



STRIKE LINGERS
SEE PAGE 3

Santa Monica Daily Press

Since 2001: A news odyssey

THE HAPPIEST PLACE ON EARTH ISSUE

Getting around is king

Residents mull transportation issues in updating LUCE plan

BY MELODY HANATANI | Daily Press Staff Writer

CIVIC CENTER AREA Frustrated with the ongoing transportation issues — from a lack of parking spaces to minimal transportation options — Santa Monicans appear ready to go the extra mile to remove that seemingly permanent thorn in their side.

About 100 residents and local business owners participated in a city-sponsored workshop focused on alleviating transportation woes in Santa Monica. The workshop, which was held on Thursday at the Civic Center, was part of City Hall's efforts to update the Land Use and Circulation Element general plan.

The workshop was a follow-up to the first LUCE meeting that focused specifically on transportation issues in October, an all-day event in which residents brainstormed ideas for the different purposes transportation needs to serve in order to meet the city's larger goals.

City staff and consultants took the results of that original workshop and formulated so-called transportation

principles, which included beliefs that the transportation system in Santa Monica should be less frustrating and more enjoyable, and that transportation and parking "must be managed carefully as a limited renewable resource." Each principle was accompanied by a set of potential programs and policies, ranging from creating a car-share program to creating residential parking benefit districts.

"We want to make sure if there is change in Santa Monica, it makes Santa Monica better," said Jeffrey Tumlin, the city's transportation consultant for the LUCE project.

SEE LUCE PAGE 9

COMMUNITY PROFILES

THIS WAY TO SUNDANCE

Filmmaker heads to Utah with no cash, but big plans

STORY BY MICHAEL TITTINGER PAGE 10

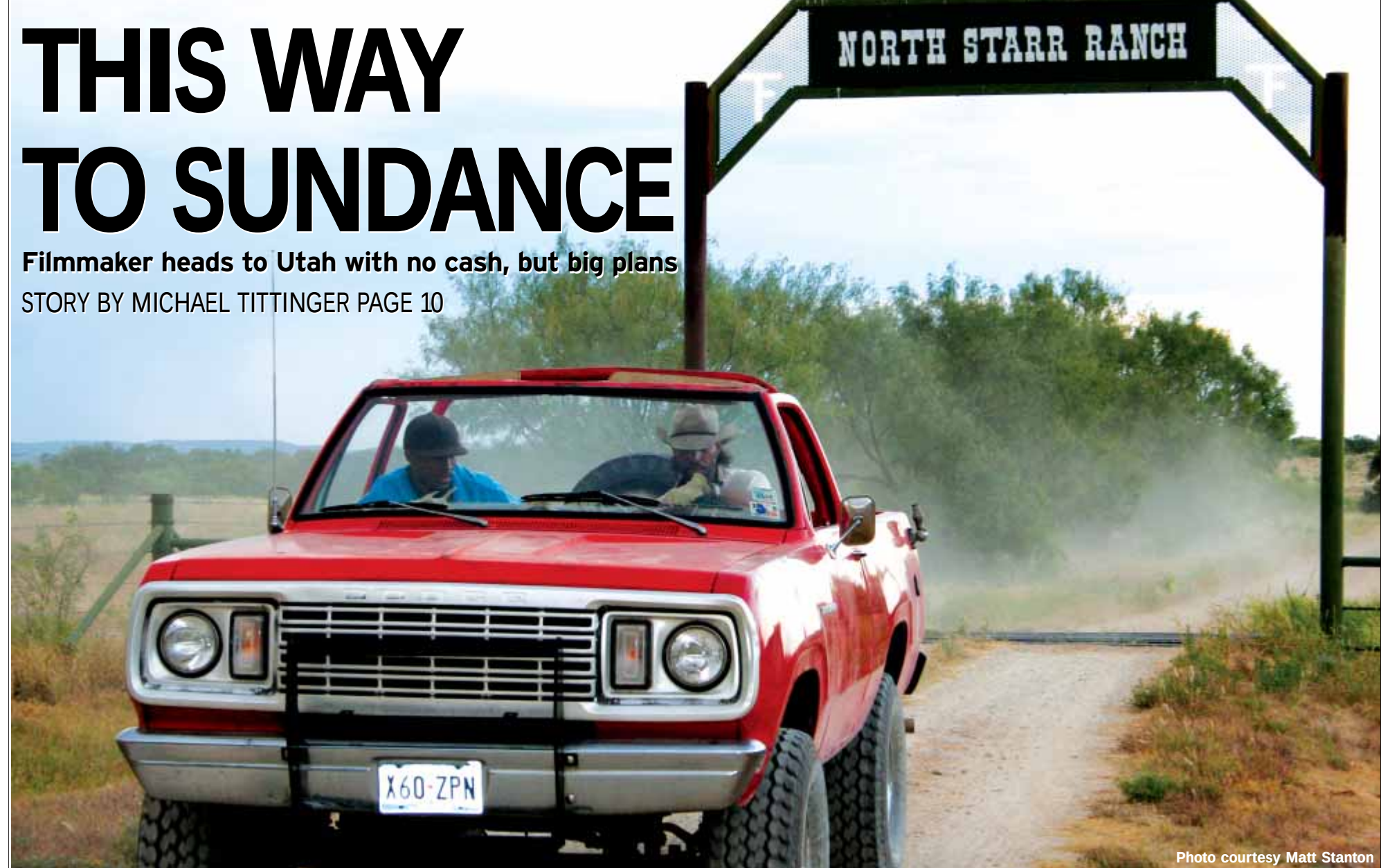


Photo courtesy Matt Stanton



Gary Limjap

(310) 586-0339

It's all about you... **The client**

COLDWELL BANKER



PLATINUM

331 Wilshire Blvd. Santa Monica 2 Hours Free Parking (Behind Store)

Monday-Saturday 10am-6pm • 310.451.1349 • www.readersjewelers.com



TAXES

ALL FORMS, ALL TYPES, ALL STATES

AUDITS • BACK TAXES • BOOKKEEPING • SMALL BUSINESS

SAMUEL B. MOSES, CPA

(310) 395-9922

100 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1800
Santa Monica 90401



Kitchen Kid

Cooking up delicious kitchen experiences for eager eaters of all ages!

Build your child's confidence, reinforce academic skills, and encourage healthy, adventurous eating at home.

Birthday Parties!

Parent-Child Cook Groups!

Family Classes!

After-School Culinary Lessons!

www.kitchenkid.com

samantha@kitchenkid.com

310.450.3462

BOB GABRIEL INSURANCE

Providing Professional & Personalized Service Since 1936



- Auto Experts
- Life, Disability & Pension
- Homeowners
- Commercial & Business
- Workers Compensation
- Group & Individual Health

Representing "A" rated companies including MERCURY INSURANCE

California survey shows Mercury Insurance Auto rates to be the most competitive in this area.

Phone Quotes Available

We encourage you to support the Santa Monica Historical Society Museum — The Archives of Santa Monica. 1539 Euclid (310) 395-2290

310.829.0305
2325 Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica

AA OLYMPIC Self Storage

Serving Santa Monica and West L.A.

2 Months FREE Rent
+ FREE Lock
Call for details



OPEN 7 DAYS
Call About
FREE Truck
Rental Plan



SELF
STORAGE
MEMBER

(310)829-2525

3250 OLYMPIC BLVD. • www.selfstorage.net/aaolympic

Calendar

2

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2007

Santa Monica Daily Press

A newspaper with issues

HAPPY HOLIDAYS
from The Best Western Gateway Hotel
the Best Full-Service Value in Santa Monica

**10 Year Recipient of
The Best Western Excellence Award**

Special Holiday Rates Available

1920 Santa Monica Blvd. (Corner of 20th & Santa Monica Blvd.)

WHAT'S UP WESTSIDE

OUT AND ABOUT IN SANTA MONICA AND SURROUNDS



Santa Monica Nativity display

Palisades Park, open viewing

The annual Santa Monica Nativity scene, featuring 14 lit scenes with life-size figures, will be on display through the end of the year — continuing a community tradition that began in 1953.

Tango with Tango

1416 Electric Ave., Venice, 8:30 p.m. — 10 p.m.

Learn Argentine Tango with Makela Tango at the Electric Lodge. No partner necessary. For more information, visit www.makelatango.com.

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

2948 Colorado Ave., 7 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

Recovery, Inc. offers a free mental health workshop, utilizing the R.I. method to help in dealing with stress, depression and anxiety. For more information, call (310) 476-1741 or go to www.recovery-inc.org.

Tuesday, Dec. 11, 2007

Gimme Shelter for the last time

9009 West Sunset Blvd., Hollywood, 7 p.m. — 11 p.m.

This will be the last performance of Gimme Shelter at The Roxy. After 16 years, the rock show that raises funds for the Spectrum Program at New Roads School is ending. This year's line-up includes Mandy Moore, Suzanna Hoffs and Pete Dinklage. Tickets are \$20 in advance; \$25 at the door. For more information, call (310) 278-9457.

From Reel to Real: 'The Family Stone'

601 Santa Monica Blvd., 6:30 p.m. — 9 p.m.

The Santa Monica Public Library presents a free monthly screening and discussion series, built around issues-based movies. Gregg Heacock, will lead a discussion prior to the film, "The Family Stone," starring Diane Keaton. Seating is first come, first served in the MLK Jr. Auditorium.

New CASA Volunteer Orientation Session

201 Centre Plaza Dr., Ste. 3, Monterey Park, 12:30 p.m. — 2 p.m.

CASA of Los Angeles is currently recruiting Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) volunteers. Trained volunteers investigate the circumstances of children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse or neglect and placed in protective custody. Volunteers must be minimum 21 years old, be able to make at least a 2-year commitment to the program, undergo a background check, and successfully complete a 36-hour CASA training. Bilingual (Spanish/English) and African American volunteers are especially needed. To RSVP for training, or for more information, visit www.casala.org.

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.

Ice, ice, baby

1324 Fifth St., 10 a.m. — 10 p.m.

Bring back childhood memories — or create new ones — as you slice through the ice. Admission is \$10; including skate rental.

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.



Talks stall in ongoing WGA strike

BY LYNN ELBER
AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES Negotiations between striking Hollywood writers and studios collapsed Friday, crushing expectations for a settlement of the costly walkout in its fifth week.

The Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers announced that the round of talks that started Tuesday had broken down, stalling efforts to end the strike that has sidelined many prime-time and late-night TV shows.

"We're puzzled and disheartened by an ongoing WGA (Writers Guild of America) negotiating strategy that seems designed to delay or derail talks rather than facilitate an end to this strike," the producers alliance said in a statement.

In response, the guild said the chief alliance negotiator, Nick Counter, slammed the door on bargaining after presenting an ultimatum and before the union could respond to his latest proposal regarding crucial new-media compensation issues.

"As we prepared our counteroffer, at 6:05 p.m., Nick Counter came and said to us, in the mediator's presence, 'We are leaving. When you write us a letter saying you will take all these items off the table, we will reschedule negotiations with you,'" according to a union statement.

A detailed alliance announcement on the talks' collapse was released a short time later. Counter was unavailable Friday night for comment, the alliance said.

A letter the guild said it received from Counter said negotiations could resume only after the guild removed a half-dozen demands.

The guild said it remained "ready and willing to negotiate, no matter how intransigent our bargaining partners are, because the stakes are simply too high."

"If someone called tomorrow and said let's start on Sunday and we want to hear your counterproposal, I'd say great," chief guild negotiator David Young told The Associated Press.

The writers guild represents 12,000 members but not all are on strike, with about 2,000 or so news writers and others covered under a separate contract.



File photo

DOG DAY: Some Mar Vista dog owners have purchased tags that allow their canines to have access to the dog area at Airport Park in Santa Monica.

Who let the dogs in?

Mar Vista canine owners have paid for right to use dog park

BY KEVIN HERRERA
Daily Press Staff Writer

AIRPORT PARK This place is going to the dogs.

More than 60 Los Angeles residents have paid \$15.50 for a tag that allows their pooches to use the nearly 1 acre, off-leash dog area at Airport Park, city officials said.

That number is expected to increase when a grace period that has been in effect since the park opened in April is lifted and enforcement begins on Jan. 1. Residents already pay a licensing fee of \$15 for spayed or neutered pets, and \$50 for unaltered dogs.

Usage appears to be unchanged, with approximately half the users from Santa

Monica and half from Los Angeles, said Trinie Garcia-Valdez, community use administrator for City Hall.

Los Angeles residents are happy that they now have the option of using the park legally for what many consider to be a small fee that will help maintain the dog area, which needs to be cleaned regularly, with maintenance crews bringing in fresh wood chips every four to six weeks. City staff said around \$25,000 a year is needed to clean and maintain the dog area.

"This is a great community resource," said Keith Lambert, director of the Mar Vista Neighborhood Council who last week purchased a dog tag for his pooch Winzer, a stray his family adopted.

"I have a bigger dog so giving him a place to run that's longer than 20 feet is great," Lambert added. "The dogs get to socialize and that's really cool. The people there are generally friendly. We rarely ask for each other's names, but we know their dog's name. It's all about the dogs here."

Mar Vista residents like Lambert fought

hard for access to the dog area after they learned that they would not be allowed to use it under a policy adopted by the City Council in the 1990s when City Hall began building off-leash dog areas at the request of residents. The law prohibits dogs that are not licensed in Santa Monica from using the city's three dog parks and one dog run.

Mar Vista residents complained and held a protest in April at the grand opening of the Airport Park, the city's first newly-constructed park to open in the last 24 years. There were handmade signs blasting city officials for excluding Los Angeles residents from the dog park, a move that was done to ensure that Santa Monicans and their 5,500 licensed dogs could use it without having to worry about overcrowding and excessive wear and tear.

Mar Vista residents felt they should be allowed to use the dog area since it is located just yards from many of their homes. They said that they work, shop and dine in

SEE DOG PARK PAGE 11



Since 1967
Quality & Value Always!
Open 6am - 2:30pm Mon. - Fri.
6am - 4pm Sat. - Sun.

310-399-7892
2732 Main St.
Santa Monica

**"Friends and Family
for the Holiday
Gathering."**



Golda Savage

Stand [on] your [own] ground.
Helping sellers & buyers accomplish just that.

310.770.4490
golda@bulldogrealtors.com



BULLDOG REALTORS
1209 Abbot Kinney Boulevard, Venice

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Designation time for Third Street Editor:

It would seem obvious that both the Landmarks Commission and the Santa Monica Conservancy are on the side of historic preservation and yet after months of hearings neither body has committed to protecting the Third Street Neighborhood Historic District in Ocean Park.

The Landmarks Commission has now been through five or six hearings on one project (I've basically lost count, there have been so many, starting in December last year) and since the applicant has requested another continuance, this will presumably drag on into the new year. The unsuitability of this project for a very sensitive site in the heart of the designated historic district is so obvious that many residents of the District expected it to be turned down at the very first hearing. The other project will be heard for the second time at the landmarks hearing on Monday.

Why are the commissioners taking so long and being so timid? And why hasn't the conservancy been vocal in support of the city's one tiny historic district? The city would like to designate more historic districts but if the Third Street Historic District is not supported, what's the point of trying to establish others?

Karen Blechman

Santa Monica

Electoral College thievery

Editor:

Why hasn't Governor Schwarzenegger said anything about the GOP's bogus Electoral College ballot initiative that would give Republicans a portion of California's electoral votes (all politically and legislatively correct of course) and benefit the Republican presidential candidate in the 2008 election?

Americans didn't learn the lesson of presidency theft by Electoral College manipulation in Bush's 2000 victory. Now we have another chance to view up front and close the secretive and cunning underpinnings of Grand Old Party thievery.

Ron Lowe

Santa Monica



Bill Bauer

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Throwing stones isn't a good idea

THE SECOND AND FOURTH STREETS ficus trees are before the Landmarks Commission again, tonight. Santa Monica Treesavers, a local environmental group, wants to landmark them to prevent the city from removing or relocating 54 of the "Green Gems" in the downtown Bayside area.

Originally, the city planned to remove half the ficus trees and a number of palms on Second and Fourth streets between Wilshire Boulevard and Broadway. The current plan is to cut down 23 "structurally compromised" ficus and relocate some 30 other trees to fill in the holes and even out the treescape. Although the latest plan will make for an attractive, healthy tree canopy downtown, a few vocal malcontents are still not satisfied and vowed to fight "to save all the trees."

I have no idea what Treesaver's leadership can honestly present to justify landmarking these trees. The city's landmark criteria says that a landmark must "exemplify, symbolize or manifests elements of cultural, social, economic, political or architectural history and exhibit aesthetic or artistic value or noteworthy interest." These trees don't.

The criteria also says the potential landmark should be "identified with historical personages or important local, state or national events; embody distinguished architectural characteristics or a rare example of architectural design, detail or historical type; be a significant example of the work of a notable builder, architect or designer and have a unique location, singular historic characteristic" They don't meet this criteria, either.

There may be questions about "an established and visual feature of a neighborhood, community or the city," but with so many ficus-lined streets in town and with most of the other trees in the Bayside area remaining untouched, this "visual feature" is as common as dirt.

Sadly, some smart, well-intentioned environmentalists are being discredited by being involved in this ridiculous charade. With so many individuals speaking for the Treesavers and issuing pronouncements which are misleading, inaccurate or, at best, contradictory, a valid movement is already being labeled "crackpot."

Two of the movement's most vocal individuals have boasted about plans to run for City Council, next year. One of the Treesaver's founders has even been telling other people not to address City Council about the ficus because they're "his" issue — proving this hyped-up controversy is strictly about someone's self-promotion. Prolonging this foolishness accomplishes nothing except to make everyone involved look silly.

Tomorrow night, City Council will review design updates for the Civic Center "Village" — the 325 unit apartment/condo complex with 165 units of luxury condominiums and 160 units of "affordable" apartments crammed into a 3.3 acre site across from City Hall.

The "Village" has been the subject of much controversy concerning height and density. A number of concerned

citizens feel this could be "the new look" for Santa Monica as City Hall is on the verge of approving a number of other developments of similar size and scale.

Curbed.LA, a development/real estate blog posted last week, "A Curbed reader e-mails us ... The good news for those of us who hate looking at poverty — the affordable units will be hidden behind the taller, better looking market rate units. As the reader notes: 'The affordable housing is located back behind the condos, so you wouldn't see them from Ocean Avenue or Olympic Drive. There will be 160 affordable units, meaning 160 families will be living in this ugly segregated area.' The much nicer, market rate units are being designed by Moore Roble Yudell Architects of Santa Monica."

BOTTOM LINE: THE WHOLE THING IS TOO BIG, TOO UGLY AND A BLIGHT ON THE LANDSCAPE, BUT CITY HALL IS COMMITTED TO IT.

Bottom line: The whole thing is too big, too ugly and a blight on the landscape, but City Hall is committed to it. So, after tinkering and nit-picking design details, this will still go forward. Unfortunately.

More often than not, I'm critical of City Council's actions. However, I tip my hat to them for upholding landmark status on the courtyard apartment complex at 423-431 Ocean Ave. Designed by noted Santa Monica architect, William E. Foster, in the Colonial American Revival style, it's a classic, period, Santa Monica apartment complex.

My hat is also off to the City Council for taking steps to protect elderly and disabled tenants from eviction at the Village Trailer Park, 2930 Colorado Ave. The owner of the site wants to develop 109-unit rent-controlled, affordable, single room apartments, 240 market-rate condominiums plus creative studio/office space and "neighborhood-serving" retail on the 3.85 acre site with parking for more than 500 cars.

However, the city holds the upper hand. The property is zoned for mobile home use, therefore the developer must get a change of zoning so he can build. By refusing the zoning change and buying the developer out, City Hall could kill two birds with one stone: Eliminate an overly large commercial development and maintain desperately needed, low income, mobile home housing.

BILL BAUER, who is practically a landmark himself, can be reached at mr.bilbau@gmail.com

PUBLISHER

Ross Furukawa
ross@smdp.com

EDITOR

Michael Tittinger
editor@smdp.com

ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Daniel Archuleta
daniela@smdp.com

STAFF WRITERS

Kevin Herrera
kevinh@smdp.com

Melody Hanatani
melodyh@smdp.com

CONTRIBUTING WRITERS

Bill Bauer, David Pisarra, Meredith Carroll, Kenny Mack, Jack Neworth, Lloyd Garver, Seth Barnes, Taylor van Arsdale, Dane Robert Swanson, Mark Marchillo, Ken Tarr, Mike Heayn, Brian Hepp and Mariel Howsepian

NEWS INTERNS

Gabrielle Harradine
news@smdp.com

CONTRIBUTING PHOTOGRAPHERS

Morgan Genser
Brandon Wise
news@smdp.com

ADVERTISING SALES MANAGER

Rob Schwenker
schwenker@smdp.com

ADVERTISING ACCOUNT EXECUTIVES

Julie Martinez
juliem@smdp.com

Liam Blume
Liamb@smdp.com

ADVERTISING ASSISTANT

Cynthia Vazquez
advertising@smdp.com

OPERATIONS MANAGER

Connie Sommerville
connies@smdp.com

PRODUCTION MANAGER

Tessa Vergara
tessav@smdp.com

PRODUCTION ASSISTANT

Frances Casareno
production@smdp.com

CLASSIFIEDS SALES MANAGER

Annie Kotok
anniek@smdp.com

CIRCULATION

Keith Wyatt
Osvaldo Paganini
circulation@smdp.com

Santa Monica Daily Press
A newspaper with issues

410 Broadway, Suite B
Santa Monica, CA 90401
OFFICE (310) 458-PRESS (7737)
FAX (310) 576-9913

Visit us online at smdp.com



The Santa Monica Daily Press is published six days a week, Monday through Saturday.

19,000 daily circulation, 46,450 daily readership. Circulation is audited and verified by Circulation Verification Council, 2006. Serving the City of Santa Monica, and the communities of Venice Beach, Brentwood, West L.A. Members of CNPA, AFCC, CVC, Associated Press, IFPA, Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce.

Published by Newlon Rouge, LLC

© 2006 Newlon Rouge, LLC, all rights reserved.



“
OR
GET
OFF
THE
POT!”

WRITE
A LETTER, AN OP-ED
OR DRAW A CARTOON.
Send Submissions to
editor@smdp.com or to:
410 Broadway, Suite B, Santa Monica, 90401

Santa Monica Daily Press smdp.com

Your column here
Anthony Gregory

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Emissions guidelines and double standards

GOVERNOR ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER is suing the federal government in the name of California's right to regulate carbon emissions. He is not alone in his view. More than a dozen states have been impatient with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for years now, as the Bush administration has been reluctant to enact emissions caps on the automotive industry.

This situation raises an interesting point. Often, national regulators benefit private interests by quashing local regulation. During the Progressive Era in the early 20th century, much of the drive for new federal regulations on everything from transportation and energy to food and communications actually came from big business. Not only did established firms want new laws to protect them from the competitive free market, they also resented the patchwork diversity of state regulations and sought a monolithic regulatory regime in Washington, D.C.

Furthermore, national regulation has historically compromised clean air. The common law courts used to have jurisdiction over air pollution. But during the Industrial Revolution, British companies that blew soot into the air wanted national regulations to protect them from local lawsuits — all in the name of “the common good,” of course. When President Nixon created the EPA, industry leaders knew they would have major influence over the new agency and could use it to force taxpayers to clean up industry's messes.

Matters are more complicated, however, with carbon emissions. Whether they are pollutants is not as clear-cut as it was with the smoke and soot that blackened 19th-century skylines. As for private interests obscuring the debate, there are plenty on both sides this time. While many car manufacturers fear global warming legislation, many energy firms look forward to the government contracts, institutional stability, and protection from competition that such regulations will bring. It is why Enron, for example, so strongly favored the Kyoto Treaty.

In terms of Constitutional jurisdiction, Schwarzenegger probably is right. The Tenth Amendment reserves to the states and people all powers not specifically delegated to the federal government. The EPA has no Constitutional right to exist. Pollution should be handled more locally, as it was under the common law. But is this an interpretation leftist environmentalists can

embrace? Probably not.

In many areas, leftists favor a powerful central government. In April, the Supreme Court sided with California, Massachusetts, numerous other states, cities, and environmental organizations, affirming that the EPA had the authority and potential obligation to oversee carbon emissions. For many environmentalists, the ends justify the means — whether they have to appeal to federal supremacy or states' rights. Some have called for “energy federalism,” letting states set the policies, but most do not want to lose the EPA.

The left also was conflicted over the medical marijuana case *Gonzales v. Raich* two years ago: If liberals agreed that the feds could not override California medical marijuana laws, they'd have no Constitutional leg to stand on concerning education programs, welfare, gun control, and their many other pet projects on the federal level. Accordingly, the liberal Supreme Court justices all upheld the prerogative of the national police state to trump the interests of local medical marijuana ordinances.

On the other hand, conservatives can be hypocritical too, calling for the feds to overrule local laws on marijuana, global warming, and gay marriage and championing a strong national police state, all while defending states' rights on prayer in school, abortion, guns, and numerous other issues. But the hypocrisy on the right is no excuse for hypocrisy on the left.

The debates over the science of global warming and the proper role of government in the environment are emotionally charged and cannot be resolved in this space. But people on the left must decide: Do they want matters like these sorted out as locally as possible or by a national leviathan that will always be wedded to corporate interests and headed by relatively conservative politicians? Do they think the federal government must impose standards throughout America, despite what some states might want, or do they think the feds should butt out and let the states, and more ideally the people, handle these issues, however imperfectly, on their own?

They can't have it both ways. Yet leftists have double standards on emission standards, as far as states' rights are concerned.

Anthony Gregory is a research analyst at the Independent Institute, a policy advisor for The Future of Freedom Foundation, and a columnist for LewRockwell.com.



Hypnosis Works!

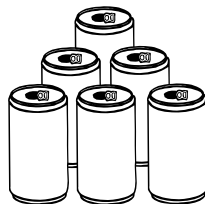
When you're ready for a change

John McGrail C.Ht.

Clinical Hypnotherapist

(310) 235-2883 www.hypnotherapylosangeles.com

RECYCLE NOW!

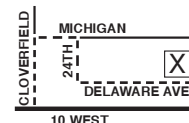


CRV ALUMINUM CANS: \$1.70 per lb.
 (Up to \$1.90 per lb.) Drop-off donation bins available 24 hours in front

Santa Monica Recycling Center

2411 Delaware Avenue in Santa Monica

(310) 453-9677



GERMAN CAR SERVICE

Specialist in Repair of **Porsche • VW • Audi • BMW**

- Best alternative to high dealer prices
- Complete service and repair
- All work guaranteed
- Locally owned and operated since 1965



2202 OLYMPIC BLVD., SANTA MONICA • (310) 829-2563

Can we talk?

**Continuing last year's discussion with
 City Manager P. Lamont Ewell about
 community priorities**

Attend one of these neighborhood meetings to get an update on how the city has responded to the community's concerns, and discuss Santa Monica's needs and priorities as the 2008-09 budget planning cycle begins.

Wednesday, December 19, 2007

Virginia Avenue Park, Thelma Terry Center
 2200 Virginia Avenue

Monday, January 7, 2008

Montana Avenue Library
 1704 Montana Avenue

Co-sponsored by:

Friends of Sunset Park
 North of Montana Association
 Ocean Park Association
 Pico Neighborhood Association
 Wilshire-Montana Neighborhood Association



All locations are wheelchair accessible. For additional disability-related accommodations, or for more information about these meetings, please call (310) 458-8281.

The **Q-Line**

PROUDLY BROUGHT TO YOU BY

Making a list ...

This year has seen some highs ('No Country For Old Men') and has seen some lows ('Fred Claus').

So this week's Q-Line question asks:

What was the most memorable film of the year? Be candid and just for fun throw in your pick for least memorable movie as well.

Call (310) 285-8106 before Friday at 5 p.m. and we'll print your answers in the weekend edition of the Daily Press. Please limit responses to a minute or less.



Kate Bransfield

Estates Director

Chairman's Circle - Platinum
 #1 Prudential Santa Monica Realtor

310.395.1133

What is Your Home Worth?
 Contact Me to Find Out.

for local, current real estate info...

SantaMonicaListings.com

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

“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

Annenberg Community Beach Club at Santa Monica State Beach (415 Pacific Coast Hwy.)

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 the 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. During the week of Dec. 10, there will be reconstruction of the corner sidewalk ramp at Second Street and Colorado Avenue.

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 optic infrastructure will continue on Pico Boulevard from Ocean Avenue to Lincoln Boulevard and on Fourth Street from Pico to Olympic Drive. Fiber optic infrastructure installation will begin on Lincoln between the I-10 Freeway and Marine Street. The traffic signal modifications at the 26th Street/Pennsylvania Avenue intersection will continue. Traffic signal modifications will begin at the Neilson Way/Ashland Avenue intersection. Work hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Traffic lane closures and sidewalk closures should 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.



Man arrested after threats

BY THOMAS WATKINS
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES Australian police arrested a man after he allegedly posted an online threat saying a shooting attack would take place at a Los Angeles mall, officials said Friday.

Jarrad Willis, 20, of Melbourne, was arrested Friday night local time in Australia.

“HE SAYS I AM GOING TO SHOOT AND KILL AS MANY PEOPLE AS I CAN UNTIL WHICH TIME I AM INCAPACITATED OR KILLED BY THE POLICE,”

Michael Downing
Police Deputy Chief

Los Angeles Police Department detectives traced to Australia the address of his Internet provider. Willis allegedly said the attack would happen Friday at The Grove mall near Beverly Hills.

Police Deputy Chief Michael Downing said the warning was posted on 4chan.org, an image-based bulletin board featuring adult content and blog comments. The posting featured a picture of a man holding a shotgun in a gun store, Downing said.

Marine charged with murder

BY CHELSEA J. CARTER
Associated Press Writer

SAN DIEGO A Marine was charged for a second time with murdering a detainee three years ago in Fallujah, Iraq, the military announced Friday.

Sgt. Jermaine A. Nelson was charged with murder and dereliction of duty, charges that were earlier dismissed to give a general more time to review the case.

Nelson is the second person charged in the case that centers on allegations that a Marine squad shot a group of unarmed captives during heavy fighting in November 2004.

Squad leader Jose Nazario Jr., 27, has been charged with one count of voluntary manslaughter in the killing of two captives. Because he completed his military service, the former sergeant faces charges in federal court.

Nelson, whose age and hometown were not released, has not been appointed a Marine attorney, and it was unclear if he had hired a civilian lawyer.

The charges allege Nelson “did murder an unknown detained person by means of shooting him with a loaded firearm.” Nelson faces life imprisonment if convicted of murder.

He is also accused of being derelict in his duty for failing to follow the rules of engagement, how to treat enemy prisoners of war and how to care for detainees in a combat zone.

“He says I am going to shoot and kill as many people as I can until which time I am incapacitated or killed by the police,” Downing said. The posting has been removed.

The LAPD contacted Australian police, who tracked the location of the computer allegedly used for the threat. Downing said Australian police already knew Willis, “because he had done things like this in the past.”

Downing said there was no indication Willis, who has never been to the United States, had any way of carrying out the threat, which came after Wednesday’s mall shooting in Omaha, Nebraska, that left eight holiday shoppers and the gunman dead.

In a statement, The Grove said it was cooperating with authorities in the investigation.

“There was never any real threat to The Grove and there is no ongoing threat,” read the statement.

Downing said he did not know why Willis posted the alleged threat.

Willis has been charged in Australia with creating a false belief — a violation of Australian law. Police said other charges are likely.

It was not immediately known if Willis had an attorney.

Downing said additional patrol units were posted at the mall until it was determined that Willis had no way of carrying out the alleged threat.

Willis faces up to five years in prison and as part of the prosecution, Australian authorities will seek up to \$100,000 from him, the estimated cost of the LAPD’s investigation, Downing said.





Earth Talk

By the editors of E Magazine

Send comments to editor@smdp.com

Toys may include a few toxic secrets

Dear EarthTalk:

I have been alarmed at recent news about dangerous substances in kids' toys shipped to the U.S. from China, though I doubt that such concerns are limited to Chinese products. What are the major issues associated with chemicals in child toys?

-Carla M.,
Chicago, IL

RECENT CONCERNS SURROUNDING toxic chemicals in children's toys have focused on "phthalates" (pronounced THA-lates), a group of chemical compounds typically added to plastics to increase their softness and flexibility, and bisphenol A (BPA), a building block for polycarbonate plastic that is used primarily in shatter-resistant baby bottles. Phthalates are found in numerous industrial and consumer products, including plastic intravenous (IV) bags used in hospitals, fishing lures and nail polishes. One phthalate, diisononyl phthalate (DINP), is commonly used in the manufacture of soft vinyl products made for babies, such as bath books, rubber ducks and teething rings.

Studies have linked BPA to the disruption of hormone function in rats, and to increased breast and prostate cancer cell growth, early puberty and obesity in humans. Other studies have linked phthalates like DINP to rodent cancers and genital abnormalities, especially in males.

The city of San Francisco would have been the first U.S. jurisdiction to ban phthalates and BPA from children's toys and feeding products under a "Stop Toxic Toys" bill signed by mayor Gavin Newsom in June 2006, but lawsuits backed by chemical and toy manufacturers (and filed by a coalition including the California Retailers Association, the California Grocers Association and the American Chemistry Council) stalled the initiative, which had been set to take effect December 1, 2006.

Then on October 15, 2007, California governor Arnold Schwarzenegger signed into law AB 1108 (also known as the California Toxic Toys Bill), making California the first state in the country to ban the use of phthalates from children's products. "We are thrilled that California is taking action to protect our kids from dangerous chemicals," said Dan Jacobson, Legislative Director for Environment California, which co-sponsored the legislation along with the Breast Cancer Fund. "This bill is so important because as children's minds and bodies go through the delicate processes of growing and developing, they are particularly vulnerable to chemicals that could affect proper development."



Photo courtesy Getty Images

EASY DOES IT: Recent concerns surrounding toxic chemicals in children's toys have focused on 'phthalates,' chemical compounds commonly used in the manufacture of soft vinyl products made for babies, such as bath books.

The European Union considers phthalates dangerous enough to ban them from children's products, and has ordered the removal of many variations from children's products and banned still others, including DINP, from anything that kids might put in their mouths. Environment California and other groups see the EU ban as evidence that alternatives to these plasticizers exist and must be explored in the U.S. "Many places in the world have to comply with restrictions on phthalates," says Rachel Gibson, an attorney for Environment California. "It's a mystery why we sell toxic toys to American kids."

Until more stringent regulations are passed, consumers can use the recycling codes on plastic products to determine content. If it's marked #7, it's polycarbonate plastic and contains BPA; if it's marked #3, it's polyvinyl chloride (PVC) plastic and contains potentially harmful phthalates.

Want to get down to earth? Submit questions to earthtalk@emagazine.com.



FREEDOM FROM KNEE AND FOOT PAIN

If these ailments are keeping you from doing the everyday sports activities you enjoy most, then why not try what many top professional sports teams and athletes around the country are doing today to accelerate their recovery from injury. Avicenna Class IV Laser Therapy is a new, non-invasive treatment performed on an outpatient basis for conditions that frequently plague today's athletes. With this pain-free, non-surgical therapy, patients typically gain relief within a few sessions.

Call Dr. Mike Power, DC at
The Golden Cabinet Integrated Medical
Healing Center, (310)575-1955 today
to see if this revolutionary pain management
therapy is right for you.



SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT (SMCCD) ENVIRONMENTAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the general public of the availability for public review and comment on the following environmental document for SMCCD. This publication is intended to serve as our Notice of Intent to Adopt the following Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Student Services Replacement, Bookstore Modernization and Pico Promenade Improvements Project, which is located on the Santa Monica College Campus in the City of Santa Monica. The Proposed Project involves the replacement of existing uses to improve functional efficiency on the Main Campus. The Proposed Project would not generate any increases to student, faculty, or administrative personnel. The Proposed Project would result in a net decrease of 5,119 assignable square feet (asf) on the campus through the demolition and inactivation of approximately 67,124 asf of campus related uses and the development of approximately 62,005 asf of campus related uses. The Proposed Project would result in a net reduction of 178 classroom seats. The Proposed Project would also involve removing 177 surface parking spaces and constructing a 500-space subterranean parking garage, resulting in a net increase of 323 on-site parking spaces. The SMCCD will be holding a community presentation of the Proposed Project at 7:00 p.m. on January 3, 2008 at the SMC Bundy Campus, Room 123, 3171 S. Bundy Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90066. The IS/MND will be made available for review and comment during a public review period commencing on December 7, 2007 and ending on January 9, 2008. The proposed IS/MND will be submitted to the SMCCD Board of Trustees at a later date for approval. Copies of the IS/MND will be available for public review at SMCCD's Administrative Offices during normal business hours at 2714 Pico Boulevard, Suite 320, Santa Monica, and on the internet at <http://www.smc.edu>. Please address all comments to Mr. Randy Lawson, Executive Vice President, Business & Administration at 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA, 90405. Written comments are due no later than January 9, 2008.

Nobody Outcleans The Maids.®



100% Satisfaction Guarantee

Call us within 24 hours after your clean. If we didn't clean something to your satisfaction, we will reclean it - free of charge.

We use our 22-Step Healthy Touch® Deep Cleaning System every visit!

KITCHEN

- Clean sink
- Clean appliance exteriors
- Clean inside microwave
- Clean range top
- Damp wipe cabinet doors
- Clean counters
- Hand wash floor
- Load dishwasher



ALL ROOMS

- Pick up & straighten
- Dust sills, ledges, wall hangings
- Remove cobwebs
- Dust/vacuum furniture
- Vacuum floors, carpets
- Vacuum stairs
- Vacuum under beds
- Change linens, make beds
- Empty trash

BATHROOMS

- Clean sinks, counters; change towels
- Clean, disinfect toilets, tubs, showers
- Hand wash, disinfect floors

WINDOWS

- Clean entry windows & one set of patio door windows
- Clean window over kitchen sink

The Maids Home Services

Call today for a FREE estimate:

310-280-0300

www.maids.com



RUN YOUR DBAs IN THE DAILY PRESS FOR ONLY \$60.

INCLUDES RECEIPT AND PROOF OF PUBLICATION. CALL US TODAY @ (310) 458-7737

Santa Monica Daily Press

Visit us online at smdp.com

Condors get more protection

BY SAMANTHA YOUNG | Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO It will be illegal for hunters to possess or fire lead ammunition when they are in California condor habitat under regulations adopted Friday by a state commission.

By a vote of 3-1, the California Fish and Game Commission expanded the state's lead ammunition ban in an effort to safeguard North America's largest flying bird.

"It's pretty clear lead poisoning is one of the major factors preventing recovery of the species," said Jeff Miller, a conservation advocate at the Center for Biological Diversity. "It's another step in getting lead out of the food chain."

The condor was once found from coast to coast, but hunting, pesticides and development drove the birds to the brink of extinction. The federal government declared the bird endangered in 1967.

Scientists for years have said condors are poisoned when they ingest lead while feeding on the bullet-ridden carcasses

of other animals. But regulators have been slow to act.

Earlier this summer, commissioner R. Judd Hanna said Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger's administration asked him to resign after he clashed with the National Rifle Association over pending condor protections.

Schwarzenegger signed a bill several months later that banned most lead ammunition, but the commission's decision goes further.

Commission president Richard Rogers said the panel needed concrete evidence before it could act. That came this summer when a team of scientists from the University of California, Santa Cruz, linked the lead in condors' blood to that in lead bullets.

"The problem was we could never identify what lead it was because there are multiple sources of lead in the environment," Rogers said. "Now we had a smoking gun and we were able to have direct connectivity between the lead in the bullet and the condor."

The regulation bans hunters from using lead ammunition in .22 caliber or smaller guns — often used to kill smaller animals like squirrels and rabbits — that lawmakers did not include because there are no non-lead bullets on the market for those guns. Commissioners said they hoped their rule would encourage manufacturers to make alternatives.

The owners of antique guns and hunters who make their own ammunition must also carry nonleaded bullets or pellets when they are in condor habitat, an area that encompasses most of California's central coast. Ammunition will be considered lead-free if it contains less than 1 percent lead.

The rules do not apply to game partridge and quail, or to game bird hunters or permits given to people to shoot nuisance or predatory animals.

In 1987, the last 22 wild condors were trapped and taken to zoos for a breeding program that raised their population to just under 300. Now some 200 condors are in the wild, with about 60 flying in California.

Environmentalists concerned about border fence

BY ARTHUR H. ROTSTEIN

Associated Press Writer

PALOMINAS, Ariz. Before sealing off the border became the priority it is today, a visitor would have gotten a different picture of this area where the last free-flowing river in the Southwest trickles between tree-lined banks.

The San Pedro River still moves lazily northward below a canopy of willows and cottonwoods. But on a recent day, a bulldozer mounding dirt only 50 yards from its elevated eastern bank in preparation for the advance of a border fence presented a stark

contrast to its serenity.

The federal government contends the fence is needed to stem the flow of illegal immigrants and drug-runners through the area. Environmentalists say it may slow some illegal crossers but will have a devastating impact on wildlife and the environment in the riparian area that encompasses the river.

Mountain lions, jaguars, white-tailed deer, black bears and some ground birds will be among wildlife especially affected by the fence, which is just some 400 yards from the river at this point, said Matt Clark, a spokesman for Defenders of Wildlife.

"When you construct a barrier across a conservation habitat, you're limiting the ability of a species to find food, habitat and mates, and you're preventing genetic exchange between populations," Clark said.

Clearing of habitat for the construction also will affect the river's hydrology, increasing erosion and sedimentation, possibly destabilizing the river's banks and potentially shifting its course, which would impact its canopy of trees, he added.

Environmental issues have been raised along other portions of the U.S.-Mexico border tabbed for fencing as well, including

south Texas and San Diego.

In southern Arizona's San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area, they led to a judge's order that halted construction until Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff waived 19 environmental, conservation and cultural laws in late October.

The judge had criticized Homeland Security and the Bureau of Land Management for taking only three weeks to conduct a biological assessment, which also allowed for no public input. Environmentalists said a more in-depth environmental study was needed first.

Santa Monica Daily Press

The Agent Directory

Your guide to local real estate agents



Rob Schultz
PACIFIC OCEAN PROPERTIES
2212 LINCOLN BLVD., SANTA MONICA

Real estate is my life. For fifteen years I've lived and breathed real estate for my clients. We can make the impossible happen.

rschultz@pacificoceanrealestate.com (310) 392-9223



J.D. Songstad
RE/MAX WESTSIDE PROPERTIES
11990 SAN VICENTE BLVD. #100
LOS ANGELES CA 90049

J.D. Songstad is "Tuned In" to all your Westside real estate needs!

www.MrWestside.com

JD@MrWestside.com (310) 571-3441



Nora Bohanon
RE/MAX WESTSIDE PROPERTIES
501 SANTA MONICA BLVD, 2ND FLOOR, SANTA MONICA

Specializing in residential sales and property management. FREE information online on my website. I pay agents for property management referrals!

www.westsideluxuryliving.com (310) 699-0818



Heather Nesis
PALM WEST PROPERTIES
3000 LINCOLN BLVD., SANTA MONICA

"Love Where You Live."

Specializing in residential & residential income properties. I am passionate about finding the right properties & buyers for my clients.

www.palmwestproperties.com (310) 314-PALM



Golda Savage
Bulldog Realtors
1209 Abbot Kinney Boulevard, Venice

Stand [on] your [own] ground.
Helping sellers & buyers accomplish just that.

310.770.4490 golda@bulldogrealtors.com



Gaby Schkud
COLDWELL BANKER
2444 WILSHIRE BLVD, STE 102

Gaby & Associates — a Team of Real Estate Professionals dedicated to excellence
Serving Buyers and Sellers on the Westside

gabyschkud@aol.com (310) 586-0308



Andrea Arpaia
PACIFIC OCEAN PROPERTIES
2212 LINCOLN BLVD., SANTA MONICA

I am originally from Napoli Italy. I specialize primarily in residential and income properties. My goal is to provide you with a personalized and efficient service.

aarpaia@pacificoceanrealestate.com (310) 706-6992



NAOMI KLEIN
Realtor® Sales Consultants

"Appreciate the Difference"

Alliance Properties Group
468 N. Camden Dr. Ste. 200, Beverly Hills
310.502.5648

From Malibu to Hollywood, first time home-buyers to experienced investors or simply for strategic real estate planning I am your one stop strategy shop! I focus on the needs of my clients and make sure everything runs smoothly from property to loan to follow-up after a completed transaction.



Gary Limjap
COLDWELL BANKER
2444 WILSHIRE BLVD., SANTA MONICA 90403

Your goals become my priority.

Santa Monica Realtor for more than twenty years.
www.garylimjap.com

[garyilmjap@earthlink.net](mailto:garylilmjap@earthlink.net) (310) 586-0339

Santa Monica Daily Press readers will purchase 1/2 a billion in real estate this year.
CALL US TODAY TO BE INCLUDED IN THIS LOCAL LISTING.

(310) 458-7737



FEELING PERKY

Entertainment reporter Maria Menounos hosted a shopping cart race sponsored by Dunkin' Donuts at the Santa Monica Pier on Saturday afternoon.

Brandon Wise news@smdp.com

Sustainability issues come to the forefront

FROM LUCE PAGE 1

Tumlin, the principal of Nelson/Nygaard Associates, said he wrote the principles to be intentionally challenging, controversial and progressive. He was surprised to see that the residents at the workshop seemed to support more than 90 percent of the ideas presented.

"People don't want platitudes, they want to be told the truth," Tumlin said on Thursday.

Tumlin has worked on various general plans for municipalities across the state and expects that the updated Land Use and Circulation Element in Santa Monica will be unlike any other he's encountered, mainly because of the unique issues facing residents in the city.

"People drive less in Santa Monica than any other place in California," Tumlin said. "It's not because they can't afford to, but because they choose to."

Part of the reason is because of the concentration of retail in the neighborhoods. Most of the neighborhoods, with perhaps the exception of northern Santa Monica, have a small to a high concentration of retail, from Main Street in Ocean Park to the Wilshire corridor in Mid-City to the Pico Boulevard business district in the Pico Neighborhood.

What also sets Santa Monica apart from other municipalities is the high volume of vehicular traffic that comes into the city — because of local workforce and tourism — compared to the smaller number of residents, said Matt Raimi, a city consultant

with Raimi and Associates. Raimi will be working on the draft of the general plan.

The workshop last week raised many of the same issues that had been mentioned in previous LUCE meetings. Many residents spoke in favor of safer bike routes and more parking. Judy Abdo, the director of Child Development Services for the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District, said she wanted to see transportation issues around the schools carefully addressed in the LUCE, including child care centers.

Sustainability issues came up again with some residents saying they wanted to see more programs that encouraged residents and employees to use alternative means of transportation, hoping to see programs that would persuade residents to consider buying electric vehicles.

"We need to look at everything from an environmental standpoint," said Lulu Mickelson, a Santa Monica High School student and co-president of Samohi Solar Alliance. The student club co-sponsored a Bike Day at Samohi last Wednesday with the school's Bike Coalition.

The city planning office will hold about five more workshops pertaining to LUCE after the start of the New Year, focusing on issues related to the boulevards, neighborhoods, sustainability and open space issues.

melodyh@smdp.com

HOUSE OF HYBRIDS SALE!

2008 ESCAPE HYBRID

6 HYBRIDS IN STOCK!!

\$25,988

4 At This Price
Auto, A/C, AM/FM, CD,
P/Windows/Locks, ABS,
Safety Canopy Air Bag System
(8KC08130, 8KC08154,
8KC15533, 8KC15469)

800.811.0840

www.SMFORD.com

1230 Santa Monica Blvd. • Santa Monica, CA 90404

Ad prices exclude government fees and taxes, any finance charges, any dealer document preparation charge and any emission testing charge. Ends 12/31/07 close of business.

KEEP YOUR SUMMER BODY DURING THE HOLIDAYS!

TERESA LANCE AT BURN FITNESS

Specializing in total body sculpting through fun, varied workouts.

Certified: NASM, UCLA, ISSA

BURN FITNESS
1315 3rd St. Promenade, 4th Floor
Santa Monica, CA 90401 310-394-1300

Call now and book your **FREE** fitness assessment:
310-560-6887

www.burnfit.com

COMMUNITY PROFILES | MATT STANTON

Dreams do come true

Filmmaker keeps it real on the road to Sundance Fest

BY MICHAEL J. TITTINGER | Daily Press Staff Writer

A FORMER GIRLFRIEND'S COUCH Of the 16 directors who'd beaten out thousands of rivals to make the final cut at next month's Sundance Film Festival, Matt Stanton was probably the only one who celebrated by drinking a "forty" in an alley with an unwitting homeless man.

Such is the off-off-Hollywood odyssey of the longtime Santa Monica resident, who has spent the better part of the last three years doing whatever needed to be done in order to get his first feature film -- the independently produced "North Starr" -- filmed and produced.

The glamor and accolades associated with "overnight sensations" will have to wait. Stanton's office is a late-90s model Ford Explorer, the backseat of which contains most of what he owns. His bed is an ex-girlfriend's couch, which he must vacate by 6 a.m. each morning. His off-the-radar journey to Park City, Utah, is the stuff of a bad country music song befitting his movie's West Texas locale — along the way, Stanton has lost his girlfriend, his Mid-City apartment, his dog and has even been locked up for sleeping in his car.

So, after writing, scouting, producing, casting, arranging

music, directing and starring in "North Starr" — which was made for a paltry (by Hollywood standards) low six-figures — it's somewhat understandable that the 38-year-old is a wee bit sensitive when Sundance profile pieces label him "a rookie."

"It's not like I'm just starting out here," Stanton said. "This has been one hell of a long journey."

Just when "North Starr" was born to the cosmos is hard to pinpoint. Was it a decade ago, when the Chagrin Falls, Ohio, native was finishing his studies as a theater major at Loyola Marymount University? Or maybe it was in Venice, when Stanton rescued a typewriter from a dumpster and began hammering out his thoughts for the project, all to the ridicule of his surfing housemates?

To moviegoers, it will likely be sometime in 2008, as a berth in the Dramatic Competition at Sundance is a virtual assurance that the film will be sold in some capacity. Factor in the prolonged writers' strike and production companies' resulting thirst for completed projects, and this year's festival could be a perfect storm for those looking to sell a promising independent film.

"I'm not even in it for the money. I want to tell stories. Anything I make off this project is just going to get rolled into the next one," Stanton said last week. "I've got a lot more stories I want to tell."

HOLLYWOOD CALLING

On Wednesday, Nov. 28, the Sundance Film Festival made public its roster of films, including those select few deemed eligible for the showcase's top prizes. The names were familiar to most: Anjelica Huston, Maria Bello, Winona Ryder, Paul Giamatti, Amy Adams, Billy Crudup, Ben Kingsley ... the list goes on.

Conspicuous by its presence was "North Starr," so described on the festival Web site: "After witnessing the brutal murder of his best friend, a young African American man flees the badlands of Houston and finds himself in Trublin, a backward, racially intolerant town where he meets an unlikely kindred spirit who takes him under his wing."

The cast is comprised of names no one has ever heard of, impossible to distinguish which are actors with a smattering of professional experience and which are everyday residents of towns like Baird and Oplin, Texas, where the majority of the film was shot in the summer of 2006.

By late morning, Stanton's phone was ringing off the hook, receiving calls from just about every top Hollywood agency looking to represent the Santa Monican, that is, after they found out who the hell he was.

"They even tracked down my mom back in Newbury (Ohio). How'd they do that?" Stanton wondered aloud. "I got a frantic call from her saying 'What do I do? I don't want to mess this up for you.'"

Sitting in JP's bar and grille on Wilshire Boulevard, working on a pitcher, Stanton was beginning to realize how his life was changing overnight ... after only a decade.

"I'm the same guy I was on Tuesday as I am on Thursday," he reflected. "But now everything around me is changing. Actually, it makes me a little sad ... that all of a sudden, I'm in demand and people are taking my calls. I'm the same guy and I'm just gonna keep it real."

"The (Hollywood) system is going to try and make money off me however they can, which may not be the best thing for 'North Starr,' but I have to use the system to get where I want to go and make the movies I want to make."

That system has a funny way of surfacing in the most unexpected places. A sniff of success often begets a stench of selfishness in those nearby. Indeed, the same week the Sundance announcement was made, Stanton found himself being prepped for the obligatory press onslaught that accompanies the festival by a member of his own crew who was worried the "rookie" might not be polished enough for such a high-profile junket.

"A member of my crew wanted to sit down with me and go over technical film terms and school me in cinematic jargon," Stanton said, shaking his head. "That's so pretentious when a director or filmmaker gets up there (on a stage) with his ascot and shades and starts deconstructing his whole philosophy behind every shot."

"Look, this is a simple story. It has complex themes and something to say, but it's organic and real, and that's probably what (the Sundance judges) responded to," the director explained. "I'm not going to change who I am or the way I talk about my project just because I've gotten



Photo courtesy Matt Stanton

FIRST CUT IS THE DEEPEST: Longtime Santa Monica resident Matt Stanton advises filmmakers to just get out in the field, 'point the camera and shoot.'

some validation for it. That's bullshit.

"The best advice I can give a young director is to just get out there in the field, point the camera and shoot. It's that simple."

IT'S NOT LIKE I'M JUST STARTING OUT HERE, THIS HAS BEEN ONE HELL OF A LONG JOURNEY."

Matt Stanton, Filmmaker

'BUILDING A STAGE'

Whether Stanton plans to ruminate on his characters' every subtle motivation or not, the symbolism and metaphors are there for the taking in "North Starr." Watching a rough cut of the film at a friend's house recently, he stared intently at the screen as his protagonist, Demetrius, a small-time hustler from Houston looking to shed his past in rural Trublin, builds a mountain of haystacks.

"Is he nesting or building a stage for himself?" he asks rhetorically.

The same might be asked of Stanton, who after living out of his car for three years, may soon find himself being pulled from several directions, depending on how his film is received at Sundance and the series of subsequent film festivals he plans to show "North Starr," leading up to Cannes in May. Stanton insists once the festivals have run their course, he's going to bolt to the next film location — far from Hollywood — to undertake his next project.

Furthermore, his distrust of the town that could make him famous has Stanton surrounding himself with friends and family at a time he could be rubbing elbows with A-listers. His plans to make a multi-day road trip out of the ride to Sundance with a handful of friends, including Santa Monican Zach Johnson and Wayne Campbell — both of whom act in the film — seems like something out of the popular TV show "Entourage," in which a young movie star continually travels with his older brother and two friends in efforts to stay grounded.

"I know it's cliché to say I'm not in it for the money, but I really just want to make enough to sink into my next project and Fat Bessy Films (his fledgling production company)," Stanton said, while sitting his

The Most Magical
NEW YEAR'S EVE
anywhere!

Witness our longest running most critically acclaimed show ever
ESCAPE REALITY

Celebration Includes:
*Complimentary Buffet *Champagne *Favors *Hats *Surprises

Monday December 31, 2007
6:00 PM \$40 9:30 PM \$50

MAGICOPOLIS
www.magicopolis.com
1418 Fourth Street - Santa Monica
310 451 2241

The Singleton Company
Promotional Products

Do you buy branded corporate food gifts?

Outrageous Offer

FREE Samples & \$25 Gift Card to Victoria's Secret or Barnes & Noble with your first order!
(Limited to the first 10 customers only)
Call for details

Todd Singleton (310) 474-7053
Be Creative . . . www.singletonco.com



Photo courtesy Matt Stanton

DUDE CAN HANG: Jerome Hawkins stars in 'North Star' as Demetrius, a hustler on the run in West Texas. Hawkins stars in two films premiering at next month's Sundance Film Festival.

office/Ford Explorer, idling in a Mid-City alley on a sunny weekday afternoon. "I don't want any toys.

"What am I going to do with money anyhow? I haven't had any money in three years."

Although, he did allow that he might throw a party if the film rights are sold at Sundance.

"Oh, my God, I'll rent out the biggest venue in town. We're gonna take over Park City."

And with that, the Sundance director drove off, looking for a spot in the alley in which to park and rest his head, for there's a long road ahead.

miket@smdp.com

L.A. canine owners pay for park access

FROM DOG PARK PAGE 3

Santa Monica and put up with the noise and pollution coming from the Santa Monica Airport. That should be enough to allow them entrance to the dog area, they said during meetings with the Recreation and Parks Commission and the council.

City staff initially offered Mar Vista residents 15 permits as part of a pilot program but that proposal was rejected. Mar Vista residents said they did not know how to distribute the permits fairly.

Various media outlets jumped on the story following a second protest involving Los Angeles City Councilman Bill Rosendahl.

City staff said they wanted time to monitor usage at the park to see if there was a strong demand from residents before letting Los Angeles dog owners in. A survey found that there wasn't much of a demand, prompting staff to go before the council with the recommendation to open it up to everyone, something with was supported by parks and rec.

Over the course of 15 weeks, a maximum of 24 dogs were seen at the park at any one time and during most of the day there were far fewer dogs, city staff said. The most popular times for use are on weekday and weekend afternoons and evenings, with weekend use being slightly higher overall.

The dog area is open from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. on weekdays, and 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. on weekends. That's the hours for Joslyn Park, Pacific Street and Airport Park only. For Memorial Park, the hours are from 6 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. for both weekdays and weekends.

A person is allowed to bring only four dogs at a time into an off-leash area, a limit put in place by the council after some complained about professional dog walkers taking up too much room.

If usage patterns at the park change and grow to a point where the annual fee for



File photo

FREEDOM: L.A. dog owners have bought into the city's agreement to allow them and their dogs to have access to Airport Park's dog area.

dog tags does not support maintenance needs, the council could re-examine the policy and make changes.

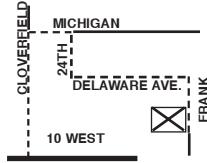
At the park on Sunday, Julie Tarrero was with her collie Beatrice, watching her little dog run around in circles. Tarrero did not have a tag yet, but she was planning on getting one before the Jan. 1 deadline.

"I'm one of those people who puts things off until the last minute," she said. "I'll definitely get one, though. This place is great, the people are nice and the animals are for the most part well trained ... It's so close to my home. I don't know where else I would go if I couldn't go here."

kevinh@smdp.com

PUBLIC DISPOSAL SITE IN SANTA MONICA

Southern California Transfer Company



310-828-6444
1908 Frank St.
in Santa Monica
SCDisposal.com



Attention

Contractors and Construction Sites:

We are a close and convenient **Santa Monica permitted** and authorized mixed C&D transfer station.
Approved C&D Recycler * Roll off service available



12/10

FILM SCREENING & DISCUSSION:

AMERICAN HISTORY X

SMC wraps up its Fall 2007 Political Film Series with *American History X*. The intense drama about a family torn apart by hate explores the consequences of urban racism. Year released: 1998. Director: Tony Kaye. Starring: Edward Norton, Edward Furlong, Beverly D'Angelo, William Russ, and Jennifer Lien. • Mon, Dec 10 • 6:30 pm • Free • Science 145 • SMC Main Campus

12/11

12/12

FINE ART AT FABULOUS PRICES!

Don't miss SMC's 28th Annual Holiday Student Arts Sale. This once-a-year event offers a wonderful opportunity to buy some truly unique works of art—prints, ceramics, jewelry, and more—to add to your own collection or to give as gifts for the holiday season. Call (310) 434-4230 for details. • Tues, Wed Dec 11, 12 • 11 am to 9 pm • Pete and Susan Barrett Art Gallery • SMC Performing Arts Center (11th St. and Arizona Ave., Santa Monica)

12/14

LAST CHANCE TO ENJOY "STAR OF WONDER" AT DRESCHER PLANETARIUM

At our last feature show of the season, we'll travel back in time to explore the identity of the "Star of Bethlehem" the Magi followed. Advance tickets at Events Office (SMC main campus) and online (events.smc.edu). • "The Night Sky" • 7 pm • "Star of Wonder" • 8 pm • \$5 each or \$9 both • Fri, Dec 14 • Drescher 223 • SMC Main Campus

also

SCHOLARSHIP ORIENTATION: Tue, Dec 11, 11 am, Business 111, SMC Main Campus • **STUDENT CONCERT:** SMC Strings Classes, Tue, Dec 11, 7 pm, Second Space, SMC Performing Arts Center (11th St. and Arizona Ave., Santa Monica) • **ART EXHIBIT:** 2007 Malibu Art Association Juried Show continues thru Dec 13, Emeritus College Art Gallery (1st Floor, 1227 Second St., Santa Monica) • **Women's Basketball,** Tue, Dec 11, 6 pm, SMC Pavilion

1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, CA 90405
For campus locations: www.smc.edu/campusmap
For event information, call (310) 434-4303 or (310) 434-4209
For more events: www.smc.edu/schedules/2007/fall/events

santa monica college



ODDS OF A CHILD PERFORMING AT CARNEGIE HALL:
1 in 73,000

ODDS OF A CHILD BEING DIAGNOSED WITH AUTISM:
1 in 166



To learn the signs of autism, visit autismspeaks.org

AUTISM SPEAKS™
It's time to listen.



RIP CURL
SURF CENTER
Santa Monica
1451 Third Street Promenade, Santa Monica CA
310-656-curl
RIPCURL.COM

SURF REPORT



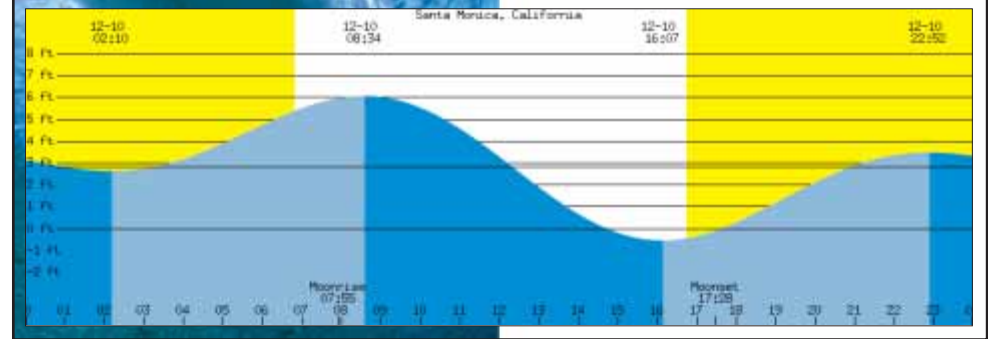
SURF CONDITIONS

SWELL FORECAST (1-2 FT)
Only a light flow of NW swell is expected. Most all breaks are looking at knee to waist high waves. Winds though should be ideal, mostly light from the NNE in the AM. The tide though is an issue with an extreme high midmorning.

LONG RANGE SYNOPSIS
LIGHT NW GROUND SWELL MONDAY...
SW/NW COMBO FRIDAY...

WATER TEMP: 56°

TIDE FORECAST FOR TODAY IN SANTA MONICA



12-10 02:10 12-10 08:34 12-10 16:07 12-10 22:26

8 Ft. 7 Ft. 6 Ft. 5 Ft. 4 Ft. 3 Ft. 2 Ft. 1 Ft. 0 Ft. -1 Ft. -2 Ft.

0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 1.0 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9 2.0 2.1 2.2 2.3 2.4

High/Low: 07:15S / 17:25S

NORTH LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Grades for this report are based on monitoring data from the previous four weeks up to the ending date of **December 4, 2007**

HEAL THE BAY - 1444 9th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401 - www.healthebay.org - brc@healthebay.org - 800 HEAL BAY

QUICK STATS
(for the last 28 days)

Number of sewage spills -- 1

Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 0

Number of wet days -- 4

Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 38 / 19

Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 10 / 14

The Beach Report Card is made possible by a grant from 

Heal the Bay reminds you not to swim or surf within 100 yards of any flowing storm drain or for 3 days after a rainstorm. After a rain, indicator bacteria counts at beaches throughout California usually far exceed health criteria in the state's Beach Closure and Health Warning Protocol.

LOCATION	DRY	WET	LOCATION	DRY	WET
Leo Carrillo Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth (seacarcilla)	A+	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Del Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	A+
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A	A+	Will Rogers State Beach at Palms Canyon storm drain	A	ns
El Pescador State Beach, between Luchessa and Las Aliso creeks	A+	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain	A	A+
Escalante Canyon at El Matador State Beach	A+	ns	Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauque)	F	F
Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain	F	D
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	F	C
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A+	ns	Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	D
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	A+	A+	Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Keweenaw storm drain	C	F
Escalante Creek, just east of Escalante State Beach	A+	ns	Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restaurants)	A+	F
Lariga Canyon Creek mouth	A	A+	Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A	C
Selkirk Canyon at San Blazquez County Beach	A+	ns	Venice City Beach, at the Rite Ave. storm drain	A+	ns
Puerto State Beach at creek mouth	A+	A+	Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	F	A+
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerto Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	A	ns	Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	F	ns
Sunbiter Beach at Malibu Colony fence	A+	A+	Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	A	C
Sunbiter Beach (beach location)- daily	A	F	Venice Beach- projection of Tappan St.	A+	C
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	A	A	Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower	A	F
Carlin Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns	Duckweiler State Beach at Bellanca Creek mouth	A	F
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (point zero)	A+	ns	Duckweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain	A+	ns
Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs	F	A+	North Westchester Storm Drain at Duckweiler State Beach	A+	ns
Pine Creek at Las Flores County Beach	A+	ns	Duckweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	A+	A+
Tuna Canyon	A	A+	Duckweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A+	ns
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	A	A+	Duckweiler Beach- opposite Hypocrite Treatment Plant	A+	A+
Castroville Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	F	Duckweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	A	A+
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	C			
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

 Heal the Bay is a non-profit environmental organization dedicated to making Santa Monica Bay and Southern California coastal waters safe and healthy for people and marine life.

© 2007 Copyright Heal the Bay. All rights reserved. Printed on recycled paper. (October 2007)

MLB Bonds upbeat at first hearing

BY PAUL ELIAS
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO A cool and cheerful Barry Bonds waded through a sea of television cameras and chanting supporters Friday as he made his first court appearance since being charged with lying under oath about using steroids.

Bonds' new lawyer entered a not guilty plea in U.S. District Court to the four counts of perjury and one count of obstruction of justice contained in the Nov. 15 indictment against Major League Baseball's newly minted home run king. Legal experts say he could spend up to 2 1/2 years in prison if convicted.

Bonds, 43, said little during the 30-minute hearing. He was allowed to go free without posting any bail, but if he violates the terms of his release or misses any required court appearances, he'll forfeit \$500,000. A pretrial hearing was scheduled for Feb. 7, but Bonds may not have to attend.

"Barry Bonds is innocent," defense attorney Allen Ruby told a crushing throng of television cameras and reporters outside the courthouse afterward. "He has trust and faith in the justice system."

Bonds made a similar statement on his Web site.

"I still have confidence in the judicial system and especially in the judgment of the citizens who will decide this case," he said. "And I know that when all of this is over, I will be vindicated because I am innocent."

Ruby said he would soon ask a judge to toss out the case against Bonds because of "defects" in the indictment. He declined to elaborate.

Prosecutors wanted Bonds to turn over his passport and to restrict his travel to within the United States. But the judge declined after Ruby, in a sign that Bonds intends to play baseball next season, said such a restriction would interfere with his ability to make a living.

"Mr. Bonds is a Major League Baseball player," Ruby said.

Bonds, who played the past 15 seasons in San Francisco, is a free agent. The Giants said at the end of the 2007 season that they weren't going to bring him back for 2008.

A restriction on international travel would prevent Bonds from going to Toronto to play for or against the Blue Jays. He could also end up across the bay with the Oakland Athletics, who open the 2008 season against the Boston Red Sox in Japan.

The indictment charges Bonds with lying when he testified he never knowingly used performance enhancing drugs, even though prosecutors say he flunked a private steroids test in 2000. Bonds' personal surgeon, Dr. Arthur Ting, collected the blood sample and is expected to be called as a witness if Bonds takes the case to trial.

Former Giants teammates and other players, including Gary Sheffield and Jason Giambi, also could testify at trial, which wouldn't begin until late next year at the earliest.

Investigators also say they seized other evidence, including an alleged "doping calendar" maintained by Bonds' personal trainer Greg Anderson, who spent about a year in jail for refusing to help investigators in their perjury probe of Bonds.

Anderson was released from prison after Bonds was indicted without ever cooperating in the probe. But he could still be called to testify at the trial, and his lawyer said Friday that Anderson will again refuse, meaning prosecutors could ask the judge to send him back to prison for contempt.

"I fully expect the government to start ratcheting up the pressure on Greg," attorney Mark Geragos said. "He will never cooperate with the government. He doesn't trust them."

Bonds' new defense team, assembled in the days leading up to his first court appearance, is expected to attack the credibility some of the government's key witnesses, including Bonds' former mistress and a one-time business partner who had a bitter split with the slugger over memorabilia sales.

Legal experts also say the reliability of the drug test, seized during a raid of the BALCO steroids lab, will be subject to fierce scrutiny by Bonds' lawyers.

BARRY BONDS IS INNOCENT. HE HAS TRUST AND FAITH IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM."

Allen Ruby, Defense attorney

Bonds quietly turned himself in to U.S. Marshals on Thursday to be booked and have his mug shot taken, a process that typically occurs the same day as a defendant's initial appearance.

He arrived at the courthouse Friday in a black sports-utility vehicle with his wife, Liz. He pushed through the throngs of reporters and onlookers, went through the security checkpoint and made his way to the 19th floor courtroom with his legal team amid a heavy security presence.

Bonds, who wore a dark blue suit and tie, quietly answered "yes" when asked if he understood his right to counsel. If he couldn't afford a lawyer, the federal magistrate judge told him, one would be appointed for him.

Bonds, who made nearly \$20 million last year playing for the Giants, was flanked by six private lawyers, including high-priced criminal defense attorneys Ruby and Cristina Arguedas, and noted appellate specialist Dennis Riordan.

Bonds, long represented by local attorney Michael Rains, added the new lawyers to his team for their federal court experience, which Rains lacks.

Arguedas and her firm represented several athletes called to testify before the BALCO grand jury, and Assistant U.S. Attorney Matt Parrella told the judge there was "a potential conflict of interest with some of the attorneys," though he didn't name them.

Parrella said he would be filing court papers on the issue, which could be debated at the Feb. 7 hearing. If so, Bonds would be required to attend because he may have to formally waive any conflict concerns. Otherwise, the judge said Bonds could skip that hearing.

In the courthouse lobby after the hearing, Bonds ran up to and hugged an elderly woman with a walker.

Big winner

Lee's spy thriller 'Lust, Caution' wins seven awards in Taiwan

Taiwan showered native son **ANG LEE** with honors Saturday as his spy thriller "Lust, Caution" clinched seven prizes, including best film, director and actor at the Golden Horse Awards.

The normally reserved director wrapped up his acceptance speech by chanting "Go Taiwanese film!"

The success of "Lust, Caution" at the awards came after the film became a big hit in both Taiwan and China. It generated discussion about its steamy sex scenes and rekindled interest in famed writer Eileen Chang, who wrote the short story on which the movie is based.

"Lust, Caution," about an undercover activist who

seduces the Japanese-allied spy chief in World War II-era Shanghai to pave way for his assassination, marks Lee's return to Chinese-language film after making "Hulk" and the gay romance "Brokeback Mountain."

He said winning at home is especially touching.

"I feel very warm in the

heart to receive everyone's affirmation," Lee said.

Lee told a news conference earlier Saturday that he edited a line in "Lust, Caution," at the request of Chinese censors, to make its main female character appear less of a traitor to the Chinese.

"Lust, Caution" won seven of the 11 prizes it was nominated for

Saturday.

Veteran Hong Kong actor Tony Leung Chiu-wai won for his portrayal of the calm, ruthless spy chief. Lead actress Tang Wei was named best new performer. The film also won best adapted screenplay, best score and best makeup and costume design.

ASSOCIATED PRESS



Whiskey Falls plays Long Beach benefit

The country band **WHISKEY FALLS** showed its heart for sick kids with a performance for children with heart disease.

They performed Friday at the annual fundraising concert for Camp del Corazon, a nonprofit organization that provides camping and other opportunities for children with cardiac problems.

"We just fell in love with the kids and the organization and we donate our time every year," the group's lead singer and principal songwriter, Seven Williams, said before the show. "We hang out and perform."

He was won over, he said, after he and his wife, actress McKenzie

Westmore, met a little girl at a charity event who talked about the difficulties of going to gym class after undergoing heart surgery.

Williams, whose given name is Keith, had his own childhood trauma and could relate. After learning on his 8th birthday that his godfather had died he said he refused to blow out the candles on his cake. He was told that if he didn't he'd always remain age 7, and soon that became his nickname. He grew up hating it.

"Then one day a girl said, 'Wow, is your name really Seven?'" Williams recalled with a laugh. "I said, 'Yes it is.'"

AP

HOWIE D. GETS HITCHED

BACKSTREET BOY **HOWIE DOROUGH** is single no more. He wed his longtime girlfriend Saturday in his hometown, the band's attorney confirmed.

Fellow Backstreet Boys bandmates were in attendance as Dorough, 34, married Leigh Boniello at St. James Cathedral in a traditional Catholic ceremony, People and OK! magazine reported on their Web sites.

"The wedding took place as planned and all went well," attorney Jason L. Turner said in an e-mail to The Associated Press.

AP

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS
The stars show the kind of day you'll have:
★★★★ Dynamic ★★★★ Positive ★★★ Average ★★ So-So ★ Difficult

Let go of problems, Virgo

Happy Birthday!

You have a style and manner that others admire. Others can be highly reactive or difficult, especially bosses, parents and those you look up to. If you are single, a difficult person might enter your life. You might feel as if this person is weighing you down. If you are attached, the two of you might often argue about details and money. Separate checkbooks might help. CAPRICORN understands your needs.



Born Today
Actress Susan Dey (1952)
Nwscaster Chet Huntley (1911)

Jacqueline Bigar is on the Internet at <http://www.jacquelinebigar.com>
(c) 2006 by King Features Syndicate Inc.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★ As the day passes, some unusual events could unfurl. Though you are a sign of action, you might want to consider stepping back and watching. Though this behavior is not innate, this trait might be worth developing. Tonight: A must show.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ A leap of faith might be necessary if it becomes clear that you cannot have the impact you need. Letting go could appear to be frightening. The truth is that you don't have a choice anyway. Tonight: Straighten out a misunderstanding.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★ Pressure becomes steamy. Step back. If someone would like to handle a hot potato, let him. Sometimes stepping back proves to be the fastest path to where you want to go. Listen and gain through questioning. Tonight: Listen to someone pontificate.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Others let you know that they want to do it on their own. You have choices. How you respond is your call. Consider this request an opportunity to take a mini day off from the pressures. In the end, everyone will feel better. Tonight: Defer, defer, defer.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★ Those who know you will experience your creativity. To many you are an endless resource. Your focus and the solutions you are eying swing midday. Tonight: Put your feet up. Listen when someone is upset.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ You might be far more jittery and uptight than you realize. Knowing when to step back might be key to clearing out a hassle involving property or your personal life. Let your mind focus on the positive. Tonight: Let go of problems, and enjoy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ News might be dynamic and exciting, but by tomorrow, you'll find that what you hear now could be very different. Work with a transforming situation rather than look for black-and-white facts. Tonight: A walk or discussion helps tension dissolve.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Juggling your finances to meet Santa's needs could be awesome and sometimes difficult. Communication picks up. You might hear something that creates anger or hurt. Consider that you might be misunderstanding this person. Tonight: Hang in there.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Clear the decks and let everyone know that you are here. Your presence makes a tremendous difference to the many people in your life. You have a style and way that make a big difference. Tonight: While others fuss, focus on holiday details.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★ You move slowly, but by mid-afternoon you can be found leading the gang, a force that might be close to unstoppable. Your ability to move past a problem marks your interactions. Tonight: Stay true to yourself.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★ Knowing what direction you want to head in this morning proves to be essential. Actions, decisions and meetings must happen early in order to have success. Later today, you might ponder the implications of this or that. Tonight: Be your own company.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Take the lead and, if need be, don't hesitate to reverse directions. You know where you are going. You know what you need to do. A meeting, though chaotic and disruptive, serves a long-term point. Tonight: Be spontaneous. You might have little choice.

MOVIEGUIDE

AERO THEATRE
1328 Montana Avenue
(310) 260.1528

Check theatre for showtimes

AMC LOEWS BROADWAY 4
1441 3rd Street
(310) 458-1506

Dan in Real Life (PG-13)
1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30
Fred Claus (PG)
1:40, 4:20, 7:10, 9:50
Lars and the Real Girl (PG-13)
2:10, 4:50, 7:25, 10:00
Revolver (NR)
1:55, 4:40, 7:30, 10:15

AMC 7 SANTA MONICA
1310 3rd Street
(310) 289-4262

American Gangster (R)
2:00, 6:00, 9:30
Beowulf: Digital 3D (PG-13)
1:40, 4:20, 7:05, 9:50
Enchanted (PG)
1:05, 2:20, 3:40, 5:00, 6:20, 7:40, 9:05, 10:05
The Golden Compass (PG-13)
1:00, 1:30, 3:35, 4:15, 6:15, 7:00, 9:00, 9:45
Hitman (R)
2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:00

LAEMMLE'S MONICA
FOURPLEX
1332 2nd Street
(310) 394-9741

Before the Devil Knows You're Dead (R)
1:20, 4:10, 7:10, 10:00
I'm Not There (R)
1:10, 4:10, 7:15, 10:15
No Country for Old Men (R)
1:00, 2:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:55
The Savages (R)
1:40, 4:30, 7:25, 10:10

MANN'S CRITERION
THEATRE
1313 3rd Street
(310) 395-1599

Across the Universe (PG-13)
10:00
August Rush (PG)
11:30am, 2:00, 4:30, 7:10, 10:10
Awake (PG)
12:30, 2:50, 5:10, 7:20, 9:50
Bee Movie (PG)
1:00, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30
Lions for Lambs (R)
7:00, 9:40
Mr. Magorium's Wonder Emporium (G)
12:00, 2:30, 4:40
Strength and Honor (R)
12:10, 2:40, 5:30, 7:50, 10:30
This Christmas (PG-13)
11:40am, 2:20, 5:00, 7:40, 10:20

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
BRONZE

8	4	9		2		6		1
			8		6			
	5			9				8
9	6				4	5		
		4	2	5	3	9		
		5	9				1	4
5				8			7	
			5		7			
4		7		3		8	5	2

© 2006 Janric Enterprises Dist. by Creators Syndicate Inc.

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

1	5	9	2	3	4	7	8	6
6	7	2	8	1	5	4	3	9
4	3	8	9	7	6	1	5	2
9	2	3	7	8	1	5	6	4
7	4	1	5	6	2	3	9	8
5	8	6	3	4	9	2	7	1
3	9	7	1	2	8	6	4	5
8	1	4	6	5	7	9	2	3
2	6	5	4	9	3	8	1	7

Your ad could run here!
Call us today at (310) 458-7737

Your ad could run here!
Call us today at (310) 458-7737

NEW OFFICES,
Same "Good Neighbor" agents.

Our offices have moved. But we're still a part of your community. See one of us for all your insurance needs.



Troy Wilson, Agent

Insurance Lic. #: 0075687

Bus: 310-315-1955

Monday-Thursday 8:30am-6pm

Friday 8:30am-5pm

Saturday 10am-2pm



Frank D. Wilson, Agent

Insurance Lic. #: 0164884

Bus: 310-696-0555

Monday-Friday 8:30am-5pm

LIKE A GOOD NEIGHBOR



STATE FARM IS THERE.®

Providing Insurance and Financial Services

State Farm Insurance Companies • Home Office: Bloomington, IL

statefarm.com

PH0803 11/06

Girls and Sports

By Justin Borus and Andrew Feinstein

The Meaning of Lila

By John Forgetta & L.A. Rose

The Other Coast

By Adrian Raeside

Garfield

By Jim Davis

Dog eat Doug

By Brian Anderson

The Dinette Set by Julie Larson



Strange Brew

By John Deering



Speed Bump

By Dave Coverly



Your ad could run here!
Call us today at (310) 458-7737

MYSTERY PHOTO

Michael Tittinger miket@smdp.com

The first one to identify where this shot was taken wins a prize from the Daily Press. Send answers to editor@smdp.com.

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- 1 Nearly all
- 5 Doe's mate
- 9 Impudent
- 10 Laughable
- 12 Like bar beer
- 13 Meted out
- 14 Atom centers
- 16 Table part
- 17 Actor Oldman
- 18 Sweet-talk
- 21 Crafty
- 22 Female foxes
- 23 Aspect
- 24 Puts in the fridge
- 26 Spider's home
- 29 Small beard
- 30 Noted surrealist
- 31 Use oars
- 32 React to bright light
- 34 Texas landmark
- 37 Loose, as a lace
- 38 Football's Sanders
- 39 Clickable pictures
- 40 Ready to pick
- 41 Founder of Stoicism

DOWN

- 1 Training book
- 2 Protestation
- 3 Like snakes
- 4 Kind
- 5 Auction signal
- 6 One, for Juan
- 7 Visit
- 8 Prepares to propose
- 9 Ditties
- 11 Advantage
- 15 Eaves droppers
- 19 Chopping tools

- 20 Fast plane
- 22 Glen
- 23 Tantrum
- 24 Picnic container
- 25 Mauna Loa setting
- 26 Serve
- 27 Weather-influencing current

- 28 Quick snacks
- 29 Diploma holder
- 30 Simpleton
- 33 Test of knowledge
- 35 Janitor's tool
- 36 Count start

C	R	A	M			S	T	I	R	S
H	O	R	N	S		L	O	G	I	C
A	G	L	O	W		O	M	E	G	A
R	U	E		E	A	T		T	O	N
M	E	N	D	E	L		F	I	R	S
	S	E	A	T	B	E	L	T	S	
			D	I	E	G	O			
	U	N	D	E	R	G	R	A	D	
P	R	E	Y		T	E	A	R	U	P
A	B	C		F	A	D		C	E	E
T	A	T	E	R		O	C	A	L	A
I	N	A	W	E		N	A	D	E	R
O	A	R	E	D		B	E	D	S	

Saturday's answer

NEW CROSSWORD BOOK! Send \$4.75 (check/m.o.) to Thomas Joseph Book 1, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475

	1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	
9						10				11
12						13				
14					15			16		
17					18	19	20			
21				22						
			23							
	24	25					26	27	28	
29						30				
31					32	33				
34			35	36		37				
38						39				
	40					41				

DAILY LOTTERY

MEGA MILLIONS	12 18 26 28 51 Meganumber: 35 Jackpot: \$115M
Super LOTTO	5 10 13 33 34 Meganumber: 22 Jackpot: \$15M
Fantasy 5	1 5 16 23 25
DAILY 3	MIDDAY: 9 8 3 EVENING: 4 1 7
DAILY DERRY	1st: 01 Gold Rush 2nd: 12 Lucky Charms 3rd: 07 Eureka RACE TIME: 1:42.13

Although every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the winning number information, mistakes can occur. In the event of any discrepancies, California State laws and California Lottery regulations will prevail. Complete game information and prize claiming instructions are available at California Lottery retailers. Visit the California State Lottery web site at <http://www.calottery.com>

NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Monsignor Tommaso Stenico, an official with the Vatican's Congregation for the Clergy, was suspended in October when he was recognized in a hidden-camera TV documentary about gay priests. However, he told the La Repubblica newspaper in Rome a few days later that he is not gay, but was only pretending to make sexual advances to a man in order to gain the trust of "those who damage the image of the Church with homosexual activity."

■ At press time, the top-notch Basketball Town recreational facility for kids in Rancho Cordova, Calif., was on the verge of closing permanently because its legal fees stood at about \$100,000 and counting, for the lawsuit filed by a wheelchair-using man who said he was once prevented from attending a party there because the mezzanine level was not accessible to him. Even though a local benefactor offered to donate a \$35,000 wheelchair lift, the acrimony generated by the plaintiff's intransigence, and counterclaims by the property owner and the facility operator, made most local observers pessimistic that the facility would survive, according to an October Sacramento Bee report.

TODAY IN HISTORY

1787 Thomas H. Gallaudet, a pioneer of educating the deaf, was born in Philadelphia.

1817 Mississippi was admitted as the 20th state.

1869 Women were granted the right to vote in the Wyoming Territory.

1906 President Roosevelt became the first American to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, for helping mediate an end to the Russo-Japanese War.

1931 Jane Addams became the first American woman to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize (the co-recipient that year was Nicholas Murray Butler).

1948 The U.N. General Assembly adopted its Universal Declaration on Human Rights.

1950 Ralph J. Bunche was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, the first black American to receive the award.

1964 Martin Luther King Jr. received his Nobel Peace Prize.

1967 Singer Otis Redding, 26, and six others were killed in the crash of their plane in Lake Monona, Wis.

1987 Violin virtuoso Jascha Heifetz died in Los Angeles at age 86.

2005 Former Sen. Eugene McCarthy died in Washington, D.C., at age 89; actor-comedian Richard Pryor died in Encino, Calif., at age 65.

WORD UP!

rapprochement \rap-rosh-MAWN\, noun: The establishment or state of cordial relations.

SANTA MONICA



LINCOLN

Ford

Mercury 

HOUSE OF HYBRIDS SALE!



**2008
ESCAPE
HYBRID**



**6 HYBRIDS
IN STOCK!!**

\$25,988

4 At This Price
Auto, A/C, AM/FM, CD,
P/Windows/Locks, ABS,
Safety Canopy Air Bag System
(8KC08130, 8KC08154,
8KC15553, 8KC15489)



800.811.0840

www.SMFORD.com

1230 Santa Monica Blvd. • Santa Monica, CA 90404

Ad prices exclude government fees and taxes, any finance charges, any dealer document preparation charge and any emission testing charge. Ends 12/31/07 close of business.

Santa Monica Daily Press

Classifieds

\$5⁵⁰ per day. Up to 15 words, 20 cents each additional word.

Call us today start and promoting your business opportunities to our daily readership of over 40,000.

YOUR AD COULD RUN TOMORROW!*

Some restrictions may apply.

Prepay your ad today!



(310) 458-7737

*Please call our Classified Sales Manager to reserve your ad space. Specific ad placement not guaranteed on classified ads. Ad must meet deadline requirements. See complete conditions below.

CLASSIFICATIONS:
Announcements
Creative
Employment
For Sale

Furniture
Pets
Boats
Jewelry
Wanted
Travel

Vacation Rentals
Apartments/Condos
Rent
Houses for Rent
Roomates
Commercial Lease

Real Estate
Real Estate Loans
Storage Space
Vehicles for Sale
Massage
Services

Computer Services
Attorney Services
Business Opportunities
Yard Sales
Health and Beauty
Fitness

Wealth and Success
Lost and Found
Personals
Psychic
Obituaries
Tutoring

All classified liner ads are placed on our website for **FREE!** Check out www.smdp.com for more info.

Miscellaneous

AFFORDABLE HOUSE CLEANING \$40

by day, honest reliable, own transportation, references, L.I./L.O. nanny housekeepers. Low fees, been in business since 1988, open 7 days. Call, ask for Adeline (818)705-0295 or fax (818)705-0297

LOSE WEIGHT in 2008

Weight Loss Challenge; Starts Jan 3rd 8-Week program w/cash prizes! Call 310-394-1051 to register

Announcements

AFFORDABLE HOUSING OPEN

Community Corporation of Santa Monica announces the opening of the 2008 Marketing List. To be considered you must pick up an appointment card at 502 Colorado Blvd in the Community Room between Dec. 10th and Jan. 3th, 8 a.m. — 5 p.m. M-Th — Closed Dec 14, 21, 24, 25, 28, 31 and Jan.1, EOH

Employment

★SECURITY GUARDS★

Immediate openings in beautiful Malibu gated communities, Guard Card apply at www.lantzsecurity.com or call (818) 871-0193

CO-OPPORTUNITY NOW HIRING!

Produce, Grocery, Community Deli and Cashiers
Go to www.coopportunity.com for more info or stop by the store at 1525 Broadway for an application.

COUNTER HELP needed. Cafe near 3rd St. Promenade 215 Broadway. Must be experienced. Immediate openings. Apply afternoons in person. (310) 396-9898.

CUSTOMER SERVICE FULL TIME- \$30K per year, starting \$25K. Telephone services company in WLA with free secure parking. Experience preferred but will train quality applicant. Good language skills and reliability a must. Call 310-281-8888 for recorded details.

DANIEL'S PLUMBING Santa Monica is a local business that prides itself on great service and reliability. We are looking for like minded individuals to join our team. We offer good pay and benefits. Please call (310)954 7709



Your ad could run here!

Call us today at (310) 458-7737

GIVE OF YOURSELF volunteers wanted at the discovery shop. Help us contribute to the American cancer society by spending 4 hours per week assisting in our resale shop in Santa Monica. Contact Terry or Shaunna at (310)458-4490

Employment

DINING ROOM Supervisor

Looking for ideal candidate who has previous restaurant experience to oversee dining room during meal times. Responsibilities also include scheduling and training staff. Must have previous supervision experience and great customer service skills. Competitive wage and benefits. Must have clear criminal background and be drug free. Please apply at 2107 Ocean Ave. SM, 90405.

IMMEDIATE POSITIONS available in the Environmental Services Department. Looking for part time housekeepers/ floor techs. Hospital Experience preferred. Call (310)829-8431 for interview.

MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT

Looking for ideal candidate to complete work orders and prep apartments for move in of a senior apartment building. Competitive wage and benefits. Must have clear criminal background and be drug free. Please apply at 2107 Ocean Ave. SM, 90405.

MAINTENANCE DIRECTOR

LOOKING for ideal candidate to oversee maintenance of 117 unit senior apartment building. Responsibilities include completing work orders, getting apartments ready for move in and overseeing vendors at the community. Competitive wage and benefits. Must have clear criminal background and be drug free. Please apply at 2107 Ocean Ave. SM, 90405.

NEED IMMEDIATELY security officer with guard card, am/pm ft/pt for Santa Monica. (714)531-0555

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT company seeking full-time maintenance with experience in painting, plumbing, and electrical repairs. Salary range \$1733.40-\$2080/month doe. Benefits include vacation, sick, health insurance and 401k. Fax 714-940-0521 or email resumes@barkermgt.com.

RADIO PROMOTION Phone Assistant Intern, part time, \$8/hr. 310-998-8305 x86

WAIT STAFF

Part time and full time positions available. Competitive wages and benefits. Must have clear criminal background and be drug free. Please apply at 2107 Ocean Ave. SM, 90405.

For Sale

MOVIE STUDIO Prop Sale

Over 1M items Fr/St/S 9a-4p 523 S. Hewitt, Downtown LA 90014 213.625.1725

SPA/HOT TUB 2007 Model. Neck Jets. Therapy seat. Warranty. Never used. Can deliver. Worth \$5950, sell for \$1950 (310) 479-3054

Charity

THE CURE FOR CANCER MAY BE IN YOUR CLOSET. Donate your designer clothing to The American Cancer Society Discovery Shop 920 Wilshire Blvd. Santa Monica 310- 458-4490.

\$5.50 A DAY LINER ADS! CALL TODAY

Employment Wanted

Grant writer for hire. Hourly rates. Call Mike (602)339-6607

HOUSESITTER, TAKE care of your dogs + plants. \$10/an hour. References. Call (323)650-6854.

Bookkeeping Services

QUICKBOOKS BOOKKEEPING service, personal or businesses. Online version available. Call 310 977-7935

For Rent

BRENTWOOD \$900+
Studio/1Ba, no pets, ref pool, quiet, utilities \$900/MO
1BD/BA Lower, blinds, PKG, balcony, carpets, parking \$1095/MO
1bd/Ba; pool Laundry balcony, ref stove, PKG \$1295/MO
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

BRENTWOOD \$900+
Studio/1Ba, no pets, ref pool, quiet, , balcony, carpets, parking \$1300/MO
2bd /1Ba spac. lower unit, carpet, stove, D/W, F/P PKG \$1695/MO
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

FREE HOUSEMATE MATCHING SERVICE
We help match seniors with seniors/mid-age/younger people.
323-650-7988
Monday – Friday • 9 – 5

SENIORS
Affordable Housing starting at
\$460/month
323-650-7988
Monday – Friday • 9 – 5

CULVER CITY 11621 Braddock Dr. unit 4 and 11 2+1.5 Townhouse style. Stove, blinds, carpet, w/d hookups, patio, gated parking, intercom entry, no pets, \$1400. (310)967-4471 www.jkwproperties.com

HOWARD MANAGEMENT GROUP
(310) 869-7901

Studios from \$1,200. One bedrooms from \$1,500. Two bedrooms from \$2,000. Additional locations in West L.A.

PLEASE Visit our website for complete listings at:
www.howardmanagement.com

MAR VISTA \$1675 2 Bdrms, 1 Bath, No Pets, Stove, Refrigerator, Washer/Dryer, Parking, Patio, 3573 Centinela Ave., "Rear Unit" Open Daily for Viewing 9am-7pm, Additional Info in Unit.

SM GREAT location. 2bdrm/1bath upper Garden apt. Hardwood floors, fireplace, balcony no pets, parking \$1850 (310)472-6162

For Rent

MAR VISTA 12450 Culver Blvd. \$1100 and up. Stove, fridge, blinds, carpet, utilities included, no pets, intercom entry, gated parking, (888)414-7778 www.jkwproperties.com

MARINA DEL Rey \$1000+
Studio/1Ba, Carpet, Fan, F/P, D/W, Gym Pool, \$1250/Mo
1BD/BA Carpet, Fan, F/P, D/W, Gym, Pool, Cat ok \$1350 /MO
2bd/2Ba Carpet, Fan, F/P, D/W, Gym, Pool, Cat ok \$11850/Mo
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

SANTA MONICA \$800+
Studio Lower, Bright, Carpet, ref, stove, kit, No Smoke \$800/MO
Studio 1/Ba; No pet, balcony, carpets, parking \$950/MO
1bd/Ba upper, no pets, ref stove, new paint SMC, PKG \$1100/MO
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

SANTA MONICA \$1195 1 bdrm, 1 bath, no pets. Stove, Refrigerator, Parking. 2535 Kansas Ave. #104. Open daily for Viewing 9am-7pm. Additional info in Unit. Manager in #101.

SANTA MONICA, \$1595, 2 Bdrms, 1 Bath, NO Pets, Stove, Refrigerator, Parking. 1935 Cloverfield Blvd. #16, Open Daily for viewing 9am-7pm. Additional info in Unit. Manager in #19

VENICE \$900+
Studio/1 Ba, view, No Pkg, LDY, Stove , HDWD \$950/Mo
1BD/BA Sunny upper unit, 1 block from the beach \$1045/MO
2bd/2Ba CRTYRD, laundry, Stve, bal, carpets, F/P \$1900/Mo
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

WEST LOS Angeles \$750+
Bachlr 1/Ba UPPER. REF MICRO VERT WD FLR \$750/Mo
Studio 1/Ba UPPER NEW CARPET TILE Prkg \$850/Mo
1bd/Ba Huge, full kitchen D/W - stove/oven – A/C \$925/Mo
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

WESTWOOD \$895+
BCHL/1Ba, Upper Remodel, micro, Ref, Hdwd Tile, Strt Pk \$895/Mo
Studio/ 1BD/BA Carpet, Pool spa, Gated Grt loc \$975//MO
2bd/2Ba Carpet, Fan, F/P, D/W, Gym , Pool, Cat ok \$1650/Mo
We have others From \$650.00
310-276-0881
www.apartmenthunterz.com

Commercial Lease

SANTA MONICA 2941 Main Street. Creative office space \$750-\$1000/month. Parking available. MDR 13322 Washington 500-1900 sq. ft. office space for lease. PAR Commercial (310)395-2663.xt.112

Commercial Lease

IDEAL FOR computer creative workers, graphic designers, web developers, video post professionals. Conveniently located on the westside, A place where your clients are welcome. "The face of your business." A great place to meet your clients Workstation space with wi-fi for laptops Rent by the month, week, day and hour (310)895 1098 ASK FOR JEFF

Go Green.

Hire locals. It cuts down on commuting, traffic and smog.

Find them

in the Santa Monica Daily Press classifieds.

Call today to learn about our local hiring packages. 310-458-7737

Real Estate



SoCal's #1 Home Listing Service

For apartments, houses, townhouses and roommates

Your Home Search Starts Here!

Thousands of rental listings updated daily

◆FREE Guest Search

◆Photos, Maps and Detailed Descriptions

◆7 Office Locations

◆Landlords Always List FREE

Need a Place to Live?

Call us, Stop by or Visit us Online

www.westsiderentals.com

310-395-RENT

YOUR AD

COULD RUN HERE!

CALL US TODAY AT

(310) 458-7737

SELL YOUR CAR FAST!

Advertise your used car for sale in the only **LOCAL DAILY** newspaper in town.

FOR ONLY
\$45

Run it until it sells!*



1964 Pontiac Catalina
New Transmission, new paint job. 150K original miles. Immaculate condition inside. Kept in garage for many years. Must see!
\$3,000 (310) 458-7737

Ad shown actual size

Package includes:

- Ad runs until your car sells. Period.*
- Large format photograph.
- 20 word description.
- FREE online placement!

Call us today at (310) 458-7737

Take advantage of this great offer.

Santa Monica Daily Press



*Terms and conditions. Ad will run for thirty (30) consecutive days. After 30 days, ad will expire and advertiser must call to schedule a free renewal. Ads are renewed for an additional 2 weeks. Advertiser must call within 5 days of ad expiration to renew. If renewal is placed after 5 days of ad expiration, advertiser must pay full price. Photographs must be submitted digitally in JPG or TIFF format. Email photographs to annieh@smdp.com. Photographs only appear on print edition. 20 word description maximum; additional words: 50 cents. Call for more details. Private parties only. Terms subject to change without notice.

YOUR AD

COULD RUN HERE!

CALL US

TODAY AT

(310) 458-7737

CALL TODAY FOR SPECIAL MONTHLY RATES!

There is no more convincing medium than a DAILY local newspaper.

Prepay your ad today!



(310) 458-7737

Santa Monica Daily Press

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

LOCATION 410 Broadway, Suite B, Santa Monica, CA 90401

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING CONDITIONS: REGULAR RATE: \$5.50 a day. Ads over 15 words add 20¢ per word per day. Ad must run a minimum of twelve consecutive days. PREMIUMS: First two words caps no charge. Bold words, italics, centered lines, etc. cost extra. Please call for rates. TYPOS: Check your ad the first day of publication. Sorry, we do not issue credit after an ad has run more than once. DEADLINES: 3:00 p.m. prior the day of publication except for Monday's paper when the deadline is Friday at 2:30 p.m. PAYMENT: All private party ads must be pre-paid. We accept checks, credit cards, and of course cash. CORRESPONDENCE: To place your ad call our offices 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, (310) 458-7737; send a check or money order with ad copy to The Santa Monica Daily Press, P.O. Box 1380, Santa Monica, CA 90406 or stop in at our office located at 1427 Third Street Promenade, Ste. 202. OTHER RATES: For information about the professional services directory or classified display ads, please call our office at (310) 458-7737.

Classifieds

GET RID OF YOUR ROLLERBLADES. Sell your sports equipment to someone who will actually use it.

Prepay your ad today!

VISA

MasterCard

AMERICAN EXPRESS

(310) 458-7737

CALL TODAY FOR SPECIAL MONTHLY RATES!

There is no more convincing medium than a DAILY local newspaper.

\$⁵⁰ per day. Up to 15 words, 20 cents each additional word.

Real Estate

PAC WEST MORTGAGE

2212 Lincoln Blvd in Santa Monica

1-888-FOR-LOAN

310 392-9223

VERY AGGRESSIVE RATES TIME FOR A 30 YEAR FIXED?

RATES AS LOW AS 6%	
30 YEAR FIXED	6%
APR 6.116%	
10 YEAR/1 ARM	6.25%
APR 6.85%	
7 YEAR/1 ARM	6%
APR 6.905%	
5 YEAR/1 ARM	6%**
APR 7.25%	
3 YEAR/1 ARM	5.75%**
APR 7.275%	
1 YEAR/1 ARM	5.5%
APR 7.35%	
6 MO./6 MO. ARM	5.25%
APR 7.49%	
1 MO./1 MO. ARM	1.25%**
APR 8.25%	

*Rates subject to change
* As of August 29, 2007
** Denotes an interest only loan



ROB SCHULTZ

BROKER

LICENSED CALIFORNIA

BROKER #01218743





Lost & Found

LOST – Reward \$50

One pair of prescription sunglasses, tortoise frame, bifocal. Reward \$50. Contact Hans at 310.450.1123.

Massage

BLISSFUL RELAXATION! Heal your body, mind, spirit. Therapeutic bodywork/energy healing. Strictly non-sexual. Introductory specials \$68.00. Lynda, L.M.T. (310) 749-0621

\$5.50 A DAY LINER ADS! CALL TODAY

Massage

EXQUISITE, INTUITIVE, strong and tender relaxing body work by mature European. Very Professional, Sonja (310) 397-0433.

DBAS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072523484 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ARANT 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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/9/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/1/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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/: This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/1/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 : MICAEALA 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/: MICAEALA URIARTE This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EX-

DBAS

PIRES 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/7/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/6/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/6/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/6/2007. 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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

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 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/6/2007. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES

DBAS

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 11/19/2007, 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072562843 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GO GREEN MEETINGS, GO GREEN INCENTIVES, GO GREEN MEETINGS AND EVENTS, GO GREEN CARPET EVENTS, 1447 FRANKLIN ST. #6, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HELEN MCHUGH, 1447 FRANKLIN ST. #6, 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/: HELEN MCHUGH This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/16/2007. 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 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072562845 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RAPID RESPONSE RESTORATION, 19510 VENTURA BLVD. SUITE 202, TARZANA, CA. 91356. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANDREW RODMAND, 5807 TOPANGA CYN BLVD. #201, WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91356, DAVID DAVILA, 5807 TOPANGA CYN BLVD. #201, WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367, SAM LA-HOOTI, 22935 MARIANO STREET, WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: SAM M. LAHOOTI, DAVID M. DAVILA, ANDREW RODMAND This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/16/2007. 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 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072562844 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, 1511 16TH ST. #101, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, 1115 23RD ST. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an unincorporated association other than a partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS, VICE PRESIDENT, DANIEL BLEIBERG This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/16/2007. 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 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072562844 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, 1511 16TH ST. #101, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, 1115 23RD ST. SANTA MONICA, CA. 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an unincorporated association other than a partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: CHATEAU REGENCY III HOMEOWNERS, VICE PRESIDENT, DANIEL BLEIBERG This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/16/2007. 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 11/26/2007, 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618773 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HOLLYWOOD ALL STARS FOOTBALL CLUB, H.A.S.F.C., 2800 NELSON WAY #102, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JAY NEWELL HOTCH, 2800 NELSON WAY #102, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405 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/: JAY NEWELL HOTCH This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618529 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PREGO AI/HON 200725510153, 2450 COLORADO AVENUE, SUITE 1050, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SASSICIA RISTORANTE ITALIANO, LLC, 2450 COLORADO AVENUE, STE. 1050, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/16/2007. /s/: SASSICIA RISTORANTE, LLC This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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

DBAS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072555061 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE LADY-BUG LOUNGE, LADYBUG LOUNGE.COM, 1423 19TH ST. #5, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KIMBERLY CAMPBELL, 1423 19TH ST. #5, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404, CHRISTOPHER CAMPBELL, 1423 19TH ST. #5, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: KIMBERLY CAMPBELL, CHRISTOPHER CAMPBELL This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/15/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072542924 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LAONISSE, 276 ALPINE ST. #5, PASADENA, CA. 91106. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JONATHON PETER CRAIG, 276 ALPINE ST. #5, PASADENA, CA. 91106 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/: JONATHON P. CRAIG This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/14/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618528 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BREAK-THROUGH DISTRIBUTION AI/HON 200611710017, 8840 WILSHIRE BLVD. 3RD FLOOR, 3RD FLOOR, BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90211. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FREE FORM FILM, LLC CALIFORNIA, 8840 WILSHIRE BLVD. 3RD FLOOR, BEVERLY HILLS, CA. 90211 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)4/1/2006. /s/: FREE FORM, LLC This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618530 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GREEN CONCEPTS, 231 CALIFORNIA AVENUE SANTA MONICA, CA. 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MOHAMMAD REZA MARASHI, 231 CALIFORNIA AVENUE, 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/: MOHAMMAD REZA MARASHI This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618529 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PREGO AI/HON 200725510153, 2450 COLORADO AVENUE, SUITE 1050, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SASSICIA RISTORANTE ITALIANO, LLC, 2450 COLORADO AVENUE, STE. 1050, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/16/2007. /s/: SASSICIA RISTORANTE, LLC This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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

DBAS

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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618531 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CUSTOM AUDIO SOLUTIONS, FLIGNOME, 1260 ARMACOST AVE. STE. 306, LA. CA. 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PETER NAJERA, 1260 ARMACOST AVE. STE. 306, LA. CA. 90025 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/: PETER NAJERA This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072525523 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BEST NAME SHOES, 1724 PALOS VERDES DR., NORTH #B, HARBOR CITY, CA. 90710. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VAN HAN KAUU, 1716 E. 53RD ST., LONG BEACH, CA. 90805 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/: KAUU VANHAN This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/9/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072534520 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FRANK'S AUTO UPHOLSTERY, 8224 GREENLEAF AVE., WHITTIER, CA. 90602. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANCISCO CORNEJO,1541 HEADGEPATH ST., HACIENDA HEIGHTS, CA. 91745; CONCEPCION CORNEJO, 1541 HEADGEPATH ST., HACIENDA HEIGHTS, CA. 91745 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)3/1/1972. /s/: FRANCISCO CORNEJO; CONCEPCION CORNEJO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/07. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072544853 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HANNA TAILORING AND CLEANER, 4330 SOUTH ST., LAKEWOOD, CA. 90712. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SUONG VIETNAM NGO, 1251 E. WESLEY DR., LONG BEACH, CA. 90806 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)11/13/2007. /s/: SUONG VIETNAM NGO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/14/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072535047 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MONTEBELLO AUTOGRAFT, MONTEBELLO AUTO CRAFT, 1635 W. WHITTIER BLVD., MONTEBELLO, CA. 90640. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VAROUJAN MAHSEREJIAN, 1319 W. LINCOLN AVE., MONTEBELLO, CA. 90640; JOHN GEOJIAN, 15671 SKYLINKS CIRCLE, WESTMINSTER, CA. 92683 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: VAROUJAN MAHSEREJIAN; JOHN

THE MARKET

LOCAL SERVICES FROM LOCAL BUSINESSES

SHOP OUR EASY-TO-USE DIRECTORY FOR SERVICES OF EVERY KIND.
POST YOUR SERVICES BY CALLING TODAY!

(310) 458-7737

Prepay your ad today!



Please call our Classified Sales Manager to reserve your ad space. Specific ad placement not guaranteed on classified ads. Ad must meet deadline requirements. All classified liner ads are placed on our website for **FREE!** Check out www.smdp.com for more info.

DBAS

GEOLOIAN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072544862 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VISION DESIGNS OPTOMETRIC CENTER, INC.; AI #/ON 3022266, 35 LINDEN AVE., SUITE 102, LONG BEACH, CA 90802. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : VISION DESIGNS OPTOMETRIC CENTER, INC.; 35 LINDEN AVE., SUITE 102, LONG BEACH, CA 90802 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)2/10/2003. /s/: VISION DESIGNS OPTOMETRIC CENTER, INC.; ELIZABETH S. MUKAI; OWNER/OPTOMETRIST
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/14/07. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072534280 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YO CAM, 16526 DOUBLEGROVE ST., LA PUENTE, CA 91744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : YOLANDA CAMPA, 16526 DOUBLEGROVE ST., 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/: YOLANDA CAMPA
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20072553410
Current File No. 20072534167
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
AFFORDABLE EDGE TECH WIRELESS
located at 4550 N. LARK ELLEN #103, COVINA, CA 91722
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 11/13/07
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
CARLOS REYES, 4550 N. LARK ELLEN #103, COVINA, CA 91722
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/ CARLOS REYES
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/15/07. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 20072618526
Current File No. 20070738101
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
CARD IN CASH OUT
located at 5520 N. OWENSMOUTH AVE. STE. 314, WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 11/28/07
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
DAVOOD AZIMI
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
/s/DAVOOD AZIMI This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/28/2007. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072618527 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CARD IN CASH OUT AI #/ON 3067697, 22356 PHILIPPRIMM STREET WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367. The full

DBAS

name of registrant(s) is/are : MMHD INC, 22356 PHILIPPRIMM STREET, WOODLAND HILLS, CA. 91367 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: MMHD, INC. CEO, MOHAMMAD AZIMI
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072554651 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WESTSIDE FAMILY PHYSICIANS, 1304 15TH ST. #202, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARTIN L. ALPERT, M.D. INC. 1304 15TH ST. #202, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90404 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/: MARTIN L. ALPERT M.D. INC, OWNER, MARTIN ALPERT
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/15/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 200772618532 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VITAENHANCE AI #/ON 07094672, 2800 28TH ST, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ROBORANT, LLC. 108 WEST 13TH ST. WILMINGTON, DE. 19801 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/12/2007. /s/: ROBORANT LLC, FRANK A BROWNING, MANAGING MEMBER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/28/2007. 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 12/3/2007, 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 20072627886 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IRANIAN TRANSLATION, 230 BAY STREET UNIT 2, SANTA MONICA, CA. 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES, LLC This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/1/2007. /s/: INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES, LLC
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/29/2007. 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 12/10/2007, 12/17/2007, 12/24/2007, 12/31/2007

**YOUR AD
COULD RUN HERE!
CALL US
TODAY AT
(310) 458-7737**

Services

Quick HOME REPAIRS
Fixtures & furniture
Plumbing & Electrical

SERVING THE WESTSIDE
Senior Discount
(310) 985-2928

ADVERTISE! CALL US (310) 458-7737

INTERNATIONAL DOG TRAINING AND SERVICES Behavioral Management.....Individualized Service Programs. (310)869-1649

Notary Public
(insured and bonded)
Santa Monica Daily Press
Ask for Connie
310-458-7737
connies@smdp.com
Available weekdays 9-5
Call or email for rates
or appointments
Walk-ins welcome

Hauling

CALL THE ORANGEMEN

Delivery, Hauling
& Junk Removal
Call Tony
(323) 873-5382

\$5.50 A DAY LINER ADS! CALL TODAY

Services

Cleaning

AFFORDABLE HOUSE CLEANING \$40

by day, honest reliable, own transportation, references, L.I./L.O. nanny housekeepers. Low fees, been in business since 1988, open 7 days. Call, ask for Adeline (818)705-0295 or fax (818)705-0297

\$5.50 A DAY LINER ADS! CALL TODAY

Gen. Contracting

A/C CONSTRUCTION

General Construction
Commercial & Residential

Remodel & Add ons

Honest. Reliable.
FREE ESTIMATES
— Sabbath Observed —

310.278.5380

Lic# 804884 Fully Insured

Handyman

WEST SIDE HANDYMAN

All Repairs-
Carpentry- Painting-
Plastering- Electrical

Termite & Dry
Rot Repair

Not a
Licensed
Contractor

Call the House Healer
(310) 409-3244

Your ad could run here!
Call us today at (310) 458-7737

Services

Handy Man

- Carpentry
- Frame/Finish
- Foundation/Concrete
- DryWall, Paint, Elec.
- Lighting Landscape
- Hardscape Furniture
- Architectural Design
- Plans & Permits
- Green & Sustainable
- Free Consultation
- Unlicensed

10% off 1st Job
27 Years exp.

Call (310) 430-2806

The Handy Hatts

Painting and Decorating Co.

SINCE 1967

**RESIDENTIAL/COMMERCIAL
INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
SPECIALISTS IN ALL
DAMAGE REPAIR**

Free estimates, great referrals

**FULL SERVICE HANDYMAN
FROM A TO Z**

Call Brian @
(310) 927-5120
(310) 915-7907

LIC# 888736

“HOME SWEET HOME”

Moving

BEST MOVERS
No job too small
2 MEN, \$59 PER HOUR
Fully Insured. We make it EZ.
Free prep. & boxes. Discount for
handicap & seniors!
Since 1975 Lic. T-163844
(323) 997-1193 (323) 630-9971

**YOUR AD
COULD RUN HERE!
CALL US TODAY AT
(310) 458-7737**

Services

Movers with Style, Inc.

CAL T-190313 CA 338038

Licensed & Insured

On-Time & Dependable

Last Minute Moves

Great Rates

www.moverswithstyle.com

For a Stress-Free

Moving Experience

CALL 310-397-1616

Painting/Tiling

■ Painting

■ Free Estimates

■ Exterior and Interior

■ Over 10 yrs experience

■ References Available

■ Work Guaranteed

Steve's Painting

Cell: (213) 663-3064

(213) 765-0252

Therapy

**STILL
SMOKING?**

**Life is short —
Why make it shorter**

John J. McGrail, C.Ht.



**Certified
Hypnotherapist**

(310) 235-2883
www.hypnotherapylosangeles.com

**Make sure your family has a plan
in case of an emergency.**

Fill out these cards, and give one to each member of your family to make sure they know who to call and where to meet in case of an emergency. For more information on how to make a family emergency plan, or for additional cards, go to ready.gov

Ready



Family Emergency Plan

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME:
TELEPHONE:

OUT-OF-TOWN CONTACT NAME:
TELEPHONE:

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING PLACE:
TELEPHONE:

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

DIAL 911 FOR EMERGENCIES

Ready



Family Emergency Plan

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME:
TELEPHONE:

OUT-OF-TOWN CONTACT NAME:
TELEPHONE:

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING PLACE:
TELEPHONE:

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

DIAL 911 FOR EMERGENCIES

Ready





Kate Brangfield



Featuring Your Home First!

....To find out how I get your home 500% more exposure online on over 100 websites

.....To find out the most up-to-date Santa Monica real estate information

....for a Virtual Tour & multiple photos of these Properties

visit:

www.SantaMonicaListings.com



Estates Director
Coldwell Banker - Montana Ave

310.395.1133



Open Sunday, December 16th
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm



1754 - 11th Street # 102
\$599,000

Large, Bright 2 + 2.5 Townhome

Easy to Show
Call for Appointment



852 - 21st Street Unit D
\$995,000

2 + 1.75 Condo Amazing Patio!

Back on the Market!!!

\$3,095,000

New Construction (2007) 6 + 5.5 Home



Open Sunday 1-4



12223 Darlington Avenue
Open Sunday, December 16th
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Easy to Show
Call for an Appointment



737 Pier Avenue # 3
\$748,000

Bright 2 + 2.5 Ocean Park Townhome

Coming Soon!

Single Family Home
Gillette's Regent Square
North of Montana

Average Price of Properties Listed for Sale As of Mid December 2007

		<u>Single Family Homes</u>	<u>Condos & Townhomes</u>
Santa Monica Canyon	=	\$ 2,656,714	No Listings
North of Montana	=	\$ 3,980,148	\$ 1,820,172
Between Wilshire & Montana	=	\$ 2,017,800	\$ 1,005,070
South of Wilshire	=	\$ 1,062,250	\$ 686,293
Sunset Park	=	\$ 1,358,545	\$ 720,429
Ocean Park	=	\$ 2,097,611	\$ 953,736

Statistics updated every Friday

What is Your Home Worth? Contact Me to Find Out!