cole kicked the ball to Assistant City Manager Elaine Polachek, who called our Director of Community and Cultural Services Karen Ginsberg to go to Clover Park and see what the fuss was. On the one hand, this was a good idea because Polachek knew Ginsberg lived just across the street.

BIG STICK

On the other hand, we had a high-ranking city employee making \$361,000 (pay and benefits) hopping to it on a Sunday morning because a Council member got his soccer shorts in a snit. (That's my quaint characterization. I can't verify it.) Do you think if citizen Terry Smith called, or citizen Terry Garcia, we would have had the same rapid response?

O'Day told me he got complaints from parents about the presence of the Yes on LV table — O'Day is very No on LV — and was merely acting on behalf of his constituents. I feel the best course of action might have been to assure those parents (probably also No on LV-ers, don't you think?) that he would definitely look into it, on Monday morning, and let's just go back to soccer.

School Board member, City Council candidate and LV advocate Oscar de la Torre observed the dispute and walked over and had a conversation with O'Day. I agree with him that this seemed to be a politically motivated overreaction. In an email, O'Day referenced to me the action at Virginia Park the previous week, where the Yes on LV people were asked to move (but not Jason Islas and Carl Hansen, when they were passing out No on LV literature there) because the nature of the farmers market permit did not allow them to occupy the same space. But a Council member, I think, should be more certain about the rules of free speech before trying to abridge it. Free speech, in our public parks, is allowed. It's a tradition we inherited from the Brits. And yes, it is important that the exercise thereof is not subject to intimidation.

At a backyard fundraiser a week later for O'Day and fellow candidate and incumbent Gleam Davis, I asked him if he had anything to add to his statement about the incident. He smiled broadly and said no. When someone there inquired about it he related the story, someone added they heard it was

being characterized as an "assault on free speech," and they all had a good laugh at that notion. I didn't laugh.

The following was written before it became known that Brock had pulled papers to file as a Write-in candidate for City Council

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Everyone wonders why Arts Commissioner Phil Brock, who narrowly missed being elected last time, backed out of the City Council race, after declaring he would run and pulling papers. I believe conversations with local power brokers convinced Brock he would face such intense opposition and resources, especially because he would back LUVU (all four incumbents strongly oppose it), that he backed off what seemed like a hopeless fight. He has stated he regrets not running.

Should Phil Brock file and run as a write-in candidate for City Council? Since he hasn't yet filed it's pretty doubtful he could win, with about two weeks left before the election (filing deadline is Oct. 25), so I'm not endorsing a candidate but suggesting he still file, and asking you all, should he?

I believe it would be a statement, a needed one (as in, "I'm as mad as hell and I'm not going to take this anymore!"), pushing against the destructive overdevelopment we have now and in the pipeline. A chance for people to vote for something other than what's being offered, four incumbents with a likelihood of winning because incumbency automatically gives you a big built-in advantage. Plus they have very large piles of money available, much of it from developers eager to exploit our soaring land values and compliant city government -- that money pays for endorsements that go onto misleading flyers that flood every mailbox and front door, that many people, lacking better information, carry into the voting booths. Big money strangles democracy, locally and nationally.

The incumbents running are a well-intentioned but misguided group who have been good stewards in some areas but, most importantly, show no signs of changing their dedication to voting for every gigantic project, bad for our city, that comes before them. It's got to stop.

For longer term we need a change in who sits on our Council. At a recent candidates forum one of the incumbents made reference to the "slow growth majority we now have on the Council," and the room immediately exploded in laughter.

I won't name names but I will say there is one or more on the current Council I might vote for — when next they run, a couple of other non-incumbent candidates I'll pull the lever for this time, but all around we are sorely lacking common sense in our candidates for local office.

Urge Brock to run, even now. It's a start, it will send a message, it's needed.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "It is inaccurate to say that I hate everything. I am strongly in favor of common sense, common honesty, and common decency. This makes me forever ineligible for public office." -- H. L. Mencken

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Shrinking Santa Monica

IN A FEW WEEKS SANTA MONICA VOTERS will be asked whether they would like to shrink the city—literally, vertically, and psychologically.

Their decision will have repercussions far beyond the beach city's 8 square miles, setting the tone for political debates over the cost and availability of housing throughout LA County. It could also have costly economic effects throughout the Westside.

In Measure LV, Santa Monica voters will decide whether to sharply restrict the building of future housing, office space, hospitals, schools, and anything else that might exceed a proposed new height limit of 32 feet—about 2 stories high.

The website supporting LV makes many dubious claims—about stopping traffic, about protecting the “low-rise character” of the town, about safeguarding ocean breezes. But behind LV's martial rhetoric of “Two floors good; four floors bad” is a desire to build fewer homes. While the supporters of LV are coy about it, there is no way to vertically shrink Santa Monica without keeping people away from homes. And that has costs.

When public policy arbitrarily limits the market for something that people want and need—like housing—economists talk about a social-welfare loss, which is just a bloodless way of saying suffering.

Some informed economic estimates of the magnitude of suffering were collected in a recent Legislative Analyst's Report on the housing crisis in California. Restrictions on housing development has made LA County housing costs among the highest in the nation, and has increased our poverty rate by 40% relative to what it would be without such restrictions. Each new slow-growth policy adopted at the local level—and Santa Monica has had several already—raises housing costs by 3-5%.

Because higher housing costs are associated with longer commutes, these policies can be expected to increase average commute times by about 2%. That may not sound like a lot, but it's an average over the whole population: many people's commute will not be affected but some will have to commute far longer. And those who don't have long commutes may be forced into overcrowded conditions: the Legislative Analyst's report notes that, because of high housing costs, 10% of residents in LA County live in overcrowded homes—four times the state average. Crowding matters because it significantly hurts children's well-being and school performance.

Then there is the economy. Economists have estimated that housing restrictions in just three cities—San Francisco, San Jose, and New York—cost the United States econ-

omy \$1.6 trillion a year. That's “trillion” with a “T”—roughly twice the size of the LA economy itself.

And let's not forget the homeless. Although it's difficult to quantify the effect, fewer homes equals more homeless people.

Of course, it is possible to have too-rapid growth, and no city should be expected to cope with a galloping population. So how much development has Santa Monica had in recent years, and could a reasonable person agree with LV-supporters that Santa Monica has had overdevelopment?

In 1970, Santa Monica's population was 88,289. Today it is 92,987. That's an increase of 5.3% over 45 years. That doesn't sound like overdevelopment to me. Traffic might be a problem, but it's not because we have built housing.

But while economists are good at identifying the source of suffering in market distortions, we're not good at telling the personal stories of the suffering that make it real to people.

So while we know that the passage of LV will increase suffering, we don't know who will suffer. Who will suffer by long commute, and who by sharing a room? Who will face an eviction notice when they can't pay the rising rent, and whose landlord will redevelop their rent-controlled units into low-rise luxury apartments? Who will be thrust into poverty and who will keep their job and curse their luck as they fight the exodus on Sunset in the afternoon? Who will close their café for lack of a clientele and who in Boyle Heights will be displaced?

As political scientist Bryan Schonfeld points out, “the most important cleavage in politics today may not be between left and right but rather between closed and open.” The Brexit was a decision to close Britain. Donald Trump's rhetoric is that of closing our economy. And LV would close Santa Monica. It would put a wall around it (as if the 405, the Santa Monica Mountains, the airport and the ocean aren't already wall enough), and the wall will be paid for by others—by the people not here as a result.

Voters in Santa Monica will decide soon whether to shrink their city. But they can't decide how others will understand their decision. The people who are elbowed out of Santa Monica as a result of LV may not be seen by the proponents of LV, but they will not disappear. They'll watch, they'll reflect, and they'll decide what else Santa Monicans have shrunk. Our vision of our city? Our belief in our potential to work together? Our hearts and minds?

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than 50 percent of gross household income toward rent), and have lived in a Rent Control apartment for at least 10 years.

Anyone currently receiving aid is not eligible including renters living in deed-restricted affordable housing, anyone already part of (or terminated from) a Housing Authority subsidy program and renters with violent criminal records.

As described in the staff report, "The rental subsidy amount for the POD Program participants shall be the difference between the Rent Control Maximum Allowable Rent plus any pass-through fees, and 40 percent of the Gross Household Income. The total rent paid (tenant portion + rental subsidy) shall not exceed the Rent Control Maximum Allowable Rent plus allowable pass-through fees."

However, the report stipulates demand far exceeds the potential supply of money and the Commission will be presented with several options to maximize the number of people potential receiving aid.

According to the staff report, 6,325 Santa Monica are spending more than half their income on rent. While Federal, State and County agencies have traditionally provided monetary aid for housing, the report said Santa Monica has a history of innovating to support its low-income residents.

The options for POD include serving an estimated 27 households by reducing the their rent to 30 percent of household income,

aid 33 households by reducing rent to 40 percent of household income, serving 43 households by reducing rent to 50 percent of household income or providing a fixed amount of aid based on the income levels.

The pilot program was developed based on survey results from several hundred low-income households.

According to the survey, 330 of the 433 valid responses, or 76 percent, were rent burdened and 155 (36 percent) were severely burdened. 79 households were considered extremely low income with an average age of 68. The average rent was \$954 a month for an income of \$1,444.

While the pilot program's budget of \$200,000 will only aid a small portion of the total, the total cost to provide aid would be more than double that amount on an annual basis.

The staff report said it would take \$579,228 per year to fund the 79 households identified in the survey as making less than 30 percent of the median income.

In addition to determining the level of service provided by POD, staff are asking the commission to revise the guidelines in advance of a hearing by City Council.

The Housing Commission will meet on Thursday, Oct. 20 at 4:30 p.m. in the Santa Monica Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. To view information about the Housing Commission, or other boards, visit <http://www.smgov.net/departments/clerk/boards>.

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- Dine local at participating restaurants in support of our Santa Monica charities! **Eat2Give** is the kick-off event on October 15, 2016.
- Bring food donations for **Westside Food Bank** (3 jars of peanut butter or equivalent cash donation) to your favorite Montana Ave business & treat yourself to some savings.
- Shop on Ocean Park Blvd in support of the **Westside Family Health Center**.
- Reuse & recycle. Donate to the **American Cancer Society Discovery Shop**, receive a discount off your purchase.
- Shop & play local in Downtown Santa Monica in support of the **Santa Monica YMCA**.
- Buy local, give local on Pico in support of the **CLARE Foundation**. We're stronger together!

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PAPERS

FROM PAGE 1

“At the close of business on Thursday, I will either throw those papers in the trash or I’ll bring them back to City Hall and the people who have been asking me to run as a write-in can cast a protest vote for me for City Council,” he said.

Brock is the only person to request the write-in application so far and if he completes the paperwork, he has to return it to the City Clerk’s office by Tuesday, Oct. 25 to qualify for the November election.

Write-in candidates must gather 100 signatures, pay a nominal fee and fill out an application with the City Clerk before they are qualified. The process is similar to that of other candidates but write-in candidates do not appear on the ballot. Voters will be given a list of valid write-in candidates on election day.

If Brock, or any other candidate, files on Oct. 25 they will do so with just two weeks left in the campaign season. In addition, more than 30,000 Santa Monica voters request vote-by-mail ballots and voters have already begun to return those ballots. Early voters do have the ability to change their minds if they file a request with the County Registrar/Clerk by Nov. 4. Voters can call (562) 466-1323 or (800) 815-2666 to request

a replacement ballot before Election Day.

Brock said he didn’t expect to win if he did enter the race at this late stage, but he wanted any vote that was cast for him to be part of the official election.

Brock was expected to run for council this year after losing in 2014 but ultimately pulled paperwork to run for school board. He did not file those papers and after other candidates were disqualified for failing to gather the required signatures, the school board race was canceled due to a lack of candidates (Maria Leon-Vazquez, Ralph Mechur and Jon Kean were the only individuals to file for the three available seats)

After being appointed to the Arts Commission, Brock said he did not have time to serve in an elected office.

“However, my appointment to the Arts Commission, an upcoming Kiwanis Club presidency, my work with the Samohi Alumni Association and my career focus would not have allowed me to devote my full attention to our youth as a school board member,” he said at the time. “Instead, my focus will be on continuing to speak out on behalf of our city’s residents when appropriate and focus on a run for Santa Monica City Council in 2018. I will be a candidate at that time.”

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For over 70 years, the Santa Monica Democratic Club has been dedicated to representing the political goals and aspirations of our grassroots membership. This year, we have voted on the following endorsements after hearing from each candidate for local office and weighing the pros and cons of each ballot measure. We are confident that this voter guide represents the best direction forward for the future of Santa Monica.



PRESIDENT
Hillary Clinton

YES on 61
YES on 62

US SENATE
Kamala Harris

YES on 63
YES on 64

US REPRESENTATIVE
Ted Lieu

NO on 65
NO on 66
YES on 67

ASSEMBLY
Richard Bloom

COUNTY MEASURES:
YES on A
YES on M

STATEWIDE MEASURES:

YES on 51
YES on 52
NO on 53
YES on 54
YES on 55
YES on 56
YES on 57
YES on 58
YES on 59
YES on 60

SANTA MONICA MEASURES:

YES on GS
YES on GSH
NO on LV
YES on SM
YES on V

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Gleam Davis

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OFFICE NO. 84
Susan Jung
Townsend

OFFICE NO. 158
Kim L. Nguyen

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Yes on Measure V for a better, and safer Santa Monica College

Santa Monica College provides a world-class education. Unfortunately, not all of our facilities meet those high standards.

Two major classroom buildings, the Liberal Arts and the Letters & Science, are 65 years old and do not meet current seismic or fire standards. Many math classes are held in “temporary” trailers that were rushed into service after the 1994 Northridge quake—and are well past their useful lives.

These facilities leak, suffer from mold and asbestos, have no elevators for disabled access, lack modern safety equipment, and have no wiring for computers.

Measure V on the November ballot would allow SMC to replace the temporary trailers with modern classrooms. It would allow SMC to renovate, upgrade or replace the two 65-year-old buildings.

In addition, Measure V will allow SMC to increase campus security, improve the SMC Police Department, and enhance emergency preparedness.

Measure V gives our students the safe and secure campus they deserve.

Vote YES on Measure V.

For more information go to VoteYESforSMC.com

Campaign for Safety & Modernization at Santa Monica College, 1158 26th Street #753, Santa Monica, CA 90403 • ID#1377850
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“As technology changes the workplace and the cost of higher education soars, access to a high quality Community College education with safe, modern, and efficient facilities adaptable to changes in technology is more important than ever.”

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Mayor, City of Santa Monica



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CITY OF SANTA MONICA REQUESTS FOR BIDS (RFB)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Santa Monica invites Contractors to complete and submit proposals for the:

Fire Training Facility Lot Improvements SP2401

Bids shall be delivered to the City of Santa Monica, Office of the City Clerk, Room 102, 1685 Main Street, Santa Monica, California, 90401, not later than 2:30 p.m. on **November 14, 2016** to be publicly opened and read aloud after 3:00 p.m. on said date in the **City Hall Council Chambers**. Each Bid shall be in accordance with the Request for Bids.

NON-MANDATORY PRE-BID JOB WALK:

October 17, 2016, 9:30 am

**Fire Department Training Yard, inside City Yards
2500 Michigan Ave., Santa Monica, CA 90401**

PROJECT ESTIMATE: \$350,000

CONTRACT DAYS: 60 Calendar days

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: \$900 Per Day

Bidding Documents may be obtained by logging onto the City's bidding website at: <http://www.smgov.net/planetbids/>. The Contractor is required to have a **Class B** license at the time of bid submission. Contractors wishing to be considered must submit Bids containing all information required pursuant to the City's Request for Bids.



Public Meeting Notice

The City of Santa Monica will be holding a Public Meeting to update the community on planned improvements for the City Yards Modernization and the proposed reconfiguration of Gandara Park.

At this meeting, City staff and the design build consultant team will provide the community with an overview on planned improvements to the aging City Yards Facility and the proposed reconfiguration of Gandara Park. There will be the opportunity to discuss the community input received from previous meetings and the integration of that input into the project. Additionally, the status of the project master plan will be presented, including the proposed water treatment plant, integration of public landscape offices, and the reconfiguration of Gandara Park. Furthermore, there will be a group question and answer session with opportunities to provide feedback.

Meeting Date & Time:

Monday, October 24, 2016, 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Meeting Location:

**Virginia Avenue Park – Thelma Terry Building
2200 Virginia Avenue
Santa Monica, California 90404**

For further information on this project, please contact Tom Afschar at (310) 434-2611 or tom.afschar@smgov.net.

The Thelma Terry Building is wheelchair accessible. For special accommodations, including translation services, please contact Marcelo Serrano at (310) 458-2205 or marcelo.serrano@smgov.net three working days prior to the meeting. TTY/TDD (310) 917-6626.

Virginia Avenue Park is served by Big Blue Bus Line 7. Limited Parking is available.

Light refreshments will be served and a supervised children's activity area will be set up for the duration of the meeting.

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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 OCTOBER 3 AT APPROXIMATELY 8:45 P.M.

Officers were dispatched to Sears (302 Colorado Ave.) in regard to a robbery that just occurred. When the officers arrived, Loss Prevention personnel pointed to the female suspect in the 1600 block of Main St. Officers detained the suspect and located the stolen merchandise inside her bag. Witnesses said they saw her conceal the items and place them in her bag. When confronted by Loss Prevention, the suspect began fighting with them before she attempted to run away. Britney Bentley, 30, homeless, had bail set at \$50,000.

DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department responded to 324 calls for service on Oct. 17.

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

Audible burglar alarm 2200 block of Colorado 12:01 a.m.
Loitering 1600 block of Euclid 12:04 a.m.
Traffic collision Ocean/ Colorado 12:11 a.m.
Drinking in public 100 block of Broadway 12:24 a.m.
Fight 200 block of Santa Monica Pier 12:54 a.m.
Assault with deadly weapon 1200 block of 15th 1:24 a.m.
Trespassing 2100 block of Santa Monica 1:45 a.m.
Traffic collision 11th/ Wilshire 2:09 a.m.
Audible burglar alarm 2200 block of Main 2:13 a.m.
Battery 600 block of Wilshire 4:17 a.m.
Trespassing 3200 block of Pico 4:18 a.m.
Overdose 2900 block of 4th 4:49 a.m.
Prowler 1700 block of California 5:05 a.m.
Trespassing 100 block of Broadway 5:44 a.m.
Encampment 1300 block of 2nd 6:09 a.m.
Audible burglar alarm 500 block of 19th

7:06 a.m.
Trespassing 500 block of Colorado 7:22 a.m.
Traffic collision 11th/ Pico 7:53 a.m.
Fight Lincoln/ Pine 8:06 a.m.
Urinating in public Lincoln/ Idaho 8:36 a.m.
Traffic collision 12th/ Broadway 8:53 a.m.
Indecent exposure Centinela/ Pearl 9:32 a.m.
Battery 1900 block of Pico 10:11 a.m.
Traffic collision 1200 block of Yale 10:34 a.m.
Hit and run 21st/Georgina 10:55 a.m.
Mark and tag abandoned vehicle 400 block of 25th 10:58 a.m.
Battery 500 block of Olympic 11:40 a.m.
Traffic collision Centinela/ Colorado 11:47 a.m.
Grand theft auto 3200 block of Santa Monica 12:06 p.m.
Domestic violence 2600 block of Ocean Park 12:22 p.m.
Auto burglary 800 block of Hill 12:51 p.m.
Fight 100 block of Colorado 1:15 p.m.
Lewd activity 1700 block of Wilshire 1:22 p.m.
Person with a gun Ocean/ Washington 1:28 p.m.
Hit and run Centinela/ Santa Monica 1:45 p.m.
Drunk driving 20th/ Santa Monica 2:46 p.m.
Assault with deadly weapon 400 block of Ocean 2:54 p.m.
Public intoxication 300 block of Santa Monica Pier 3:15 p.m.
Drunk driving 1700 block of Lincoln 3:44 p.m.
Person down 28th/ Pico 4:53 p.m.

DAILY FIRE LOG

The Santa Monica Fire Department responded to 44 calls for service on Oct. 17.

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

EMS Ocean/ Colorado 12:12 a.m.
EMS 1300 block of 3rd St Prom 12:15 a.m.
Miscellaneous outside fire 16th/ Santa Monica 12:24 a.m.
Miscellaneous outside fire 700 block of Idaho 12:32 a.m.
EMS 300 block of San Vicente 1:09 a.m.
EMS Main/ Marine 1:18 a.m.
Arcing wires 700 block of Montana 2:04 a.m.
Arcing wires 14th/ Pearl 2:16 a.m.
Wires down 1800 block of Euclid 2:16 a.m.
Transformer fire 10th/ Pico 2:21 a.m.
Transformer fire 4th/ Colorado 2:39 a.m.

Transformer fire Main/ Strand 2:51 a.m.
EMS 2900 block of 4th 4:46 a.m.
EMS Lincoln/ I-10 5:29 a.m.
EMS 1300 block of 15th 6:59 a.m.
EMS 100 block of Broadway 7:20 a.m.
Elevator rescue 1400 block of 4th 8:03 a.m.
EMS 12th/ Broadway 8:53 a.m.
EMS 1300 block of Wilshire 9:05 a.m.
EMS 2300 block of Oak 9:47 a.m.
EMS 2500 block of Pearl 10:15 a.m.
Automatic alarm 2900 block of Neilson 10:33 a.m.
EMS 1400 block of Lincoln 10:50 a.m.
Automatic alarm 1300 block of 15th 10:51 a.m.
EMS 800 block of 23rd 11:37 a.m.
EMS 2200 block of 30th 2:34 p.m.
EMS 500 block of Olympic 2:41 p.m.
EMS 400 block of Ocean 2:56 p.m.
EMS 6th/ Santa Monica 3:54 p.m.
EMS 2700 block of 2nd 3:57 p.m.
EMS 1300 block of 20th 4:24 p.m.
EMS 2200 block of 28th 4:53 p.m.



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for the construction of the mixed use
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Resumes can be submitted via mail to 12121 Wilshire Boulevard,
Suite 720 Los Angeles, CA 90025 Attn: Jobs at 1320 2nd Street.

DAILY LOTTERY



Draw Date: 10/15
23 49 57 64 67
Power#: 20
Jackpot: 136M



Draw Date: 10/14
7 27 60 64 74
Mega#: 5
Jackpot: 20M



Draw Date: 10/15
4 5 13 24 43
Mega#: 2
Jackpot: 44M



Draw Date: 10/17
5 13 16 25 32



Draw Date: 10/17
MIDDAY: 1 3 7
Draw Date: 10/17
EVENING: 3 6 6



Draw Date: 10/17
1st: 12 Lucky Charms
2nd: 01 Gold Rush
3rd: 04 Big Ben
RACE TIME: 1:43.49

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WORD UP!

apotheosis

1. the ideal example; epitome; quintessence:
This poem is the apotheosis of lyric expression.

2. the elevation or exaltation of a
person to the rank of a god.

WELL NEWS BY SCOTT LALEE

Counts

■ 1.5: Tax per ounce, in cents, of Philadelphia's sugary drink tax, set to take effect Jan. 1, 2017

■ 92: Estimated annual revenue, in dollars, of city's sugary drink tax, which would be spent on kindergarten care and other city-wide efforts

SOURCE: STAT

Doc Talk

■ Calcium oxalate stone: a kidney stone

Phobia of the Week

■ Homichlophobia: fear of fog

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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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Newsday Crossword

HEARINGBONE WEAVE by Alex Vaughn
Edited by Stanley Newman
www.stanxwords.com

ACROSS

1 Nautical "Halt!"

6 Bring blushes to

11 Hotshot pilot

14 Instrument of India

15 A la __ menu

16 '70s war zone

17 *Whirly Olympic event

19 Hotshot celebrity, for short

20 Ponce de __

21 Lamentation

23 Rude bus rider

27 Mary who wrote *Frankenstein*

28 Necessitate

29 __ acid (vinegar component)

30 Leaves port

31 Maze marking

32 Includes

35 Horse's dad

36 Pilfered

37 French author Émile

38 Goof up

39 Young puppy

40 Sing "Deck the Halls"

41 Imaginary

43 Kids' pellet dispensers

44 Understand speaking without hearing

46 Antarctic water

47 Flung skyward

48 Utah national park

49 Letter after sigma

50 Site suggested by the starred answers

56 Supposed sixth sense

DOWN

1 Fire residue

2 Through, on an itinerary

3 Casino \$\$\$ source

4 Walton of Walmart

5 Rack for roses

6 Cast member

7 German highway

8 Incoming LAX flight

9 Instruction to a cabbie

10 Packard's high-tech partner

11 *Noisy Verdi piece

12 Michael of *Interstellar*

13 Containing nothing

18 Stagger

22 *Arabian Nights* name

23 Reverend Jackson

24 Walking __ (blissful)

25 *Before-the-foxbunt drinks

26 Bit of folklore

27 Head covering

29 Oceanic ring

31 In its __ (replacing it)

33 Unaccompanied

34 Spicy dip

36 Snugly contained

37 Turns sharply

39 Grapple in a ring

40 *60 Minutes* producer

42 FDR-era agency

43 Big help

44 Minstrels' instruments

45 Bridge non-bid

46 Washer cycle

48 __ oxide ointment

51 French water

52 Grammy category since 1989

53 See 55 Down

54 __ Arbor, MI

55 With 53 Down, late-night flight

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by MARINA ANDALON

Man on the Street

Q: Do you vote by mail? How do you like voting by mail rather than by polls?



NASOAN SHEFTEL GOMES

I have voted by mail, but not consistently. Going to the polls can be such a hassle at times but it always crosses my mind when early voting starts and I wonder if my ballot even went through. I do think it is very convenient to vote by mail, and I have learned not to wait so long to mail it in.



NANCY SHEFTEL GOMES

I have been voting by mail for a long time now. I think they rejected my vote one time because of my signature. Apparently it did not look like my signature that I have signed over the years. Although that was not the best experience, I enjoy voting by mail, it's convenient and you can track your ballot online. The best part, there is no line.



STEVE MILLER

No I have yet to vote by mail. Now that I think about it, I do see myself considering voting by mail, it is convenient when you compare it to voting at the polls and waiting half an hour in line. As for this year I will stick to the polls.



KEITH GRAVES

Yes I do vote by mail, although I believe it doesn't matter half the time because it is fixed. I don't see myself heading to the polls and waiting and by mail it is faster and on my time, to a certain extent. I also move a lot so it makes voting that much easier.



KATE PETERS

No I don't vote by mail, actually I don't see myself ever voting by mail. I also worry about information, no one wants their personal information roaming around especially when it comes to voting for such an important subject. To me it is no trouble going to the polls to place my vote. I now work the polls, and hope more people go.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 19)

Your dreams will bloom like a microwaved popcorn situation: Sit on the outside, listen, and count. Your good fortune will be delicious, especially when several friends are involved. There's a highlight in December and another big income boom in January. If you want to make more, you'll have to learn more. Gemini and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 2, 22, 13 and 29.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

You're solid. You know what's right for your life and what's not. You can and will keep the negative forces at a distance, not with anger but with dignity.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

Things are not black and white for you -- or for anyone, really. That's why this will be a day in which you will choose not to judge, and not to throw your attention away on negativity.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

Money might not be able to buy true love or devotion or anything that's really important, but money can still solve a lot of problems. You'll solve problems with your money today.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

You will be offered what you wanted and deserved several months ago. You can afford to take time with your response. Also, don't rush to grant acceptance -- but do accept.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

It's wonderful when they really get you. It's also not so bad when they don't. There's a lot of inner life that is sparked by the flint of that. Your mind starts spinning when it's mad!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

All those mild perks -- you need to appreciate them. Don't compare. This is a time to home in on what's good. Keep your passion alive. Only you can set the limit to your potential.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

You can crush up the tension in a room by just speaking. The words you use are not as important as how you use them. Your use of this talent will further your aims.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

The decision seems big. You could deliberate, make your pros and cons list, call your mother, etc., but that would be pageantry. You already know what to do. You've known for a while now.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

This group you need to be a part of now -- there's a certain rhythm to it, and you'll click right in, as long as you don't hesitate or doubt yourself. "Strong and wrong": Make that your creed.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Here's how to get into this group: Listen; pay attention; figure out the needs and wants of all involved. You won't have answers, and you don't need to. Your eye contact alone is a healing balm.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

The effort to be known -- that's a theme today. You know who your friends are, and they'll make sure you don't forget about them. All that you have you'll put into your performance tonight.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

Network. Acquaintances on the social scene are prime sources of employment and love opportunities, if not for yourself then for a close friend. Make a point of chatting up everyone you know.

Gemini Moon

When the moon is in the sign of the twins, the lesson is related to the polarization of life. What you very sincerely and desperately want and what you very sincerely and desperately don't want are on the same pole. Place your attention in either direction and expect results under this lunar influence.

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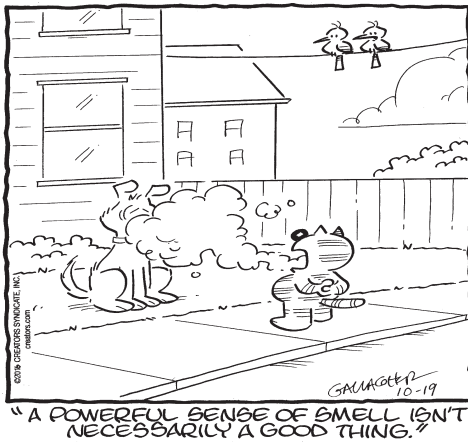
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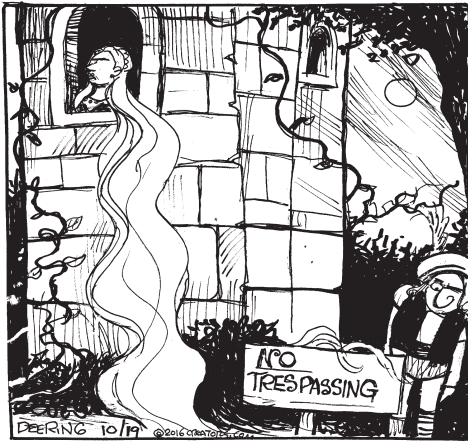
Heathcliff

By PETER GALLAGHER



Strange Brew

By JOHN DEERING



Agnes

By TONY COCHRAN



Dogs of C-Kennel

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Zack Hill

By JOHN DEERING & JOHN NEWCOMBE



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Response to Feinstein

Editor:

I read Michael Feinstein’s October 17, 2016 commentary “Initiative Reform and Measure LV Drafting Errors” and I noticed several errors in it. However I would like to concentrate on the question whether Measure LV would require a public vote before property owners could rebuild to their pre-existing building height and envelope in the case of an earthquake or other major natural disaster. The answer is very simple: Measure LV would NOT require a public vote. As Michael Feinstein pointed out existing state and local law generally allows property owners to rebuild to the building’s previous height and envelope even if previous height and massing exceed current standards. Measure LV would not change this. Measure LV does not require voter approval for the repair or reconstruction of any building after a natural or man-made disaster. The Santa Monica Zoning Code addresses the repair and reconstruction of structures after these types of losses in Section 9.27.040 “Restoration of a Damaged Nonconforming Structure.” Measure LV does nothing to revoke or alter this Zoning Code section. Once Measure LV is approved by the voters on November 8th, buildings that are taller than the Tier 1 base height of 32’-36’ will be considered as “Existing Nonconforming Structures”. Their repair or reconstruction would only require compliance with the provisions set forth in Section 9.27.040 which does not require voter approval.

The opponents of the LUVE Initiative, Measure LV, are attempting to confuse the voters of Santa Monica into voting against their own best interests. We must do what is best for ourselves, our children, our grandchildren and future generations as well and vote YES on LUVE-MEASURE LV.

Dr. Daniel Galamba
Santa Monica

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Name Changes

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Case No. SS026434 Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles Petition of JENNEY LEE for Change of Name TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner: JENNEY LEE filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: JENNEY HYON LEE to JENNEY LEE. 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: NOV 18, 2016 Time: 8:30 AM, Dept: WE-K, Room: A-203 The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1725 MAIN ST., ROOM 102, SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Santa Monica Daily Press. Date: SEP 9, 2016

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NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING
BEFORE THE SANTA MONICA PLANNING COMMISSION

SUBJECT: A Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Commission on the following:

Development Review Permit 16ENT-0096, Variance 16ENT-0097, Vesting Tentative Tract Map 16ENT-0131, 423-429 Ocean Avenue. The applicant requests approval of a Development Review Permit (16ENT-0096), Variance (16ENT-0097), and Vesting Tentative Tract Map (16ENT-0131) for a three- and four-story, 12-unit condominium project with associated landscaping and subterranean parking located at 423-429 Ocean Avenue. The proposed project includes retention of portions of the extant apartment buildings and the courtyard area associated with the City Landmark-designated Colonial Revival style garden apartment complex. Variances are requested to allow for encroachments into required yard setbacks, to exceed allowable parcel coverage, and to modify off-street parking requirements. Certification of a Final Environmental Impact Report (14EIR-003) and adoption of a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program will be necessary to approve the project. The Draft Environmental Impact Report was circulated for a 30-day public review period which commenced on October 16, 2014, and concluded on November 17, 2014.The property is located within the R4 (High Density Residential) District. [Planner: Roxanne Tanemori] **APPLICANT: Adele Chang/LCRA. PROPERTY OWNER: S.M. Ocean Star, LLC.**

Development Review Permit and Specific Plan Amendment 16ENT-0140 for New City Services Building at Santa Monica City Hall and **Amendment to the Civic Center Specific Plan; 1685 Main Street.** Development Review Permit (16ENT-140) to construct a new 45-foot, three-story, 50,200 square-foot City Services building addition to City Hall. The new City Services Building would consolidate City service counters and departmental staff at City Hall. City Hall (and parcel) is a designated City Landmark. The building is being designed to achieve certification under the Living Building Challenge of the International Living Future Institute (www.living-future.org). The Planning Commission will also consider a recommendation to the City Council on an amendment to the Civic Center Specific Plan. The current Civic Center Specific Plan calls for the City Services Building to be built as a separate structure on Main Street north of City Hall. The relocation of the building to the rear of the existing Landmark City Hall building requires a specific plan amendment. Approval of the Development Review Permit would be conditioned upon City Council adoption of the Civic Center Specific Plan amendment. [Planner: Elizabeth Bar-Ei] **APPLICANT/PROPERTY OWNER: City of Santa Monica.**

WHEN: Wednesday, November 2, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

WHERE: Council Chambers, City Hall
1685 Main Street
Santa Monica, California

HOW TO COMMENT

The City of Santa Monica encourages public comment. You may comment at the Planning Commission public hearing, or by writing a letter or e-mail. Information received prior to the hearing will be given to the Planning Commission at the meeting.

MORE INFORMATION

If you want additional information about this project or wish to review the project, please contact the Case Planner at (310) 458-8341. The Zoning Ordinance is available at the Planning Counter during business hours or available on the City’s web site at www.santa-monica.org. The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. If you have any disability-related accommodation request, please contact (310) 458-8341, or TYY Number: (310) 458-8696 at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting. *Santa Monica “Big Blue” Bus Lines #1, #2, #3, Rapid 3, #7, and #9 service the City Hall and the Civic Center. The Expo Line terminus is at Colorado Avenue and Fourth Street, a short walk to City Hall. Public parking is available in front of City Hall and on Olympic Drive and in the Civic Center Parking Structure (validation free).*

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65009(b), if this matter is subsequently challenged in Court, the challenge may be limited to only those issues raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Santa Monica at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.

ESPAÑOL: Esto es una noticia de una audiencia pública para revisar aplicaciones proponiendo desarrollo en Santa Monica. Si deseas más información, favor de llamar a Carmen Gutierrez en la División de Planificación al número (310) 458-8341.

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