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Memorial Day ceremony

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BBQ and live music

DATE: Monday, May 29 TIME: 1 pm **LOCATION:** Bastards

BBO and live DJ

DATE: Monday, May 29 TIME: 2 pm **LOCATION:** Mi Cielo

MAY 31

Columbus High graduation

DATE: Monday, May 31 **TIME:** 6:30 pm **LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

JUNE 1

Aldi grand opening

DATE: Thursday, June 1 **TIME:** 8:25 am **LOCATION:** 11215 Lakewood Blvd.

Warren High graduation

DATE: Thursday, June 1 TIME: 7 pm **LOCATION:** Veterans Memorial Stadium at LBCC

JUNE 2

Downey High graduation

DATE: Friday, June 2 TIME: 7 pm **LOCATION:** Veterans Memorial Stadium at LBCC

JUNE 2-4

Downey Greek Festival DATE: June 2-4

TIME: 10 am LOCATION: St. George Greek Orthodox Church

JUNE 3

Mayor's Prayer Breakfast

DATE: Saturday, June 3 **TIME:** 7:30 am **LOCATION:** Rio Hondo Event Center

JUNE 8

Book Club meeting

DATE: Thursday, June 8 **TIME:** 12 pm **LOCATION:** Downey City Library

JUNE 10

Relay for Life

DATE: Saturday, June 10 TIME: 9 am **LOCATION:** Downey Adult School

JUNE 21

Chamber of Commerce installation

DATE: Wednesday, June 21 **TIME:** 12 pm **LOCATION:** Embassy Suites

JULY 4

Downey Fireworks Show

DATE: Tuesday, July 4 TIME: 9 pm **LOCATION:** Downey High

JULY 15

Author talk with Janet Tronstad

DATE: Saturday, July 15 TIME: 12 pm **LOCATION:** Downey City Library

OCTOBER 29

Dia de los Muertos

DATE: Sunday, Oct. 29 TIME: 11 am **LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

City Council agrees to continue Stay Gallery financial support

■ **CITY COUNCIL:** Downey reaches 3-year, \$150,000 deal to keep gallery operational.

By Eric Pierce Editor

DOWNEY – The Downey City Council on Tuesday agreed to pay \$150,000 to ensure the downtown Stay Gallery remains open for at least another three years.

The city's agreement with Downey Art Vibe – operators of Stay Gallery – was mildly controversial in that it's the city's third such contract with Downey Art Vibe.

In 2012, the council agreed to subsidize the gallery's monthly rent (then \$2,000) for two years to help the facility get off the ground. The subsidies were extended an additional three years in 2014, June 1.

On Tuesday, about a dozen supporters spoke in favor of Stay Gallery and its importance to the community.

"I know we're asking for a lot, but the overall cost is minimal for what we do for the community," said Luz Lluncor, a Downey Art Vibe board member. "We stand here to ask for your support one more time."

Valentin Flores, the former executive director of Stay Gallery and a current Downey Art Vibe board member, said the increasing popularity of downtown Downey has led to a nearly 50% rise in the facility's monthly rent.

"We're a victim of our own success," Flores said.

Downey school board member D. Mark Morris also spoke favorably of the gallery.

"What are we talking about here," he said. "We're talking about the heart and soul of Downey."

Others, however, questioned the wisdom in giving financial support to a gallery that after five years is still not self-sustaining.

"If there's a market for art,



The city of Downey retained

Dixon Resources Unlimited to

review the downtown parking

situation in response to the

area's recent growth of retail and

parking shortage in Downtown

was not identified" but still

offered recommendations to ease

congestion, including replacing

short-term parking throughout

handicapped parking; directional

parking agreement between

being considered at this time.

Council members

recommendations.

unanimously to accept the

businesses

Paid parking meters are not

recommended

increased

voted

The firm concluded that "a

residential projects.

They also

downtown:

look right that we're continuing to fund this gallery."

Council members ultimately voted 3-0 to continue funding the gallery. Mayor Fernando Vasquez and Councilmember Blanca Pacheco abstained - Vasquez is part-owner of a downtown business, and Pacheco is a former Stay Gallery board member.

The agreement with Downey Art Vibe calls for the city to cover the gallery's rent through Subsidies will be paid out of the who forego installing public art and instead pay 1% of the new building's valuation.

As of Monday, the fund contained \$319,757.76, said Aldo Schindler, Downey's director of community development.

The contract names the Downey Arts Coalition "a strategic facility," and stipulates that the facility be made available to civic and community organizations.

The gallery cannot be rented

and were scheduled to expire Stay Gallery will succeed," said out as a nightclub, but can be parking in downtown Downey, resident Brian Heyman. "Let the used for family functions such as long as you're willing to free market decide...It doesn't as birthdays and weddings, walk a little bit, according to an Quinceaneras and baptisms, independent parking study. however, are prohibited.

> ■Smoking of all kinds may soon be illegal in Downey parks.

The City Council on Tuesday were prepared to prohibit electronic cigarettes at parks but expanded the ordinance to also include regular tobacco cigarettes.

In 2011, council members current time limit signs with new May 31, 2020, plus an additional voted to create designated signage that includes exceptions \$48,000 for program expenses. smoking areas at parks and for weekends and holidays. city-sponsored city's Art in Public Places fund, That ordinance, however, didn't a purse financed by developers apply to vaping and electronic cigarettes.

> Electronic cigarettes emulate signs to the city parking structure; smoking by using an inhalable the hiring of a full-time parking dose of nicotine or any other enforcement officer; and a shared liquid substance through a vaporized solution. The FDA downtown began regulating electronic churches. cigarettes in 2016.

A revised ordinance banning partner in the success of the all forms of smoking at Downey parks is expected to come back before the council next month.

■There's no shortage of

Downey pays solemn tribute to fallen

Memorial Day Ceremony Monday - Downey Cemetery, 11 am

THINGS TO DO

heroes at Downey Cemetery. Free shuttle from Green Line station.

FROM OUR FACEBOOK

City continues financial support of Stay Gallery

Thanasi Papoulias: The frustrating part of all of this is how people see this as a waste. Little do they know that the creativity coming out of this gallery had not only spawned many businesses in Downey, but has led to them being a success. It's 2017 people, open your minds to thinking outside of the box.

Geoffrey Cassayre: | appreciate the fact it gives of the city an opportunity our city has the resources for this. It's about giving people opportunity in the arts.

Desiree Schneider: The Stay Gallery actually provides many benefits for Downey. The Stay Gallery is extremely supportive of Downey schools and PTAs. Students are able to showcase their art work from school, it hosts PTA events, displays Reflections submissions and also hosts the Foundation's music programs on Saturdays.

Melody Morton: And yet the city council reduced the frequency of the downey link during the hours from 9-2 to save \$40,000. I have spoken to many residents who depend on the bus system. This change has created a great hardship, especially if you are trying to reach the hospital or medical

Congratulations Downey! Be proud of the fact that you have a unique place to gather

Benjamin Gutierrez:

and provide some culture to each other in an area that is surrounded by even cooler spots like Bars, restaurants and parks. That's how you build a community!



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TWEET OF THE WEEK

@DowneyArts: After five and a half years of continuous monthly poetry reading events, Poetry Matters is taking a recess.

We'll be considering new ways to involve local poets when we come back.



Downey Patriot wins 5 journalism awards

■ AWARDS: Downey Patriot picks up awards for writing, photography and front page design.

DOWNEY – The Downey Patriot earned five awards at a state journalism contest Saturday, including four prizes for editor Eric Pierce.

The California Newspaper Publishers Association received 2,668 total entries in 39 categories in its Better Newspaper Contest, which honored excellence in journalism during the 2016 year.

Winners were announced during a luncheon Saturday at the Loews Santa Monica Beach Hotel.

In the Best Front Page (Broadsheet) category, The Downey Patriot staff won honorable mention for its single entry of three front pages, which included:

■ the Oct. 20, 2016 issue that

for City Council candidates;

■ the Oct. 13, 2016 issue that included coverage of a Downey Patriot-sponsored City Council debate at the Downey Theatre;

■ and the June 30, 2016 issue, which reported on the City Council's decision to put a proposed halfcent sales tax increase on that November's ballot.

second place for his photo essay of the Downey Christmas Parade.

"Bringing a routine photo assignment like a Christmas parade to life is sometimes a challenge," judges wrote in their comments. "These photos captured the event well and made me feel like I was

listed all campaign contributions awards for his photo coverage Fidel Castro. of the Ricky Galvez memorial dedication, and for his essay titled "How I Went from Journalist to

> The contest was open to daily and weekly newspapers across Center." California, along with college publications.

L.A. PRESS CLUB: Meanwhile, Downey Patriot editor Eric the Patriot picked up four Pierce won four awards, including nominations in the L.A. Press News Feature category for the Club's 59th Southern California story "Preservationists Hunt for Journalism Awards.

> Mario Guerra and Ben Dickow were both nominated in the Commentary category.

Guerra, a two-time mayor of Downey who immigrated to the United States from Cuba at age 6, was nominated for his column Pierce also won three titled "Que Viva Cuba Libre," honorable mentions: two separate written after the death of dictator

Dickow, the executive director of the Columbia Memorial Space Center, was nominated for an essay titled "The Importance of Open Access to Downey's Space

In the essay, Dickow describes the impact museums had on him as a child growing up in Chicago.

George Redfox and Kathy Perez were nominated in the Downey's Cinderella Home."

The story chronicled their efforts to find a Cinderella-inspired home designed by architect Jean Valjean VanDruff.

Lastly, Downey resident Sharon Smith's editorial "The Problem with Senior Housing" was nominated for best column of 2016.

These two graduating seniors have never missed a day of school

DOWNEY – To many, with perfect attendance. missing a day of school or work due to illness or other type of worthy reason would be something that one wouldn't lose sleep over.

students, the idea of missing Elementary, East Middle School a day of school for any reason (as it was named until Vasquez was something that wasn't completed his eighth-grade even a thought; and on Friday, year), then DHS, being an avid June 2, Downey High School (DHS) will be graduating these years at DHS. two devoted students who have never missed a day of school.

students within Downey Unified to graduate this year

Having never missed school in his 13 years since kindergarten, Downey High School's Kyle Vasquez is one cares about her students," of these dedicated students. But for two Downey Unified He attended Rio San Gabriel athlete playing baseball all four

He credits a portion of his commitment to the teachers at DHS, in particular, Mrs. Ramirez. They are the only two Vasquez was enrolled in her English class his freshman year

and, now a senior, was lucky enough to be in her class again.

"She is just the type of teacher that you can tell really expressed Vasquez.

But this wasn't the only reason. Vasquez' father, Alex, was also a huge catalyst behind his perfect attendance; originally promising Vasquez a vehicle upon graduation if this achievement was realized.

Even through very trying times when his mother was fighting cancer, unfortunately losing the battle, he still did not miss a day of school.

Last year, the incentive changed, however. Vasquez now no longer wanted a brandnew car; the car he currently had was in good condition and he put his sights on other goals. What he wanted now was to go on a trip with his father so he began to save up as he continued his perfectattendance streak.

"He first wanted a new car," expressed Alex Vasquez, Kyle's father. "Then he wanted to take a trip, just the two of us... then as he began to save up money, he decided he might just want to continue saving for his future instead of spending it on a trip."

With less than two weeks left before graduation, this 13-year goal is now truly becoming a reality. Vasquez will attend Long Beach State in the fall where he will be studying Business Economics.

Akhila Nallamilli is the second devoted student that will be receiving a diploma on June 2 having never missed a day of school.

School, then DHS.

She credits a portion of her commitment to attending school without fail to her allegiance to education.

"I never wanted to miss a day because I never wanted to fall behind or miss anything," expressed Nallamilli.



Kyle Vasquez and Akhila Nallamilli have never missed a day of school dating to kindergarten.

Moving from India when Nallamilli. she was six-years old, she attended schools in Redlands, Calif., before moving to Downey. Nallamilli recognizes her parents for being a large influence in her

perfect attendance feat.

Similar to Vasquez, Nallamilli also gives gratitude to two teachers she feels assisted her along the way, Mr. Young and Mr. Hwang. Nallamilli transferred to Enrolled in their Honors Downey Unified as a third- Biology and Principles of grade student, attending Ward Biomedical Science classes her and Carpenter elementary freshman year then fortuitous schools, Sussman Middle enough to be under both of their instruction for AP Biology and Medical Interventions her senior year, Nallamilli will be following her passion for

> "Taking the Medical Intervention Pathway really made my interest in this subject even more profound," stated

DHS.

She will graduate with a cumulative district weighted 4.17 GPA and attend the University of California, Santa Barbara, in the fall to study Biology pre-med.

"With one main facet of our vision to graduate all students with a 21st Century education that ensures they are college and career ready, being in class as much as possible is a critical piece," said Downey Unified superintendent Dr. John Garcia.

"Kyle and Akhila are truly great examples of our vision in practice and I, along with the Board of Education, can't wait to see the amazing achievements these Biology that she acquired at exceptional individuals will attain after graduation."

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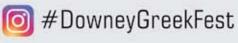




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Downey's Ricardo Perez to give Rio Hondo College commencement address

College's innovative Pathway to Law School program was scheduled to give the commencement address at the college's 54th annual

Commencement Ceremony, set for 6 p.m. Thursday, May 25 at the hilltop campus.

Ricardo Perez, a civil lawyer who often advocates on behalf of children and immigrant rights, will share his journey as an undocumented youth living in a gangdominated neighborhood to attending UCLA and law school.

Perez will touch on the struggles of being isolated during Loyola Law School - so much so that he dropped out during his first try and how he learned to forge connections with classmates and, later, his community

The ceremony will recognize as many as 1,553 students who earned a record 2,154 degrees in summer/fall 2016 or spring/summer 2017.

"Each year at Rio Hondo College, we see an acceleration in accomplishments from our talented and dedicated students," Superintendent/President Teresa Dreyfuss said. "It's a great part journey to law school.

DOWNEY – A Downey attorney who has helped helm Rio Hondo confirmation of our mission to provide students with access and opportunity as they pursue their higher-education dreams."

> During the ceremony, students will hear remarks from Dreyfuss, Board of Trustees President Norma Edith Garcia and Associated Students of Rio Hondo College President Andrew Gonzalez, a founding member of the College's Pre-Law Society who will pursue his studies at Syracuse University.

Academic Senate President Robert Bethel will announce the class valedictorian, Jianshu Chi. Chi, who immigrated to the U.S. from China at age 17, plans to study computer science at Southern Taiwan University for Science and Technology before pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree at UC Berkeley.

Vice President of Student Services Henry Gee will recognize three students selected as "profiles in student success" for overcoming significant obstacles en route to securing their degrees.

The ceremony also marks the graduation of the second cohort of students in Rio Hondo College's Pathway to Law School program. This year, 15 students will matriculate to such universities as UCLA, UC Berkeley, UC Irvine, UC Riverside, Cal State Los Angeles, Cal Poly Pomona and Cal State Long Beach for the second stage of their three-

Students in Rio Hondo College's nursing program will receive pins on Wednesday, May 24 to mark their success. In all, 75 students will receive associate degrees in nursing, 24 will receive vocational nursing certifications and more than 65 will receive certifications this year from Rio Hondo College's several nursing assistant programs.

Many of the students with associate degrees are already enrolled in bachelor's programs through partnerships with California State University, Los Angeles, Azusa Pacific University and University of

Rio Hondo College is also home to acclaimed public safety training programs, which hold their graduations throughout the year. This year, 29 police cadets graduated in January; 40 more are expected to graduate in August. The Fire Academy will graduate 36 cadets, the EMT program will graduate 89 students and the Wildland Fire Academy will graduate 40 cadets this year.

"Each spring, our Rio Hondo College community celebrates the extraordinary achievements of our students, who depart our campus eminently well prepared for the next stage of their life journeys whether those journeys are taking them to four-year colleges or into our highly competitive job market," Board of Trustees President Norma Edith Garcia said.

Cerritos College honors largest graduating class in history

NORWALK – Cerritos College guarantees admission for eligible honored its graduates during its students to transfer to the annual commencement ceremony on Friday, May 19. More than The College currently has 27 3,000 students received degrees AA-T/AS-T degree programs. and certificates, making the Class of 2017 the largest graduating class in the 60-year-old campus' history – a 20 percent increase from 2016.

36% uptick in awards to students honor," said Dr. Jose Fierro, who earned an Associate Degree Cerritos for Transfer (AA-T/AS-T) from Superintendent. "I am so proud 2016 to 2017 with 908 degrees of our students for their ability to awarded.

AA-T/AS-T degree California State University system.

"This is a very proud and important moment for Cerritos College. Having the privilege to witness - the largest graduating class in the history of the The College also saw a drastic institution – is an incredible College President/ stay laser focused and committed The success of our students is a

of support, and the hard work and increase from 2016. dedication of our faculty and staff who undoubtedly helped our students succeed. I am so proud."

Students will be transitioning to some of the nation's top colleges and universities, including Columbia University, Stanford University, University of Chicago, University of La Verne, Loyola Marymount University, USC, UC Berkeley, UCLA, among other notable schools.

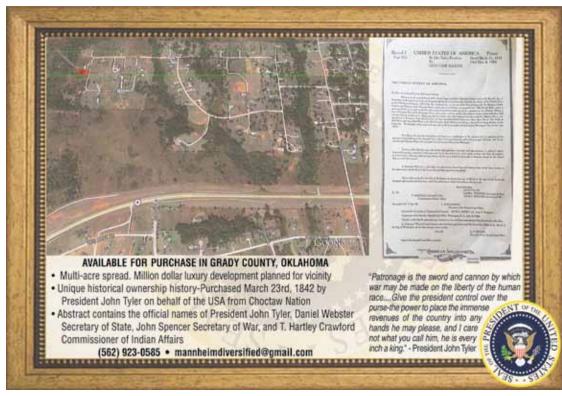
Additionally, 92 percent of to earning a degree or certificate. students in the College's Scholars' Honors Program were admitted

For Scholars' Honors Program graduate Maricela Ramos, hard work and dedication to succeed paid off. The single mother of five enrolled at Cerritos College in 2009, 23 years after she graduated

testament to a campus wide effort to UCLA this year, a 20 percent from high school, to better her "Scholars' Honors Program persevered, and is transferring to either UCLA or USC with highest honors. Maricela would like to teach English as a second language in different countries.

life with education. Despite many helped me prepare academically. obstacles during her eight years I'd like to give back by passing at Cerritos College, Maricela on knowledge to students," said Maricela.

> Michele Siqueiros, President of the Campaign for College Opportunity, served as the commencement speaker.







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Downey woman with ties to Florencia 13 gang sentenced to prison

DOWNEY – Two key operatives of the Florencia 13 street gang who were convicted of racketeering and narcotics offenses following a trial of a drug trafficking crime for possessing a handgun at a "casita" – one

Giselle Casado, also known as "Guera," 33, of Downey, was sentenced on May 9 to 121 months in prison for being a "secretary" to the F13's "soldiers," who were required to engage in drug trafficking the gang's "shot-caller," which allowed her to play an inside role in the and violent acts on behalf of the gang. gang's illegal operations.

relayed gang-related messages, controlled illicit monies, and assisted drug trafficking activities.

A second person found guilty last year by a federal jury – Jose described Sanchez as having "consistently led a life of crime." Sanchez, also known as "Trouble" and "Troll," 41, of Huntington Park - was sentenced last month to 238 months in federal prison. Sanchez, a longtime F13 member, was sentenced on April 17 for his role in the gang's racketeering activities, as well as related drug trafficking and firearm offenses.

Casado and Sanchez were sentenced by United States District Judge Beverly Reid O'Connell, who presided over a four-week trial that culminated last July with a jury returning guilty verdicts on charges of conspiracy to violate the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) Act and conspiracy to distribute narcotics.



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last year have each been sentenced to over a decade in federal prison. of the illegal gambling establishments run by the gang.

The evidence presented at trial showed that Sanchez was one of

Sanchez served as armed security to protect illegal narcotics sales The evidence presented at last year's trial showed that Casado at several casitas. He also sold drugs both at the casitas and from his residence in Huntington Park.

When she sentenced Sanchez last month, Judge O'Connell

The jury that convicted Casado and Sanchez also returned guilty verdicts against two other F13 members who were charged in a federal racketeering indictment in August 2013.

The indictment named 30 members and associates of the F13

Sanchez also was found guilty of possessing a firearm in furtherance Gang. With the four convictions last summer, a total of 25 defendants have been convicted in the case (one charged defendant died, and the other four remain fugitives).

> The other two defendants found guilty at trial last summer are scheduled to be sentenced by Judge O'Connell on June 5. Jose Dorado, 35, and Tannous Fazah, 27, both of Huntington Park, were also found guilty of the RICO and drug trafficking conspiracies, with the latter offense based on F13's street sales of illegal narcotics and smuggling of drugs into the Los Angeles County jail system.

> During the trial, prosecutors argued that Dorado and Fazah were also "soldiers" who, among other things, participated in the murder of a junior member of the F13 Gang. At sentencing, Dorado and Fazah are each facing a maximum sentence of life without parole in federal

Norwalk debates whether to adopt one-year or two-year budget

NORWALK - Despite a lengthy presentation by staff and deep discussion, Norwalk City Council still seems at odds over how to service at 21%. proceed with its future budget plan.

City staff presented the council with several options and a potential deliberated on whether to keep the currently existing budget format state mandates that could affect the second year plan. or make a change.

anticipated revenues and detailed appropriations for two years is estimates. approved and adopted at the same time.

Norwalk adopted this format for the 2015-17 budget cycle.

However, City Council is now considering a change in approach by adopting either a "rolling" two-year budget cycle or by switching back to an annual budget period.

A rolling budget cycle is similar to the classic format in that anticipated revenues and the appropriations of those resources for two years are examined, however the spending plan is approved a list of department requests that had not been included. individually.

second year's budget would be tentatively approved.

The budget overview presented to the Council included a twoyear spending plan, which projected \$130.48 million for fiscal year 2017-18 and \$97.92 million for fiscal year 2018-19. This included several increases in personnel cost and operating costs, one-time expenditures, and capital projects.

total new appropriations in year one and two, respectively.

Salaries and benefits take up 42% of expenditures, followed by the Alex Dominguez, staff writer Sherriff's contract at 22% and contract services at 11%.

Public safety takes up 33% of operations, followed by public

Interestingly, the council's two most seasoned members – Mayor Luigi Vernola and Vice-Mayor Leonard Shryock – seemed to prefer an budget plan during a special meeting on Tuesday, as each member annual budget over the two-year plan, with Vernola wary of potential

Shryock also seemed to suggest that he cannot truly pay attention Norwalk currently follows a classic two-year budget cycle, in which to year two numbers, based on their reliance on projections and

> The council's three newest members seemed to be a little more open to all possibilities.

> Councilmember Jennifer Perez even took a moment to ask for the input of each department director, many of which stated the benefits of a two-year plan.

> Things only became more complicated, however, as council almost began to pick apart the plan without a clear direction, sorting through

In what appeared like a last ditch effort, Shryock made a motion The first year's budget would be formally adopted, while the to move to a one year budget cycle, however was unable to garner a

> Seemingly frustrated and potentially fatigued from the three and a half hour meeting, Shryock withdrew his motion to allow his fellow council members to receive more information, yet maintaining his stance and intention to vote for a single year budget.

Unwilling to make a decision at that time, the council agreed to The overview also gave a total of \$95,736,288 and \$97,915,547 in convene within the next several weeks to discuss their options further. They have until June 30 to adopt a budget plan.



Former mob boss to give keynote address at prayer breakfast

DOWNEY – Former mafia his peak generated an estimated Center. Admission is \$20. \$8 million per week through illicit business dealings, will be the keynote speaker at the Mayor's Prayer Breakfast on Saturday,

boss Michael Franzese, who at a.m. at the Rio Hondo Event by Vanity Fair one of the biggest

A member of the Colombo crime family, Franzese made a fortune selling bootleg gasoline No. 18 on its list of the "Fifty and other crime ventures. In

The breakfast begins at 7:30 1986, at age 35, he was named money-earners the mob had seen since Al Capone.

> Fortune Magazine listed him Wealthiest and Powerful Mafia

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services and the sports and entertainment industries, to a



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He now travels the country as an inspirational speaker.

Not surprisingly, Franzese quickly became the target of Manhattan's famed federal prosecutor, Rudolph Guiliani. Facing 100 years behind bars after an indictment on federal

racketeering charges, Franzese pleaded guilty to two counts, reducing his sentence to 10 years in prison and \$14 million in restitution payments.

Franzese denounced the crime lifestyle while in prison and became a devout Christian.

He remains the only person of his rank to ever walk away from the mob without protective custody and live.

His latest book, I'll Make You An Offer You Can't Refuse, was recently released by Thomas Nelson, and contains insider business tips from the former mob boss.

DOWNEY FAMILY YMCA

Memorial Day: It's not just another long weekend

By Mario A. Guerra

It's a part of our law and history books - Memorial Day, or Decoration Day as it was mostly known in the past, was to become an act of the 1968 Congress (36 U.S. Code § 116 - Memorial Day) so that "in a symbolic act of unity, to observe a National Moment of Remembrance to honor the men and women of the United States who died in the pursuit of freedom and peace," and "the people may unite in prayer for a permanent peace."

Our nation's history has been one of evolution and revolution in term of the pursuit of freedom and self-government and many of our citizens have fought to preserve and extend those freedoms, some at the ultimate cost.

At the end of each May, Americans have gathered to celebrate and honor our service men and women who have bravely sacrificed, but the importance and significance of the last Monday in May often gets mired in the commercials and sales advertisements or calls to invite friends over for a barbeque without a thought behind the meaning of the day.

For others, it means gathering in their local cities and towns in a memorial park or other civic area paying homage to our fallen brothers and sisters. It's meant to be a day of communities coming together for a common purpose and to reflect – it's America's second greatest celebration of freedom provided to us by our to our communities. military heroes.

greater than the near half million in the Civil War (498,332 perished), which was the genesis for the creation of Memorial Day. America's the world that Democracy will endure.

excellence is due to the valor of our soldiers who serve as our nation's warriors and peace keepers.

And that's why this day is so important to all of us, to pay a welldeserved tribute to those brave Americans who made the ultimate sacrifice in defense of our great nation, who ensured for us the freedoms that we now enjoy.

As Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army, I have seen firsthand the sacrifice our military men and women, and their families, make to protect our freedom and our nation. There is no one more deserving of our respect and recognition.

This Memorial Day please take a moment to pray for our American heroes, for those that perished and the 1.3 million serving across the globe today and every day. We can do this in so many simple, yet meaningful ways - visit memorials or cemeteries and place flags or flowers on the graves of those fallen service members; fly the U.S. flag at half-staff until 12 noon; we can collectively participate in a national moment of remembrance to voluntarily and informally pledge to help those widows and widowers, parents, and children of the fallen.

inspired by your resilience and grateful for your continued service and served, by keeping their memory alive.

We must, as Americans, remind ourselves that the patriotic acts As a nation, we have lost over a million souls to battle, none of these individuals continually provides us with the ability to carry on our nation's traditions and values, bringing hope to the rest of

Theirs is a legacy nearly two-and-a-half centuries old. Whenever freedom is threatened, gallant men and women of America risked and gave their lives in the service to our country. We celebrate Memorial Day because generations of brave and courageous warriors have dedicated themselves to the defense of the United States. It is what has always made America the beacon of hope and freedom that we are.

In closing, I would like to end with the challenge then-President Reagan gave to all Americans on behalf of those we have lost, when he spoke at Arlington National Cemetery on Memorial Day, 1982.

"Our first obligation to them and ourselves is plain enough. The United States and the freedom for which it stands, the freedom for which they died, must endure and prosper. Their lives remind us that freedom is not bought cheaply. It has cost: it imposes a burden. And just as they whom we commemorate were willing to sacrifice, so too must we-in a less heroic way-be willing to give of ourselves".

"If words cannot repay the debt we owe these men and women, pause at 3 p.m. local time to reflect and remember. And we can surely with our actions we must strive to keep faith with them and with the vision that led them to battle and to final sacrifice".

I hope we can each live up to President Reagan's challenge, and To our Gold Star families - we are humbled by your sacrifice, through our own action, keep faith with all those who have fought

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How to talk in a divided country

By Lee H. Hamilton

I've had a number of conversations recently that convince me our country is divided into two political camps separated by a deep and uncomfortably wide gap. No, I'm not talking about liberals and conservatives, or pro- and anti-Trump voters. I'm talking about who don't.

I've found this latter view expressed most frequently among young people. In lecture halls and in informal conversations, I've spent some uncomfortable hours serving as a human pincushion for their pointed barbs about the system they've grown up in.

Many are uninterested in politics. They do not see politics as a worthy pursuit or even as an honorable vocation. They doubt our political institutions can be made to work, are suspicious of elected officials in general, and don't believe that our democratic institutions are capable either of solving the problems faced by the country or of helping them as individuals.

political story. They're disheartened by political polarization, by the disagreements that are hard to resolve, with merit on both sides. dominant and excessive role of money in the process, and by the seemingly impregnable influence of special interests on the course of policy. They struggle with their own problems, especially the debt they'll confront when they get out of school — and believe that they'll get no help from government.

Indeed, they're convinced that people in power place their

them express real contempt for politicians. They certainly don't see about their business intelligently, quietly, and competently — and politics as an uplifting pursuit; I hear the word "messy" a lot, not who get good things done. as an objectively descriptive term, but as an expression of ethical

people who believe in politics and our political system, and people in our groaning system, and the descriptions they give have much

Yet I still consider politics a worthy profession. It can be pursued in a manner that deserves respect, even admiration. I've known a lot engagement with the problems we confront. If they want to improve of good people in politics, men and women who are in it for all the right reasons, take pride in pursuing a political career, and embrace it as the best route available for solving our common problems.

In fact, I think people who reject the political system often underestimate its accomplishments. We are a strong, prosperous, and free nation because of — not in spite of — our system and the politicians who have come before us.

Sure, politics is "messy," but not because it's tainted or They find reason to be discouraged every time they tap into a morally bankrupt. It's messy because it often reflects deep-seated

> Politics is rarely a struggle between good and evil; it's how we Americans try to make the country work better. It's our opportunity to help our neighbors, to give us better schools and hospitals and highways, to make our communities safer and more orderly. It's a means of resolving our differences through dialogue and compromise, rather than through ideological battle or pitched - which is why so many of $\,$ warfare. If you pay attention, you'll see a lot of politicians who

So I find myself wondering how those of my persuasion might win these young people over. Discourse matters, obviously. Tolerance of They have a point. There are many reasons for disappointment others' views does, too. And I consider the 240 years of our history, despite all the obvious blemishes, to make a pretty good case for the political system's accomplishments.

> Above all, though, we have to encourage young people's things, they really have no alternative. Getting involved is the only way to see how tough these issues are and how much work goes into even incremental progress. We live in a complicated country and there are a lot of disappointments inherent in trying to make change. But it's the only way we've got.

> Those of us who believe in the system must shoulder the burden of persuasion — and I'm worried about what happens if we don't meet it. If we lose the argument and the next generation turns away, we face dangers and risks — chaos, authoritarianism — that are far worse than what we face now.

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The forgotten slaughters of the innocent

By Michelle Malkin

For now, everyone knows the sonorous name and cherubic face of 8-year-old Saffie Rose Roussos.

She's the littlest known victim of Monday night's jihad attack in Manchester, England. Her doe-eyed image spread as rapidly across years? How quickly the blind, deaf and dumb virtue signalers forget. social media as the #PrayForManchester hashtags and Twitter condolences from celebrities.

But I guarantee you that beautiful Saffie Rose will evaporate from the memories of those most loudly proclaiming "Never forget" faster than a dewdrop in the desert.

Look no further for proof of the West's incurable terror attack amnesia than the reaction to the Manchester massacre. Reporters, politicians and pundits expressed shock at the brutality of Muslim murderers targeting children and young people.

Labour Party leader Yvette Cooper posited on BBC Live that it was a "first."

"The architects of terror have hit a new low," a Liverpool

newspaper editorialized.

U.K. columnist Rosie Millard described the bloody bombing as an "attack unique in its premeditated targeting of the young."

What planet have these people been living on for the past 16

Last year, the Orlando, Florida, nightclub jihadist purposely targeted young people simply having a good time. Among the youngest victims cut down in their prime: Jason B. Josaphat, 19, and vacationing high school honors student Akyra Monet Murray, 18.

Somali jihadist Abdul Razak Ali Artan plowed his car into Ohio State University students last fall before stabbing several of them. The attack was swept under the rug as the usual, terror-coddling suspects worried more about a nonexistent "backlash" against Muslims than they did about the steady infiltration of refugee jihadis and Islamic extremists at colleges and universities across the country.

In 2004, Islamic baby-killers attacked a school in Beslan, Russia, during a three-day siege that took the lives of 186 young children.

At Fort Hood in 2009, soldier Francheska Velez and her unborn child were murdered by jihadist Nidal Hasan with 13 other victims. Her last words: "My baby! My baby!"

Eight children were murdered on airliners that jihadists hijacked and crashed on Sept. 11, 2001.

parents. She was on her first trip to Disneyland. Juliana McCourt, 4, was traveling with her mom -- also on her way to Disneyland. David Brandhorst, 3, was traveling with his adoptive dad and his companion.

Sisters Zoe Falkenberg, 8, and Dana, 3, were headed to Australia with their parents on American Airlines Flight 77.

Bernard Brown Jr., 11; Rodney Dickens, 11; and Asia Cottom, 11, all from Washington, D.C., were also on the Falkenbergs' flight. They were public schoolchildren traveling with their teachers on an educational trip.

An additional 10 pregnant women and their unborn babies died as the Twin Towers toppled. Eight years before, during the 1993 World Trade Center bombing, one pregnant woman and her unborn child also perished.

The Boston Marathon bombing of 2013 injured 263 and claimed three lives, including 8-year-old Martin Richard. Authorities recounted at trial that Martin suffered "visceral pain" in nearly every part of his body as shrapnel -- metal, wood, nails and pellets -- from the jihadists' pressure cooker bomb ripped into him.

Yes, the same type of sadistic torture bombs suspected of maiming and killing kids and teens in Manchester this week.

Newsflash: There is nothing new or unique about the barbaric soldiers of Allah executing premeditated attacks on our young. History teaches us there is no appeasing the unappeasable. They will not be bought by welfare subsidies, sensitivity programs, college educations or diversity-is-our-strength platitudes.

The slaughter of the innocents will continue unabated as long Christine Hanson, 3, was on United Airlines Flight 175 with her as the West's useless last responders to jihad violence -- addled by short-term memories and child-like comprehension of the Islamic imperialism imperative -- prevail.

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Linda Sanchez: Trump's budget disasterous

"The budget proposal released by the White House would lead to the death of the middle class by a thousand cuts.

"The Trump plan makes massive cuts to vital programs such as Medicaid, Social Security Disability Insurance, and even Meals on Wheels. These are programs that millions of Americans rely on every day. It also makes it harder for hard working Americans to get ahead by slashing investments in job training, college affordability, and clean energy innovation.

"These draconian cuts are made in name of deficit reduction. However, the fatal flaw in the Trump budget is its reliance on unrealistic economic growth assumptions. It continues perpetuating

the myth of trickledown economics.

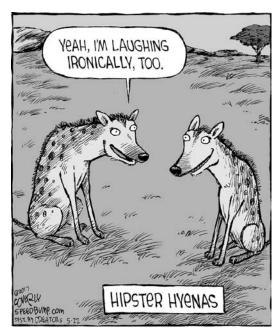
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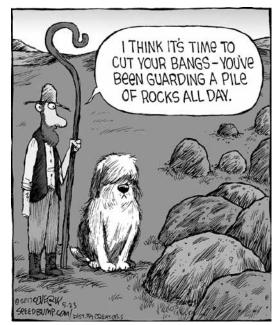
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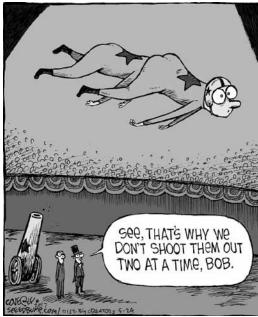
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On This Day...

May 25, 1935: Baseball Hall of Famer Babe Ruth hit the 714th and final home run of his career.

1968: The Gateway Arch in St. Louis was dedicated.

1977: The science-fiction movie "Star Wars" was released.

1986: An estimated 7 million people participated in "Hands Across America," forming a line across the country to raise money for the nation's hungry and homeless.

1992: Jay Leno debuted as host of NBC's "Tonight Show," succeeding Johnny Carson.

Downey Community Calendar

CITY MEETINGS

1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6:30pm: Planning Commission, Council Chamber at City Hall. 1st Tue., 4:00pm.: Recreation and Community Services Commission, Council Chamber, City Hall. 1st Tue., 6:00pm: Emergency Preparedness Committee, at Fire Station No. 1, 12222 Paramount Blvd. 2nd & 4th Tue., 6:30pm: City Council, Council Chamber.

3rd Tue., 6:30pm: Library Advisory Board, at Downey City Library.

4th Mon., 5 pm: Green Task Force, at City Hall.

Regularly Scheduled Meetings

MONDAYS

7 pm: Boy Scout Troop 2, at Downey United Methodist Church, call 869-6478. 2nd Mon., 11 am: American Legion Auxiliary #270, at United Methodist Church, call 304-3439. 3rd Mon., 11:30 am: Downey Newcomers Club, call Barbara 869-1044.

4th Mon., 7:30 pm: Downey Numismatists, at Downey Retirement Center, call 862-6666.

TUESDAYS

9:30 am: Downey Seniors Club, at Apollo Park, call Irene Vallini at 328-7039.

10 am: Downey Bocce Club, at 7850 Quill Drive, call John Fiorenza at 652-4399. 12 pm: Rotary Club, at Rio Hondo Events Center, call Russell Skersick 929-3710.

6 pm: Toastmasters Club 587, at First Baptist Church, contact Salvador Cervantes: tmsalcpuede@gmail.com.

7 pm: Downey Knights of Columbus Bingo, at 11231 Rives Ave., call 923-1932.

7 pm: Healing Room and Prayer, at Desert Reign Church 11610 Lakewood Blvd, call 861-6011. 7:30 pm: Downey Master Chorale, at Cornerstone Church, contact info@downeymasterchorale.org.

1st Tues., 7:30 am: Gangs Out of Downey, at City Hall training room.

2nd Tues., 3:30 pm: Keep Downey Beautiful, at City Hall, call 905-7103.

2nd and 4th Tues., 6 pm: Sertoma Club, at Rio Hondo Event Center, call 927-6438.

2nd Tues., 6 pm: Downey Fly Fishers, at Apollo Park, call 425-7936.

3rd Tues., 6:30 pm: Community Emergency Response Team meeting, Fire station 1, 12222 Paramount.

3rd Tues., 6 pm: American Legion #270, at Sizzler Restaurant, call 544-0372.

Tues., Thurs. & Sat., 10 am: Downey Bocce Club, at 7850 Quill Drive, call John Fiorenza 652-4399

WEDNESDAYS

7 am: Kiwanis Club, at Rio Hondo Events Center, call Steve Roberson at 927-2626.

1 pm: Women's Bocce Club, at 7850 Quill Drive, call Marie Puch at 869-4366.

7 pm: Out Post 132 Royal Rangers, at Desert Reign Church, call 928-8000.

1st Wed., 11 am: Woman's Club of Downey, call Cheryll Olson 833-8954.

1st Wed., 11:30 am: Downey Coordinating Council, Community Center, call Bobbi Bruce 440-5416.

1st Wed., 7:30 pm: Downey Stamp Club, at Maude Price School cafeteria, call 928-3028.

2nd Wed., 11:30 am: Christian Women's Club, at Los Amigos Country Club, call Helen 864-7319.

2nd Wed., 7:30 pm: Downey Model A Club, at Gallatin School Cafeteria, call 928-4132. 3rd Wed.,: Downey Dog Obedience Club, for information please call Gina 869-5213 or Valerie 420-2972.

3rd Wed., 10 am: Los Angeles County Quilters Guild, at Women's Club, call (310) 604-0725.

3rd Wed., 10 am: OLPH Women's Guild, at OLPH School Auditorium, contact Paula Mayfield, (562) 923-3518. 3rd Wed., 6 pm: American Business Women's Association, Rio Hondo Country Club, call Barbara 863-2192.

4th Wed., 12:00 pm: Retired Federal Employees, at Barbara J Riley Center, call 943-5513. 4th Wed., 7:30 pm: US Coast Guard Aux. Flotilla 5-10, First Presbyterian Church, call Brian 419-5420.

Wed.& Fri., 10:15 am: Senior Bingo, at Apollo Park, call 904-7223

7:30 am: Connections Networking, at Bob's Big Boy, for info., call Nick Smith, 861-5222.

7:30 am.: Soroptimist Int'l of Downey, for information, call Mia Vasquez, 806-3217. 9:30 am: Take off Pounds Sensibly, at Barabara Riley Senior Center, call (800) 932-8677.

12 pm: Kiwanis Club of Downey, at Rio Hondo Events Center, call Roy Jimenez 923-0971.

12 pm: Optimist Club of Downey, at Rio Hondo Events Center.

6:30 pm: Downey United Masonic Lodge # 220, 8244 3rd St., call 862-4176.

7 pm: Troop 351, Boy Scouts of America, at First Baptist Church, call 776-3388.

1st Thurs., 12:00 pm: Downey Christian & Professional Luncheon, Sizzler's Restaurant, call James 310-1335. 1st Thurs., 7:30 pm.: The Downey Amateur Radio Club, at First Baptist Church room 120.

2nd Thurs., 7:30 pm: Beaming Rebel Foxes Collectors Club, call Carl D. Jones at 923-2400.

2nd & 4th Thurs., 6 pm: Lions Club, at Coco's, call Lenora (310) 283-9825.

3rd Thurs., 4 pm: Public Works Committee, at City Hall Training Room. 3rd Thurs., 6 pm: Downey CIPAC, at Sizzler's Restaurant, call Rich Tuttle 413-6045.

4th Thurs., 10 am: Assistance League, at Casa De Parley Johnson, call 869-0232.

4th Thurs., 7:30 pm: Downey Historical Society programs, at Community Center, call 862-2777.

7:30 am: Pro Networkers, at Mimi's Cafe, call Barbara Briley Beard at 869-7618. 3rd Fri., 8:30 am: Women's "In His Glory" Ministry at Los Amigos C. C. 622-3785.

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Health/Wellness

Paging Dr. Frischer...

By Dr. Alan Frischer

A young woman recently saw me for a physical. While reviewing her immunizations, I asked her when her last tetanus vaccination



was. She answered with a blank stare. This lack of awareness is due to the incredible success of vaccination efforts in the United States. The incidence of tetanus has been reduced dramatically, although it is far more common in other countries.

Tetanus is a life-threatening but preventable disease caused by the toxin of Clostridium tetani. This common bacterium is found in soil, dust. and animal feces. Tetanus has been documented

at least as far back as the fifth century. In 1889, the tetanus toxin was first isolated from a human. The first vaccine was finally developed in 1924, and was used during World War II.

In the United States, reported tetanus cases since 1947 have declined by 95%, and deaths by 99%. From 2001 through 2008 there were only 233 cases of tetanus, in total! Overall, tetanus has about a 13% fatality rate. Those with diabetes, or those who abuse IV drugs

are at a higher risk.

What does the disease look like? Often referred to as lockjaw, it causes a painful tightening of the muscles and stiffness of the jaw, neck and abdomen. It can lead to the jaw "locking" (trismus) so that it's difficult to open the mouth or to swallow. There may be body spasms that last for several minutes, seizures, fevers, sweating, elevated blood pressure, and a rapid heart rate. Doctors diagnose tetanus by examining the patient and looking for its signs and symptoms. There are no hospital lab tests to diagnose it. Symptoms can appear anytime from a few days to several weeks after the bacteria enter the body.

How do we get tetanus? We've all heard that stepping on a rusty nail can cause it. But it is also caused when the bacteria penetrate through any open wound, including a puncture, gunshot, compound fracture, burn, surgery, injection drug use, animal or insect bite, body piercing, infected foot ulcer, dental infection, or any other break in

Who should get a tetanus booster? Babies receive the TDaP (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) vaccine in a series of five doses between the ages of two months and four-six years. At around 11 or 12, a child should get a booster. After that, a Td (tetanus and diphtheria) booster is recommended every 10 years. If you are an adult and were not vaccinated as a child, you will likely start with a three-vaccine series of Td (or TDaP

if needed). If you have never been vaccinated and you suffer a wound, you would want to have the tetanus vaccine administered within 48 hours. Adults who will be spending time with infants under the age of one may need the TDaP vaccine as a one-time booster. This is for the benefit of the younger, more at-risk population. If you plan to travel internationally, particularly to a developing country where tetanus might be common, you should ensure that your immunity is current.

Who should *not* get the vaccine? Those who have had a lifethreatening or allergic reaction to it, or are moderately or severely ill should not get the tetanus vaccine. Those with a neurologic disease like epilepsy, who have had Guillain-Barre Syndrome, or are pregnant, should consult with their doctor first.

The number of tetanus cases reported each year continues to decline, but tetanus remains a very rare but life-threatening disease in the United States. Be sure to stay up to date with your Td vaccination; especially if you are 65 or older, or suffer from a chronic disease.

Dr. Alan Frischer is former chief of staff and former chief of medicine at Downey Regional Medical Center. Write to him in care of this newspaper at 8301 E. Florence Ave., Suite 100, Downey, CA 90240.

Alternative Medicine: Why we meditate

By Marcela Arrieta

Meditation is a form of prayer. Universal and encompassing of people from multiple religious beliefs. It promotes optimal wellness in all areas of life. Study-after-study it has been recorded that mediation

aids with the reduction of stress, improved focus, lower blood pressure and an overall well-being of body, emotions, mind and spirit. So why are these benefits achieved at a greater pace than with prayer? There is one differentiating factor which we'll speak of next.

The majority of religious institutions if not all classify prayer as a form of conveying our physical, emotional, mental and spiritual needs to a greater force, creator, God, universe etc. Usually characterized as a one-way stream of

communication. I was brought up catholic and after prayer we'd say, "it's in the God's hands now". Then, we'd go about our daily routine. Thinking very little of what we asked God for nonetheless doing anything to make our requests a reality.

With meditation a two-way form of communication is applied. The first factor is incorporating prayer, which is communicating our needs and wants. The second factor is holding a space of awareness during your meditation. During this heightened state of awareness we're able to perceive an immediate response to the prayer(s). This response is what I like to call the guru within us. All of the answers and solutions to my prayers are one meditation session away! Awakening from meditation I usually have a clear view of what needs to be done in order to achieve the results I've prayed for.

When I first began to meditate several years ago it took some

practice to achieve a state of stillness and prolonged awareness. The center - known as the heart chakra. Move that awareness upwards to the second challenge was training the mind and all my senses to register and validate those signals coming from above. The human body has a fairly primitive mind whose only purpose is to survive. It doesn't yet understand or register higher frequencies generated through meditation. This is why constant practice in meditation will train the mind working to register these frequencies.

I've learned that religion is exclusive, but spirituality is inclusive. I've meditated among Muslims, Hindus, Buddhists, Catholics and Christians to name a few. We come together as One human race with the ultimate goal of becoming a better person, achieving an overall state of wellness that benefits every person, being and earth.

Regardless of your chosen belief structure anyone can learn to meditate. There are many forms of it but personally I've found that sitting in a quiet and clean space definitely amplified the results. There is a wonderful meditation workshop offered at Downey Yoga. It's wonderful for all levels of meditation practice.

Here's a little exercise to get you started:

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Find that quiet and clean space. Preferably sit up with your spine straight, but you can also lay down. Put your hands on your knees with the palms facing up if your sitting. If laying down place your arms to your side. Gently inhale and exhale as you put your awareness on your heart

Don't just reach for the pill bottle

top of your head - crown chakra.

At this moment convey your prayer (wants and needs). Continue to focus on your breathing and the heart and crown chakras. Silently ask to be shown how to accomplish these wants and needs. Allow these images to simply come through. Each time silently asking to be shown more until you have the answer(s) you seek.

All you have to do to train the mind and senses each time you meditate is silently say, "thank you" after every response you receive regarding your questions. That simple!

Have a question regarding this article or maybe you'd like to suggest a topic? Write to me at: m_arrieta@yahoo.com. Next article we will talk

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Legislation would classify Rancho hospital as 'innovation center'

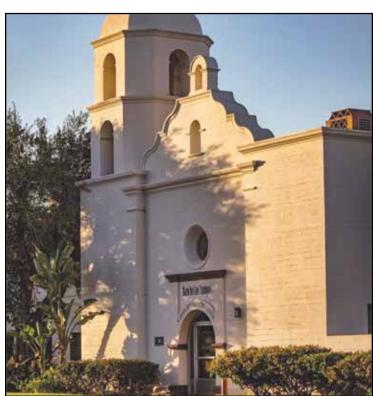


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medical services.

families who could not afford

care to approximately 4,000

inpatients and 71,000 outpatients

annually, making it one of the

largest rehabilitation centers in

the nation," said Garcia. "At a

time when healthcare for working

Americans is in a perilous position,

85% of this center's patients are

on MediCal and it's the only public

rehabilitation facility in Southern

California even though it's one of

the most premiere facilities in the

hospital in Los Angeles County's

Department of Health Services,

the center serves a unique and

As the only rehabilitation

"Rancho Los Amigos provides

DOWNEY – A bill to designate founded in 1888 to serve farming Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitant Center as 'rehabilitation innovation center' advanced in the State Assembly with a 14-1 vote last week.

Assembly Bill 1411, by Assemblywoman Cristina Garcia (D-Bell Gardens), was brought forward by constituents during the assemblywoman's annual 'There Ought to be a Law' contest, which was won with this proposal.

The Rehabilitation Innovation Center designation recognizes inpatient rehabilitation research center that has particular expertise in treating patients with the most complex rehabilitation

Located in Downey, it was first

approximately 4,000 inpatients and 71,000 outpatients, making it one of the largest rehabilitation centers in the nation.

"This legislation recognizes the few rehabilitation centers, like Rancho Los Amigos, that have a higher calling to treat the most complex patients, provide access to the most vulnerable, and contribute to advancing the science of rehabilitation," said Jorge Orozco, Chief Executive Officer at Rancho Los Amigos.

rehabilitation and reintegration.

brain, neurology, orthopedic,

pediatric, spine injury, and

stroke rehabilitation. Each year,

the hospital provides care to

hospital specializes in

A video of just one of the innovative treatments the center has created can be found at TheDowneyPatriot.com. In it, nodes connected directly to a paraplegic man's brain control a robotic arm enabling him to drink a beer for the first time by himself since his accident.

"Their innovative care and ability to heal thousands of people every year not only provide a beacon of hope for patients in need but they're also a fantastic example of the services and advancements burgeoning in this region," added Garcia. "The work Rancho Los Amigos does is amazing—just watch the video! The potential partnerships to advance care and innovation in rehabilitation treatments are endless and start-ups should take note and visit this jewel in my district soon."

The bill will next be heard in Assembly Appropriations.

SCHOLARSHIPS



The Greater Downey Association of Realtors awarded eight graduating students each with \$1,000 scholarships. DAOR sponsored five of the scholarships and the remaining three were sponsored form local real estate brokerages.

Pictured left to right: Richard Estrada from Century 21 Allstars, Noel Quintero- Warren High School scholarship sponsored by Broker Mario Espinoza; Jackie Funk from Century 21 Jervis & Associates; Nathan R Deo- Warren High School; Jennifer Talavera- Downey High School scholarship sponsored by Century 21 Jervis & Associates; Nathalie Treminio- Warren High School scholarship sponsored by Century 21 Allstars; Andrew Bilodeau- Downey High School; Saira Gomez- Warren High School; Hannah Sanders- Warren High School; DAOR Chairperson Natalie Romo; Robert Casteneda Jr- Downey High School; and DAOR **President Mario Acevedo**



Jim and Lorraine took the Downey Patriot with them on an 18-day trip to Cambodia and Vietnam with a week on the Makong River.

This picture was taken while visiting the Angkor Wat ruins in Cambodia.

Cerritos exhibit pays tribute to musical theatre

CERRITOS - The Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts' (CCPA) Broadway Performance Partner, the award-winning 3-D Theatricals, presents an exhibition paying tribute to musical theater productions based on books and stories at the Cerritos Library throughout May and June.

The library display features costumes, props and set pieces from Stephen Sondheim's "Into the Woods," Disney's "Tarzan," "Seussical, the Musical!," "Hello Dolly!," "Once on This Island," "Monty Python's Spamalot" and Disney's "Beauty and the Beast." The recipient of several Ovation awards and L.A. Drama Critics Circle Award nominations, 3-D Theatricals has built a reputation for producing Broadway-caliber

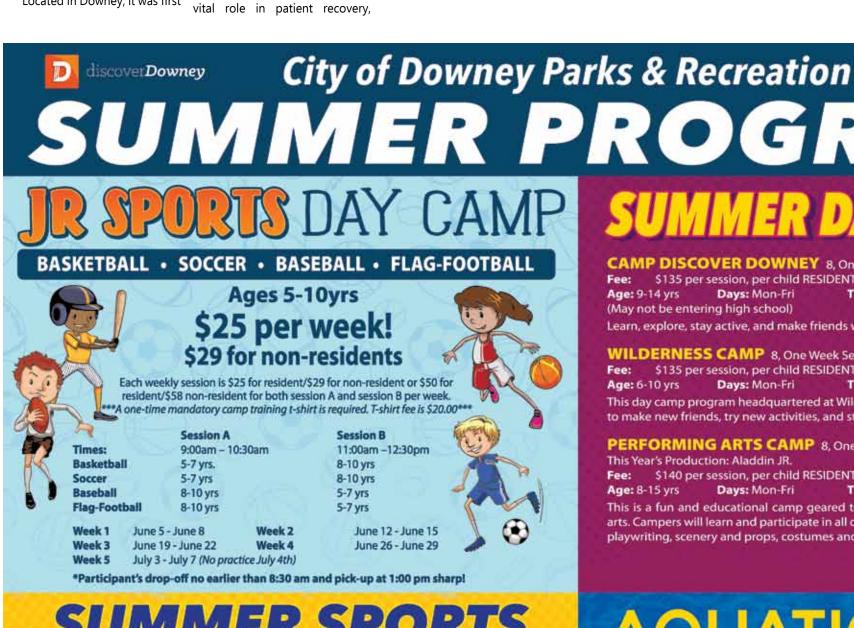
Cerritos Mayor Grace Hu said, "The City of Cerritos thanks

3-D Theatricals for sharing company's wonderful collection for the Cerritos Library exhibition. I encourage members of our community to enjoy this delightful display."

3-D Theatricals presents Rodgers & Hammerstein's "Oklahoma!" at the CCPA on Friday, June 30 and July 7 at 8 p.m.; Saturday, July 1 and 8 at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; Sunday, July 2 and 9 at 2 p.m.; and Thursday, July 6 at 7:30 p.m.

"Month Python's Spamalot" comes to the CCPA on Friday, August 18 and 25 at 8 p.m.; Saturday, August 19 and 26 at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; Sunday, August 20 and 27 at 2 p.m.; and Thursday, August 24 at 7:30 p.m.

For more information about the performances or to purchase tickets to the shows, call (562) 916-8500 or visit cerritoscenter.



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This day camp program headquartered at Wilderness Park offers children an opportunity to make new friends, try new activities, and stay active.

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This Year's Production: Aladdin JR.

Fee: \$140 per session, per child RESIDENT/\$144 per session, per child NON-RESIDENT Days: Mon-Fri Time: 7:00am-6:00pm Age: 8-15 yrs

This is a fun and educational camp geared toward children interested in the theatrical arts. Campers will learn and participate in all of the best areas of theatre including acting, playwriting, scenery and props, costumes and makeup.

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Time: 7:00 - 9:00pm

The entire family is invited to spend a warm summer evening at the Downey Community Aquatic Center. Special activities and contests in the pool and on the pool deck. Snack Bar items will be on sale.

Dining/Entertainment

Shared Stories: The House on New Jersey Street

In an era without cellphones, Yolanda Adele knew how to keep herself occupied when there was no one around to play with. Shared Stories is a weekly column featuring articles by participants in a writing class at the Norwalk Senior Center. Bonnie Mansell is the instructor for this free class offered through the Cerritos College Adult Education Program. Curated by Carol Kearns.

By Yolanda Adele

In my preteen years, I lived with my mother in a small, rented "Arts and Crafts" style house in the East Los Angeles Boyle Heights district. Its design was influenced by the renowned architect Frank Lloyd Wright.

The front porch was spacious. I'd often sit out there on the full-size divan and greet our neighbors as they walked past our house after they got off the street car at the corner of our block, carrying their metal lunchboxes.

There was only one bedroom, which I occupied. It had a screenless window that looked out into our Gypsy neighbor's drive-way which supplied me with many interesting views of their colorful life-style, but that's another story.

My mother used the dining room as her bedroom. It had a built-in mahogany buffet table next to her bed. The kitchen had a built-in ironing board and a walk-in pantry.

The backdoor led into a screened porch that served as separate entrance for boarders who rented the upstairs area that had been converted into six bachelor flats - one-room furnished apartments.

Whenever a room was not rented, I'd love to let myself in with my Shirley Temple doll, movie magazines, chalk-like candied cigarettes, vinyl records, and portable record player in tow. I'd quickly pull down the Murphy bed and get Shirley cozy in it. Next thing to do was plug in my record player - and my imagination.

To anyone peering in, it might seem like a dingy room with a lonely child in it, but they'd be mistaken. Within those four walls I was in control of my environment, my Magical ("tinsel") Kingdom where I was the reigning starlet.

The sparsely furnished room was transformed into a mansion, not unlike Tara. The essence of Miss Scarlett O'Hara loomed among the icons

from the silver screen. I'd often see the likes of Clark Gable, Charles Boyer, often broke the magic. Shirley usually cried for an ice -cream sandwich. Robert Taylor, or Cary Grant looking back at me from the oval mirror above I'd quickly pick her up and yell over my shoulder as I ran out the door, the dresser.

I'd coyly raise my imagined Waterford Crystal champagne glass in a mock toast before returning my attention to the girls, Bette Davis, Susan Hayworth, Rita Hayworth, and Lana Turner. They were beautiful and sassy in their own, signature way.

Of course, all of us girls smoked cigarettes, but none quite like Bette.

She could blow different sized smoke rings that hovered over the guests like halos, or demons. Whenever Bette spoke passionately, she'd wave her cigarette holder like a wand to punctuate her point of view.

The most thrilling scenes were watching Bette motion to Paul Henreid from across the crowded, star-studded room when she wanted "a light," and he'd gallantly rush to her.

From his inside jacket pocket he took out a solid-gold cigarette case engraved with his initials, a gift from her. He removed a cigarette for himself, put it to his mouth, and slid the case back into his pocket, never taking his eyes off of hers.

He took her cigarette, put it to his moist, warm lips and lit their cigarettes simultaneously; after which he handed one to Bette as their eyes locked. In that smoldering, charged moment, I held my breath before exhaling the smoke from my candied Lucky Strike cigarette.

Big orchestra music from my small record player filled the room with

by Irving Berlin's Let's Face the Music and Dance. And dance they did. The room glowed with the bevy of brightly colored gowns the star-divas twirled in. Luscious, sweet floral fragrances from their

the sounds of Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue and Embraceable you, followed

perfumes mingled and permeated the atmosphere. Alas, the chime from the Good Humor truck coming down the street

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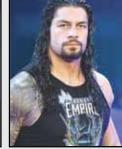
"Darlings, you all go home to Hollywood now, the party is over."

I always returned to clean up after my illustrious parties. I'd put back the Murphy bed and gather my belongings. All the while I'd plan the guest list in my head for the next gala event, knowing that there would always be enough room for my imagination, and the cast of hundreds, even if we had to move the party down the hall to another vacant apartment.

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SPORTS: Bears volleyball season ends at San Marcos

By Mark Fetter Contributor

The Warren High School boys' volleyball team finished their season with an overall record of 14-7 and a S.G.V.L. record of 9-1. The Bears were defeated by San Marcos of Santa Barbara in the C.I.F. Division Three playoffs in three sets on 5/9 by the score(s) of 25-23, 25-22 and 25-18.

Cross-town rival Downey finished in second place with an overall record of 19-11 and a S.G.V.L. record of 7-3 and Paramount finished in third place with an overall record of 15-6 and a league record of 6-4.

Gahr finished in fourth place with an overall record of 10-15 and a S.G.V.L. record of 6-4. Lynwood finished in fifth place with an overall record of 10-10 and a S.G.V.L. record of 2-8 and Dominguez finished in sixth place with an overall record of 1-11 and a S.G.V.L. record of 0-10.

The Bears finished this season ranked 397 nationally and 181 in California. Coach Lane and his staff are pleased with how well his team played in league competition and for earning a San Gabriel Valley League championship.

■ The Warren High School softball team saw their season come to an end on Tuesday afternoon against Santa Margarita at Warren 8-0 in the and a S.G.V.L. record of 5-5. Lynwood finished in fifth place with an overall second round of the C.I.F. Division Two playoffs.

The Bears finished their season with an overall record of 21-9 and a S.G.V.L. record of 8-2. Warren defeated North Torrance at North Torrance 6-3 in their first round game to advance.

■ The Downey High School boys' volleyball team saw their season come to an end last Saturday afternoon at Cerritos College in the C.I.F. Division Four Final. Downey was defeated by La Palma Kennedy in five sets 18-25, 25-22, 18-25, 25-16 and 15-9. The match went back and forth and was exciting until the last point was won.

Downey defeated Heritage Christian on 5/9 in the first round of the playoffs in five sets 25-22, 25-17, 23-25, 24-26 and 21-19. The Vikings defeated St. Anthony in the second round on 5/11 in three sets 25-21, 25-16 and 25-19 and then defeated La Quinta of Westminster in the third round on 5/13 in four sets.

The Vikings defeated Katella in the semifinal round on 5/17 in four summer. The purpose of the Cubs youth program is to introduce your sets 12-25, 26-24, 25-18 and 25-22 before falling in the championship

game to the Fighting Irish. Kennedy finished their season with an overall record of 25-6 and an Empire League record of 6-4.

Downey finished their season with an overall record of 19-11 and a San Gabriel Valley League record of 7-3. The Vikings finished league play in second place behind cross-town rival Warren. The Vikings also finished their season ranked 358 nationally and 157 in the state. Coach McCarthy and his staff are extremely proud of the Vikings' championship game run.

■ The Downey High School baseball team saw their season come to an end in a C.I.F. Division Three wild card game on 5/16 against West will be \$15 for each month to follow. The dates and times are Mondays Torrance at West Torrance 5-2.

The Vikings finished their season with an overall record of 14-13 and a league record of 6-4. Gahr and cross-town rival Warren were S.G.V.L. co-champs with matching 8-2 records.

Gahr finished with an overall record of 15-15 and a S.G.V.L. record of 8-2. Warren finished with an overall record of 19-10 and a S.G.V.L. record of 8-2. Downey finished in third place.

Paramount finished in fourth place with an overall record of 12-12-1 record of 8-9 and a S.G.V.L. record of 3-7 and Dominguez finished in sixth place with an overall record of 6-20 and a S.G.V.L. record of 0-10.

overall record of 14-15 and a S.G.V.L. record of 4-6. Downey was defeated by Paramount at Downey 5-1 in their season finale on 5/10. With the loss, the Lady Vikings were eliminated from postseason play. Gahr was the S.G.V.L. champion with an overall record of 26-1 and a

■ The Downey High School softball team finished their season with an

third place with an overall record of 17-6 and a S.G.V.L. record of 6-4. of 1-15 and a S.G.V.L. record of 1-9 and Dominguez finished in sixth place a.m. and June 12 at 6:30 a.m.

with an overall record of 6-14 and a S.G.V.L. record of 1-9.

child to the sport of wrestling.

S.G.V.L. record of 10-0. Warren finished in second place with an overall

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■ Warren High School will be hosting the Cubs Wrestling Club this or by phone at (562) 544-3373.

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The goal of the Cubs Wrestling Club is that your child will become familiar with the wrestling culture through games, drills, technique and light sparring. The program's hope is that they truly fall in love and instill a passion for the sport of wrestling.

The cost is \$20 which covers insurance and SCWAY registration and and Wednesdays from 6:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. The ages are from grades three through eight and will be held inside the Warren High School Wrestling Room behind Justice Stadium. Student-athletes should wear a t-shirt, shorts and wrestling shoes if possible (not needed right away).

For further information, contact Coach Gutierrez at rugutierrez@ dusd.net or by phone at (562) 396-8059.

■ The GetFit Youth Fitness program is a comprehensive fitness camp that offers instruction in the areas of aerobic and strength conditioning, mobility, nutrition and goal setting.

The camp provides a foundation for any sport but puts an emphasis on cross country and track and field. Many girls join the GetFit camp with little experience and become amazing athletes in no time at all.

If you want to get into shape, be challenged, and set new goals for the summer, then join GetFit. The camp even does a hike to Griffiths Park. The camp is great for soccer, softball and basketball players looking to fine tune their fitness levels.

There will be a parent meeting on Wednesday, June 7 at 6:30 p.m. at Justice Stadium on the campus of Warren High School.

The camp dates and times are June 12-22 from 7-11 a.m. Registration Downey finished fourth, Lynwood finished fifth with an overall record will be held at Apollo Park on June 9 from 6-8 p.m., June 10 from 7:30-10

Contact Camp Director Jay Waldron at getfityouthfitness@gmail.com

Downey students receive free glasses

Education meeting, Dr. John Larcabal, President of the California parents. Vision Foundation (CVF), spoke on the successful efforts of this year's partnership between CVF and the district.

This year alone, CVF has provided 550 pairs of free eyeglasses for Downey Unified students who were in need of them.

Serving half of Downey Unified's student population this first year, CVF provided nearly 7,500 vision screenings and 700 eye exams for those students who didn't pass the initial screening due to sight issues. These services resulted in an estimated total saving of \$25 Family Resource Center's Coordinator, Luz Perez, for being the main

"Students' academic lives have changed as a result of this partnership," said Dr. Larcabal. "We had such a successful year, I had to share this with the foundations partners, and once they heard the heart-warming stories, they decided to stay on board for next year student population."

During his speech, Dr. Larcabal thanked Downey Unified's TLC

DOWNEY - During the Downey Unified March Board of million in screenings, exams, and eye glasses for Downey Unified catalyst behind getting in touch with students who were in need of

Testimonies were also read by Dr. Larcabal that were gathered from those involved with this program. "I personally saw kids' beaming smiles on the day the glasses were distributed," shared a Downey Unified teacher. "The kids were so excited when they put and now we will be able to service the other half of Downey Unified's them on. The frames also came in a variety of colors that got all the kids to appreciate them even more. One of my kids even gushed, 'Everything looks so much brighter!'"

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In 1986, mafia boss, Michael Franzese was named one of the biggest money earners the mob had seen since Al Capone, by Vanity Fair. At the age of 35, Fortune Magazine listed him as number 18 on



its list of the "Fifty Wealthiest and Powerful Mafia Bosses", just 5 behind John Gotti. Not surprisingly, Michael quickly became the target of Manhattan's famed federal prosecutor, Rudy Guiliani. After promsing Michael 100 years behind bars after indicting him on racketeering charges. Rudy only came up empty handed. Escaping four more indictments, it seemed Michael Franzese truly was invincible. All that would change when Michael met his beautiful wife named Camille Garcia whose beauty and faith would turn his world upside down causing Michael to do the unthinkable — walk away from the mob. Nobody of his rank had ever just walked away — and lived until now.

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After responding to complaints of trash, Code Enforcement finds multiple families living at Rives Mansion

DOWNEY – An unusual sequence of events has brought Downey's mansion in the afternoon hours of May 4 after one of the property's historic Rives Mansion back into controversy.

The Rives Mansion is no stranger to being the center of conflict, as the property on the corner of Paramount Boulevard and Third Street made headlines as little as two years ago when it was discovered that the mansion was facing foreclosure, thwarting plans to convert the location into an upscale steakhouse.

While things surrounding the mansion have been relatively quiet since then, a new incident has caught the attention of the city.

Downey Police, code enforcement and hazmat arrived at the

fences fell over, exposing Third Street to a large amount of trash.

While hazmat units tended to the garbage situation, eviction notices were also placed on the mansion, sending several individuals who had been inhabiting the property scrambling. However, those notices were later taken down when it was discovered that there were several families with children currently occupying the property.

According to a city official, several individuals had been illegally rented out space on the property, including the back shed and tower. The city had been unware of the illegal residency until neighbors of the mansion called to report the toppled fence.

The official also said that it is believed that it was the large amount of trash that caused the fence to fall.

According to documents obtained from the Norwalk Court House, mansion owner Carmen Rivera and Wells Fargo Bank - who are foreclosing on the mansion – have been tied up in court since January this year after an unlawful detainer complaint was filed last December.

Multiple attempts to contact Rivera for comment were unsuccessful.

When asked outside the board room as to his initial feeling

"Overwhelmed," was all the future new board member could say.

"We're all in this together," said Cazares, referencing his "team

Alex Dominguez, staff writer

LAUSD teacher chosen to fill vacant seat on Norwalk-La Mirada school board

NORWALK - The Norwalk-La Mirada Unified School District's Board of Education voted unanimously on Monday to appoint Jude Los Angeles Unified School District. Cazares as an interim board member until he is officially sworn in

Cazares replaces Norwalk Councilwoman Margarita Rios who previously served on the school board, but stepped down after winning a special city council election in March.

After deciding last month to appoint Rios' replacement, the school board members named five finalists to interview during Monday's meeting. Board President Sean Reagan asked each current board member to select their top two choices.

"There was not a single bad choice," Reagan said of the five finalists before he called for feedback.

With the initial tally, Cazares and Norma Amezcua were the top two choices. The next vote was the one that truly mattered -- and Jude was the top selection with all. However, Board member Ana Valencia maintained that Norma Amezcua was her favorite.

In the end, when an oral vote was taken, all six voted to have Norwalk resident Cazares join them on the dais after he is sworn in at the regularly scheduled meeting on June 26.

Despite the differences between the candidates, Board member Darryl Adams spoke of one thing many of the candidates had in

"Community college," said Adams, who was impressed.

Cazares attended Rio Hondo College before transferring to Cal State Los Angeles where he completed his undergraduate studies receiving a bachelor's degree in social science.

He has been a teacher in various subjects for over 21 years in the access to the [entire] curriculum."

When asked why he wanted to be a board member, he about being responsible for over \$240 million in tax payer dollars acknowledged the challenges and decisions that were forthcoming and stated, "I want to be part of the change."

Cazares currently has three children attending school in the district and he said he takes an integral part in their development and direction.

Adams went on to say that his "commitment to his children's and student success," was another factor standing out from the other applicants.

When he was describing who he was and where he came from, Cazares said "family comes first." As a communicator, he stressed the ability to "listen," and "being aware of what the community

In speaking of meeting the needs of all students, Cazares reminded the board that he wanted all students to "have equal



effort" philosophy.

- Raul Samaniego, contributor

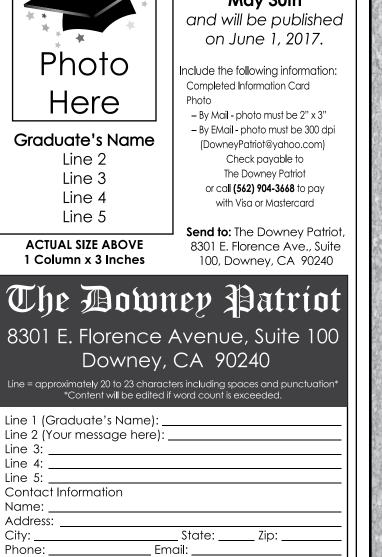




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12 arrested in FBI crackdown of credit card skimming ring

LA MIRADA – Thirteen people, most of whom are linked to La the defendants have felony records, according to the court. Mirada- and Norwalk-based street gangs, have been charged in federal court in a bank fraud scheme involving "skimmed" credit

Authorities also say one of the charges alleges a transaction counts of credit card fraud and aggravated identity theft. involving over three kilograms of methamphetamine.

defendants, the lead defendant in the credit card fraud case was arrested late Tuesday afternoon, and law enforcement continues to search for one more defendant who remains at large.

The credit card skimming operation was allegedly operated by a man linked to criminal street gangs known as the La Mirada Punks and the Carmelas.

Russell Jay Ogden, along with his wife, are accused of leading the scheme that allegedly skimmed credit cards - meaning victims' credit cards were surreptitiously run through an electronic device that collected the cards' information.

Members of the scheme then encoded the stolen information on counterfeit credit cards and used the fraudulent cards to purchase big ticket items that were later sold for a profit. The investigation has determined that many of the credit cards in this case were skimmed at a restaurant in Huntington Beach.

In total, the conspiracy compromised more than 500 credit cards and caused various financial institutions to suffer losses of more than \$500,000 after the cards were used across Southern California at department stores such as Nordstrom and Bloomingdales, sporting goods stores and Toys R Us, according to the bank fraud indictment.

Those charged in the 27-count bank fraud indictment are:

Russell Jay Ogden, also known as "Big Dog," 43, of La Mirada; Rudy Leo Aguilar, also known as "Fats" and "Dreamer," 32, of Norwalk, who was previously convicted of voluntary manslaughter in a gang-related incident and was sentenced to 13 years in state prison;

Blaine Andrew Porlas, 51, of La Habra, who is linked to the Nazi Low Riders;

Marco Anthony Alday III, 26, of Whittier;

Milan Vukelich, also known as "Bo," 37, of Artesia;

Shelly Anne Ogden, who is Russell Ogden's wife, 41, of La Mirada; Leo Norman Aguilar, 32, of Norwalk;

Ameer Adnan Yousef, 32, of La Mirada;

Shawn Phillip Vasquez, 49, of Hesperia;

and Lloyd Luis Leyh, 43, of Huntington Beach

Leyh was sentenced to 13 years in state prison in an attempted murder case involving a firearm and is currently a fugitive in this case.

Many of these defendants are members of the La Mirada Punks and the Norwalk-based Carmelas criminal street gangs, and most of

Each defendant is charged with conspiracy to commit bank fraud, a charge that carries a statutory maximum sentence of 30 years in federal prison. Most of the defendants are also charged in other

Rudy Leo Aguilar is also named in a separate indictment that On Tuesday morning, law enforcement arrested 11 of the charges him with distributing nearly two pounds of methamphetamine.

> Two additional defendants are charged in another narcoticstrafficking case involving methamphetamine. They are:

> Gustavo Uribe Meza, also known as "Big Boy" and "Goose," 24, of

Peter Chiapparine, also known as "Uncle Pete," 72, of South Gate.

The final defendant arrested in the takedown is charged in an indictment that accuses him of trafficking approximately 3.6 kilograms of methamphetamine and federal firearms violations. He is Norman Aguilar Jr., also known as "Flea," who is Leo Aguilar's brother, 35, of

In court, the 11 defendants arrested Tuesday morning entered not quilty pleas and were ordered to stand trial on July 18. Prosecutors said that searches conducted revealed evidence that the credit card scheme was ongoing.

UNLICENSED CONTRACTOR: A Downey man was arrested last week after he was caught in a sting targeting unlicensed contractors.

Sergio Enrique Garcia allegedly posted an online ad soliciting construction work.

Investigators from the California State License Board responded, and Garcia traveled to a single-family home in Northridge for work. He was arrested after bidding on a painting and decorating job.

Garcia was charged with contracting without a license and illegal advertising. State law requires that unlicensed contractors state in all advertisements that they are not licensed.

Fourteen people were arrested in total during the sting.

"With today's technology, it is easy for people to make very professional looking websites, business cards, and other forms of advertisements," said CSLB Registrar David Fogt. "But the only way to be sure that a contractor is working legally is to verify their license number with CSLB."

EMBEZZLEMENT: A couple were sentenced Wednesday for misappropriating public funds for a group of foster homes they ran.

CSJ Kidogo, 76, was sentenced to 180 days in county jail and placed on five years of formal probation. His wife, Hitaji Kidogo, 65, was sentenced to three years of summary probation.

Both were ordered to no longer operate foster homes. They also paid \$109,093 in restitution.

CSJ Kidogo, the former executive director of Little People's World Inc., pleaded guilty to one felony count of misappropriation of public money in September 2015. Hitaji Kidogo, the company's former assistant executive director, pleaded guilty to one misdemeanor count of embezzlement.

Little People's World operated four group homes that provided foster care to more than two dozen children in the county. An audit by the county's Auditor-Controller discovered that CSJ Kidogo borrowed money tabbed for foster care to purchase real estate for himself and pay mortgages on properties not used for the foster care program.

UNLAWFUL FORCE: A Los Angeles police officer was sentenced Tuesday for using unlawful force during an arrest three years ago.

Richard Garcia, 36, pleaded no contest to one misdemeanor count of assault by an officer. He was immediately sentenced to two years of formal probation.

On Oct. 16, 2014, LAPD officers approached the victim in South Los Angeles during a robbery investigation. The victim ran away but later surrendered after a foot pursuit.

During the arrest, Garcia struck him while he lay prone on the



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At about 1:00 a.m., officers responded to the commercial property at the 12200 block of Pangborn Ave., regarding a suspect being observed on video loitering inside the location. It was discovered the suspect had broken into the location and refused to exit. Officers then searched the building and located the suspect. The suspect was arrested without incident.

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SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER: (Numero del Caso):
YC071801
NOTICE TO DEFENDANT (AVISO
AL DEMANDADO): DON WILLIAMS
CATERING SERVICES, LLC, a California limited liability company; DONWILLIAMS ATTA YEBOAH, an individual; DEBORA ATTA YEBOAH, an individual; and DOES 1

through 50, inclusive YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): ROIC REDONDO BEACH PLAZA, LLC, a

Delaware limited liability company
NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff.
A letter or phone call will not protect you.
Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your . There may be a court form that can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money and property may be taken without further

warning from the court. There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for ree legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Contro. (June 1987) Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidi su contra sin escuchar su versíon. Lea la información a continuación. Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después

de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso un la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretano de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin

más advertencia. Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en sitio web de California Legal Services, (www. lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de Calfornia, (www. sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados

locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a relamar las cuotas y los costos exentos pro imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es): Superior Court of Los Angeles 825 Maple Avenue Torrance, CA 90503

The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene

Cynthia D. Stelzer 7676 Hazard Center Drive, Suite 900-B San Diego, CA 92108 Kimball, Tirey & St. John LLP (619) 231-1422 Date (Fecha): 1-06-17

Sherri R. Carter Clerk, by (Secretario), Y. Husen, Deputy (Adjunto)

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017126393 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) INTER DRIVING SCHOOL, 3550 E. IMPERIAL HWY., LYNWOOD CA 90262, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IRMA LOPEZ MANDUJANO, 3550 E. IMPERIAL HWY., LYNWOOD CA 90262 State of Incorporation: N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2007 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/IRMA LOPEZ MANDUJANO, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County
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the affidavit of identity form.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017122783
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) 129 WEST, 4102
JOSIE AVE, LAKEWOOD, CA 90713, LA

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) RAMON

FIGUEROA, 4102 JOSIE AVE, LAKEWOOD, CA 90713 State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017

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S/ RAMON FIGUEROA, OWNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SHREE
RAMKABIR MANDIR, 530 EAST 231ST
STREET, CARSON CA 90745, LA COUNTY
Atticles of Incorporation Comparison Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: 1673804 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) SHREE RAMKABIR TEMPLE, INC., 530 EAST State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Corporation
The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant

who declares as true any material matte pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ SHREE RAMKABIR TEMPLE, INC.,

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2017126408
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) INTER TRAFFIC
SCHOOL, 3550 E. IMPERIAL HWY.,
LYNWOOD CA 90262, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IRMA

The Downey Patriot LOPEZ MANDUJANO, 3550 É. IMPERIAL

HWY, LYNWOOD CA 90262
State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2007
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017/119884
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) JULIETAS
TRADING, 10324 CALIFORNIA AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JANET M AQUINO, 10324 CALIFORNIA AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280 (2) CONSTANTINO ENRIQUE AQUINO PEREZ, 10324 CALIFORNIA AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280 State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

General Partnership The date registrant started to transact or names listed above: 05/2017

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S/ CONSTANTINO ENRIQUE AQUINO

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This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 10, 2017
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5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
FILE Number 2017113411
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ARK FINE
JEWELRY, 450 N GREENCRAIG RD, LOS

ANGELES CA 90049, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON:

201501210153
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ARK AND ARROWS LLC, 450 N GREENCRAIG RD, LOS ANGELES CA 90049
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Limited Liability Company
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant

knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/ ARK AND ARROWS LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, ANN ROSEN

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 3, 2017
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017115477
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) RIDING FOR
JC, 4511 E 5TH STREET, EAST LOS ANGELES CA 90022, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MIGUEL CLAUDIO JR., 4511 E 5TH STREET, EAST LOS ANGELES CA 90022

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/ MIGUEL CLAUDIO JR., OWNER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017/122274
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS
(ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MDS
CONSTRUCTION, 9282 CALMADA AVE,

WHITTIER CA 90605, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MICHAEL
BOBADILLA, 9282 CALMADA AVE,
WHITTIER CA 90605

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an Individual

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.). S/ MICHAEL BOBADILLA, OWNER_

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017125086
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) CAPITAL

POSTAL & MAIL BOX SERVICE, 6187 ATLANTIC AVENUE, LONG BEACH CA 90805, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) C AND T CAPITAL INVESTMENTS LLC, 6187 ATLANTIC AVENUE, LONG BEACH CA

90805 State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a Limited Liability Company
The date registrant started to transact
business under the fictitious business name
or names listed above: 05/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

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S/C AND T CAPITAL INVESTMENTS LLC, CEO, TAKISHA TAMU CLARK CEO, TAKISHA TAMU CLARK
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Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 15, 2017
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) THE MORAVIAN
TROMBONE CHOIR, 7346 DINWIDDIE
ST., DOWNEY CA 90241, COUNTY OF
LOS ANGELES
Atticles of Incorporation or Organization

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) STEVEN PAUL HUMENSKI, 7346 DINWIDDIE ST., DOWNEY CA 90241 State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2013
I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

S/STEVEN PAUL HUMENSKI, OWNER

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authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code)

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017126418

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) INTER OFFICE SOLUTIONS, 3550 E. IMPERIAL HWY.,

LYNWOOD CA 90262, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IRMA
LOPEZ MANDUJANO, 3550 E. IMPERIAL
HWY., LYNWOOD CA 90262
Chat of Incorporation N/A State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

Individual
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2007
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ IRMA LOPEZ MANDUJANO, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 16, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal. State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017108901 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) GUARDSMAN LOUNGE, 7850 FLORENCE AVE, DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) FRYKLUND ENTERPRISES, INC., 10329 CORD AVE, DOWNEY CA 90241 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 04/2017
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ FRYKLUND ENTERPRISES, INC.,
PRESIDENT, TONY FRYKLUND This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 28, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in

the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2017/106656
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S)
IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1)
WOSPERFORMANCE, 15514 ELMBROOK DR., LA MIRADA CA 90638, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MATTHEW A. WIGHT, 15514 ELMBROOK DR., LA MIRADA CA 90638 (2) LUKE WOS, 1 CASTLE LANE, AYLESBURY GBR State of Incorporation: N/A CASTLE LANE, AYLESBURY GBR
State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)

General Partnership
The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

S/MATTHEW A. WIGHT, PARTNER
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Les Angeles on APRIL 26, 2017

Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 26, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920. where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER 2017087799 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) A SIMPLE MYSTIC, 10640 COLIMA ROAD, #317, WHITTIER CA 90604, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) DEBRA L CAMPBELL, 10640 COLIMA ROAD #317, WHITTIER CA 90604 State of Incorporation: N/A FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

Individual The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 03/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.)

S/ DEBRA L. CAMPBELL, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 6, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself subscript the use in this state of a Fictitious.

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) P & A PEST
CONTROL, 736 E WORKMAN ST # A,
COVINA CA 91723, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) WENCESLAO ARIAS, 736 E WORKMAN ST # A, COVINA CA 91723 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

Individual
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 03/2012
declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ WENCESLAO ARIAS, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 3, 2017
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filling of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

FIGURE BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017119555
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) CLINIC OF
ANGELS, 3625 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. BLVD. SUITE 7, LYNWOOD CA 90262,

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IMA
BERLIN, INC, 3625 MARTIN LUTHER KING
JR. BLVD SUITE 7, LYNWOOD CA 90262
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Corporation The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant

who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
\$\(S \) IMA BERLIN, INC, PRESIDENT, EDUARDO J GONZALEZ
\text{This statement was filed with the County} \) Clerk of Use Angeles on MAY 10, 2017

Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 10, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920. where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) APPLIANCE WORKS (2) HOME APPLIANCE WORKS, 11602 DOWNEY AVE UNIT A, DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JUAN RODRIGUEZ, 11602 DOWNEY AVE UNIT A, DOWNEY CA 90241 (2) LARRY CHATFIELD, 6230 N LAFAYETTE AVE, FRESNO CA 93711
State of Incorporation: (1) CA (2) CA

State of Incorporation: (1) CA (2) CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a
General Partnership The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.) S/ JUAN RODRIGUEZ, GENERAL PARTNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 2, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal. State or Commor Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017128356
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) QUALITY
VEHICLE INSPECTION, 10308 SAN
JUAN AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280, LA
COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) RICHARD LICERIO, 10308 SAN JUAN AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280 State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

Individual The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/RICHARD LICERIO, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 18, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the effice of the County Clerk expert as in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business

The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) TKR FIRE SERVICE, 9211 TWEEDY LN, DOWNEY CA 90240, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JOSE FEDERICO RAMIREZ, 9211 TWEEDY LN,

DOWNEY CA 90240 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017
declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ JOSE FEDERICO RAMIREZ, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 8, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920. where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE Number 2017125554 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) REBILT METALIZING CO, 2229 E. 38TH STREET,

VERNON CA 90058, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: 2933136
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ARCHERS
HYDRAULICS, INCORPORATED, 2229 E.
38TH STREET, VERNON CA 90058
State of Incorporation: CA

State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Corporation The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ ARCHERS HYDRAULICS,

INCORPORATED, SECRETARY, CAIN This statement was filed with the County

Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 16, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920 where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

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The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) WE ARE THEIR VOICES ADVOCACY, 5800 S. EASTERN AVE SUITE 500, COMMERCE CA 90040,

LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) LOURDES MORENO, 7119 CALLE LAS FLORES, BELL GARDENS CA 90201

State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business

pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

S/LOURDES MORENO, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 17, 2017

Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.
The filling of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017124628

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DIAMOND
EDUCATION INC. (2) BLACK STAR
LOGISTICS (3) DIAMOND EDUCATION
CONSULTING, 5914 GAVIOTA AVE,
LONG BEACH CA 90805, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) DIAMOND EDUCATION INC, 5914 GAVIOTA AVE., LONG BEACH CA 90805

State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2008
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ DIAMOND EDUCATION INC, VICE PRESIDENT, TIMOTHY WAYNE HOOD This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 15, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017111562
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SANTOS TRUCKING, 7318 ROSEBERRY AV, HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255, LA

COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) RITO SANTOS, 7318 ROSEBERRY AV, HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255

(2) LUIS SANTOS, 7737 ELM ST, SAN BERNARDINO CA 92410 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

General Partnership
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 07/2007

declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/ RITO SANTOS, GENERAL PARTNER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 2, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017102296
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) WINDOWS
GLASS Y MAS, 8216 S. ATLANTIC AV.,
CUDAHY CA 90201, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) CARMEN
MARIA MELGAR DELCID, 8216 S.
ATLANTIC AV., CUDAHY CA 90201
State of Incorporation: N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017 I declare that all the information in this

who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ CARMEN MARIA MELGAR DELCID, OWNER

statement is true and correct. (A registrant

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 21, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017095211
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DIRECT
CONCEPT ENGINEERING INC. DBA
PRECISION METAL CRAFTS, 16920
GRIDLEY PLACE, CERRITOS CA 90703,
LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: 2943320 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) DIRECT CONCEPT ENGINEERING, INC, 16920 GRIDLEY PLACE, CERRITOS CA 90703 State of Incorporation: CA THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Corporation
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2007 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant

who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/DIRECT CONCEPT ENGINEERING, INC,

VICE PRESIDENT, JEFFREY LANGAN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 14, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017109404 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SOLAR CLEAN, 9350 CLAYMORE ST, PICO RIVERA CA

9350 CLAYMORE 31, PICO RIVERA CA
90660, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ISAIAH
COLON, 8708 DUNLAP CROSSING RD,
PICO RIVERA CA 90660
Esta of Incorporation N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an Individual The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), S/ISAIAH COLON, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 28, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017131625 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SUMMIT WINDOWS AND HOME IMPROVEMENT, INC., 9825 RICHEON AVENUE, DOWNEY

CA 90240, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: 4017320 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) SUMMIT WINDOWS AND HOME IMPROVEMENT, 9825 RICHEON AVENUE, DOWNEY CA

90240 State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a Corporation

date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant

knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ SUMMIT WINDOWS AND HOME IMPROVEMENT, CFO, MARTA GUILLEN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 22, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17 **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS**

NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017111633
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) TJD GROUP MARKETING SERVICES, 10536 STAMPS RD., DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) OSCAR TEJADA SALINAS, 10536 STAMPS RD., DOWNEY CA 90241 State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A or names listed above: N/A
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ OSCAR TEJADA SALINAS, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 2, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017125835
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) NANCY'S
NOTARY, 8737 ½ FIRESTONE BLVD,
DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) NANCY
SAENZ MEHL, 8737 ½ FIRSTONE BLVD,
DOWNEY CA 90241

DOWNEY CA 90241
State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A
declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)

S/ NANCY SAENZ MEHL, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 16, 2017

Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of

another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017115929
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS
(ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) E.G.A
TRANSPORTATION, 5751 WILSON AVE,
SOUTH GATE CA 90280, LA COUNTY
Atiological Incorporation of Propriations Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JOE

SANCHEZ, 5751 WILSON AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280 State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business

and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 5, 2017

Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement

must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business

and Professions Code). The Downey Patriot

5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME **2017112518**FILE NO: 2012196550 DATE FILED:

FILE NO: 2012196550 DATE FILED: OCTOBER 2, 2012 NAME OF BUSINESS(ES): NAUTILOS TROPICAL FISH STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: 4817 PARAMOUNT BLVD., LAKEWOOD, CA,90712-REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JAIRO TORRES, 13630 CLARK AVE., BELLFLOWER CA 90706-If Corporation or LLC - Print State of Incorporation/Organization: N/A Business was conducted by: an Individual I declare that all information in this statement

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or

she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.) S/ JAIRO TORRES, OWNER This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on MAY 3, 2017

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) IRONMAN CONCRETE PUMPING LLC, 3589 BRANDON ST, PASADENA, CA 91107,

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) IRONMAN CONCRETE PUMPING LLC, 3589 BRANDON ST, PASADENA, CA 91107

State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a Limited Liability Company
The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 02/1997
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), S/ SHIRLEY STEVENSON, MANAGER,

IRONMAN CONCRETE PUMPING LLC This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 12 2017

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Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code)

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
FILE Number 2017127429
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) 5 STAR HOMES,
15455 GLENOAKS BLVD. #60, SYLMAR
CA 91342, LA COUNTY, 11810 BEACH
BLVD., STANTON CA 90680
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: 1986685
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) STEWART
HOMES, INC., 11810 BEACH BLVD.,
STANTON CA 90680
State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a
Corporation

Corporation
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 08/1997
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.). S/STEWART HOMES, INC., PRESIDENT, MICHAEL STEWART

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 17, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17013 ether then a change in the to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.
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The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017110769
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ARK, 450 N
GREENCRAIG, LOS ANGELES CA 90049,
LA COUNTY

LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: 20150121053 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ARK AND ARROWS LLC, 450 N GREENCRAIG RD, LOS ANGELES CA 90049

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a
Limited Liability Company
The date registrant started to transact
business under the fictious business name or names listed above: 04/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), S/ ARK AND ARROWS LLC, MANAGING

MEMBER, ANN ROSEN
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 1, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filling of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017110709
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ARK BY ANN
KORMAN, 450 N GREENCRAIG RD, LOS ANGELES CA 90049, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON:

201501210153 201501210153 REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ARK AND ARROWS LLC, 450 N GREENCRAIG RD, LOS ANGELES CA 90049

State of Incorporation: CA
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Limited Liability Company
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017 I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ ARK AND ARROWS LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, ANN ROSEN

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the affidavit of identity form.
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The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017088944
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) LNE PRECIOUS METALS, 13403 LAMBERT RD, WHITTIER

CA 90605. LA COUNTY A 90005, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) EDWARD
PINON, 2417 MARTY LN, SANTA ANA

State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business pursuant to Section 1791s of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.).

S/EDWARD PINON, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 7, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) THE LANE
BRAND, 12217 DEFIANCE AVE, LOS
ANGELES CA 90009, LA COUNTY
Attolaced Incorrection ANGELES CA 90039, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ASIA LANE
ANDERSON, 12217 DEFIANCE AVE, LOS

ANGELES CA 90059
State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

he date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 05/2017
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), S/ASIA LANE ANDERSON, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 11, 2017 e - In accordance with Subdivision Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017114155
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ERICK FÅ
REAL ENTERPRISES, 3538 RIO HONDO AVE. ROSEMEAD CA 91770. LA COUNTY AVE, ROSEMEAD CA 917/70, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ERICK
S. ALVARADO, 3538 RIO HONDO AVE,
ROSEMEAD CA 91770

State of Incorporation: CA THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

S/ERICK S. ALVARADO, OWNER This statement was filed with the County

Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 4, 2017
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name
Statement generally expires at the end of
five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2017097356
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) L. RODRIGUEZ

DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) L. RODRIGUEZ TAX SERVICE, 10619 LINDALE STREET, NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) LINDA DIANE RODRIGUEZ, 10619 LINDALE STREET, NORWALK CA 90650 State of Incorporation: N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ LINDA DIANE RODRIGUEZ, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Cour Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 17, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DRIVE
DEVILBISS HEALTHCARE, 11724
WILLAKE STREET, SANTA FE SPRINGS
CA 90670, LA COUNTY, HOLLY BERGER

C/O BRYAN CAVE 1290 AVE OF THE, NEW YORK NY 10104

NEW YORK NY 10104

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A

REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MEDICAL

DEPOT INC. WHICH WILL DO BUSINESS
IN CALIFORNIA AS "DRIVE MEDICAL

DESIGN & MANUFACTURING", 99

SEAVIEW BLVD., PORT WASHINGTON

NY 11050

NY 11050 State of Incorporation: DE THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

Corporation
The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 04/2017 I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ MEDICAL DEPOT INC. WHICH WILL
DO BUSINESS IN CALIFORNIA AS "DRIVE
MEDICAL DESIGN & MANUFACTURING", PRESIDENT, RICHARD KOLODNY This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 10, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form

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The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017131138
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) YOUNG &
DETAILING IT, 9612 HUNT AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ROBERT
ISAAC BEJARANO, 9612 HUNT AVE,
SOUTH GATE CA 90280
State of Incorporation: N/A

State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an Individual The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 01/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ ROBERT ISAAC BEJARANO, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 22, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself

authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business

The Downey Patriot 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17, 6/15/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ZUSYLARA,
4140 WORKMAN MILL RD UNIT 167,
WHITTIER CA 90601, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) VICTOR LARA, 4140 WORKMAN MILL RD UNIT LAHA, 414U WOHKMAN MILL HD UNIT 167, WHITTIER CA 90601 (2) MONICA VELAZQUEZ, 4140 WORKMAN MILL RD 167, WHITTIER CA 90601 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a

General Partnership The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/VICTOR LARA, GENERAL PARTNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 1, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business

Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal. State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File Number 2017112933 THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) DIAMOND KEY REALTY, 7840 FIRESTONE BLVD #204, DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MARISOL OTANEZ, 7840 FIRESTONE BLVD #204, DOWNEY CA 90241 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact

business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017 I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

thousand dollars (\$1,000.)

S/MARISOL OTANEZ, OWNER

This statement was filled with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 3, 2017

Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name
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and Professions Code). The Downey Patriot 5/4/17, 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MUSIC STARTS
HERE, 8672 PICO VISTA RD, PICO
RIVERA CA 90660, LA COUNTY
Atticles of Incorporation

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ISSAC CORDOVA, 8672 PICO VISTA RD, PICO RIVERA CA 90660

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant

knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).)
S/ISSAC CORDOVA, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 24, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filled in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017126253
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MELVINS METAL POLISH, 21370 S. ALAMEDA ST, LONG BEACH CA 90810, LA COUNTY, 2518 SALE PL, HUNTINGTON PARK 90255

Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) VERONICA GALVEZ, 2518 SALE PL, HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255 (2) MELVIN GALVEZ, 2518 SALE PL, HUNTINGTON PARK CA 90255 State of Incorporation: N/A

THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a Married Couple The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: 05/2017

I declare that all the information in this

statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one

punishable by a line not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000,)
S/VERONICA GALVEZ, OWNER
This statement was filed with the County
Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 16, 2017
Notice - In accordance with Subdivision
(a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File Number 2017104043
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) REAL ROYALTY CLOTHING, 1605 N PAULSEN AVE, COMPTON CA 90222, LA COUNTY Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): Al #ON: N/A REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) RODOLFO NAVARRO, 1605 N PAULSEN AVE, COMPTON CA 90222

State of Incorporation: N/A
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: N/A I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/RODOLFO NAVARRO OWNER

This statement was filed with the Cour Clerk of Los Angeles on APRIL 24, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017124702
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE)
DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) BR KIDS, 15740 RYON AVE APT 2, BELLFLOWER CA 90706, LA COUNTY

90706, LA COUNTY
Articles of Incorporation or Organization
Number (if applicable): AI #ON: N/A
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) CHERRON
ELDRIDGE, 15740 RYON AVE APT 2, BELLFLOWER CA 90706 State of Incorporation: N/A THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: an

The date registrant started to transact husiness under the fictitious business name

or names listed above: 05/2017

I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).) S/ CHERRON ELDRIDGE, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on MAY 15, 2017 Notice - In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of

five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other then a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by

the affidavit of identity form.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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GOVERNMENT

CITY OF DOWNEY SUMMARY OF ORDINANCES ADOPTED

Adopted Interim Urgency Ordinance No. 17-1378, an Interim Urgency Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Downey Extending a Temporary Moratorium on Establishing Accessory and Junior Accessory Dwelling Units for an Additional 10 Months and 15 Days

AYES: Council Members: Pacheco, Rodriguez, Saab, Ashton, Mayor

Vasquez NOES: Council Member: None. EXCUSED: Council Member: None. ABSTAIN: Council Member: None.

Adopt Ordinance No. 17-1379, an Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Downey Rezoning Property Located at 10361 Foster Road from Single-Family Residential to Multiple-

AYES: Council Members: Pacheco, Rodriguez, Saab, Ashton, Mayor

√asquez NOES: Council Member: None EXCUSED: Council Member: None. ABSTAIN: Council Member: None.

Copies of the full texts are available in the City Clerk's Office.

Alicia Duarte, CMC, Deputy City Clerk May 25, 2017

The Downey Patriot

CITY OF DOWNEY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON A PROPOSED CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT PLN-17-00047

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the DOWNEY CITY PLANNING COMMISSION on the 7th day of June, 2017, at 6:30 p.m., in the Council Chambers of the Downey City Hall, 11111 Brookshire Avenue, Downey, California. At that time and place, consideration will be given to the following:

PLN-17-00047 (Conditional Use Permit): A request to allow the operation of a new foot massage therapy establishment (In-Step Massage Downey), on property located at 9237 Lakewood Boulevard and zoned C-2 (General Commercial).

As required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), this request has been found to be Categorically Exempt from CEQA, per CEQA Guideline, Section 15301 (Class 1, Existing Facilities).

you challenge the proposed actions in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

For more information contact the Associate Planner Monica Esparza at 562-904-7154.

The Downey Patriot

NOTICES

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030431

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Rosetta Dantzler Henderson filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows

resent name (1) Rosetta Dantzler Henderson to Proposed name (1) Rosetta Henderson THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: July 12, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm,
Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is NORWALK
COURTHOUSE, 12720 Norwalk
Boulevard, Norwalk, CA 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall
be published at least once a week for four
successive weeks prior to the date set
for hearing on the petition in the following for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **DOWNEY PATRIOT** May 12, 2017

Margaret M. Bernal
Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per Rosetta Dantzler Henderson 10700 Bellman Ave. Downey, CA 90241 (626) 344-5854

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: VS030391
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner

Rose Maria Vasquez filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as

Present name (1) Rose Maria Vasquez to Proposed name (1) Scarlett Rose Marquez THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition

without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: July 5, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm,
Department: C, Room: 312
The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk
Blvd., Rm. 101, Norwalk, California 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **THE DOWNEY PATRIOT** May 08, 2017 Margaret M. Bernal

Judge Of The Superior Court Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per Rose Maria Vasquez 12636 Bloomfield Ave #54 Norwalk, CA 90650 (818) 235-2510

The Downey Patriot 5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: V\$030375
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Tonni Lyn Marinoble filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as

Present name (1) Tonni Lyn Marinoble to Proposed name (1) Tawny Lyn Marinoble THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: July 5, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm,
Department: SE-C
The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk
Blvd., Norwalk, California 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall
be published at least once a week for four
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for heading on the potition in the following for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, THE DOWNEY PATRIOT May 03, 2017

May 03, 2017
Margaret M. Bernal
Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
Tonni Lyn Marinoble
12216 Morning Ave
Downey, CA 90242
(916) 705-2658
TIm3rn@gmail.com Tlm3rn@gmail.com

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
AMENDED ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: ES021425
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner filed an AMENDED petition with this court for a decree changing names

Present name (1) to Proposed THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at

the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: June 9, 2017, Time: 8:30 am,
Department: NCB-B, Room:
The address of the court is LASCNORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT, BURBANK
COURTHOUSE, 300 EAST OLIVE
AVENUE, BURBANK, CA 91502
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall
be published at least once a week for four
successive weeks prior to the date set without a hearing

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Darrel Mavis Judge Of The Superior Court Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per

The Downey Patriot

5/11/17, 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030420

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner

Niko Oganesian and Anush Oganesian filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) Tatiana Sirpuhi Oganesian
to Proposed name (1) Tatiana Oganesian
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at stributed to be hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a basing or the stribute of the court may grant the petition.

NOTICE OF HEARING Date: July 12, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm, Department: C, Room:
The address of the court is NORWALK COURTHOUSE – SOUTHEAST DISTRICT, 12720 Norwalk Boulevard, Norwalk, CA 90650

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **DOWNEY PATRIOT** NEWSPAPER May 12, 2017 Margaret M. Bernal

Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
Niko Oganesian and Anush Oganesian

Downey, CA 90240 (562) 242-2662

7803 Alderdale St.

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: TS020735 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Armando Silva Jr filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names Present name (1) Armando Silva Jr to Proposed name (1) Armando Rodriguez THE COURT ORDERS that all persons

interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING

Date: June 22, 2017, Time: 8:30 am, Department: A, Room: 904 The address of the court is LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT, SOUTH CENTRAL DISTRICT OFFICE, 200 W. COMPTON BLVD., COMPTON, CA 90220 A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four

successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **DOWNEY PATRIOT**May 12, 2017
May 12, Curroy. Brian S. Currey

Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
Armando Silva Jr
11815 State St Lynwood, CA 90262 (424) 232-4363

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5/26-5/27 8-2PM

Furn, linens, toys, hsehold items 12203 Smallwood, Dwy

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: VS030436
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner
Pornchita Chaiyakam filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as Present name (1) Pornchita Chaiyakam to

Proposed name (1) Ponchita Kollar THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition

without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: July 19, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm,
Department: C, Room:

The address of the court is NORWALK SUPERIOR COURT SOUTHEAST DISTRICT, 12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk, California 90650

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **DOWNEY PATRIOT**May 16, 2017

May 16, 2017
Judge Margaret M. Bernal
Judge Of The Superior Court
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per
Pornchita Chaiyakam 11550 Paramount Blvd Apt 10 Downey, CA 90241 (562) 659-0978

The Downey Patriot 5/18/17, 5/25/17, 6/1/17, 6/8/17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER: VS030435
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitionel Erica Trejo filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name (1) Erica Trejo to Proposed

name (1) Erica Trejo-Perez THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of ame should not be granted. Any persor objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING

Date: July 12, 2017, Time: 1:30 pm, Department: C, Room: The address of the court is 12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk, CA 90650
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall

be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in the county, **DOWNEY PATRIOT** May 16, 2017

Judge Margaret M. Bernal Judge Of The Superior Court Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Per Erica Treio 12613 Crossdale Ave Norwalk, CA 90650 (310) 925-1395 trejoerica@yahoo.com

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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF PAUL EDGAR YAGER Case No. 17STPB04112

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of PAUL EDGAR YAGER A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Mark A: Yager in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests

that Mark A. Yager be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not

grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on June 13, 2017 at 8:30 AM in Dept. No. 79 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles,

CA 90012.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by

r attorney. YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

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TRUSTEE SALES

T.S. No.: 9987-3789 TSG Order No.: 8689545 A.P.N.: 6260-004-059 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09/18/2013. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD ATA PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NBS Default Services, LLC, as the duly appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust Recorded 09/24/2013 as Document No.: 20131383289, of Official Records in No.: 20131303289, of Official necords in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, executed by: ALEXIS D. VARGAS, A SINGLE MAN, as Trustor, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable in full at time of sale by cash, a cashier's check trawn by a state or national bank a check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and state, and as situated in said County and state, and as more fully described in the attached legal description. Sale Date & Time: 06/01/2017 at 10:00 AM Sale Location: Behind the fountain located in Civic Center Plaza, 400 Civic Center Plaza, Pomona CA The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 8228 - 8230 DEVENIR AVENUE, DOWNEY, CA 90242 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No.: 00000006579791 Title Order No.: 170036742 FHA/VA/PMI No.: ATTENTION RECORDER: THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY APPLIES ONLY TO COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR, NOT TO THIS RECORDED ORIGINAL NOTICE. NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 07/25/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU,

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Paramount High senior earns Div. 1 softball scholarship

PARAMOUNT – Paramount High School senior Desiree Renteria struggled to contain her emotions as she looked out at the cheering students, family members and homemade signs that filled her school's

Renteria was at the center of the excitement on May 17 during a ceremony that celebrated her signing a letter of intent to play softball at Howard University in the fall. She is the first Paramount High School student to earn a Division I softball scholarship.

"It means so much to be first because it shows everyone else that they can do it, too," Renteria said. "It's taken a lot of hard work to get here. There were times when I wanted to cry because I felt the stress of my workload, but I had so much support. Paramount is like a big family and everyone pushed me to be better."

During the celebration, several Paramount High students donned

Howard shirts and hats in support of Renteria. Interim Principal Dr.

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Downey Real Estate Market

In April, 2017 Downey had 66 new listings (up 16% from 2016) and 31 closed listings, (down 3% from 2016). The average sales price was \$600,687 which is up 11% from April of 2016. There is currently an inventory of 122 Downey homes for sale. Year to date, 140 homes averaging a selling price of \$586,275 have sold in the city of Downey. Report provided by the Greater Downey Association of REALTORS (DAOR)

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Damon Dragos spoke of her tireless work ethic, while Renteria's high school and club softball coaches joined family members in honoring her.

"We're so proud of what she's accomplished," Paramount softball coach John Guggiana said. "We're hoping this is the start of great things to happen for our athletic program and opens doors for future players."

Renteria has pushed herself throughout high school on and off the softball field. As a pitcher and infielder, she is a duel threat and serves as a team leader. In the classroom, she is an honors and AP student with a 3.9 GPA who is set to complete Paramount's career technical education (CTE) Patient Care Pathway Medical program.

At Howard, she will receive a combination of athletic and academic scholarships that will cover her cost of attendance.

Renteria's signing is the latest honor for a rising athletics program at Paramount High. In fall 2016, PHS senior Cianna Andrews signed to play volleyball at Sacramento State. In March, the boys varsity soccer squad captured the CIF-SS Division I Regional championship.

"Our athletic programs instill discipline in our students, which helps them pursue success in other arenas," Paramount Superintendent Dr. Ruth Pérez said. "Desiree is a shining example of what our students can achieve when they stay committed to their goals and lean on the strength of our community."

St. John Bosco enjoys successful first season of lacrosse

BELLFLOWER – In its first year as a CIF sport at St. John Bosco High School, the varsity lacrosse team qualified for the CIF Division II playoffs.

In the first round of the playoffs, the Braves were barely defeated by Valencia High School by a score of 14-12. The Braves finished with a record of 8 wins and 9 losses, with notable victories over Downey High School and Long Beach Poly.

The team is coached by Chris Jewett, who is a former NCAA lacrosse player at Providence College before establishing a coaching career at Brentwood High School, Peninsula High School in Palos Verdes, Mira Costa High School and Los Alamitos High School.

He joined St. John Bosco as varsity lacrosse coach in late 2016.

After a surprisingly successful season in its inaugural year, Coach Jewett commented, "I was super proud of the effort and determination this very young group displayed this season. For a first year CIF program, these boys certainly exceeded expectations and laid a wonderful foundation to grow Bosco Lacrosse.

We have a fantastic returning core of players including Myles and Isaiah Dolphin and Mitch Myers who won an astonishing 96% of the face-offs he took this season and scored over 30 goals. Bosco lacrosse has a bright and exciting future."





Marian Curtis honored

Downey resident Marian Curtis received a city proclamation May 19 in recognition of 50 years of service to the Assistance League of Downey.

At age 95, she is still very active with the Assistance League and works at the Second Tyme Around Thrift Shop as a volunteer.

Councilman Rick Rodriguez attended the ceremony to honor Curtis.



Longtime Downey residents Laurie Koerner and Alice Martinez paid their respects at American War Cemetery in Luxembourg.

Some 5,000 service members are buried there, with many losing their lives in the Battle of the Bulge.

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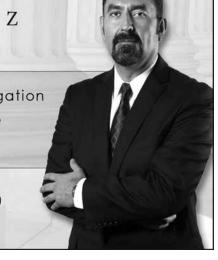
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Downey Ponytail shows appreciation to Steve Roberson

Steve Roberson, broker and owner of Century 21 My Real Estate, was recently honored for his support of Downey Ponytail Softball.

Below are remarks made by Annette Mendoza, first vice president of Downey Ponytail Softball:

"Steve Roberson has been a great inspiration and help to our Downey Ponytail League.

"Steve started coaching his granddaughter, Madison, a few years ago and reached out to me as a semi-mentor as it was his first year coaching. Steve has coached every seasons since - Spring and Fall ball.

"Steve has helped the board, especially myself, with small projects and city meetings for future projects. Steve has been able to help us with our team drafts and league meetings by lending us a room at his Downey Century 21 office, which we are more than grateful for.

not only to the league but the young girls he coaches.

"We presented Steve Roberson with a plaque thanking him for his hard work and dedication to Downey Ponytail league and its players."



Megan Henry, a senior form Warren High School, was chosen as the Girls Water Polo Player of the Year for the San Gabriel Valley League, and also selected as the ALL-CIF First Team for Southern California

Additionally in swim, after breaking a league record last year, Megan broke two more SGV league records this year, swimming a 25.35 on the 50 Free and a 1:12.53 on the 100 Breaststroke.

She then went on to place in CIF Finals bringing home medals in all four "Most of all, Downey Ponytail is most grateful for Steve for his dedication of her events: 200 Yard Medley Relay, 50 Free, 200 Yard Free Relay, and 100

> She will be graduating as a Distinguished Graduate with Honors June 1, and will be continuing on in athletics in college, as she has signed with CBU (Cal Baptist University) to play water polo for them in the fall.



Alex Meruelo and his Downey-based Meruelo Group have agreed to purchase the struggling SLS Las Vegas casino, previously known as the

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3 BD, 2 BA, remodeled kitchen, master bathroom, step-down den, corner house near cul-de-sac location in NW Downey.

REDUCED PRICE \$614,950



9 New Townhomes Built in 2016

ONLY 1 TOWNHOME LEFT! Each condo is 4 BD, 2.5 BA, kitchen comes with new appliances, hardwood floors, large master BD & BA. LIST PRICE: \$514,950



This One Won't Last!

3 BD, 2 BA home featuring living room & dining area, master BD, & family room with fireplace & vaulted ceilings, central A/C, inside laundry room, and spacious yard. LIST PRICE: \$549,950



Northeast Downey Townhome This 3 BD, 2 BA townhome has a master BD

with large bathroom and access to the upstairs balcony, 2 car attached garage, situated in a small gated community. LIST PRICE: \$475,000



Northeast Downey

4 BD, 3 BA pool home boasting beautifyl front landscaping, 2 year old concrete tile roof, & central A/C LIST PRICE: 849,950



9228 Otto, Downey 3 BD, 3 BA home with living room with fireplace, family room, formal dining room, master BD with private BA & updated kitchen.

LIST PRICE: \$849,950



12015 Julius, Downey

Spacious home with 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, approx. 1,549 sq. ft. of living space & a bonus room. LIST PRICE: \$525,000



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