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THE BIG THINGS AROUND ISSUE

BB committee is under fire

Malibu parents call for two members to resign their posts

BY MELODY HANATANI | Daily Press Staff Writer

CITY HALL Still upset with a turn-of-events that led to a reduction in construction funding for Malibu High School, several Malibu parents are calling on the resignation of two district advisory committee members, citing potential conflict of interest in their alleged advocacy for Santa Monica High School.

The Board of Education on Thursday heard from Malibu parents concerned about the conduct of the Measure BB Advisory Committee for introducing a new set of recommendations regarding the allocation of construction bond monies shortly before a meeting last month when the board was set to approve its staff proposal.

Some of the Malibu parents that attended the Oct. 18

meeting in Santa Monica City Hall accused the committee of “hijacking” the already set plan, a proposal that would’ve sent \$27.5 million to Malibu High School while Santa Monica High School would’ve gotten \$38.4 million. The board ended up approving the revised Measure BB recommendation, which increased funding to Samohi to \$57 million while decreasing Malibu’s share to \$13.5 million.

“We have experienced a classic bait and switch,” said Malibu parent Colleen Baum, who introduced the discussion on Thursday.

Baum demanded district staff launch an investigation into the conduct of the committee, which makes recommendations to the board on allocating Measure BB funding, and asked that members Chris Harding and Judith Meister be forced to resign from their posts for conflict of interest. Staff was directed to see if there were any violations in the committee’s actions.

She’s referring to the Coalition for an Excellent Samohi Campus, which formed in response to the district staff’s original recommendation, hoping to draw more money

toward Santa Monica High School. The committee’s co-founders include Meister and Laurie Lieberman, whose husband is Harding. Baum added that when Harding spoke at the meeting last month, most of his statements mirrored the concerns of the coalition.

Both Harding and Meister rejected the notion of a conflict of interest on Friday and said they have no intention of resigning.

Meister said she was appointed to the committee because of her experience in working in capital projects for 18 years and her leadership role at Santa Monica High School and John Adams Middle School as the PTSA president.

“I see my role as any one else on the committee as representing a point of view,” Meister said on Friday.

Malibu parents argued that funding is critically needed in order to create a more distinct high school and middle school, both of which currently share the a single campus.

In presenting the committee’s proposal last month,

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COMMUNITY PROFILES

YOGA FOR GUYS

Diamond Dallas Page creates routine for regular folks

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Photo courtesy Chris Stanford

These jerks know their ice cream

Soda fountain makes plans to call pier home

BY KEVIN HERRERA
Daily Press Staff Writer

SM PIER The Charles Loeffl Banana Royal and the Will Rogers hot fudge brownie are just some of the treats the ice-cream experts at Soda Jerks plan to serve at the historic Loeffl Hippodrome carousel building here when they open an old-school soda fountain next year.

Soda Jerks, known for its shakes, hot fudge sundaes and phosphates, is close to finalizing a contract with City Hall to build and operate a soda fountain at the pier using high-quality ice cream from the Fosselman Ice Cream Company, which has been making the dessert with a butter fat content of 16 percent since 1919.

Kevin McCafferty, a third generation soda jerk, said he plans to create a soda

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Ken Edwards Center, 1527 4th St.

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2101 Ocean Park Blvd., 1 p.m. — 3 p.m.

The Fairview Branch Library invites the public to play bridge. All levels welcome.

Hatha Yoga at FPC

1220 Second St., 7 p.m. — 8:15 p.m.

Yoga instructor John Sweetman will lead in the Renaissance Room at First Presbyterian Church of Santa Monica. Cost is \$5 per class.

'Bathroom Talk'

1404 Third Street Promenade, 7:30 p.m. — 9 p.m.

The Promenade Playhouse presents "Bathroom Talk," an improv sketch comedy about the unusual things that occur in the Ladies room at a night club. Tickets are \$12 at the door. For more information, call Laura at (310) 430-8828.

Mental health workshop

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Tuesday, Nov. 20, 2007

Ross @ the Gibson

100 Universal City Plaza, Universal City, 8:15 p.m.

Will there be enough room in the Gibson Ampitheatre for Diana Ross's 'fro? Check out tonight's show to find out.

All-Star Pro Jam

1432 Fourth St., 9 p.m.

Hosted by Walter Davis. Cover charge is \$5. For more information, visit www.harvelles.com.

Story Time for Twos

2601 Main St., 10 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

The Ocean Park Branch Library brings back their music and story program for toddlers aged 24 — 36 months. Registration and an accompanying adult are required. For more information or to make a reservation, call (310) 392-3804.

Story timez Tuesdays

11360 Santa Monica Blvd., L.A., 10 a.m. — 11 a.m.

The West L.A. Library offers stories and crafts for kids every Tuesday morning.

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





MISSION POSSIBLE

Santa Monica firefighters from station 122 plan their course of action Friday morning during a mock drill by the Hazardous Materials Unit at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium. SMFD firefighters, working alongside colleagues from the Los Angeles Fire Department, practiced such things as removing people from a hazardous area and testing unknown substances.

Morgan Genser news@smdp.com

Parties set to resume negotiations

Striking writers return to talks after walking out

DAISY NGUYEN

Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES Hollywood film and TV writers who've been on a nearly two-week strike against studios will return to contract negotiations on Nov. 26, their union and producers said Friday.

In a joint statement, the Writers Guild of America and the Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers said both sides had agreed to return to formal negotiations.

The statement said no other details would be released.

Meanwhile, writers would continue on the picket lines, said Gregg Mitchell, a spokesman for the guild.

Some writers applauded the return to talks.

"That's fabulous, that's great," said Sean Jablonski, a writer for the FX drama "Nip/Tuck." "You can't get a deal until two sides sit down and talk about it," Jablonski said.

"It's a good message to hear around the holidays," he said.

John Aboud, a TV writer and a strike captain, said he hoped a return to talks would quickly lead to a contract.

"I'm delighted to see they're starting to move forward and I hope we can wrap this thing up soon," said Aboud.

It's unclear what pushed both sides back to the table. The strike has been bruising and very public, with writers being joined by actors on picket lines and producers taking out full-page newspaper ads to tell their side of the story.

Since the strike began Nov. 5, late night talk shows and several sitcoms have gone to reruns. Other shows are counting down the number of episodes they have left before running out of scripts.

Industry analysts had previously thought there would be enough scripts to produce shows well into January. But many shows have gone off the air at a faster pace than expected, as crews have refused to cross picket lines.



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Does this guy have an agenda?

Editor:

In Bill Bauer's column on Nov. 11 ("If traffic doesn't get you, ficus trees will," SMDP page 4) he rather scornfully asks where the "treehuggers" were when other trees were being destroyed. The answer is that government often acts before the public can do anything to prevent it, as occurred with the plane trees fiasco on Pico Boulevard 10 years ago.

Bauer seems to be implying that it is a simple matter to stop City Hall, on the one hand, and on the other, he rants against the TreeSavers efforts to stop the current attempt to destroy even more ficus trees. He considers us to be a vocal minority, yet we were able to prevent many of the trees from being destroyed by showing that the city lied when claiming they were diseased. Why isn't Bauer asking what other lies the city is telling? Why isn't he asking the real reason the city wants to destroy these beautiful, mature ficus trees?

Why is Bauer so upset that the Landmarks Commission is being asked to designate these trees with landmark status, but doesn't seem to mind that they are designated as facilities? He conveniently neglects to mention that the city designated the trees as facilities to avoid having to notify the public. A public toilet is a facility, or is the city using that nomenclature because dogs use trees to relieve themselves?

Obviously Bauer has his own agenda. He often takes the city to task about other things going on in this city, and has remarked about the council's incompetence and arrogance in the past. Why not in this case? I suspect he has embarked on this vendetta against the TreeSavers because he is ego involved, and has a personal grudge against those leading the effort.

Jon Mann
Santa Monica

Who will fight the war?

Editor:

President Bush vetoes a health and education bill and OKs a big increase in war expenditures. America's defense budget is now \$471 billion which does not include the President's pending war request of almost \$200 billion. Bush's war machine is bankrupting the country.

The bipartisan and fiscally sound health and education bill deals with basic needs for the American people: Education for our children, assistance in paying skyrocketing energy costs, veterans health care, research of cancer and other deadly diseases.

Bush's veto of the bill was pure politics and he did it with a straight face. Question: How can W have healthy soldiers for his wars if he keeps vetoing health bills?

Ron Lowe
Santa Monica

Cycling to anarchy

Editor:

Kyle Hertier is either fooling himself or he isn't part of the Critical Mass group. The last thing they promote is safe cycling in the City of Santa Monica. Critical Mass is on the same par as anarchists. Their only objective is to disrupt.

Kent Cullom
Santa Monica



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Going out on a limb for saving the past

EVERY DAY, ANOTHER LINK TO OUR PAST just seems to go away. Sometimes it's a favorite restaurant, market or store that's closing. Some are just "old friends" while others have real historic value.

The 37-year-old National Theater in Westwood Village, one of my favorite and among the best movie houses in the country, recently closed its doors and will make way for — you got it — an ugly mini-mall with designer jeans and tchotchke shops. A couple of theater lovers have applied for landmark status with the City of Los Angeles to try and preserve it. Most likely, the designation won't pass muster. Although it's a magnificent 1,100-seat movie house with a huge curved screen and a bone-chattering THX sound system, aside from a number of movie world premiers, it's really not historic.

The Nu Wilshire Theater in the 1300 block of Wilshire Boulevard here in Santa Monica is also up for landmarking. Property owner, Soundview Investment Properties, has terminated Landmark Theaters' lease, turned off the projectors and plans to convert the place into retail space for a blue jeans shop.

I remember the Wilshire Theater when it was a big, single screen theater. It was remodeled and divided in half in the mid-1970s resulting in two unattractive and uncomfortable shoe boxes. Nevertheless, the Nu Wilshire was popular with cineastes of the unusual and offbeat in film. It's going through the landmark process now, even though much of the original detailing, marquee and architectural features are gone.

The Aero Theater on Montana Avenue, built by Donald Douglas in 1939 is still operating and as a wonderfully refurbished, state-of-the art single auditorium theater. Surprisingly, it isn't even on the city's historic inventory.

The Zucky's sign at 431 Wilshire Boulevard is a city landmark. The only thing "historical" about the delicatessen itself was that it was a hangout for City Hall activists and local politicians in the 1970s. When its parking lot was sold for a public housing project years ago, Zucky's closed. To me, there's nothing historical, special or unique about the Zucky's sign — the last remnant of an old deli.

In Ocean Park, property owner, Mark Woolen is seeking design approval for a 1,213-square-foot one and two floor addition on the backside of a single family residence at 2617 Third St. — in the Third Street Historic District. The original front house, built in 1905, is a "contributing structure to the historic district." Woolen's proposed modern addition is defined as a "noncontributing structure."

This project is the subject of heated debate among neighbors and preservationists who say Woolen's contemporary addition will "ruin" the historic district which is characterized by Victorian and Queen Anne style, single family homes. The Landmarks Commission will consider Woolen's request at their Dec. 10 meeting. Let's hope they just say "no" and keep the district "pure."

I'm wondering about the four, contiguous, Victorian and Queen Ann single family homes on 14th Street between Wilshire Boulevard and Arizona Avenue. According to the City Planning Department, no landmark applications have been filed. Is this a mini-historic district waiting for preservation? If there's no move to save them, they will succumb to the wrecker's ball.

The current "historic preservation" controversy is still about the ficus trees on Second and Fourth streets in downtown. Treesavers, an ad-hoc tree hugger group, is now attempting to "save" some (or all?) of these run-of-the-mill trees from relocation or removal by landmarking them.

The only trees in danger of outright

A COUPLE OF THEATER LOVERS HAVE APPLIED FOR LANDMARK STATUS WITH THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES TO TRY AND PRESERVE IT. MOST LIKELY, THE DESIGNATION WON'T PASS MUSTER.

removal are the 23 ficus that are public safety hazards. Architect and another Treesavers spokesperson, Dan Jansenson, in a letter to the SMDP, ("C'Mon Bauer, hug a tree already," Page 4, Nov. 14.) says Treesavers want to save "31 (and possibly more)" trees.

The vast majority of the Second and Fourth streets trees have been saved and Jansenson even states, "trees proven to be a hazard, in fact, should be removed." But some, if not all, of the unspecified "group of trees," that Jansenson says "are of great significance" and should be declared "historic" are designated for relocation to fill in the canopy at Second and Fourth streets locations as well as in other parts of the community. In other words, "relocated" just like the "landmark" Victorian home housing Angel's Attic that was approved for relocation last week (for the third time in its 113 year history) from Colorado Avenue to Heritage Square.

In the meantime, the Treesavers are out on a limb and barking up the wrong trees. These ficus don't meet ANY of the criteria for landmark protection. This "mountain out of a molehill" is about milking publicity, ego and self-aggrandizement. Stretching it out for yet another month (when this will be back before the Landmarks Commission in December) is beating a dead horse.

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Web scammers are everywhere

FROM TIME TO TIME, I'LL GET ONE of those spam e-mails inviting me to check out a money-making opportunity. They make promises that defy belief. Imagine earning a six-figure annual income with residuals while working a mere 10-15 hours per week in the comfort of your own home! So, in a moment of childish optimism I click on the link to see if anything has changed in the world of online scams.

Jim W. from Okobojee, Iowa was a porta potty repair man for 12 years and last month earned \$38,206.02 through this amazing online affiliate program. If you think that's crazy then you should read what Barb Poppadopolis from Sassafras, Kentucky earned last month after a decade of working the tortilla table at Taco Bell. She tells a story of how her and her friends had a celebratory bonfire in which they used her 1977 AMC Gremlin as kindling. As I scroll down this never ending Web page it's photo upon photo, testimonial upon testimonial, flashy quotes, huge dollars and so forth. All I'm trying to locate is the fine print and required start up cost, but no, they want my name and e-mail address before anything else. I type in my info in hopes of getting down to facts and figures. At a retail value of \$399, they're going to set me up with a legion of CD Roms and reference manuals for the once-in-a-lifetime steal of \$79.99 and a 30-day money back guarantee. I was born at night; I wasn't born last night.

The evolution of the Internet has brought about so many magnificent additions to our day-to-day lives. I won't even bother mentioning them because they're all too obvious, but every silver lining has a grey cloud. With every societal advancement is born a scammer, one who seeks out the most effective methods of squeezing something out of nothing at any expense. In this case it's two-fold, depleting people of their hard earned money, and crushing their hopes of reaping their little slice of the multi-billion dollar Internet pie.

Last week I got an email from a Ugandan Prince asking me to cash a \$30 million check from his associate in

America. He'd let me keep \$50,000 as a service fee and instructed me to wire the remaining funds to him via Western Union. Six Billion people in the world and I'm the chosen one! Our world is filled with some of the laziest, shadiest, most scandalous people you could ever imagine. They hide away in their little hole, just sucking the goodness and innocence from others. The ultimate parasite. They can't even look you in the eye while robbing you. They sit at home all day creating scams, hiding behind technology and consequently a new victim is born each minute. Look in the employment section in the back of the paper and focus on work-from-home opportunities, they all cost something. Just once, I'd like to see one of these ventures afford me the opportunity to enroll and get started for free. Let me experience the success first-hand and then I'll pay.

I don't get, I just don't get it. If it were me, and I had a world-class online venture in which I was trying to bring on people, I'd develop some way of letting them test the waters before investing. If we can put a man on the moon and build a car that will parallel park itself, surely we can come up with a way to create such a venture. For the record, I'm no genius, which means I'm not the first one to propose this idea. Hence, in my humble and non-genius opinion, 99.99999 percent of these offers out there are bona fide scams. The legitimate ones should change their beat so that prospects could set them apart.

To all you poor saps who get scammed time after time, keep your chin up. Eventually you'll find the right opportunity in which you'll at least break even ... or not. My motto is to treat others the way I'd like to be treated. Don't kid yourself, I'm no saint, but if I steal from you I'll at least afford you the courtesy of seeing my face and informing you that you are about to be taken. My bottom line will undoubtedly be affected by this tactic, but at least I'll sleep well at night. And for the few idiots that still choose to sign up, you have it coming!

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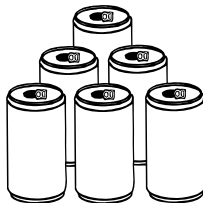
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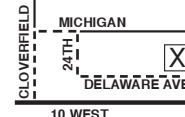


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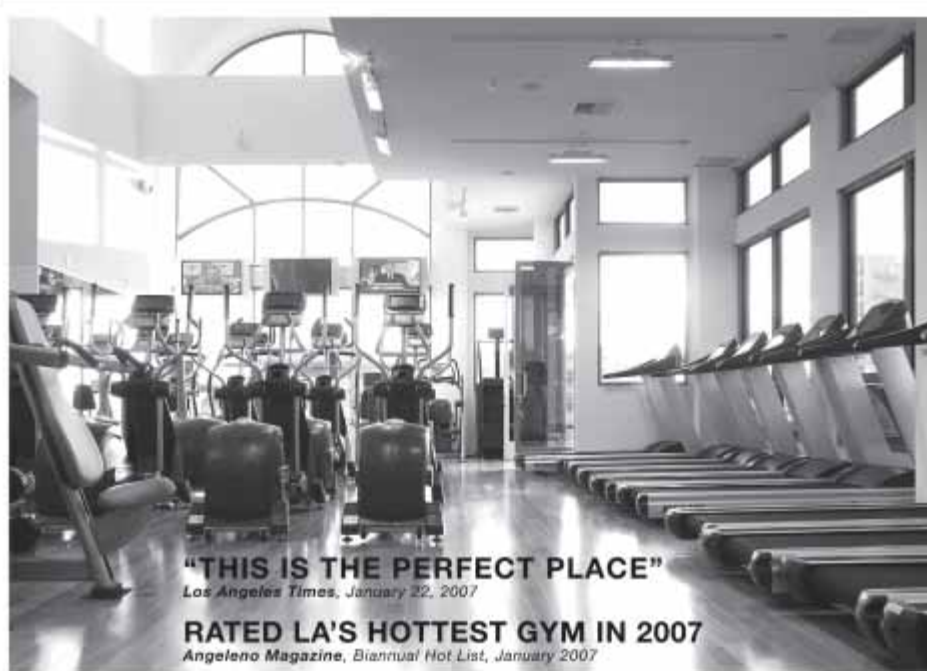
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Saving history or stalling progress?

Some homeowners who live in the Third Street Neighborhood Historic District are up in arms over pending improvements to existing structures. They say that the projects would alter the look and feel of the city's only official historic district and want the plans to be revised to reflect the other homes on the block.

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

Are the angry homeowners overreacting or does something need to be done to preserve the neighborhood's classic style?

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"Know Before You Go" is a weekly update on construction projects throughout Santa Monica. Here is a run-down of this week's construction projects initiated by City Hall

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Material delivery to the construction site will continue 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays. Flag persons will be in the area to ensure safe conditions and limit disruption to Pacific Coast Highway.

Annual Tree Trimming Project

City trees will be trimmed at the following locations this winter: 24th Street (San Vicente Boulevard to Montana Avenue), 14th Street (San Vicente to Montana), Fourth Street (Montana to Wilshire Boulevard), 24th Street (Idaho Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard), Cedar Street (Seventh Street to Lincoln Boulevard), 28th Street (Pico Blvd to Ocean Park Boulevard), Centinela Avenue (Santa Monica Boulevard to Nebraska Street), Georgina Avenue (Ocean Avenue to 14th Street), Ashland Avenue (Lincoln Boulevard to 14th Street), Georgina Avenue (14th Street to 17th Street), Carlyle Avenue (Ninth Street to 14th Street), Sixth Street (Idaho Avenue to Wilshire Boulevard), Douglas Park, and 14th Street (Pico to Ocean Park boulevards). There will be minimal lane closures from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Mondays thru Fridays. The annual tree trimming schedule is subject to change without notice due to inclement weather, emergencies, community events, budget conditions, street repairs or other public improvements. Residences and businesses will be notified in advance of tree trimming operations, blocks will also be posted with no parking signs.

Back On the Beach Café (445 Pacific Coast Hwy.)

Due to construction of the Annenberg Community Beach Club, parking at Lot 10 is limited, however, Back On the Beach Café remains open. Patrons are advised to carpool, ride a bike or park in Lot 9 north instead. The self pay machine in Lot 9 allows payment for either all-day or 2-hour parking. Flag persons will be assisting with parking lot and Pacific Coast Highway traffic flow, weekdays between the hours of 9am and 4pm.

Big Blue Bus Campus Expansion (1620 Sixth St.)

Public parking at the corner of Sixth Street and Colorado Avenue is now closed. There is no parking or pedestrian access to the south sidewalk of Colorado Boulevard, between Sixth and Seventh streets. West sidewalk of Seventh Street, between Colorado Avenue and Olympic Boulevard will also be closed to pedestrians.

Marine Street Utility Undergrounding

Relocation and undergrounding of electric, phone, and cable facilities on Marine Street, between Lincoln Boulevard and Prospect Court. Parking limitations will be posted daily and detours may be announced as necessary.

Second and Fourth Street Pedestrian Improvements

Pedestrian and streetscape improvements along Second and Fourth streets will consist of sidewalk repairs, installation of the new curb extensions at mid-block crossings, tree replacements and relocations, and tree uplighting. Temporary closures of various sidewalk locations and parking lane areas.

Stewart Park Restroom Project (1819 Stewart St.)

Construction of new restroom facilities at Stewart Park. Sidewalk is closed on the west side of Stewart Street (between Exposition and Delaware). Please use east sidewalk. Temporary restrooms are on-site for public use.

Traffic Signal Upgrade

Installation of the fiber optics infrastructure will continue on Lincoln Boulevard from Olympic Boulevard north to Wilshire Boulevard, Wilshire Boulevard from Lincoln Boulevard, and Ocean Avenue from California Avenue south to Colorado Boulevard. Fiber optics infrastructure installation will begin on Pico Boulevard from Ocean Avenue to Lincoln Boulevard and on Fourth Street from Pico to Olympic Drive. Traffic signal modifications will begin at the Pennsylvania Avenue/26th Street intersection. Work hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Lane closures and sidewalk closures can be expected throughout the construction zones.

Wilshire Storm Water Diversion Structure

Construction for the installation of the diversion facility on Ocean Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard is in process and is scheduled for completion in December. Traffic will be narrowed to two lanes north, one lane south on Ocean Avenue at Wilshire.



Judge approves gang restrictions

BY GILLIAN FLACCUS
Associated Press Writer

SANTA ANA An Orange County Superior Court judge approved a preliminary injunction Friday against 139 alleged members of a gang in the historic mission town of San Juan Capistrano.

The injunction, approved by Judge Daniel J. Didier, means that alleged members of the Varrio Viejo gang will be arrested if they are seen associating with one another, wearing gang clothing or making gang handsigns within a 1 1/2-square-mile area in San Juan Capistrano and Mission Viejo.

A civil trial will be held to determine whether the injunction becomes permanent.

"This is a very insidious street gang. This cannot be tolerated," Didier said. "This terror cannot continue."

The judge was expected to approve another preliminary injunction against a rival gang, the San Clemente-based Varrio Chicos, later Friday.

Those named in the injunction against the Varrio Viejo gang held a protest march late Thursday in San Juan Capistrano, a city in southern Orange County that is primarily known for its historic Catholic mission and the legendary return of the swallows to the mission church each spring to nest.

Dozens of the alleged gang members and their families showed up for the 20-

minute hearing Friday in Santa Ana. Dozens of sheriff's deputies and San Juan Capistrano police officers also attended.

Genaro Garcia, a 16-year-old high school junior, said his name was among those listed in the injunction. He said he feared he would get arrested even if he tried to comply with the order because his family lives in the middle of the restricted zone and all his friends are on the list.

THIS IS A VERY INSIDIOUS STREET GANG. THIS CANNOT BE TOLERATED. THIS TERROR CANNOT CONTINUE."

Judge Daniel J. Didier

"We're locked up in our own neighborhood," said Garcia, who said he has been in and out of juvenile detention since age 12 for burglary, trespassing and probation violations.

A court complaint filed Oct. 11 describes the Varrio Viejo gang as "a violent, traditional turf-oriented Hispanic street gang" that has been active in San Juan and Mission Viejo since the late 1970s.

Wiretapping suit stalls out

BY PAUL ELIAS
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO An Islamic charity's lawsuit challenging the Bush administration's warrantless wiretapping program cannot move forward because a key piece of evidence is protected as a state secret, a federal appeals court ruled Friday.

The lawsuit, filed by the Oregon-based U.S. arm of the Al-Haramain Islamic Foundation, alleged the National Security Agency illegally listened to its calls. The charity had wanted to introduce as evidence a top-secret call log they received mistakenly from the Treasury Department.

But the three-judge panel of the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said the log could not be used because it fell under the "state secrets" privilege invoked by the government, and without it, the court said, the foundation had little proof it was wiretapped.

The decision, which reversed a lower court ruling, was a victory for the White House, but didn't entirely put the issue to bed.

The judges sent the case to the U.S. District Court in San Francisco to determine if the law governing the wiretapping of suspected terrorists trumps the state secrets law. The foundation has been labeled a terrorist organization by the U.S. government.

The appellate court's ruling also didn't resolve another lawsuit that more broadly challenges the warrantless wiretapping program.

An attorney for Al-Haramain said he was pleased with the appellate court's ruling and will work to argue his case under a different legal doctrine.

"This is back to the drawing board," lawyer John Eisenberg said. "My case is

still very much alive and kicking."

The Department of Justice also applauded the court.

"The 9th Circuit upheld the government's position that release of this information would undermine the government's intelligence capabilities and compromise national security," DOJ spokesman Charles Miller said in a statement.

Al-Haramain lawyers voluntarily gave the top-secret document to FBI agents after the mistake was discovered.

The document was described by those who have seen it as an NSA log of calls intercepted between the foundation and its American lawyers.

The charity had argued that warrantless eavesdropping of telephone conversations between its directors and lawyers violated the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act, which established a secret court to issue top secret surveillance warrants authorized by a judge.

Earlier, a federal judge in Oregon ruled that the foundation's lawyers couldn't use the actual document to support their lawsuit but could use their memories of its contents to go forward.

The appeals court called that judge's ruling "a commendable effort to thread the needle," but said it still ran counter to the state secrets law, which precludes the disclosure of sensitive information in court that could jeopardize national security.

"Such an approach countenances a back door around the privilege and would eviscerate the state secret itself," Judge M. Margaret McKeown wrote for the panel.

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Radar couldn't detect collision

Coast Guard reports little could have been done to prevent recent bay oil spill

BY SCOTT LINDLAW AND ERICA WERNER

Associated Press Writers

SAN FRANCISCO The Coast Guard said Friday that its radar systems could not have clearly shown that a cargo ship was about to collide into the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge and spill oil into the San Francisco Bay.

The comments by Coast Guard spokesman Capt. Jim McPherson came as the agency sought to deflect responsibility for last week's collision back to the vessel's pilot and captain.

On Thursday, The National Transportation Safety Board said the Coast Guard said nothing to the Cosco Busan in the moments before it hit the bridge and poured 58,000 gallons of fuel into the Bay. That silence by the Coast Guard was

confirmed Friday by an Associated Press review of transmissions between the Coast Guard Vessel Traffic Service and the ship's pilot.

According to McPherson, radar at the VTS operates on a 12-mile scale and does not have the level of detail to show the protective fenders on the bridge supports like the one the Cosco Busan rammed into.

"The resolution on the radar is such that you can't tell with certainty it's going to occur," McPherson told The Associated Press.

"We had no way of knowing, on the type of scale it is," he said.

"The VTS won't have any confirmation that a vessel hasn't hit one of the support structures until it clears the bridge," McPherson said, adding that the location of fixed objects is clearly marked on a pilot's navigational charts. The role of the VTS is to keep moving vessels from colliding and to provide advisory information, he said.

John Meadows, a lawyer for the pilot, disputed McPherson's characterization of the radar. "A properly functioning radar shows not only the towers, but it will also show the piers and the buoys on either side of the piers," Meadows

said. "The VTS should have had access to that. Any good, working radar would show these things."

An official with knowledge of the investigation said that an initial federal review of communications between the Coast Guard's Vessel Traffic Service and the pilot showed that beginning at 8:29 a.m. on Nov. 7, the VTS contacted the Cosco Busan pilot, questioning whether the ship was off-course. The official spoke about the communications on condition of anonymity because of the ongoing investigation.

The communications were broadcast between the VTS and the ship's bridge on public airwaves meant to be heard by other vessels in the area.

It was a foggy morning and visibility was very poor.

"Roger, captain, are you still proceeding out?" Vessel Traffic Service says at 8:29 a.m., according to a review of the audio.

"Traffic?" responds the pilot, acknowledging the communication.

"AIS shows you on 235 heading. What are your intentions? Over," VTS asks. AIS is the Automatic Identification System, a shipboard tracking system.

Forecast not good for resorts and regional water managers

Drought is possible across western states

BY ROBERT WELLER

Associated Press Writer

DENVER Although anecdotal information says ski resort managers hoping for the usual snow dump that has followed warm, dry

falls, forecasters are holding out little hope.

Forecaster Klaus Wolter of the National Atmospheric and Oceanic Administration says his latest forecast still calls for a pervasive tendency towards dry conditions throughout Colorado and most surrounding areas.

As always, he hedges his forecast by calling it experimental.

The dry, warm weather has already delayed the opening of some major ski

resorts — including some who are almost always open for Thanksgiving. Colorado's high altitude usually means they can take that to the bank. There will be some snow by mid-week, perhaps enough to make travel painful, but not enough to make up for the dry spell.

Most resorts have enough snowmaking to cover their mountains until the snow comes — but they also have budgets. If they have to use the water now, what will be available if

needed in the spring?

"NOAA Climate Prediction Center forecasters remain confident in predicting above average temperatures for much of the country including southern sections of the Northeast and below normal precipitation for the southern tier of the nation. Above average precipitation is still anticipated for the Pacific Northwest, and in the Great Lakes and Tennessee Valley," the agency said on its Web site on Thursday.

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By the editors of E Magazine

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Earth will be fine, life not as lucky

Dear EarthTalk:

I recently had an argument with a friend who says that if we pollute and cut down the forests, it doesn't matter because the Earth will take care of itself anyway. How would you counter such an argument?

— Alison Berglof
via e-mail

It is true that Mother Nature has amazing powers to restore her ecosystems, and most scientists agree that it would be nearly impossible for humans to destroy the Earth itself, despite our success at wreaking environmental havoc. Short of a catastrophic meteor strike or some other unforeseen galactic trauma, the Earth will likely continue to spin in the solar system, perhaps as long as there is a solar system.

Example after example from distant and recent history underscore the fact that the Earth can recover from just about any trauma — including the meteor strike 65 million years ago that many believe caused the extinction of the dinosaurs. Whether subjected to tidal waves, volcanic eruptions or nuclear bomb blasts, landscapes reform anew, even if it takes years, decades, centuries or eons.

But what is at stake if we don't clean up our act may be life itself as we know it, both our own and that of other species with which we share the planet. We are already witnessing what may be an even larger species extinction than occurred with the dinosaurs — but this time thanks to various human activities. Eminent Harvard biologist E.O. Wilson predicts that human-caused environmental destruction will lead to the extinction of half of all species on the planet within 100 years. Such species loss is a big problem for humans. That incredible diversity of life keeps our water, soil and air healthy, our stomachs full and our ailments in

check (many modern medicines originated as herbal plant remedies).

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And regardless of the fate of other species, the destruction of our environment also impacts us directly. Though early conservationists sought largely to preserve nature for its own sake and beauty, most environmentalists today see a direct correlation between environmental protection and human health. Modern environmental problems like fast-paced habitat destruction, toxic chemical releases and global warming (which is exacerbated by cutting down forests) raise concerns about the spread of diseases for which we have not evolved proper defenses.

According to a 2002 Princeton University study published in the journal, *Science*, "Pathogens that have been restricted by seasonal temperatures can invade new areas and find new victims as the climate warms and winters grow milder." That trend is already underway and has, so far, primarily impacted

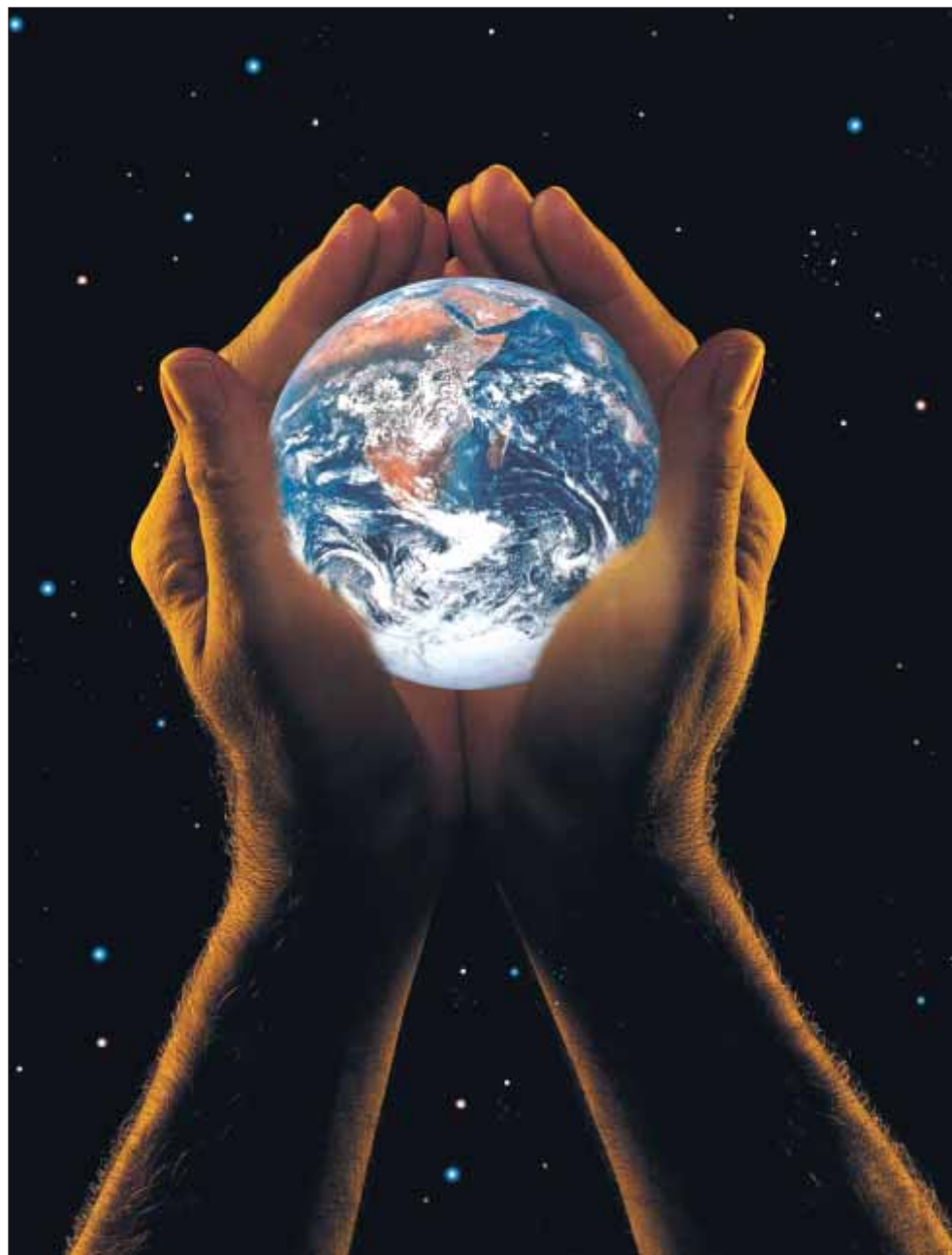


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GETTING BY: Earth itself can survive just about any man-made catastrophe, but life cannot.

non-human animals. However, said Andrew Dobson, a co-author of the study, "The accumulation of evidence has us extremely worried. We share diseases with some of these species. The risk for humans is going up."

"Epidemics of Rift Valley fever, a deadly mosquito-borne disease, rage through northeastern Africa during years of unusual warmth," said the study. "If the climate becomes permanently warmer and wetter ... Rift Valley fever epidemics will become frequent ... Malaria and yellow fever may become more common as milder winters

permit the seasonal survival of more mosquitoes, which carry these diseases. A warmer climate also could enable them to move into areas where the cold once kept them out."

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Thousands try striking it rich

BY JOHN STANLEY
Associated Press Writer

PHOENIX Gold fever.

There may be no ailment as intense or contagious — or fun — as the primordial craving for the lustrous, malleable metal.

“People have been interested in gold for thousands of years,” says Loye Blackburn, who sells prospecting equipment next to his RV in Stanton, a former boomtown that is now a privately owned campsite about a dozen miles north of Wickenburg. “There’s just something about it. You get out there and find a few flakes of gold and it gets pretty exciting.”

Blackburn admits he has had gold fever for decades. Over the years, he has parlayed his affliction into a business, Back Country Prospectors.

“I’m not getting rich,” he says, “but it helps pay some of my gas bills.”

The fever claims new victims daily.

Thousands of recreational prospectors roam the mountains and creek beds of Arizona, trying their luck here and there. Most, though, don’t take it too seriously.

“Don’t quit your day job. That’s the first thing I tell people,” says Bob Truppa, host at the Hilltop Campground at Lynx Lake, southeast of Prescott. Truppa regularly gives panning demonstrations and lessons when the campground is open, from April through October.

“I try to stress that this is a hobby. Some of the shows on TV make it look easy. It’s not that easy. You just don’t run down to the creek and find the mother lode. I’ve got 28 ounces of gold in 28 years.”

The price of gold fluctuates considerably; it flirted with \$800 an ounce a few weeks ago.

But the dream of striking it rich is always there. Truppa tells of friends who’ve found nuggets they’ve sold for \$10,000. And he notes that the Bradshaw Mountains, the heart of Arizona’s gold country, are about 40 miles long and nearly 25 miles wide.

“That’s a lot of real estate. Gold is out there; it’s not all gone,” he says.

Truppa, a full-time RVer, spends his winters in Stanton, another hot spot for Arizona prospectors.

Stanton is owned by the Lost Dutchman’s Mining Association, which operates more than a dozen similar gold-bearing sites across the country.

“We get lots of snowbird prospectors here,” says Linda Walton, who has worked as the camp’s manager for nearly eight years.

For most of the residents, prospecting is a hobby. But Walton has seen a few who got carried away.

“We’ve had people come out here, and they’ve quit their jobs and think they’re going to make it (as a prospector),” she says. “That’s not a very good plan. You can find a lot of gold out here, but you have to be lucky. It’s just common sense. You don’t quit your job and think you’re going to win the lottery.”

Still, some people do manage to make a living at it, says Steve Robertson, who has worked at A&B Prospecting Supplies in Mesa for about three years. But he doesn’t recommend it.

“I’ve been (prospecting) since I was 10 years old,” he says. “I’m 62 now and I think I could make a living at it, but I don’t want

to work that hard.”

A lot of people go out on weekends when they’re hunting or camping or fishing and prospect a little, just to do something different, he says. But some are more dedicated. Robertson says a couple of his customers bring gold worth \$1,000 or more into the store on a regular basis.

“They’ve got a good spot they found, and they keep working it,” he says. “They have regular jobs and just go out on weekends.”

Other people, Robertson says, may go out and work all weekend for 10 cents’ worth of gold.

“Just panning, you’re not going to get rich, but you are going to find color,” he says.

The best plan for beginners, Robertson says, is to join a club.

“It’s inexpensive, and you get a list of places to go to that have gold,” he says. “You don’t have to worry about claim jumping, and you can go out anytime you want to.”

Despite their former reputation for secrecy, solitude and eccentricity, modern-day prospectors are a sociable lot.

“Prospectors I’ve known are more than happy to share information and tips,” Robertson says. “True, they won’t mark an X on your map showing where they like to go, but they’re happy to show newcomers various techniques and equipment and tricks of the trade.”

And you can pan just about anywhere in the national forests or on Bureau of Land Management land, unless that land has been specifically withdrawn from “mineral entry,” says Michael Smith, a geologist with the Prescott National Forest.

“That means land that is no longer open to mining claims,” he says.

Examples would be wilderness areas, wild and scenic river corridors (such as some portions of the Verde River), camp-sites and so on.

“We view gold panning as a low-impact activity. But if people want to come in and bring dredges and big sluices, we need to talk,” Smith says. “Our general rule of thumb is that you can go onto creeks and streams that are not closed to mineral entry.”

Prospectors who plan to go beyond simple panning should contact the appropriate land-management agency for regulations and restrictions.

Bob Truppa, the Hilltop Campground host, emphasizes that prospecting is hard work.

A lot of times you recover only a few flecks of gold in a shovelful of dirt, he says. And it can take 300,000 or 400,000 of those flecks to make 1 ounce of pure gold.

Prospecting has been a big part of his life.

“It gets you out to see these beautiful areas. And it gives you exercise — you work your tail off, digging in the dirt. Every time you do it is different. The gold color is different from area to area. It just gets you out enjoying nature; it gets you off the couch. I’m 66, and I love it,” he says.

Aficionados say it’s the process and camaraderie that make prospecting worthwhile.

“Prospecting is better than going down and sitting in a bar,” says Blackburn, the prospecting-equipment seller. “It’s just a darn good hobby.”



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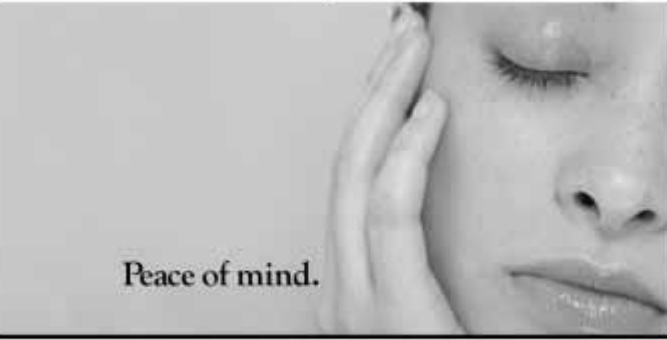
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From one mat to another

Page, a former wrestler, turns into a bona fide power yogi

BY MELODY HANATANI | Daily Press Staff Writer

DOWNTOWN As a world champion wrestler in the mid 1990s, the last thing Diamond Dallas Page envisioned doing was one day trading the wrestling mat for a yoga mat.

“For the first 42.5 years of my life, I would not have been caught dead doing yoga,” Page said in an interview last week.

But what a difference nine years can bring in a former wrestler’s career. Today, Page heads a power yoga class at the Equinox Gym in Santa Monica, a workout that Page swore brought him back from a nearly career-ending injury and got him a world championship.

Though he has dedicated the past decade to building his YRG power yoga workout business, Page is perhaps known most for his time in the wrestling ring, becoming the oldest rookie in history when he became a wrestler at the age of 35.

In his career, which includes stints as both manager and wrestler, Page won numerous titles and appeared on countless talk shows and in a number of films, including “First Daughter,” “Rat Race” and “Snoop Dogg’s Hood of Horrors.”

He was knocked out at least 20 times and swears he has knocked out at least 20 competitors.

The New Jersey native was 42 years old and at the height of his young wrestling career when he ruptured the L4 and L5 discs in his lower back during the filming of the movie, “Ready to Rumble.”

Told by several doctors that he wouldn’t be able to recover, Page was facing the impending end of his seven-year wrestling career. A number of questions swirled in his mind about his next steps, of what to do financially since a seven figure contract would most likely be revoked.



Photos courtesy Diamond Dallas Page

YOGA FOR THE TROOPS: Diamond Dallas Page recently made a trip to Iraq to train the troops stationed there.

world of wrestling. He began devoting his life full-time to power yoga, developing a brand called YRG — Yoga for Regular Guys/Gals.

YRG USES THE PRINCIPALS OF POWER YOGA AND IS MIXED WITH SLOW MOTION CALISTHENICS.”

Diamond Dallas Page, Former wrestling champ

It was then when his wife Kim told Page about Brian Kest and his power yoga studio in Santa Monica. Page was resistant to the idea of practicing yoga, but was reassured by his wife that Kest taught a guy’s type of yoga.

Page started rehabilitation with several of Kest’s videos, surprised by the intensity of the workout. Three months later, Page was back in the ring and a few months after that, he claimed a world championship.

Power yoga became a regular part of the wrestler’s workout regime and as time went on, Page started incorporating changes into the style of yoga, making it his own.

In 2002, after he was dropped on his head during a match and nearly broke his neck, Page bid adieu to the

“YRG uses the principals of power yoga and is mixed with slow motion Calisthenics,” Page said.

The reason why he doesn’t just call it Yoga is out of respect to the real yogis, Page said.

The workouts are often called “boot camp yoga.”

His workout has been successful, selling videos and holding free and well-attended sessions at Playa Vista’s new Sports Park every week. Thanks to his now ex-wife but good friend, Kim, Page also landed a gig at the Equinox Gym in June, teaching the YRG workout every Monday evening. The class gets anywhere from 20 to 30 people every week.

The YRG workouts have also served as inspirations for many of its followers, Page said, noting one client who in



the past three months has lost more than 80 pounds. Clients from all over the world e-mail Page after purchasing his video, telling the former wrestler of their stories. One such e-mail came from a former paratrooper who had very little walking ability before he started the YRG workout. Nearly one year later, the devout YRG follower is now running laps every day.

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Parcel tax renewal bid could be in doubt

FROM BB PAGE 1

co-chairman Gleam Davis said funding to Malibu High School would remain the same while funding to the middle school would be postponed. But parents argued that a lack of funding to the middle school would affect the students at the high school.

For the Malibu parents, the blame didn't end with the Measure BB Advisory Committee, but spread to the Board of Education for approving the plan. Some parents said Malibu residents no longer trust the school board.

A lack of trust would put the viability of a renewed parcel tax measure next year in a dire situation.

Malibu City Councilmember Andy Stern said after he spoke at the board meeting earlier this month, he received

138 phone calls from angry residents, only six of which said they were still in favor of the parcel tax.

"I have never seen anger in my city towards a group like I see in the Board of Education," Stern said on Thursday. "One hundred thirty-two said if they ripped us off on BB, why should we trust them in going forward?"

Board members defended their decision in supporting the Measure BB proposal, some stating it wasn't a matter of Santa Monica versus Malibu, but where funding is most critically needed.

Several of the board members said they supported the committee's proposal — which would fund the high schools and Edison Language Academy first, leaving \$38 million unallocated — because of the uncertainty with the issue of declining enrollment and whether more net

classrooms were needed.

"I felt we needed to get more information as to whether or not building more classrooms was actually feasible," said board member Barry Snell.

Board President Kathy Wisnicki disagreed with the remarks made by her colleagues, capping the discussion with a statement that insinuated that she feels like the only board member from Malibu.

"I just see a really clear lack of understanding and I think we have had community members time and time again come to the board and say the same things and I hear the same message back and that shows a lack of understanding," Wisnicki said.

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Making the pier sweeter

FROM JERKS PAGE 1

fountain that will incorporate Victorian elements of the carousel and include a suspended train that will circle the bar. There will also be a drop tin ceiling to give the fountain the look of those that were located in neighborhood drug stores.

"When we were submitting our proposal we felt like there wasn't any other company that was better suited to do this," said McCafferty, who got his start in the soda jerk business when he was 16 working for Fosselmans in Alhambra. "We're set up for this. Our name is Soda Jerks. When you hear that you can't help but think of an old school soda fountain. We think our opportunities are endless."

City Hall and the Pier Restoration Corp. have been aggressively looking at ways to enliven the pier as they prepare to celebrate its 100th anniversary. A big part of that effort was finding a vendor to operate a soda fountain next to the carousel.

"We are really enthusiastic about working with them," said Miriam Mack, economic development manager for City Hall. "They are a really authentic operation with a wonderful menu and a nostalgic feel that will be appropriate for the carousel."

If the contract and plans are approved, which will include a meeting with the Landmarks Commission, Soda Jerks will occupy roughly 300 square feet of the northeast corner of the building. It's a small space, but large enough to accommodate about 12 stools and possibly a take out window, McCafferty said.

The price and terms of the lease are still to be negotiated. Mack said if all goes well, the fountain will be up and running well before the 100th anniversary celebration in Sept. 2009.

Soda Jerks has been out of operation for the past two years, having closed up

shop in Pasadena to look for a larger space. McCafferty said it has been difficult to find a suitable location in Pasadena, Soda Jerks' hometown, but they are still actively searching and hope to open a location there soon, in addition to the pier.

McCafferty is confident that the pier venture will be a success.

"A lot of times people will sacrifice quality because they assume kids don't care," McCafferty said about competing ice cream operators. "But what they don't realize is that they have to cater to the adults who are bringing these kids, too. That's what we do at Soda Jerks. We use only the best ice cream to satisfy all of our customers. You won't find any generational gap at Soda Jerks."

THEY ARE A REALLY AUTHENTIC OPERATION WITH A WONDERFUL MENU AND A NOSTALGIC FEEL THAT WILL BE APPROPRIATE FOR THE CAROUSEL."

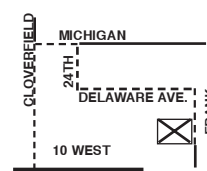
Miriam Mack, Economic development director for City Hall

"We recognize that we have a special opportunity here and we want to make sure we do things right," McCafferty added. "We are very passionate about this project and want to make sure that we do it right the first time, with no mistakes."

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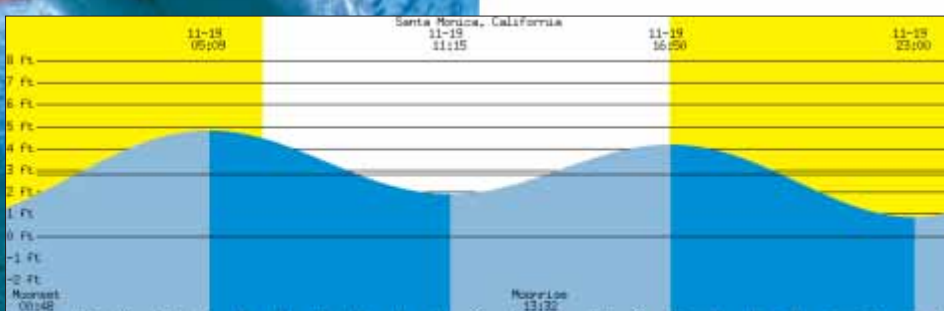
SWELL FORECAST (2-4 FT)

Today the NW swell is expected to back off to around chest high or so as some light southern hemi SW brings waist to chest high waves to south facing breaks. Winds should be light in the AM, then 15 mph onshore in the afternoon. Tide isn't looking to bad throughout the morning.

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TIDE FORECAST FOR TODAY IN SANTA MONICA



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November 13, 2007

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QUICK STATS

Number of sewage spills -- 4
Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 0
Number of wet days -- 5
Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 38 / 31
Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 15 / 12

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LOCATION	DRY	WET	LOCATION	DRY	WET
Las Carillo Beach, at Arroyo Sepul Creek mouth (beacastle)	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Del Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	A+
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	B	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Pulga Canyon storm drain	B	A+
El Pescador State Beach, between Lachasa and Las Aliso creeks	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Teneccal Canyon drain	D	A+
Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauque)	C	D
Bread Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain	D	A+
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	F	B
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A+	A+	Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	F
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	B	F	Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Xenter storm drain	C	F
Escalante Creek, just east of Escalante State Beach	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Street St. (in front of the restaurants)	A+	A
Lariga Canyon Creek mouth	D	A+	Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A	B
Selkirk Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach	A+	A+	Venice City Beach, at the Race Ave. storm drain	A+	A+
Puente State Beach at creek mouth	A+	A+	Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	F	F
Marine Canyon storm drain at Puente Beach, at 24572 Melibu Rd.	D	A+	Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	A	F
Sunridge Beach at Malibu Canyon fence	A+	A+	Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	C	F
Sunridge Beach (beach location) - daily	D	A+	Venice Beach- projection of Topical St.	A+	F
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	A	B	Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach - lifeguard tower	F	F
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A	A+	Dockweiler State Beach at Ballena Creek mouth	A	F
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	A+	Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain	A+	A+
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs	F	F	North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach	A+	A+
Pena Creek at Los Tunes County Beach	A+	A+	Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	A+	F
Tuna Canyon	A	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A+	A+
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	A	ns	Dockweiler Beach opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant	A+	A+
Castroville Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	A	ns	Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	C	A+
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	A+			
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	A+			

LEGEND

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



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MLB Torre finalizes coaching staff

Mattingly and Bowa added to returners from last year's group

BY JOHN NADEL

AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES New manager Joe Torre and the Los Angeles Dodgers completed their coaching staff Friday, retaining pitching coach Rick Honeycutt and first-base coach Mariano Duncan, hiring Bob Schaefer as bench coach and promoting Ken Howell to bullpen coach.

In addition, the team hired Rick Ragazzo as special assistant to the general manager.

Torre announced at his introductory news conference Nov. 5 that Don Mattingly would be the hitting coach and Larry Bowa the third-base coach. Both were members of Torre's staff with the New York Yankees last year.

"Joe and I are very encouraged and confident that this group along with Don Mattingly and Larry Bowa will comprise a tremendous staff," general manager Ned Colletti said on a conference call. "We've got a lot of work ahead of us, especially with the younger players.

"Joe and I spent a lot of time going through this. They're here for a reason, they're here for their expertise. I'm glad we have who we have and encouraged we have a great group."

Colletti also said Manny Mota will return for a 29th season on the staff, and Rob Flippo will come back as bullpen catcher.

Torre said the only people he interviewed for coaching positions were the ones that were hired.

Meanwhile, Torre said he's had some time to familiarize himself with the Dodgers' roster.

"I don't know if there are any gaping holes," he said. "I don't feel like we have to do any overhaul."

Colletti said the Dodgers have contacted a number of free-agent players, but didn't identify them.

"Some of them would be in and around the middle-of-the-order player," he said. "We're still in the early process of it."

He said there have been some trade conversations as well, adding: "We thought we had a deal the other day with somebody and they got cold feet at the end."

When asked specifically about free-agent center fielders Torii Hunter, Andruw Jones and Aaron Rowand, Colletti replied: "They're all good players. We're curious to know what their interest is in playing here."

NCAA FOOTBALL Michigan coach Carr to step down after lackluster year

BY LARRY LAGE
AP Sports Writer

ANN ARBOR, Mich. Michigan coach Lloyd Carr will retire Monday after 13 seasons that included a national championship and five Big Ten titles, but not enough victories against Ohio State to satisfy Wolverines fans.

Carr told The Associated Press of his decision Sunday by phone and said he would not comment further. A news conference will be held Monday on campus.

The 62-year-old coach informed his players and staff of the decision Sunday during a team meeting at Schembechler Hall.

"It's a hard thing to deal with," safety Jamar Adams said. "We're like a family, and when the head of your family is leaving, it's hard."

The news comes a day after Michigan lost to Ohio State for the fourth straight year, ending a trying regular season for Carr and the Wolverines that started with an embarrassing loss to Appalachian State.

It was a move many expected last winter when he altered his contract, paving the way for this to be his last season on the sideline, and later made sure the school gave all of his assistants unprecedented, two-year deals.

Carr is 121-40 with a .752 winning percentage, ranking him seventh among active coaches just behind Florida State's Bobby Bowden and ahead of South Carolina's Steve Spurrier before he retired.

But in a what-have-you-done-lately envi-

ronment, Carr will be remembered by some for the way his team closed seasons toward the end of his career and how it opened 2007.

The four consecutive losses to Ohio State, matched Michigan's longest losing streak in the storied series, and Carr became the first coach in school history to lose six times in seven years in the rivalry.

The Jim Tressel-led Buckeyes beat the Wolverines 14-3, Saturday, dropping Carr to 6-7 overall in the matchup that matters most.

Carr led the Wolverines to the 1997 national championship and five Big Ten titles. He won .779 percent of his conference games, trailing the success rate of just two coaches that were in the Big Ten for at least a decade: Michigan's Bo Schembechler and Fielding Yost. Against top-10 teams, Carr was 17-9.

Michigan has lost its last four bowl games, including three Rose Bowls, the longest postseason skid since Schembechler dropped seven straight in the 1970s.

The Wolverines were ranked No. 5 before this season started with voters who thought returning stars on offense would make up for inexperienced players on defense and special teams.

Then, they began the season by losing to second-tier Appalachian State, becoming the first ranked team to lose to a team from the Football Championship Subdivision, formerly Division I-AA.

Star power

Browne, an opponent of nuclear energy, campaigns for Edwards

JACKSON BROWNE says that Democrat John Edwards is the most progressive candidate with a chance at winning the White House, and that he would do the most for working-class Americans. "It's a challenge to hook yourself up to what a politician says he's going to do, and see if he's going to do it," the singer-songwriter said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press. "I think it's a real-

ly critical time in our country and our world, and I think that working people need a champion, and I think that John Edwards is that person." Famous for hits including "Running on Empty" and "The Pretender," Browne will be joined by Grammy Award-winning colleague Bonnie Raitt next week at five of Edwards' campaign stops in Iowa. The two are co-founders of Musicians United For Safe Energy,

along with Graham Nash and John Hall. In 1979, the group played a series of "No-Nukes" concerts, drumming up activism to thwart the spread of nuclear power. The group now works through Nukefree.org and opposes a federal bailout of the nuclear energy industry. Edwards frequently says he wants to expand safe, renewable fuels opportunities and would oppose the construction of more nuclear power plants.

Browne said he met Edwards a few months ago and was drawn to the former North Carolina senator's magnetic personality and populist views. He said Edwards is "certainly the most progressive of the candidates that have a chance" at winning the presidency. He said that Edwards had the best solutions for the war Iraq, health care and nuclear power, and that he would faithfully repre-

sent working Americans. "He comes from working-class origins; he's a person who is a self-made man and worked hard to get where he is," Browne said. Browne hasn't had much experience campaigning. But he said that, like everyday Americans, "celebrities are concerned about the future of our country, our role in the world and finding the answers to the problems this country faces."

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A Thanksgiving tradition sponsored by **JAMES BROWN** is being continued in this first year after the soul pioneer's death with the annual turkey giveaway in his hometown. In his place, long-time confidant and civil rights activist Al Sharpton will hand out the first turkey Monday. Brown started the turkey tradition in 1991. He died of heart failure last Christmas at age 73.

AP

Oprah showers Macon with arm loads of gifts

OPRAH WINFREY, kicking off a series of shows highlighting towns across the United States, concluded a taping in Macon on Saturday by doling out gifts large and small to audience members. Under the theme "Oprah's favorite things," she showered the crowd with presents ranging from refrigerators to camcorders to wrapping paper. The show will air Tuesday. Winfrey also toured down-

town Macon and stopped by Nu-Way, a well-known hot dog restaurant, Friday afternoon. Afterward, she proclaimed the hot dogs her favorite thing about the visit. Macon spent as much as \$20,000 to ready City Auditorium for Winfrey's visit. Her company, Harpo Productions, has offered to reimburse the city for some of the improvements to the historic building.

AP



Listen and share, Capricorn

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This year, use your imagination to solve problems. That same talent could become incredibly useful in other ways, such as adding to the quality of your life. Often you could be at odds with a special individual. How you see a situation could change as you observe and learn more. If you are single, you will meet someone with ease. If you are attached, work on choosing your words and sharing more. Take walks together just to talk and share. PISCES makes you laugh.



Born Today
Actress Jodie Foster (1962)

TV host Larry King (1933)
Actress Meg Ryan (1961)

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★ Knowing when to head in another direction might save your day. Tempers flare, yet understanding develops out of nothing. New beginnings become possible in the rubble of a mess. Tonight: Think a lot rather than act.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ Getting what you want looks easy, but you might need to jump a hurdle or two. Listen to what you are hearing. By learning to accept what is being stated and incorporating that information, you will find the path to victory. Tonight: Where the action is.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★ Take charge. Starting down the path to success, a discovery delights you. Criticism might sound worse than it is intended. Think positively, and you'll ultimately gain. A friend can be sarcastic. Tonight: A must appearance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ Do your best to gain a greater perspective or insight. You laugh, and others join in your mirth. Your high energy keeps you on top of your game. Listen to feedback with a touch of skepticism. Tonight: Back into a new idea.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★★ You might want to let the so-called experts handle a problem rather than try it yourself. Wisdom is understanding what it is you don't know. Others might be critical or tough. Tonight: Go along with another's suggestion.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ Others want control. Why not allow them to seize it? One, it will make you feel better. Two, it is easier than fighting about this or that. Three, you might be happier when the end results fall on them! Tonight: Just relax and be easygoing.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ Work with others. What was going to be your project might become someone else's – there is nothing you can do about it. If you feel as if a situation is critical or you need to make a comment, use your famous Libra diplomacy. Tonight: Early to bed, if possible.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★★ Let creativity fill in the blanks, as a situation might be too difficult to deal with otherwise. You will like the answers that evolve, even if they aren't exactly on target. A child or loved one might become dominant. Tonight: Ever playful.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★ Anchor in and do what feels comfortable. Though you might not be sure which way to go, assess what is the best way by listening to others' opinions. Gather facts while clearing your mind of opinions. Tonight: Say yes to a family member.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ How you approach a situation might be a much stronger determinant than you realize. If someone senses the slightest aggression, he or she could be upset and withdraw. Be clear as to your feelings. Tonight: Listen as well as share.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ You might want to head in another direction or do something very different. Listen to your inner voice when faced with mixed messages. Think before you leap into action. Tonight: Buy yourself a treat.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ You are personality plus. You will find that others could easily test your values and what you want. Know when to say no. Your high energy could be better used on a project rather than in a hot discussion. Tonight: As you like.

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1:45, 4:40, 7:30, 10:00
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4:30, 9:40
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Janric Classic 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. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

Difficulty
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GETTING STARTED

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

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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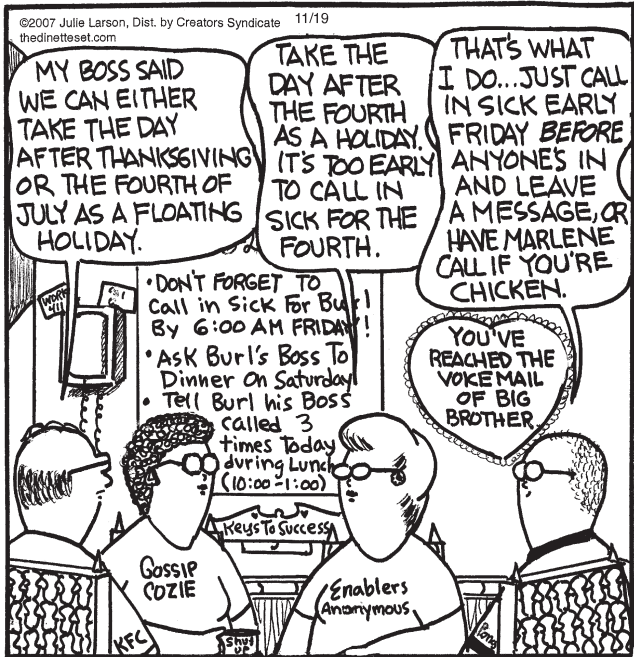
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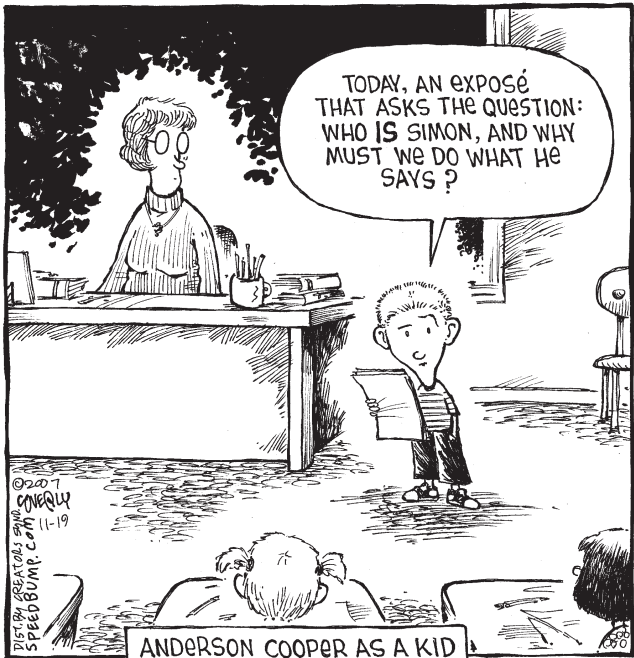
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■ As several sightings were made around Washington, D.C., of dragonfly-looking bugs hovering in the air at political events, government agencies were denying that they had released any tiny surveillance robots, according to an October Washington Post investigation. "I look up and I'm like, 'What the hell is that?'" asked a college student at an antiwar rally in Washington. "They looked kind of like dragonflies or little helicopters. But ... those are not insects." Several agencies and private entities admitted to the Post that they were trying to develop such devices, but no one took credit for having them in the air yet.

■ More things to worry about: Nepal Airlines, which was having technical trouble with one of its two Boeing 757s in August, announced that it had fixed the problem by sacrificing two goats to appease the Hindu sky god Akash Bhairab.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1863 President Lincoln delivered the Gettysburg Address as he dedicated a national cemetery at the site of the Civil War battlefield in Pennsylvania.

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1917 Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi was born in Allahabad.

1919 The Senate rejected the Treaty of Versailles by a vote of 55-39, short of the two-thirds majority needed for ratification.

1942 During World War II, Russian forces launched their winter offensive against the Germans along the Don front.

1959 Ford Motor Co. announced it was halting production of the unpopular Edsel.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072350285 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AMLIGHT LEADS, 2051 S. GARFIELD AVE., COMMERCE, CA 90040. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MAY MI TSAN, 1336 ELM ST. #1, ALHAMBRA, CA 91803 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/15/2007. /s/: MAY MI TSAN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072339490 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALL PRO BUILDERS, 18328 CLARKDALE AVE., ARTESIA, CA 90701. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ESTEVAO M. BARREIRA, 18328 CLARKDALE AVE.,

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ARTESIA, CA 90701 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/28/1997. /s/: ESTEVAO M. BARREIRA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072368169 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 168 FOOD SERVICES, 9550 FLAIR DRIVE #301, EL MONTE, CA 91731. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LIEM DIEP, 7648 1/2 GARVALIA AVENUE, ROSEMEAD, CA 91770 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LIEM DIEP
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072330526 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VQ CREATIVE, 1550 CLOVERFIELD BLVD. #9, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VICENTE RENE QUINTERO, 1950 CLOVERFIELD BLVD. #9, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: VICENTE QUINTERO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072368283 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as B'S DOWN HOME COOKIN', 2606 PICO BLVD. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KEYLA BELL, 1917 20TH ST. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: KEYLA BELL
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072377152 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PLUSSCIENCE PRODUCTIONS, 5150 AVENIDA HACIENDA, TARZANA, CA. 91356. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SAUL PRICEMAN, 5150 AVENIDA HACIENDA, TARZANA, CA. 91356, NIR EVNA, 3700 SOUTH BENTLEY AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90034 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/19/2002. /s/: SAUL PRICEMAN, NIR EVEN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072475131 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ELEVATION PHOTOS, 2461 SANTA MONICA BLVD. SUITE 528, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICHAEL MAGSINO, 2461 SANTA MONICA BLVD. SUITE 528, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MICHAEL MAGSINO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072385997 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GREY MOTORS; AI #/ON 3049609, 610 E. 17TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90021. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GREY MOTORS, INC., 610 E. 17TH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90021 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: GREY MOTORS, INC.; RICHARD JO; PRESIDENT
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/19/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/5/2007, 11/12/2007, 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072402261 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CASAS AUTO CO.; AI #/ON: 2634116, 1109 W. SAN BERNARDINO RD. #230, COVINA, CA 91722. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CASAS SEAFOODS INC., 1109 W. SAN BERNARDINO RD. #230, COVINA, CA 91722 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CASAS SEAFOODS, INC.; JOSEPH MING; VICE PRESIDENT
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/23/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/5/2007, 11/12/2007, 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072422028 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LEAD EDGE PACKAGING; SUPREME PACKAGING; CONPACK PACKAGING, 728 LANNY AVE., LA PUENTE, CA 91744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ALFONSO MANZO, 728 LANNY AVE., LA PUENTE, CA 91744 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ALFONSO MANZO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072368167 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as STYLES HAIR DESING, 8229 SOMERSET BLVD., PARAMOUNT, CA 90723. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LUIS DIAZ JR., 8239 SOMERSET BLVD., PARAMOUNT, CA 90723 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LUIS DIAZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072475133 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GHIGO PRESS AI #/ON A450294, 46 ROSE AVE. VENICE, CA. 902921. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ROSINSKY, INC. 46 ROSE AVE. VENICE, CA. 90291 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2007. /s/: ROSINSKY, INC. PRESIDENT, ANATOLY ROSINSKY
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072421914 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AMIGATO INT. TRADE & SERVICES, 922 N. CROFT #101, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANCOIS F. MARTIN, 922 N. CROFT #101, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069; UTE M. MARTIN, FRANCOIS F. MARTIN, 922 N. CROFT #101, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/14/2006. /s/: FRANCOIS MARTIN; UTE MARTIN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072402470 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AGMS DISTRIBUTION, 731 VENICE WAY, APT 5, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ADAN ORTEGA, 731 VENICE WAY, APT 5, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ADAN ORTEGA
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072395190 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ADVANCED DENTISTRY, 5405 BALDWIN AVE., TEMPLE CITY, CA 91780. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WILLIAM W. LIN, 1335 S. SAN GABRIEL BLVD., SAN MARINO, CA 91108 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: WILLIAM LIN
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072469375 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VID RIVER NETWORKS, VIDRIVER.COM, VID RIVER, APT. 101 13950 NORTHWEST PASSAGE, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90290. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARC FISHER, APT. 101 13950 NORTHWEST PASSAGE, MARINA DEL REY, CA. 90292 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MARC FISHER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072441927 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EDAVO FINE JEWELRY, 331 WILSHIRE BLVD. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : READERS FINE JEWELERS, INC. CALIFORNIA, 331 WILSHIRE BLVD. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/22/2007. /s/: READERS FINE JEWELERS, INC. EVELYN GUERBOIAN

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072504392 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CMH BOOK-KEEPING SERVICES, 8928 RAYFORD DRIVE, WEST-CHESTER, CA. 90045. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CONICAR MALLO HUALDE, 8928 RAYFORD DRIVE, WESTCHESTER, CA. 90045 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/1/2007. /s/: CONICAR M. HUALDE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072504391 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IDAHO ARMS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION 1712525, 1511 16TH ST. #101, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : IDAHO ARMS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION CA. 1511 16TH ST. #101, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/10/1992. /s/: IDAHO ARMS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072515331 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HAMELHILL WOODS, 12421 DEERBROOK LN, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WILLIAM F. ROYER, 12421 DEERBROOK LN, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90049, CATHERINE M. ROYER, 12421 DEERBROOK LN, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90049 This Business is being conducted by, husband

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and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: WILLIAM F. ROYER, CATHERINE M. ROYER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/8/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/12/2007, 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072442565 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IMSAAL IMPORTS, 2238 E. CESAR E. CHAVEZ AVE., BOYLE HEIGHTS, CA 90033. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SHEHNAZ IQBAL, 1550 N. HOBART BLVD., APT #119, LOS ANGELES, CA 90027 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/8/2007. /s/: SHEHNAZ IQBAL

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072523484 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ARARRANT UNDERTAKING, 4470 W. SUNSET BLVD. #382, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90027. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ROBERT A. NAPLES, 4470 W. SUNSET BLVD. #382, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90027 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ROBERT A. NAPLES

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072469147 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CISCO DELIVERY SERVICES, 21825 RASHDALL AVE., CARSON, CA 90745. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANCISCO MORAN, 21825 RASHDALL AVE., CARSON, CA 90745 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2007. /s/: FRANCISCO MORAN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072430713 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MIL MILLON GROUP, 10801 SAN VICENTE AVE., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : OS-VALDO VILLALOBOS, 10801 SAN VICENTE AVE., LYNWOOD, CA 90262 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: OS-VALDO VILLALOBOS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072469385 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RENEGADE

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WORLD MUSIC, 6255 SUNSET BLVD., LA, CA 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LUIS CARDENAS, 6255 SUNSET BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028; TONY DE LA ROSA, 6255 SUNSET BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028; KENNY MARQUEZ, 6255 SUNSET BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/1/2007. /s/: LUIS CARDENAS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072432304 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MORNING STAR STAFFING, 14608 BIOLA AVE., LA MIRADA, CA 90638. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DIANE M. SCOGGINS, 14608 BIOLA AVE., LA MIRADA, CA 90638 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: DIANE M. SCOGGINS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072469899 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLARAIS AUTO SALES, 9873 ALONDRA BLVD., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CLARA LORENZO, 9867 1/2 ALONDRA BLVD., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CLARA LORENZO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072494792 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TECHMODUS, 339 VERNON AVE. #9, VENICE, CA. 90291. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SUSMITA HOROWITZ, 339 VERNON AVE, VENICE, CA. 90291 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2007. /s/: SUSMITA HOROWITZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072504016 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PET'S HOME, 1343 GLENDALE BLVD., LA. CA 90026. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JUAN CARLOS CARRARA, 3433 HOLLYDALE DR., LA, CA 90039 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: JUAN CARLOS CARRERA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072512820 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TEACLASICS, 250 N. LA PEER DR. BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90211. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : YOOUN HEE KIM, 250 N. LA PEER DR. BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90211 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2007. /s/:

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072534780 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as I'M ECO-FRIENDLY, I'M ECO FRIENDLY, ECO N CHIC, 5757 WILSHIRE BLVD. SUITE 315, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90036. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : NIKOLETTE ORLANDOU, 844 6TH ST. #2, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: NIKOLETTE ORLANDOU

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072494097 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as OFFICE CLEANING SERVICES, 6244 ALAMO AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90201. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ELIZABETH MARTINON, 6244 ALAMO AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90201 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ELIZABETH MARTINON

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072494095 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M.I. PARTY RENTALS, 7055 W. WHITTIER BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ROBERTO VASQUEZ, 845 S. 5TH ST., MONTEBELLO, CA 90640 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: ROBERT VASQUEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072493806 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INTERIOR SPECIALTY CONTRACTORS SUPPLY, 352 S. CIELA, LOS ANGELES, CA 90022. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BENNY G. LOPEZ, 352 S. CIELA, LOS ANGELES, CA 90022 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/5/2007. /s/: BENNY G. LOPEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072494150 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DZEIT, 12062 GURLEY AVE., DOWNEY, CA 90242. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LI-TZU HSU, 12062 GURLEY AVE., DOWNEY, CA 90242 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: LI-TZU HSU

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072422113 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PRETTY GIRLS BEAUTY SALON, 15339 PARAMOUNT, PARAMOUNT, CA 90723. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICAELA URIARTE, 9927 SAN ANTONIO AVE., SOUTHGATE, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MICAELA URIARTE

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