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Major homelessness plan to be presented to City Council

MATTHEW HALL
Daily Press Editor

Council will tackle homelessness with a major discussion at its Nov. 28 meeting.

The council will receive its annual Homelessness Report at the meeting including dense proposals for addressing the local crisis.

The report calls for endorsing five concepts currently contained in the city's Strategic Goal Action Plan including proactive engagement, smart deployment of local resources, proving the effectiveness of models to connect individuals to housing, increasing the availability of housing/services in other communities, ensuring safe use of the Library and working collaboratively with other agencies to address the problem.

Specific action includes an agreement with Los Angeles County to allow their C3 homeless outreach team to expand into Santa Monica. The team is currently focused on Venice streets around 3rd and Rose and the group is similar to Santa Monica's Multidisciplinary Street Team. The local program is also scheduled for expansion as part of the homelessness report. In addition, council will receive a $70,000 grant from United way for homelessness training and could create a new Library Services Officer position.

"The Homeless Multidisciplinary Street Team, Ambassadors in Tongva and Palisades Park, and homeless outreach in the Main Library, are new models demonstrating efficacy and producing positive results," said the

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Veterans are key as surge of states OK medical pot for PTSD

Associated Press

It was a telling setting for a decision on whether post-traumatic stress disorder patients could use medical marijuana.

Against the backdrop of the nation's largest Veterans Day parade, Democratic Gov. Andrew Cuomo announced this month he'd sign legislation making New York the latest in a fast-rising tide of states to OK therapeutic pot as a PTSD treatment, though it's illegal under federal law and doesn't boast extensive, conclusive medical research.

Twenty-eight states plus the District of Columbia now include PTSD in their medical marijuana programs, a tally that has more than doubled in the last two years, according to data compiled by the pro-legalization Marijuana Policy Project. A 29th state, Alaska, doesn't incorporate PTSD in its medical marijuana program but allows everyone over 20 to buy pot legally.

The increase has come amid increasingly visible advocacy from veterans' groups .

Retired Marine staff sergeant Mark DiPasquale says the drug freed him from the 17 opioids, anti-anxiety pills and other medications that were prescribed to him for migraines, post-traumatic stress and other injuries from service that included a hard helicopter landing in Iraq in 2005.

"I just felt like a zombie, and I wanted to hurt somebody," says DiPasquale, a co-founder of the Rochester, New York-based Veterans Cannabis Collective Foundation. It aims to educate vets about the drug he pointedly calls by the scientific name cannabis.

DiPasquale pushed to extend

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Pier Board says City must "reimagine" popular Twilight Concert Series



File Photo

UNCERTAIN FUTURE: The Pier Board has said the summer concerts must change.

KATE CAGLE
Daily Press Staff Writer

When it comes to the Twilight Concert Series, The Pier Board came out against the status quo last week, saying it will recommend the City Council "reimagine" the events, possibly with just one "celebration of summer" and a musical line-up in the fall.

The Council will hear public comment and ultimately decide the future of TCS at their Dec. 12 meeting. City staff is planning to recommend a hiatus in 2018 from the concert series in the wake of rising costs and public safety concerns, according to comments made by multiple Pier Board members.

A week earlier, a crowd of TCS enthusiasts overwhelming urged the Board to keep the live music events.

"I think we reflected a lot on what we heard during the community meeting and one of the things that resonated was that this is the only opportunity for feeling like there's a sense of community," board member Misti Kerns said. Kerns is also the CEO of Santa Monica Travel and Tourism.

"It's not necessarily a concert," Kerns said of the event that would aim to foster the same local spirit while avoiding the crowds that made the concerts increasingly untenable. Kerns said it as important to "position it in a way where the community doesn't feel like something has been lost."

The City tried to reduce TCS costs by scaling back the series in 2017, shifting the dates earlier to compete less with the busy tourist season and reducing the number of concerts from ten to eight. The strategy did little, if anything, to

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What's Up Westside

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA

Monday, November 27

Social Services Commission Meeting

Meetings are held on the 4th Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Ken Edwards Center (1527 4th St).

Toddler Time

Story series for toddlers ages 18 to 35 months accompanied by an adult. (20 min.) Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 10:30 – 10:50 p.m.

Baby Time

Story series for babies ages 0 to 17 months accompanied by an adult. Fairview Branch Library, 2101 Ocean Park Blvd, 10 – 10:20 a.m.

Tuesday, November 28

Movie: The Red Turtle (2016)

In this breathtaking, animated parable from Studio Ghibli, a man is shipwrecked on a deserted island and encounters a red turtle, which changes his life. (80 min.) Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd. 7 – 8:30 p.m.

City Council Meeting

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

College Application Drop-In Services

Get free one-on-one assistance with college applications and essays. To submit your application, bring your transcript(unofficial is fine) and Social Security, DACA or Green Card number. Computers provided, or bring your laptop. Presented in collaboration with the Santa Monica Boys & Girls Club's College Bound Program and Magellan Counseling. Grade 12. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 4 – 6 p.m.

L.E.A.R.N.: Learn, Excel, Achieve and Read Now

One-on-one access to volunteers available to help students with homework assignments and reading comprehension. Bilingual volunteers available. Pico Branch Library, 2201 Pico Blvd, 3:30 – 8 p.m.

A Lego Building Afternoon

Join organizers for fun with Lego building. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St, 3:30 – 5 p.m.

Computer Class: Online Shopping

Introduction to how online shopping works, and how to shop safely online. Ocean Park Branch Library, 2601 Main St, 1 – 2 p.m.

Wednesday, November 29

GED/HiSET Prep Class at Main

Get prepared to take the Science subject test of the GED or HiSET. Main Library, 601 Santa Monica Blvd., 7 – 9 p.m.

DIY Crafty Cards and Gift Tags

Amy Muscoplat teaches participants how to make vibrant and attractive holiday cards and gift tags for the upcoming season. Supplies provided. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave, 6:30 – 8 p.m.

Just for Seniors: 'Appy Hour' Device Workshop

Bring your smartphone or tablet and get small group help to get you started with using your device. Montana Avenue Branch Library, 1704 Montana Ave, 4 – 5 p.m.

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Malibu

Malibu Library Speaker Series Presents Environmental Activist Dr. Marcus Eriksen, Author of the Book "Junk Ship"

The 2017 Malibu Library Speaker Series continues with Dr. Marcus Eriksen, environmental activist, co-founder of the 5 Gyres Institute, and author of the best-selling book that was turned into a documentary film, "Junk Ship," on Wednesday, November 29, 7 p.m. at the Malibu Library.

"There could not be a more timely and important subject than the environmental devastation of plastic pollution and what we can do to stop it," said Mayor Skylar Peak. "Every person living in Malibu is connected to the ocean, so I urge you to attend this event and learn how we can work together to protect our environment."

Dr. Eriksen has led expeditions around the world to research plastic marine pollution and co-founded the 5 Gyres Institute with Anna Cummins. To raise awareness about plastic pollution, he sailed 2,600 miles for 88 days from California to Hawaii on the Junk Raft, a sailing vessel built from 15,000 plastic bottles.

In 2014, 5 Gyres published a scientific study that, for the first time, estimated the level of oceanic plastic pollution in the world's oceans at 5.25 trillion particles weighing 269,000 tons. Dr. Erikson co-authored a paper on plastic microbead pollution in the Great Lakes that led to a federal ban on microbeads.

The 2017 Malibu Library Speaker Series is a program of the County of Los Angeles Public Library, Malibu Branch, and the City of Malibu, featuring experts, authors and notable figures discussing a wide range of subjects, including the entertainment industry, literature, science, motivation, the arts, education, sports, travel, food and the environment.

Past notable speakers in the Library Speaker Series include best-selling author Jeannette Walls, famed civil rights lawyer Gloria Allred; climate change champion and author Bill McKibben; prolific comedy writer and director Tom Shadyac; author of the best-selling novel "Eat, Pray, Love" Elizabeth Gilbert; and award-winning documentary filmmakers Rory Kennedy and Mark Bailey.

The event features a discussion with Dr. Eriksen and a reception with refreshments. The event is free and open to all, but space is limited, so RSVPs are required. Malibu Library is located is located at 23519 West Civic Center Way in Malibu.

For more information or to RSVP, visit www.MalibuCity.org/LibrarySpeakers or call the Malibu Library at (310) 456-6438.

– SUBMITTED BY MATT MYERHOFF, MEDIA INFORMATION OFFICER, CITY OF MALIBU

Nationwide

JAKKS Pacific Nails Deal with Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.

Santa Monica toymaker JAKKS Pacific, Inc. has announced it has extended and expanded its licensing agreement with Stanley Black & Decker, Inc., for the popular Black & Decker and Stanley brands.

JAKKS will continue its long standing partnership to exclusively manufacture, market, and distribute to all retail channels Black & Decker branded kids role-play tool toys. In addition, a new program will be introduced of Stanley branded kids products such as toy hand and power tools and toy workbenches at Walmart this holiday season. All products will be available in the US and Canada.

"Construction play is timeless, as is the Stanley Black & Decker brand which is built on a foundation of innovative, high-quality building tools. We are excited to infuse the same standard of innovation to our line of toys designed for children of all ages to create, construct and play," said Tara Hefter, Senior Vice President, Global Licensing at JAKKS Pacific.

The inventor of the first portable electric drill with pistol grip and trigger switch, Black & Decker has evolved from a small machine shop in Baltimore, Maryland to a global manufacturing powerhouse with a broad line of quality products used in and around the home.

Stanley, a brand of Stanley Black & Decker, Inc. is a diversified manufacturer of innovative tools and engineered solutions for professional, industrial, woodworking, construction, automotive repair, organizational, and do-it-yourself use. Headquartered in New Britain, CT, Stanley is committed to manufacturing tools in the USA with global materials. Annually, Stanley produces a large variety of hand tools including tape rules, knives, blades, hand saws, screwdrivers, plastic storage, and accessories in multiple manufacturing locations in North America.

JAKKS Pacific, Inc. is a designer, manufacturer and marketer of toys and consumer products sold throughout the world, with its headquarters in Santa Monica. JAKKS Pacific's popular proprietary brands include BIG-FIGS, XPV, Max Tow and Friends, Disguise, Moose Mountain, Funnoodle, Maui, Kids Only!; a wide range of entertainment-inspired products featuring premier licensed properties; and C'est Moi, a youth skincare and make-up brand.

– SUBMITTED BY BUSINESSWIRE

Downtown

Basketball registration

Registration has opened for all for the upcoming winter youth basketball league at the Santa Monica YMCA. You can register on line at the Santa Monica YMCA website https://operations.daxko.com/Online/5131/Programs/Search.mvc

Forms are also available in the lobby of the Y at the corner of 6th St. and Santa Monica Blvd., with free underground parking available to all.

The league has been filling to capacity for the past year and it is believed that it will do so again around December 1. Those interested in playing are urged to sign up early to avoid being shut out.

This is a co-ed recreational league, with play in four skill based (not age or grade based) divisions loosely arranged at 5-6 years old, 7-8, 9-10 and 8th grade and under.

Evaluations for players not playing in the current fall league will take place on December 11-13, with teams selected shortly thereafter, practices once a week in the Y's indoor gym under the guidance of coaches who pass background check. Games are played on Saturday and/or Sunday morning and afternoons from January through March.

There is a space on the registration form to let us know what days you can not practice, and providing you give us a choice of at least two days you CAN practice, we will be sure you get on a team on a day that works for you.

Scholarships are available for those who qualify. Every player gets a uniform they may keep. There is a post-season pizza party with awards for all. Every is guaranteed to play at least half of every game they attend.

Friends can often be on the same team together. There is a space for that on the registration form as well.

Anyone interested in a volunteer coaching or paid game officiating positions should contact me and be over the age of 18.

– SUBMITTED BY PETER ARBOGAST, YOUTH BASKETBALL COORDINATOR

Citywide

The Clayhouse Holds Annual Sale December 8-9

Twenty-eight local potters and sculptors will be emptying the kilns and setting up displays to exhibit and sell more than 500 pieces of handmade pottery and sculpture at The Clayhouse Pottery Showcase & Sale on Friday, December 8, and Saturday, December 9 in Santa Monica.

The annual community event will showcase a wide variety of bowls, vases, glasswork, dishware, mugs and platters, along with pieces of sculpture in the Clayhouse's gallery and expansive back studio. Shoppers will be treated to reasonable prices for these one-of-a-kind ceramic and glass crafts. They will also be treated to refreshments served in the studio throughout the two-day event.

Established in 1971, The Clayhouse studio and gallery is the oldest high fire pottery studio on the Westside. There are fewer and fewer studios of this nature due to limited space and obstacles in using gas-burning kilns. Gas kilns produce rich, beautiful glaze colors and unique visual effects with universal appeal. The Clayhouse gallery, displaying the works of more than 50 artists, opens into a 2,000-sq. ft. studio with sculpting tables, wheels, kilns and pottery in various stages of completion. Ongoing classes are offered to the community.

The Clayhouse is proud to be a member of the Buy Local Santa Monica campaign and is featured in this year's Tis the Season to Buy Local Holiday Gift Guide.

The sale's scheduled hours are as follows: Friday, December 8, 4 – 9 p.m., and Saturday, December 9, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. The Clayhouse is located at 2909 Santa Monica Blvd., (310) 828-7071.

Visit www.theclayhousesantamonica.com for more information.

– SUBMITTED BY JENNIFER TAYLOR, BUY LOCAL SM COMMITTEE CHAIR

Malibu

Malibu Celebrates America Recycles Day with Screening of "STRAWS" Documentary to Inspire a Sea of Change

As part of observing America Recycles Day, a national call to action to reduce, reuse and recycle waste, the City of Malibu and the local environmental education non-profit Crayon Collection will host a screening of "STRAWS," a film about reducing plastic waste, on Thursday, November 30 at City Hall. This award-winning documentary shares an inspiring story of how it is possible to make a sea of change, one straw at a time.

"This screening and panel discussion about how we can stop pollution from plastic straws is a great way to inspire the community to be part of Malibu's mission to protect the environment," Mayor Skylar Peak said. "We've made great progress in addressing plastic pollution, including bans on plastic bags, plastic sandbags, and polystyrene foam, and I hope that we can make Malibu a plastic-straw-free zone soon."

The evening will start off with delicious plant-based meals for purchase by Green Truck, including Mother Trucker Burgers and Super-Food Salad Bowls, starting at 6 p.m. The free screening will begin at 7 p.m. in Malibu City Hall's Civic Theater. Environmental non-profit Lonely Whale's PSA "Stop Sucking" will be screened along with the feature "STRAWS." Singer songwriter Joe Sumner will give a special performance of his song "Hope" following the screening. A lively panel discussion will round out the evening and emphasize inspiring solutions to plastic pollution. Attendees will receive their own reusable stainless steel straw provided by Plastic Pollution Coalition.

"I hope to get people thinking about how small habits can add up to huge impact," said filmmaker Linda Booker. "Removing plastic straws is a tangible, simple change people and businesses can do that truly makes a difference."

THE PANELISTS INCLUDE:
Linda Booker, filmmaker behind "STRAWS"
Jackie Nuñez, founder of The Last Plastic Straw
Grace Lee, Director of Outreach Programs at The Bay Foundation
Kim Nilsson, President of Solid Waste Solutions, Inc.

The City will co-host the event with the local non-profit Crayon Collection, whose focus is environmental sustainability and education. The international organization diverts lightly used crayons from going into landfills and donates them to underserved classrooms as part of their free art education program.

"Similar to throwing away still-good crayons, the use of single use plastic straws is a habitual behavior of our society that severely impacts our environment," said Sheila Morovati, Founder of Crayon Collection. "We hope that the screening of STRAWS will empower people to refuse and reduce the use of plastic straws."

This event is free, but space is limited. Reserve your tickets at www.straws.eventbrite.com or call (310) 456-2489 ext. 236.

– SUBMITTED BY MATT MYERHOFF, MEDIA INFORMATION OFFICER, CITY OF MALIBU

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Green trucks

Dear EarthTalk:

It's obvious that our cars are getting greener every year, but what about 18 wheelers?

Pauline McRae
Sebastian, FL

WE ALL RELY ON HEAVY DUTY TRUCKS TO haul as much as 80 percent of the goods we use and consume. But those ubiquitous 18-wheelers are also a big contributor to the overall pollution footprint of the transportation sector, given they get only 4-8 miles per gallon on average and travel large distances transporting heavy loads. Currently, some two million big rigs make up just five percent of the vehicles on American roads while accounting for upwards of 20 percent of the transportation sector's overall greenhouse gas emissions.

But like with cars, things are changing quickly for big rigs. The U.S. got serious about reducing truck emissions back in 2010 when the Department of Energy launched its SuperTruck Initiative to improve heavy-duty truck freight efficiency by 50 percent. Some of the technologies that have started to trickle down out of the SuperTruck program into trucks on the road include predictive cruise control, chassis "light-weighting" and battery-assisted air conditioning systems to reduce overnight engine idling. These upgrades are saving operators tens of thousands of dollars in fuel costs annually — the average long distance American trucker spends some $70,000 a year on fuel — as well as shaving off greenhouse gas emissions.

Then in August of 2016 the Obama administration announced aggressive new standards requiring big rigs plying U.S. roads to reduce their carbon dioxide emissions 25 percent by 2027, which should save more than a billion metric tons of greenhouse gases from escaping into the atmosphere over the next decade—that is, if it's not overturned (as threatened) by Trump.

To get the ball rolling, DoE launched SuperTruck II, pledging to match commitments of up to $20 million by manufacturers working on even more cutting edge technologies to boost the efficiency of big rigs. Peterbilt, Navistar and other truck makers are using these matching funds to bolster efforts to develop newer technologies including active aerodynamics, cylinder deactivation, hybridization, electrified engine components and alternative engine designs.

Regardless, Tesla will be ready with its new Semi. This futuristic all-electric big rig incorporates proprietary lithium ion batteries to power four independent motors—and promises the lowest energy cost per mile in the world of trucking. The Semi also features enhanced autopilot to help avoid collisions, a centered driving position in a cockpit designed to maximize visibility and control, and a low center of gravity to prevent rollovers, among many other forward-thinking features.

In the meantime, truckers with regular old big rigs can save money on fuel and reduce emissions by adopting better day-to-day practices, such as changing gears gently, avoiding sudden braking and acceleration, and slowing down — a truck can use 25 percent less fuel by driving 65 miles per hour instead of 75 mph.

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The Santa Monica Fire Department Responded To 31 Calls For Service On Nov. 25.

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EMS 17th / Oak 12:41 a.m.
EMS 1400 block 2nd 12:46 a.m.
EMS ocean / Arizona 2:14 a.m.
EMS 1500 block 2nd 3:25 a.m.
EMS 2200 block 24th 4:24 a.m.
EMS 1500 block 6th 5:40 a.m.
EMS 1200 block Sunset 6:10 a.m.
EMS 1200 block 10th 7:57 a.m.
EMS 1100 block Arizona 7:59 a.m.
Traffic collision with injury PCH 8:07 a.m.
Automatic alarm 1300 block 3rd Street Prom 9:17 a.m.
EMS 2100 block Ocean 9:34 a.m.
EMS 300 block 20th 9:34 a.m.
EMS 300 block Olympic 9:51 a.m.
EMS 500 block Olympic 10:14 a.m.
EMS 2000 block Pico 10:57 a.m.
EMS 1800 block 16th 12:22 p.m.
Traffic collision with injury Yale / Wilshire 12:23 p.m.
EMS 1900 block Lincoln 12:41 p.m.
Automatic alarm 1400 block 21st 2:53 p.m.
EMS 2400 block Kansas 3:43 p.m.
EMS 1900 block Ocean 3:55 p.m.
EMS 2800 block Delaware 4:38 p.m.
EMS 1500 block Pacific Coast Pier 6:54 p.m.
EMS 200 block Ocean 7:33 p.m.
Trash/dumpster fire 2200 block Colorado 7:43 p.m.
EMS 1300 block 15th 8:08 p.m.
EMS 2200 block Virginia 8:24 p.m.
Automatic alarm 1200 block San Vicente 11:07 p.m.
EMS 1300 block Ocean 11:28 p.m.
EMS 2000 block Ocean 11:28 p.m.

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Street Lighting Modernization Program

For the week of November 27, construction will Construction will continue throughout the project area, which is bound by 16th Street to the east, Ocean Park Boulevard to the south, Lincoln Boulevard to the west, and Pico Boulevard to the north. There may be sidewalk closures and temporary no parking posted throughout this area. Should you have any questions, please contact Robert Zak, City of Santa Monica, Project Manager (310) 458-2283.

Marine Park Irrigation Retrofit Project

For the week of November 27, the contractor will continue working on the installation of electrical conduits for the irrigation system at Marine Park. Please plan accordingly and avoid this area if possible. Should you have any questions, please contact Carlos Rosales, Project Manager (310) 458-8721 ext. 2620 or Daniel Lee, Construction Manager, (714) 730-9052.

Montana Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement

For the week of November 27, work will continue along the Montana Avenue corridor at 4th and 14th Streets. Concrete restoration and ramp installation will occur. Work areas will be contained; crews will make practical efforts to minimize sound, dust, and disturbance to the neighboring community. One lane of traffic in each direction will be maintained. Work is scheduled to take place between the hours of 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., Monday – Friday, until December 1. If you have any questions, please contact the City's Project Manager, Andrew Maximous, at (310) 458-8291.

Expo Maintenance Work – Bike Path Closures

For the week of November 27, Maintenance work for the EXPO line will continue on the Exposition Corridor bike path between Centinela Avenue and Stewart Street. Maintenance work is scheduled to be completed by November 30. Should you have any questions, please contact Exposition Construction Authority at (213) 243-5534 or Skanska Rados Joint Venture at (213) 598-8104.

Parking Structure #5 Tenant Improvement Project

For the week of November 27, construction will take place in Parking Structure #5 at 1440 4th street and anticipates affecting the sidewalk in front of the building with the sidewalk pedestrian tunnel, lasting until 12/31/17. During this time, there will be intermittent closure of a single lane of south-bound traffic between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday thru Friday; Should you have any questions, please contact Tim Purcell, Project Manager (310) 458-2205 ext. 5027

Storm Drain Catch Basin Pipe Screens Project

For the week of November 27, small work areas will be coned off around catch basins that are being repaired at various locations Citywide. This work may impact traffic with slight lane closures at catch basin areas. Please contact Public Works Inspector Michael Valentine, Civil Engineering Division, (310) 420-6829 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

Parking Structure #1 Repair Project

For the week of November 27, Parking Structure #1 will undergo a series of retrofits and maintenance work. Construction may temporarily impact parking. Entrances and exits to the garage will be left open for smooth traffic flow. Please Robert Zak, Civil Engineering Division, (310) 458-2283 with any questions/concerns regarding this project.

DAILY POLICE LOG

The Santa Monica Police Department Responded To 351 Calls For Service On Nov. 25.

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Petty theft 2600 block Main 12:20 a.m.
Person down 17th / Oak 12:41 a.m.
Battery 1500 block 2nd 2:01 a.m.
Person down Ocean / Arizona 2:13 a.m.
Petty theft 1300 block Santa Monica 2:47 a.m.
Burglary 1000 block 21st 3:35 a.m.
Rape 1200 block 15th 4:16 a.m.
Battery 1500 block 6th 4:47 a.m.
Vandalism 1300 block 2nd 5:58 a.m.
Theft recyclables 2400 block 3rd 6:17 a.m.
Encampment 1400 block the beach 6:32 a.m.
Theft recyclables 2400 block 3rd 6:41 a.m.
Speeding Cloverfield / Interstate 10 6:43 a.m.
Encampment 1400 block the beach 6:44 a.m.
Encampment 1600 block the beach 6:56 a.m.
Fraud 2100 block Delaware 7:03 a.m.
Vandalism 2400 block Santa Monica 7:46 a.m.
Traffic collision 1200 block Pacific Coast Hwy 8:08 a.m.
Burglary 200 block Hill 8:26 a.m.
Auto burglary 800 block Olympic 9:09 a.m.
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Fight 3200 block Airport 9:55 a.m.
Battery 1500 block 6th 10:45 a.m.
Burglary 2700 block Neilson 10:57 a.m.
Indecent exposure 1400 block Palisades Park 11:47 a.m.
Traffic hazard 23rd / Santa Monica 11:52 a.m.
Auto burglary 2100 block Navy 12:07 p.m.
Traffic collision Yale / Wilshire 12:23 p.m.
Petty theft 300 block Colorado 1:29 p.m.
Petty theft 2900 block 4th 1:36 p.m.
Person down 6th / Broadway 1:42 p.m.
Grand theft 2200 block Colorado 1:44 p.m.
Grand theft 2200 block Colorado 1:59 p.m.
Auto burglary 900 block 25th 3:44 p.m.
Petty theft 1700 block Ocean 3:57 p.m.
Domestic violence 1000 block Michigan 4:26 p.m.
Speeding 800 block Pacific Coast Hwy 4:35 p.m.
Encampment 2200 block Lincoln 4:40 p.m.
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Fraud 500 block 16th 5:50 p.m.
Grand theft 1200 block 3rd Street Prom 5:56 p.m.
Petty theft 1400 block 3rd Street Prom 6 p.m.
Bike theft 200 block Broadway 6:05 p.m.
Burglary 1000 block 22nd 7:42 p.m.
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HOMELESSNESS

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report to Council. "To continue making progress, the City is re-tooling its approach to homelessness, expanding efforts that focus on 'where' (highly impacted public spaces) to complement existing strategies focused on 'who' (Santa Monica program eligible individuals)."

Homelessness has skyrocketed locally and across the regions. According to the 2017 homeless count, Los Angeles County saw a 23 percent increase in its homeless population and the Santa Monica area also saw its numbers rise. Homelessness increased in the city by 26 percent. Surrounding areas such as the Supervisorial district and the City of Los Angeles council district that surrounds Santa Monica also reported increases.

The percentage increase comes even as the county continued to increase the number of people that found housing. In 2016, the county found permanent homes for 14,214 people, a 30 percent increase over the prior year. However, 74 percent of Los Angeles County's homeless population were stull unsheltered (42,828 people countywide).

The City's homeless count was the highest since counts began in 2009. Santa Monica reported 921 homeless individuals this year, an increase from the record low of 728 (26%) the year before. The unexpected spike actually put the city on par with numbers from the first count, effectively undoing years of decline in the figures.

The sheer increase in numbers would be problem enough but there's also a changing face of homelessness locally. More individuals are new to the city, pass through more quickly and are not engaged with services.

"This shift has challenged the City's homeless policies and practices, which are built to serve long time local homeless individuals with intensive care management, interim housing and permanent supportive housing," said the report.

City Hall is basing much of its homeless response on proactive engagement.

"Proactive engagement of homeless individuals will be increased by the proposed 10-12 new outreach workers; re-deployed and augmented Police Department resources; a software solution that enriches first responders' contacts with homeless people; and a full time social worker in the Library system," said the report. "Proactive engagement with residents, businesses, houses of worship and civic organizations will include deploying new training in effective interaction with homeless people; a broad community information and activation campaign; and city-wide collaboration through the Santa Monica Homelessness Steering Committee that is being organized by key community partners."

For more information on the report, visit www.smgov.net.

Closed session will begin at 5:30 p.m. with open session to begin no earlier than 6:30 p.m. in City Hall, 1685 Main St. on Nov. 28.

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TCS

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curb perception the concerts had gotten out of hand. The headliner of the very first show, Khalid, tweeted after his performance he drew a crowd of 60,000 people but officials later downgraded the estimate to about 25,000. Instagram and Snapchat captured images of teens jumping over barricades and assembling what felt like one of the biggest crowds in TCS's more than 30-year history. At one point, the crowd on the beach surged dangerously close to the Pier.

After the concert, Santa Monica Police Department's now retired chief called the series dangerous in an interview with the Daily Press. Her words resonated once again months later when a single gunman killed nearly 60 concert goers in Las Vegas.

Because the concerts take place on a public beach, attendees cannot be screened like they would be at a large arena event. Instead, SMPD staffed the concerts with about 160 officers, 13 fire inspection personnel and three EMT teams. Many of those officers are working overtime. The City's five-year contract with the Sheriff's Department to assist with large events is $1.3 million.

The Board purposely kept their recommendation ambiguous, leaving it up to other stakeholders to develop a plan to capture the essence of the series but decrease its popularity.

"We've got to get a format so we stop fighting about this year after year after year," board member Barbara Stinchfield said. The Council "needs some assurances that they're not going to spend a million dollars on public safety."

As far as what that format will be, board member Judy Abdo said she has an open mind. She just hopes the City will come up with a plan quickly to keep the concerts on track for 2018.

"Our main recommendation is not to have a hiatus for a year," Abdo said.

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VETERANS

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New York's nearly two-year-old medical marijuana program to include post-traumatic stress. He'd qualified because of other conditions but felt the drug ease his anxiety, sleeplessness and other PTSD symptoms and spur him to focus on wellness.

"Do I still have PTSD? Absolutely," says DiPasquale, 42. But "I'm back to my old self. I love people again."

In a sign of how much the issue has taken hold among veterans, the 2.2-million-member American Legion began pressing the federal government this summer to let Department of Veterans Affairs doctors recommend medical marijuana where it's legal . The Legion started advocating last year for easing federal constraints on medical pot research , a departure into drug policy for the nearly century-old organization.

"People ask, 'Aren't you the law-and-order group?' Why, yes, we are," Executive Director Verna Jones said at a Legion-arranged news conference early this month at the U.S. Capitol. But "when veterans come to us and say a particular treatment is working for them, we owe it to them to listen and to do scientific research required."

Even Veterans Affairs Secretary Dr. David Shulkin recently said "there may be some evidence that this (medical marijuana) is beginning to be helpful," while noting that his agency is barred from helping patients get the illegal drug. (A few prescription drugs containing a synthetic version of a key chemical in marijuana do have federal approval to treat chemotherapy-related nausea.)

Medical marijuana first became legal in 1996 in California for a wide range of conditions; New Mexico in 2009 became the first state specifically to include PTSD patients. States have signed on in growing numbers particularly since 2014.

"It's quite a sea change," says Michael Krawitz, a disabled Air Force veteran who now runs Veterans for Medical Cannabis Access, an Elliston, Virginia-based group that's pursued the issue in many states.

Still, there remain questions and qualms — some from veterans — about advocating for medical marijuana as a treatment for PTSD.

It was stripped out of legislation that added six other diseases and syndromes to Georgia's law that allows certain medical cannabis oils. The chairman of the New York Senate veterans' affairs committee voted against adding PTSD to the state's program, suggesting the drug might just mask their symptoms.

"The sooner we allow them to live and experience the kind of emotions we do, in an abstinence-based paradigm, the sooner that they are returning home," said Sen. Thomas Croci, a Republican, former Navy intelligence officer and current reservist who served in Afghanistan.

The American Psychiatric Association says there's not enough evidence now to support using pot to treat PTSD. The 82,000-member Vietnam Veterans of America group agrees.

"You wouldn't have cancer treatments that aren't approved done to yourself or your family members," and marijuana should be subjected to the same scrutiny, says Dr. Thomas Berger, who heads VVA's Veterans Health Council.

A federal science advisory panel's recent assessment of two decades' worth of studies found limited evidence that a synthetic chemical cousin of marijuana might help relieve PTSD, but also some data suggesting pot use could worsen symptoms.

Medical marijuana advocates note it's been tough to get evidence when testing is complicated by pot's legal status in the U.S.

A federally approved clinical trial of marijuana as a PTSD treatment for veterans is now underway in Phoenix, and results from the current phase could be ready to submit for publication in a couple of years, says one of the researchers, Dr. Suzanne Sisley.




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WELL NEWS BY SCOTT LAFEE

Fatty Breath

■ When you exercise, you burn carbohydrates, such as sugar. If you exercise long and hard enough, you burn fat too. Currently, the only way to know for sure when you're actually burning fat is to measure biomarkers in blood or urine, which is obviously problematic if, say, you're in the middle of a swim or long run.

■ Swiss researchers, however, have developed a small sensor that detects the presence of a particular biomarker that is expelled with breathing: acetone. (It leaks into the breath from the blood supply feeding pulmonary alveoli in the lungs.

■ The sensor is about the size of a quarter, and appears reasonably accurate in tests. Researchers are working to make it more efficient and smaller. They're also working on chips to detect airborne biomarkers that test for kidney function and lung cancer.

Phobia of the Week

■ Chrometophobia: fear of money (though presumably they're still looking for an actual case)

Never Say Diet

■ The Major League Eating record for garlicky greens is 7.5 pounds in 6 minutes, held by Pete Davekos. Due to the nature of the contest, there were no close congratulations to the winner afterward.

Best Medicine

■ A guy goes to the doctor. He has two burned ears.

■ "What happened," asks the doctor.

■ "I was at home, doing some housework. The phone rang, and I accidentally picked up the hot iron," the guy replied.

■ "What about the other ear," inquired the doctor.

■ "They called back."

Self Exam

■ Q: What percentage of your genes describes the complexity of your brain compared to the 98 percent of the rest of your body?

a) 15 percent
b) 18 percent
c) 50 percent
d) 89 percent

■ A: c) 50 percent. Your brain makes up only 2 percent of your weight, but receives 20 percent of the blood coming from the heart and uses 20 percent of your body's oxygen and glucose.

Observation

■ "A man's health can be judged by which he takes two at a time — pills or stairs."

—JOAN WELSH

Med School

■ Q: According to Travel and Care International, what is the average frequency for a doctor to interrupt a patient?

a) Every 14 seconds
b) Every 30 seconds
c) Every 60 seconds
d) Never

■ A: a) every 14 seconds

Epitaphs

■ "This Grave contains all that was mortal, of a Young English Poet, who on his Death Bed, in the Bitterness of his heart, at the Malicious Power of his enemies, desired these words to be Engraven on his Tomb Stone: Here lies One Whose Name was writ in Water."

■ —Engraved on the tombstone of English poet John Keats (1795-1821). Keats desired only the phrase "Here lies one whose name was writ in water." Keats friends, clearly not editors, added the rest.

Get Me That, Stat!

■ Seven in 10 people aged 65 years and older have not discussed end-of-life care with a physician and 4 in 10 have not documented their end-of-life wishes.

Never Say Diet

■ The Major League Eating record for pepperoni and cheese pizzas is 252 slices (2.52 pounds) in 6 minutes, held by Patrick Bertoletti. Warning: Most of these records are held by professional eaters; the rest by people who really should find something better to do.

What Happened Next

■ The opioid epidemic has been much in the news. But for every fatal overdose in the United States, there are an estimated 30 nonfatal opioid overdoses. Each of those events represents an opportunity for clinical intervention and prevention of a future overdose.

■ But what happens next in most cases is mostly nothing at all. In a study of 6,000 Medicaid enrollees who had been treated for an opioid overdose in Pennsylvania, the number of opioid prescriptions after overdosing fell just 10 percent compared with the period before the overdose. And the rate of medication-assisted treatment in the group increased just 12 percent.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Nov. 27)

What you once thought of as a lofty aim is proving to be well within your capability. You'll barely have to reach and it's yours at the turn of the year. You'll accomplish something remarkable with a trusted friend. Publicize this! There will be a fun twist in your family story, followed by a journey together. Taurus and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 22, 35, 14 and 19.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

The daydreaming has been fun, but now you're in the mood to make it happen — to embrace your inspiration and turn it into a practical plan. Start with research, and ask for personal recommendations.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

It's as if you can't stop your good fortune. You'll receive when all you're trying to do is give. Tonight you could change everything just by holding someone's hand.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21)

Dark clouds will pass quickly. Just make sure your windows are closed. Controlling your own personal environment is much easier when you stop fretting about the uncontrollable larger setting.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)

Creating moments with people is kind of your thing today! And if there are missteps, just chalk that up to part of the fun. They'll later forget the particulars and mostly remember how you made them feel.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

You know you're not the finished product yet. You'll never be! You're always growing and changing. So don't let the little instructive corrections along the way get you down, nor should you let the compliments go to your head.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

You've got your eye on a person or business you'd like to be involved with, but you don't know everything about it yet. If you're to be in this kind of relationship, adjustments must happen. Find out first: Will it be worth your while?

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)

Numbers are a part of the game you can't avoid. How can you get the numbers up? This probably has to do with seeing, advertising to and interacting with more people.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)

Exert your autonomy. Don't attach too much weight onto the connection you have with another person or accept anyone else's definition of who you are or what you're doing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Trust and openness do not happen overnight. It takes time to build a relationship that allows you to reveal information without fear that it will be used to undermine your position.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Everyone is a little worried about being misinterpreted and coming off badly. Let's hope that makes you feel a little better about your own minor insecurities.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

You'll get to decide the meaning of a situation. Whether this scene feels positive or negative to you, assign a meaning that helps you move on from it with the greatest ease.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

There's a dark emotional place to flush out. Face it; walk into it and turn on your flashlight. Sweep the cobwebs. Scare the creatures. Generally clean this space up so you can keep going. Don't dwell in it!

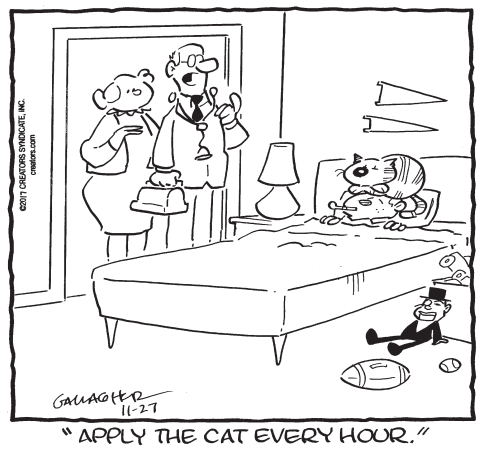
Lessons of Mercury and Saturn

An alignment of Mercury and Saturn reminds us that comfort can lead to pain. For instance, the comfort of not exerting yourself physically leads to weak muscles that don't support you properly when you're ready to rock. Go for the pain that leads to comfort instead of seeking the comfort that leads to pain.

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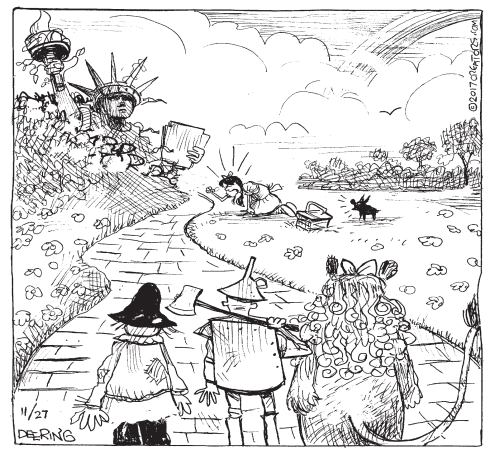
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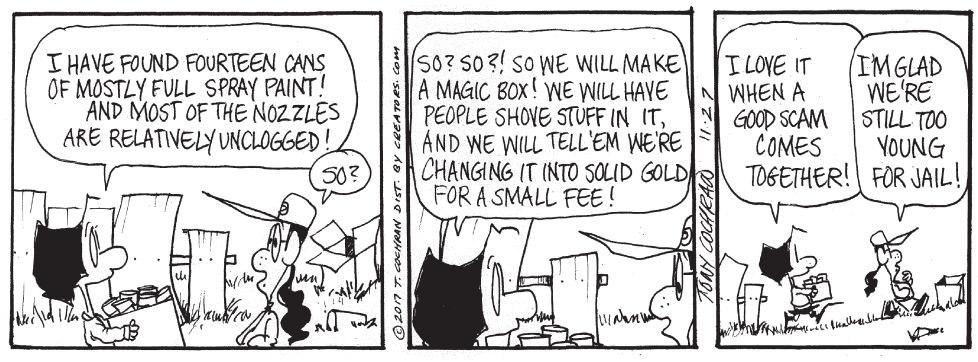
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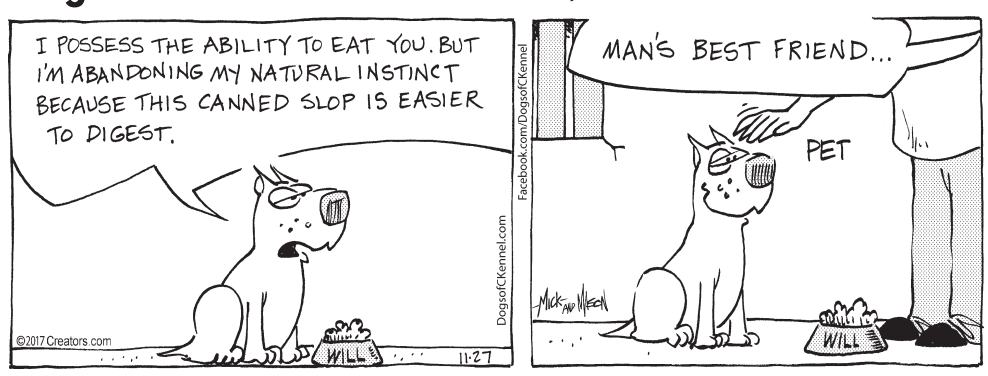
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Sudoku

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

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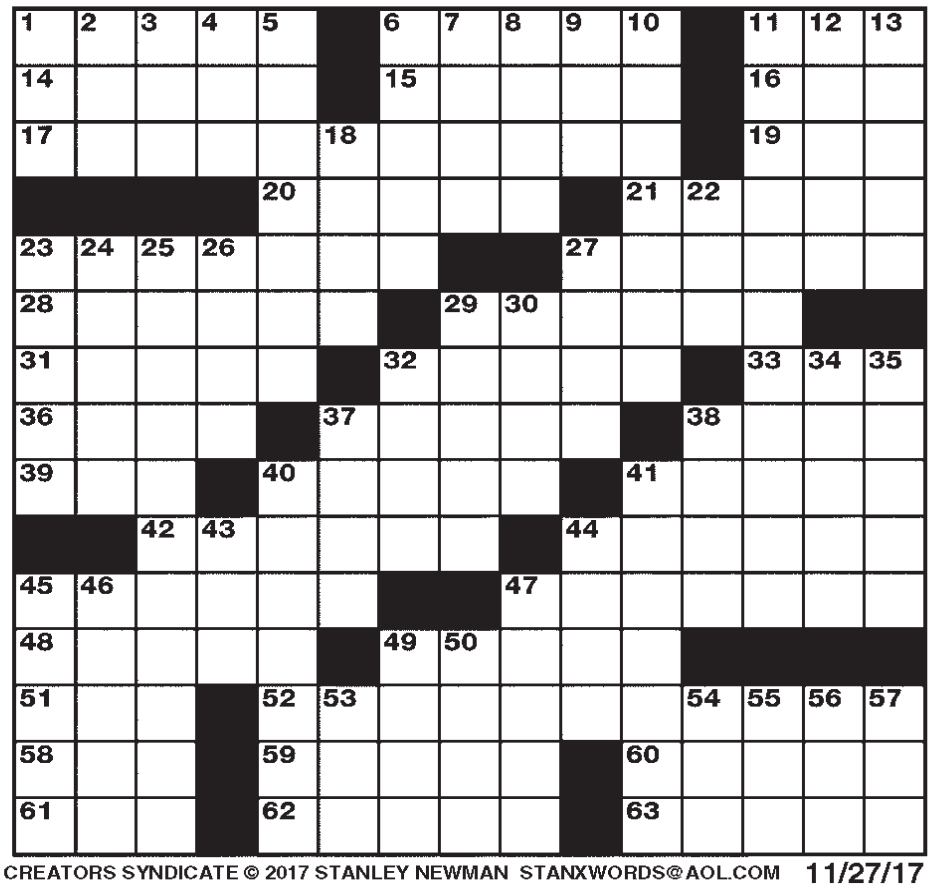
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15 King's headgear
16 "It's my turn"
17 Giddy
19 Angry dog's sound
20 Pasta like ziti
21 __ and aahed
23 Square cracker
27 Areas of expertise
28 Puts a padlock on
29 Large beer container
31 Basketball targets
32 Skin openings
33 One __ million (rare)
36 Rumple, as hair
37 Dish that holds dinner
38 Potato, informally
39 Poem of praise
40 "Dr." who created the Grinch
41 Italian resort isle
42 Most recent
44 To a greater extent
45 Corkscrew shape
47 In addition
48 Residences
49 Bread that's browned
51 Bit of barbecue
52 Harsh
58 Take advantage of
59 Lauder of cosmetics
60 Red cosmetic
61 __-and-breakfast inn
62 Ringo of the Beatles
63 Have a fainting spell

DOWN

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2 Mai __ cocktail
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4 "Yuck!"
5 Pastry-covered entrées
6 Film excerpt
7 Teheran's country
8 Intersection point
9 Leave speechless
10 Out of the rain
11 Not talking
12 See eye to eye
13 Thin ropes
18 Barnyard cacklers
22 Metallic rock
23 Foolish one
24 For all to hear
25 Very flexible, as a dancer
26 Recipe amts.
27 At no cost
29 Be a braggart
30 __ and crafts
32 In addition
34 Surgeon's assistant
35 Spanish farewell
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38 Dress of India
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017313154 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/31/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HANNAH LOWE INTERIORS. 770 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE UNIT 4041 , LOS ANGELES, CA 90017. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: HANNAH LOWE 770 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE UNIT 4041 LOS ANGELES, CA 90017. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/2016. /s/: HANNAH LOWE. HANNAH LOWE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/31/2017. 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 11/06/2017, 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017315530 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE HOTEL HOLLYWOOD , THEHOTELHOLLYWOOD.COM. 6364 YUCCA AVENUE/1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 , LOS ANGELES, CA 90028/SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: HOLLYWOOD GUEST INN LLC 1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/2003. /s/: LEILANI PASCUAL. HOLLYWOOD GUEST INN LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2017. 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 11/06/2017, 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017315528 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VENICE ON THE BEACH HOTEL, VENICEONTHEBEACHHOTEL.COM. 2819 OCEAN FRONT WALK/1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 , VENICE, CA 90291/SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ON THE BEACH LLC 1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/2003. /s/: LEILANI PASCUAL. ON THE BEACH LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2017. 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 11/06/2017, 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017316619 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Resource Los Angeles. 13274 Fiji Way, Suite 100 , Marina Del Rey, CA 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Roel Boix 1358 Washington Place, Apt A Los Angeles, CA 90066. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Roel Boix. Roel Boix. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017316557 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Resource Los Angeles. 13274 Fiji Way Suite 100 , Marina Del Rey, CA 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Baron Bruno 1 Ironsides Street #6 Marina Del Rey, CA 90292. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Baron Bruno. Baron Bruno. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017318464 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/03/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BRENTWOOD COSMETIC DENTAL. 878 BERKELEY ST. , SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: GORDON AVERILL, DMD AND ANGIE DUNKLING, DMD DENTAL SERVICES, INC. 878 BERKELEY ST. SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:GORDON AVERILL. GORDON AVERILL, DMD AND ANGIE DUNKLING, DMD DENTAL SERVICES, INC.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/03/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017318639 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/03/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as State of Mind Curated by C Magazine, State of Mind. 1543 7th St, Suite 200 , Santa Monica, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: C Publishing, LLC 1543 7th St, Suite 200 Santa Monica, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Jennifer Smith Hale. C Publishing, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/03/2017. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW ICTITIOUS 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: THE OP HOTEL NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/17/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE OP HOTEL , THE OCEAN PARK HOTEL, SANTAMONICAOCEANPARKHOTEL.COM. 2680 32ND STREET , SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: 2680 32ND ST LLC 1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)01/2003. /s/: LEILANI PASCUAL, VICE PRESIDENT . 2680 32ND ST LLC . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2017. 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 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017, 12/18/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017310127 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/27/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Flip Flop Queen. 2708 Wilshire Blvd #402 , Santa Monica, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Oceandayz USA, LLC 2708 Wilshire Blvd #402 Santa Monica, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Selena Towell. Oceandayz USA, LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/27/2017. 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 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017329734 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/17/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KAMEA CHAYNE. 525 BROADWAY #5024 , SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: KONSCIOUS LLC 525 BROADWAY SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)5/2016. /s/: KATHERINE CHANG, CEO. KONSCIOUS LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2017. 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 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017, 12/18/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017304482 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/23/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Lookout Public Relations. 828 21st St Unit 4 , Santa Monica, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Alex Klenert 828 21st St Unit 4 Santa Monica, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)08/01/2017. /s/: Alex Klenert. Alex Klenert. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/23/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017325093 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/13/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Toit Volant. 400 S. Occidental Blvd Suite 14 , Los Angeles, CA 90057. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Maldoror LLC 400 S. Occidental Blvd Suite 14 Los Angeles, CA 90057. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/01/2017. /s/: Arnaud Nabos. Maldoror LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2017. 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 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017313100 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/31/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CONCEPT HOUSE. 3300 LA CIENEGA PLACE , LOS ANGELES, CA 90016. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: HANNAH LOWE 770 SOUTH GRAND AVE. UNIT 4041 LOS ANGELES, CA 90017, EMMA FERREIRA 1546 N. FAIRFAX AVE LOS ANGELES, CA 90046. This Business is being conducted by: a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/2017. /s/: HANNAH LOWE. HANNAH LOWE, EMMA FERREIRA. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/31/2017. 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 11/06/2017, 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017317001 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Cloverrush Courier Services. 1815 N. Normandie Ave Unit 4 , Los Angeles, CA 90027. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: Pamela Clover Sunpanich Dominguez 1815 N. Normandie Ave Unit 4 Los Angeles, CA 90027. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:Pamela Clover Sunpanich Dominguez. Pamela Clover Sunpanich Dominguez. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017320290 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/07/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BORROMEO MUSIC FESTIVAL. 4173 NEOSHO AVE. , LOS ANGELES, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: NEOSHO MUSIC INC. 4173 NEOSHO AVE. LOS ANGELES, CA 90066. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:MING TSU. NEOSHO MUSIC INC.. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/07/2017. 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 11/13/2017, 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017329831 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/17/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE AMERICAN HOTEL, AMERICANHOTELLA.COM. 303 S. HEWITT ST , LOS ANGELES, CA 90013. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ARTS AMERICANA LLC 1003 WILSHIRE BLVD #201 SANTA MONICA, CA 90401. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/2013. /s/: LEILANI PASCUAL. ARTS AMERICANA LLC. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/17/2017. 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 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017, 12/18/2017.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 2017322429 NEW FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/08/2017 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CURATED LOS ANGELES. 1603 MONTANA AVE. / 1534 N MOORPARK RD SUITE 259 , SANTA MONICA, CA 90403 / THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91360. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ELIZABETH GENETTI 1603 MONTANA AVE. SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/2017. /s/: ELIZABETH GANETTI. ELIZABETH GENETTI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/08/2017. 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 11/20/2017, 11/27/2017, 12/04/2017, 12/11/2017.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS028679
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of JAVAD ZANDAZAD for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: JAVAD ZANDAZAD filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: JAVAD ZANDAZAD to JAY MEHRDAD ZAND. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
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