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## Friends mourn Calvin Spencer, Bastards co-founder killed in motorcycle crash

**TRAGEDY:** Calvin Spencer, 30, was killed in a motorcycle collision Saturday on Paramount Boulevard.

**By Alex Dominguez**  
Staff Writer

**DOWNEY** – A deadly traffic collision over the weekend has left Downey, and more specifically, its veteran community, in mourning.

According to Downey Police, the crash occurred Saturday at approximately 7:53 pm when a motorcyclist traveling southbound on Paramount Boulevard collided with a black midsize SUV that was exiting the driveway of 11917 Paramount Blvd.

The motorcyclist, later identified by friends and family as 30-year-old Downey resident Calvin Spencer, died at the scene.

The driver of the SUV is described by authorities as a 79-year-old female resident of Downey. She has cooperated with the investigation and is not believed to have been driving under the influence, according to Downey Police Sgt. Jaime Pelayo.

However, Pelayo added that the investigation is still ongoing and there could be potential vehicular manslaughter charges pressed pending investigation findings.

Spencer was a Marine veteran and co-founder of Bastard's American Canteen in Downtown Downey.

The unexpected tragedy has left many in the community shaken. Mayor Pro Tem Rick Rodriguez described Spencer as "a gentleman that was constantly willing to help."

"This is a tremendous loss for our veteran community in Downey," said Rodriguez. "Calvin was a great young man that was a Downey purebred."

"To be killed in a car accident is beyond a tragedy. But I'll tell you that Calvin left a wonderful legacy of Marines and other service members by creating the Magnificent Bastards restaurant. By creating that restaurant and location, they provided a location for all members of all branches and their families to come and eat and celebrate their time in the service and celebrate America. Calvin's legacy will live on, I'll make sure of it."

The restaurant released a statement via Facebook the day following the accident, saying:

"Rest in Peace Calvin Spencer, our co-founder. Prayers go out to your family and friends. Due to unforeseen circumstances, we will be closed today. Last night, we lost [sic] a great Marine due to a motor vehicle accident. On behalf of the Bastards family, we are asking to respect his family's privacy and add them to your thoughts and prayers. Love you Calvin. You will be sincerely missed."



Bastards remained closed on Monday, with a small memorial consisting of flowers, candles, and other items accumulating outside the front door. Several individuals could be seen walking up to the front entrance to leave different gifts and tributes as well as to pay their respects.

On the inside, the restaurant was dark and empty save for a handful of Spencer's former business partners and Marines, huddled around a few tables with beers in hand.

"Calvin's our brother," said Nick Velez, a Marine veteran who opened Bastards with Spencer. "He was more than just a restaurant partner, he was more than just a guy that I served with. He was my brother, so this hurts us in every level."

Howie Sackett, who went to Warren High School with Spencer and served in the Marines with him, said that "Calvin would be the guy that we'd be going to right now."

"He was kind of the glue; he was such a chill person and he brought a lot of balance I think in everybody's life," said Sackett. "He really didn't think in a negative way. I don't think anybody would have a negative thing to say about him...in the shittiest times he'd always still make you laugh."

Manny Maeda, co-operator of Bastards, added that Spencer could "embrace the suck."

"In the midst of chaos and friction and everything that revolves around work and personal life, we truly saw Calvin as a support system, a cushion, a go-to because every single day his mindset was always a positive one no matter what it was, no matter what decision we had to

make," said Maeda. "Every single day I leaned on him to be able to solve any issue I had. He was that guy for me."

Maj. Scott Huesing, former Commanding Officer of Echo Company 2nd Battalion 4th Marines who Spencer served under, knew Spencer for about 12 years.

"As Calvin's company commander, as we trained and fought in Ramadi, Iraq – which was some of the bloodiest fighting in the war – to say that I knew every Marine in my company at a level wouldn't be true...Calvin was one of those Marines that really stood out," said Huesing.

"You're always told you shouldn't have favorites in your company as the leader, but like many, Calvin was one of my favorites because of that likeability, and that positive energy that he had and his ability to connect with everyone around him."

Velez says that he doesn't know when Bastards will reopen, opting to "take care of our brothers first," with Maeda adding that they're "taking it day by day."

"I hate to say this, but you take your friendship for granted sometimes," said Velez. "When they're gone, you know what part they played in the team...because you're never going to get that back."

"The man, the friend, the business partner, the brother that made everything mesh well is gone. This nation lost a great f---ing man on Saturday, and they'll never know it but he played a big part in where we are here today."

"I can't come into work, they can't come in here without having Calvin Spencer stamped all over it...it'll never be the same without him."

## Downey restaurant grades

**Hully Gully**  
9559 Imperial Hwy.  
Date Inspected: 1/26/18  
Grade: **B**

**Club DB Lounge**  
8206 E Firestone Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/26/18  
Grade: **A**

**Jimmy John's**  
12018 Lakewood Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/25/18  
Grade: **A**

**Ono Hawaiian BBQ**  
12028 Lakewood Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/25/18  
Grade: **A**

**Hollywood Smoothie**  
12074 Lakewood Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/25/18  
Grade: **A**

**Boston Cream Donuts**  
11903 Lakewood Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/25/18  
Grade: **A**

**20/20 Draft House**  
8228 Firestone Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/24/18  
Grade: **A**

**Cinnabon**  
251 Stonewood St.  
Date Inspected: 1/24/18  
Grade: **A**

**Sweet Fantasy Candy Shop**  
251 Stonewood St.  
Date Inspected: 1/24/18  
Grade: **A**

**Noodle World**  
8236 Firestone Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/24/18  
Grade: **A**

**Milkyway Tea House**  
8270 Firestone Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/24/18  
Grade: **A**

**Burger King**  
10014 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/23/18  
Grade: **A**

**Wateria**  
9909 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/23/18  
Grade: **A**

**Blizz Frozen Yogurt**  
10033 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/23/18  
Grade: **A**

**Boba Loca**  
10033 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/23/18  
Grade: **A**

**Pizza Hut**  
9111 Imperial Hwy.  
Date Inspected: 1/23/18  
Grade: **A**

**Granny's Donuts**  
8534 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/19/18  
Grade: **A**

**Toyito's Chicken & Pizza**  
8510 Paramount Blvd.  
Date Inspected: 1/18/18  
Grade: **A**

**Frantone's**  
9148 Telegraph Rd.  
Date Inspected: 1/18/18  
Grade: **A**

**Mr. M's Tacos**  
8642 Imperial Hwy.  
Date Inspected: 1/18/18  
Grade: **A**

## Weekend at a Glance

Friday 68°

Saturday 78°

Sunday 87°

## THINGS TO DO



### John Tesh

**Saturday - Downey Theatre, 8 pm**  
The Grammy-nominated pianist and composer performs live at the Downey Theatre. \$44 and up



### Casino Night

**Saturday - St. Pius X St. Matthias Academy, 6 pm**  
Dinner, music, dancing and casino games to benefit the private Catholic high school.



### Winter Blast 5K

**Saturday - Long Beach shoreline, 7:30 am**  
5K, 10k, 15k, or half marathon on a flat, open course. \$30-\$45



### Demetri Martin

**Saturday - The Theatre at Ace Hotel (DTLA), 8 pm**  
The comedian and 'The Daily Show' correspondent performs stand-up comedy. \$40 and up



### Pro Wrestling

**Friday - Santos Bros. Wrestling Academy in Bell Gardens, 8:30 pm**  
Live professional wrestling. In the main event, champion Douglas James faces Tyler Bateman in a submission match. \$20

## TWEETS OF THE WEEK

@NoBullet: It's so hard to find a Mexican restaurant in Downey. Said no one ever.

@CarolKearnsLA: Calvin's passing is such a loss to our community and all who knew him.

Follow us!  
@DowneyPatriot

## FEBRUARY 3

**John Tesh**  
**DATE:** Saturday, Feb. 3  
**TIME:** 8 pm  
**LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

## FEBRUARY 24

**Healthy Downey 5K**  
**DATE:** Saturday, Feb. 24  
**TIME:** 7:30 am  
**LOCATION:** Apollo Park

## Smart Gardening workshop

**DATE:** Saturday, Feb. 24  
**TIME:** 9:30 am  
**LOCATION:** Wilderness Park

## FEBRUARY 28

### Downey Chamber anniversary luncheon

**DATE:** Wednesday, Feb. 28  
**TIME:** 12 pm  
**LOCATION:** Embassy Suites

## MARCH 3

### Movie Night at the Columbia Memorial Space Center

**DATE:** Saturday, March 3  
**TIME:** 6:30 pm  
**LOCATION:** Columbia Memorial Space Center

## MARCH 10

### Era of a King: Elvis Presley tribute show

**DATE:** Saturday, March 10  
**TIME:** 7 pm  
**LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

## MARCH 17

**Arc Walk**  
**DATE:** Saturday, March 17  
**TIME:** 7:30 am  
**LOCATION:** Stonewood Center

## MARCH 18

**Treasure Island**  
**DATE:** Sunday, March 18  
**TIME:** 6 pm  
**LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

## MARCH 24

**Carnival of Champions**  
**DATE:** Saturday, March 24  
**TIME:** 9 am  
**LOCATION:** Warren High

## Brunch with the Bunny

**DATE:** Saturday, March 24  
**TIME:** 9:30 am  
**LOCATION:** Golden Park

## MARCH 26

**State of the City address**  
**DATE:** Monday, March 26  
**TIME:** 12 pm  
**LOCATION:** Rio Hondo Event Center

## MARCH 30

**'Animaniacs live**  
**DATE:** Friday, March 30  
**TIME:** 6 pm  
**LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

## APRIL 22

**Sara Evans in concert**  
**DATE:** Sunday, April 22  
**TIME:** 8 pm  
**LOCATION:** Downey Theatre

## MAY 5

**Downey Street Faire**  
**DATE:** Saturday, May 5  
**TIME:** 10 am to 3 pm  
**LOCATION:** Brookshire Avenue (between Firestone & 5th St.)

## JUNE 1

**Soroptimist casino night fundraiser**  
**DATE:** Friday, June 1  
**TIME:** 6 pm  
**LOCATION:** Rio Hondo Event Center

Calvin Spencer, left, and Nick Velez.

Photo courtesy Victor Mendoza



# Carrie Redfox is Doty Middle School's own Wonder Woman

**PROFILE:** Downey's Carrie Redfox provides social, emotional and academic support to students.

By Alex Dominguez  
Staff Writer

**DOWNEY** – Carrie Redfox got a call from the Downey Unified School District office. East Middle School was in a bit of a bind; they were suddenly and unexpectedly

without a sixth-grade counselor.

She was asked if she could "fill in."

"I thought, 'Oh yeah, I can fill in,'" said Redfox.

She never left.

Redfox wasn't always a counselor. Prior to what turned out to be a fateful call, she had spent several years as a teacher before her priorities changed.

"I taught second grade and third grade for about seven years, and during that time had two boys," said Redfox. "It got to the point where I really wanted to make them my primary focus and I wanted to just be home doing nothing but being mom, so I took some time off."

As her boys got older, the longtime Downey resident and Warren graduate realized she still had a desire to go back to work with kids, but not necessarily back in the classroom. She decided to pursue counseling, getting her master's degree in counseling and PPS credential at Point Loma University's satellite campus in Arcadia.

Currently in her 11th year as a counselor at the now Doty Middle School, Redfox is constantly kept on her toes.

"The cool thing about my job is it's never the same day twice; it's always different," said Redfox. "I work with sixth grade primarily, but my door is open to all students and parents, so I still have seventh and eighth graders coming to see me for different reasons, same as their

parents, which I love."

Redfox says she deals with a lot of the behind-the-scenes academic aspects of students' school experience, including student schedules and programs. She also runs several social clubs on campus, including Kid Connect, My Place, Project Respect and the Power Up girl's group. But there is also one other very important aspect of her job.

"A lot of my day is spent really with the social-emotional part to the student," said Redfox. "More than academic, it's talking to the kids about their feelings, their emotions...now, I spend most of my time dealing with kids that have social-emotional issues, or that they're not getting along with friends, or something's not going well at home and they need someone to talk to, so they knock on my door."

Redfox says that those issues run the gamut.

"I find that these young children are dealing with very adult issues," said Redfox. "You wouldn't think that an 11-year-old would come to you and talk about things that they



are, and asking for help in these areas that they should never be thinking about, talking about, being exposed to...some are dealing with difficult home life, some have a difficult time making friends, some have a difficult time in school – they don't like it, it's not their thing... you'd be surprised...what really do they have to be so concerned about at the age of 11?"

Redfox says she thinks a lot of what she sees is caused by excessive social media exposure.

"These kids are so immersed in the world around them in what this person has, who they should be or what they should look like... it's a scary place and kids have a lot of freedom, and with that freedom comes danger; they can get themselves in some trouble – sending pictures they shouldn't send, saying things they shouldn't say, visiting sites they should never visit."

"It has caused, I think, big problems because when I started 11 years ago, technology wasn't as big of a deal; we didn't have elementary kids with phones...kids on campus always have their phones."

Despite those difficulties, Redfox says she has the heart for her job.

"Honestly, I think God put me here and I'm not supposed to be anywhere else," said Redfox. "I may be helping them, but honestly I'm getting more from them than they're getting from me."

"I come home sometimes with a heavy heart based on my day because I've witnessed a lot, I've seen a lot and it just breaks my heart for some of the kids."

"But I do find some saving grace in the fact that maybe I can help a little bit just by being there, just being someone they can talk to."

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# Paramount pins Warren in wrestling showdown

**SPORTS:** Bears rally late but come up short against Paramount; league finals now coming up.

**By Mark Fetter Contributor**

**DOWNEY** – The Warren High School wrestling team was defeated by Paramount on Tuesday night, 40-30.

The match started at 152 pounds when **Sergio Rubio** of Warren was pinned. Warren's **Carlos Durazo** (160) was defeated 9-4 by D'Marco Rabon of Paramount and the Bears' **Andrew Martinez** (170) was defeated in a major decision 13-0. Paramount led 13-0 after three matches.

The Bears forfeited 182 but **C.J. Ruiz** of Warren pinned his opponent in 45 seconds to get Warren on the board. Warren's **Henry Acevedo** (220) was pinned as was heavyweight **Alex Rocha** (285). Paramount led 31-6 after seven matches.

Warren's **Carlos Vasquez** (106) won his match 4-0 over Wilbur Pineda and the Bears' **Sal Alvarez** (113) won his match by major decision 17-3 over Daniel Panegas. Warren's **Raul Rojas** (120) was pinned in the third

period of his match and Warren's **Joshua Mendoza** (126) pinned his opponent in 45 seconds. Paramount led 37-19 after 11 matches.

Warren's **Matthew Lopez** (132) had a forfeit, **Alan Elizalde** (138) was defeated 9-4 by Everest Cabrera and the Bears' **Allan Dillon** (145) won his match by technical fall 16-0. After the 14 matches were completed, Paramount came away with the 40-30 win.

Warren was defeated by cross-town rival Downey earlier this season and will now get ready for the C.I.F. Dual Meet championships and San Gabriel Valley League Finals.

**DOWNEY GIRLS SOCCER:** The Downey High School girls' soccer team currently has an overall record of 10-5-4 and are 5-1-1 in San Gabriel Valley League play.

The Lady Vikings defeated Dominguez, 3-0, on Tuesday and hosted Lynwood yesterday (score unavailable at press time). The Lady Vikings have played well thus far and are now gearing up for the end of league play and the postseason.

As it stands now in S.G.V.L. play, Warren is 17-2 overall and 7-0 in league play. Paramount is 10-5-

3 overall and 3-3-1 in league play and Lynwood is 6-10-2 overall and 2-4-1 in league play. Gahr is 6-10-3 overall and 2-4-1 in league play and Dominguez is 1-10-1 overall and 0-7 in league play.

**DOWNEY GIRLS BASKETBALL:** The Downey High School girls' basketball team currently has an overall record of 18-4 and are 5-1 in S.G.V.L. play.

The Lady Vikings defeated Paramount at Paramount 62-28 last Friday night. Downey hosted Dominguez on Wednesday night (score unavailable at press time) and will travel to Lynwood later today for their much-anticipated rematch with the Lady Knights. Downey was defeated by Lynwood at Downey 60-36 in their first game.

The Lady Vikings will host cross-town rival Warren at Downey next Tuesday and conclude their regular season when they host Gahr next Thursday night. As it stands now in S.G.V.L. play, Lynwood is 7-0, Downey is 6-1, Warren is 3-3, Gahr is 3-3, Dominguez is 1-5 and Paramount is 0-6.

Coach Harris, his staff and players are all looking forward to their rematch with Lynwood tonight

and an opportunity to share a piece of the league title. The C.I.F. playoffs are right around the corner and will begin after league play concludes.

**PIUS-MATTHIAS BOYS BASKETBALL:** The St. Pius X-St. Matthias Academy hosted the second annual "Match Up Day" at the SPXSMA gymnasium last Saturday. There were a total of six scheduled games to be played from 12-7:30 p.m.

It was an all-day event that featured hospitality provided by GPASCOUTI G. SPXSMA Athletic Director Chris Morrison who was proud to host this event and of the talent that was represented there.

The first game featured SPXSMA vs. Monroe at 12 p.m. SPXSMA defeated Monroe, 60-49. The second game featured Lakewood vs. Wiseburn-Da Vinci at 1:30 p.m. Lakewood defeated Wiseburn-Da Vinci 94-47. The third game featured St. John Bosco vs. Blair at 3 p.m. St. John Bosco defeated Blair 75-51.

The fourth game featured St. Paul vs. Inglewood at 4:30. St. Paul defeated Inglewood in a nail-biter, 51-50. The fifth game featured J. Serra vs. Cantwell-Sacred Heart at

6:00 p.m. J. Serra defeated Cantwell-Sacred Heart, 62-48.

The sixth and last game featured Serra vs. Fairmont Prep. at 7:30 p.m. Serra defeated Fairmont Prep 48-43.

The SPXSMA boys' basketball team currently has an overall record of 12-9 and are 2-4 in Santa Fe League play. The Warriors traveled to Verbum Dei to face the Eagles on Wednesday (score unavailable).

**MIDDLE SCHOOLS:** The third rotation of middle school sports has concluded and eight city championships have been claimed.

City championships were up for grabs in 6th, 7th and 8th grade boys' basketball as well as 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls' basketball. Two more city championships were up for grabs in varsity and junior varsity boys' soccer.

In 6th grade boys' basketball, Doty was the city champion with a record of 6-0. In 7th grade boys' basketball, Sussman was the city champion with a record of 6-0. Sussman also claimed the city championship in 8th grade boys' basketball with a record of 6-0.

In 6th grade girls' basketball,

Doty was the city champion with a record of 6-0. In 7th grade girls' basketball, Sussman was the city champion with a record of 6-0. In 8th grade girls' basketball, Doty was the city champion with a record of 6-0.

In varsity (8th grade) boys' soccer, Sussman was the city champion with a record of 5-1. In junior varsity (6th and 7th grade) boys' soccer, Griffiths was the city champion with a record of 6-0.

Sussman claimed four outright championships, Doty claimed three outright championships and Griffiths claimed one outright city championship. The fourth rotation of varsity and junior varsity baseball and softball will feature four more city championships up for grabs.

As it stands now after three rotations, Doty is leading with 6.83 championships, Griffiths is second with 4.83 championships, Sussman is third with 4.5 championships and Stauffer is fourth with 2.83 championships.

Track and field follows baseball/softball and will be the fifth and final rotation for the 2017-18 academic school year.

# Aaron Pico has officially arrived in MMA

**MIXED-MARTIAL ARTS:** Aaron Pico scores a first-round knockout in nationally-televised card.

**By William Odis Martin Contributor**

**WHITTIER** – Whittier's Aaron Pico has taken the MMA world by storm, finishing each of his last two opponents with highlight knockouts in the first round.

Last Saturday, Pico buckled Shane Kruchten with a devastating body blow to the liver, dropping the ex-marine just 37 seconds

into the bout and forcing the early stoppage by referee Mike Beltran (a Downey resident).

Pico's impressive left hook crushed Kruchten and could be heard all the way in to the nosebleed section of the Forum.

After the fight, Pico said, "I'm not the one to talk (expletive) and do all that stuff. I think that's petty. I'm a professional. I'm here to show up. Put anybody in front of me, I fight guys with winning records and that's what I do." He added, "I'm a fighter... I do my talking with my fists," said Pico.

His fists spoke loudly and with distinction on Saturday.

The 21-year-old's punching power has since gone viral, along with his victory celebration that resembles a matador out maneuvering an imaginary bull.

Pico has a long career ahead of him if he can remain healthy and continue to win fights. His skill coupled with his charisma will allow him to potentially become MMA's next superstar.

The young pugilist has fast, powerful hands, is well-rounded,

and doesn't shy away from a fight: a perfect recipe for the next great MMA prospect.

He is a proven wrestler who sharpened his teeth on the St. John Bosco mats before competing on the international level. Pico eventually finished in second place at the US Olympic trials in 2016 for wrestling and has since decided to focus strictly on his MMA career.

Despite his disappointing MMA debut against Zach Freeman as a lightweight, Pico is undefeated since dropping down to the featherweight division and is one of

the fighters to look out for in 2018.

Pico's performance in Bellator 192 was one of the most impressive finishes of the year so far, and a great follow up to his "KO of the Year" nominee against Justin Linn last year.


Pico has a world class Greco-Roman wrestling background and fists that have wrecked the last two featherweights Bellator has thrown into the cage with him. There is no question he has arrived and will continue to climb the featherweight rankings.



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# MAYOR'S CORNER: New businesses coming to Downey

Hello Downey,

This year promises to be a great year for Downey. Continuing with the Council's goal of Economic Vibrancy I am happy to welcome and announce some of the businesses coming to our city this year:

- Burlington
- Giant RV
- Kirkland's Home Décor
- LOUKS Greek Baby Donuts
- Movita Juice Bar
- Nexx Burger

With great additions such as these, it is no wonder that Downey was voted "Most Business Friendly City" by the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation.

Last month, the Downey Fire Department transitioned to paramedic engine companies. By reemploying the four firefighter/paramedics onto the four district fire engines, the city has doubled the number of advanced life support (ALS) units serving the city in a cost-effective manner.

Each of the city's four fire stations will now have a paramedic fire engine and an EMT ambulance capable of providing rapid lifesaving services. Thank you to Chief Mark Gillaspie and the entire Downey Fire Department for their continued efforts to keep our community safe.

The City of Downey is home to one of the busiest senior gathering centers in the area. The Barbara J. Riley Community & Senior Center offers a variety of services and classes, most of them at very little



or no cost. The Health & Wellness Workshops are offered twice a month and include free haircuts, exercise classes, craft courses and social lunch hours.

Caseworkers from the office of Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard offer resources such as legal and income tax assistance at no cost. For more information please contact the senior center at 562-904-7223 or you can view the City News and Parks & Recreation Guide on the city's website.

The Downey City Library also offers many programs for all ages. On Thursdays join the Book Lovers Club "Booked for Lunch". And Thursday nights join our staff for interactive and family friendly Craft Nights.

There are several volunteer opportunities in the community, one of them being the Keep Downey Beautiful project. This month's Clean Up is scheduled for Saturday, February 17 at 9 am. Meeting location will be at the parking lot on 8832 Imperial Hwy, near Barlin Avenue.

Keep Downey Beautiful also

hosts Smart Gardening Workshops and Recycling events. For more information on those events please contact the Public Works Department at 562-904-7102.

Another way to volunteer is to teach adults how to read. The Downey City Library invites you to share your skills, talents and commitment. They are in need of volunteers who are 18 years old or older to volunteer two or more hours per week.

For more information on how to get involved please contact the library at 562-904-7360.

This month join our team from the Columbia Memorial Space Center at Space Expo in Long Beach. The Space Expo brings together the space and entertainment industries in order to strengthen them by fostering interest and creating future scientists and engineers. The event will be on February 17 & 18. For more information about the expo and about other events the Columbia Memorial Space Center is having, please visit their website. Also don't forget, all students in the City of Downey are able to visit the

museum free of charge!

We are pleased to partner again this year with the Downey Unified School District True Lasting Connections Family Resource Center (TLC) for the Healthy Downey 5K Run/Walk. The event will be held on Saturday, February 24 at Apollo Park.

All proceeds from this collaborative event will benefit TLC to help continue their mission to assist families in our community. The event will also help to inspire healthy lifestyles and help us all get active. I hope you can join me in support of this great local cause.

I encourage our residents and businesses input and as always, I am available for any questions, ideas or concerns you may have.

**Sean Ashton Mayor**

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## Razorbacks announce board leadership

**DOWNEY** – Downey Youth Football -- also known as the Downey Razorbacks -- have announced its officers for the 2018 season.

Officers serve two-year terms.

New officers include Luis Vasquez, treasurer; Cathy Godinez, first vice president; and Jason Barnette, athletic director.

They join Carlos Carerra, second vice president; Kim Barnette, secretary; and Louis Morales, president, who will serve as president for an unprecedented 20th consecutive year.

Kick-off for the 2018 season will take place at "Back to Football Night" on Wednesday, March 14, at 7 p.m. at the Rio Hondo Event Center.

Practices start July 30 and the first game is Sept. 9. All home games are played at Downey and Warren high schools.

The Downey Razorbacks are part of the Pacific Coast Conference, which is a member of American Youth Football and the largest youth football organization in America with teams in all 50 states and 13 countries.

For more information, or if you are interested in coaching, call Louis Morales at (310) 350-0220 or go to [downeyrazorbacks.com](http://downeyrazorbacks.com).



**Louis Morales**

## Former UCLA quarterback visiting Porto's Saturday

**DOWNEY** – Former UCLA starting quarterback Patrick Cowan will be the special guest at a "Coffee Social Day" on Saturday, Feb. 3, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Porto's Bakery.

Coffee Social Day is an opportunity for family members of current UCLA students to foster connections on a regional level, and around the world. The event is part of the 2018 UCLA Parents' Coffee Social Day and is in its ninth year.

This year, the Southeast Bruins are co-sponsoring the event. Alumni are invited to participate as ambassadors, sharing UCLA knowledge and experiences with Bruin families.

Patrick Cowan started for the Bruins in 2006, leading UCLA to an upset of No. 2 USC. The win qualified the Bruins for the Emerald Bowl. Today, Cowan is director of parent philanthropy, young alumni and student giving at UCLA.

Event hosts are Cecilia Gonez (parent, class of 2018) and Ricardo Perez (alumnus, class of 2004). This is a no-host event and guests are responsible for purchasing their own food and beverages.

For more information, or to RSVP, email [rperez@alumni.ucla.edu](mailto:rperez@alumni.ucla.edu)

## Suspect arrested in Golden Park shooting

**DOWNEY** – Downey Police have confirmed that there was a shooting that took place at Golden Park on Monday morning.

According to Sgt. Leigh Lacey, the shooting suspect was identified by witnesses and taken into custody.

It's unclear if anyone was struck by the gunfire, police said.

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## OUR SYSTEM OF FAMILY-BASED IMMIGRATION WORKS FOR AMERICA

By Reps. **Judy Chu (D-Calif.)** and **Linda Sanchez (D-Calif.)**

Emiliana was born in the Philippines. Her father was a World War II veteran who fought for the United States and was able to become a citizen. However, he was forced to leave his family in the Philippines behind. When Emiliana's aging father started to need full-time care, he petitioned for her to join him. When it was granted, she, at the age of 60, moved from the Philippines to Oakland to be there for him.

This is what our family-based immigration system looks like. As Congress works to find a permanent, legislative solution to protect our nation's Dreamers, President Trump is focused on attacking this system. He derisively refers to it as "chain migration," a term that conjures up negative stereotypes of hordes coming into our country. In reality, our family-based immigration system has contributed to the success of America.

The current family reunification system has been in place since 1965, after the passage of the Immigration and Nationality Act. The law changed a decades-long discriminatory immigration system that favored Nordic Europeans and excluded those from elsewhere in Europe such as Italians and Jews, and completely banned Arabs and Asians.

It was President Kennedy that started the process to make the system more inclusive, and Sen. Ted Kennedy (D-Mass.) that shepherded the bill through Congress. Through much debate, Congress changed our immigration system so that it would be based on family reunification instead of ethnic exclusion. It established a system of preferences through which Americans could petition for family members. The bill passed with a strong bipartisan vote establishing the family immigration system we have today.

Years later, that bipartisan law, born of the civil rights era, is under fresh attack from myths and misunderstandings. It is a myth that an immigrant can bring dozens of family members over with them. There are no hordes of family members flooding into the United States, as Trump claims. Our system doesn't even allow one to petition for grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews. In fact, it often takes years or even decades to successfully reunite with one family member.

Further, before coming, the family sponsor must demonstrate financial means of support for their relative.

Since the immigration reforms of 1965, America's immigrants have grown much more diverse. They come not only from Europe, but from Mexico, Asia, Latin America, and yes, Africa.

President Trump believes that we should have a points-based system, or what he calls a "merit-based" system of immigration. However, the current system of family-based immigration works. Family members are a built in support network and help each other to integrate into America. They pool money together to start small businesses. They provide loans to each other when a bank won't. And relatives and grandparents often help to raise the children while parents are working hard at the American Dream. As a result, our immigrants are the epitome of the American success story.

Consider this, from the Center for American Progress: thanks in part to family immigration, immigrant-households who are well below the poverty line by as much as 200 percent are still less likely to rely on public benefits than a US-born household of similar income. Immigrants are buying homes at a faster rate than native-born Americans. And, true to the American Dream, this trend continues to the next generation. Compared to all Americans, the U.S.-born children of immigrants are more likely to go to college, and less likely to live in poverty.

We said all of this to White House Chief of Staff John Kelly in a meeting in the Capitol last week to ensure he understands the contributions that immigrants make to our nation. We let him know that immigrants who come in through family migration are more economically successful and less reliant on government aid. We told him in no uncertain terms that "chain migration" is an offensive and derogatory term that has no place in the conversation (and, for at least the remainder of ours, it did not). And we let him know that before making policy, the president should understand the facts.

Whether the president will adopt a more fact-based approach to immigration remains to be seen. But one thing is clear: family immigration already makes America great.

**Rep. Linda Sánchez, Vice Chair of the House Democratic Caucus, represents California's 38th Congressional District. Rep. Judy Chu, Chair of the Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus (CAPAC), represents California's 27th Congressional District.**

## DON'T CONFUSE IMMIGRATION WITH ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION

By **Walter E. Williams**

President Donald Trump reportedly asked why the U.S. is "having all these people from s---hole countries come here." I think he could have used better language, but it's a question that should be asked and answered.

I have a few questions for my fellow Americans to consider. How many Norwegians have illegally entered our nation, committed crimes and burdened our prison and welfare systems? I might ask the same question about Finnish, Swedish, Welsh, Icelanders, Greenlanders and New Zealanders.

The bulk of our immigration problem is with people who enter our country criminally from Mexico, Central America, the Caribbean, Africa and the Middle East. It's illegal immigrants from those countries who have committed crimes and burdened our criminal justice and welfare systems.

A large number of immigrants who are here illegally — perhaps the majority are law-abiding in other respects — have fled oppressive, brutal and corrupt regimes to seek a better life in America.

In the debate about illegal immigration, there are questions that are not explicitly asked but can be answered with a straight "yes" or "no": Does everyone in the world have a right to live in the U.S.? Do Americans have a right to decide who and under what conditions a person may enter our country? Should we permit foreigners landing at our airports to ignore U.S. border control laws just as some ignore our laws at our southern border?

The reason those questions are not asked is that one would be deemed an idiot for saying that everyone in the world has a right to live in our country, that Americans don't have a right to decide who lives in our country and that foreigners landing at our airports have a right to just ignore U.S. Customs and Border Protection agents.

Immigration today, even when legal, is different from the immigration of yesteryear. People who came here in the 19th century and most of the 20th century came here to learn our language, learn our customs and become Americans.

Years ago, there was a guarantee that immigrants came here to work, because there was no welfare system; they worked, begged or starved. Today, there is no such assurance. Because of our welfare state,

immigrants can come here and live off taxpaying Americans.

There is another difference between today and yesteryear. Today, Americans are taught multiculturalism throughout their primary, secondary and college education. They are taught that one culture is no better or worse than another. To believe otherwise is criticized at best as Eurocentrism and at worst as racism.

As a result, some immigrant groups seek to bring to our country the cultural values whose failures have led to the poverty, corruption and human rights violations in their home countries that caused them to flee.

As the fallout from President Trump's indelicate remarks demonstrates, too many Americans are afraid and unwilling to ask which immigrant groups have become a burden to our nation and which have made a contribution to the greatness of America.

Very unfortunate for our nation is that we have political groups that seek to use illegal immigration for their own benefit. They've created sanctuary cities and states that openly harbor criminals — people who have broken our laws. The whole concept of sanctuary cities is to give aid, comfort and sympathy to people who have broken our laws. Supporters want to prevent them from having to hide and live in fear of discovery. I'd ask whether, for the sake of equality before the law, we should apply the sanctuary concept to Americans who have broken other laws, such as robbers and tax evaders.

We should not fall prey to people who criticize our efforts to combat illegal immigration and who pompously say, "We're a nation of immigrants!" The debate is not over immigration. The debate is over illegal immigration.

My sentiments on immigrants who are here legally and who want to become Americans are expressed by the sentiments in Emma Lazarus' poem "The New Colossus," which is on a plaque inside the Statue of Liberty and in part says, "Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to breathe free."

**Walter E. Williams is a professor of economics at George Mason University.**

## What Americans sacrificed for modest economic gain

By **Froma Harrop**

"America is roaring back," Donald Trump pitched to the global elite gathered in Davos, Switzerland. Those back home should be asking two questions: How loud, really, is that roar? (The economy's, not Trump's.) And what price are Americans paying for his approach to growth?

The Davos billionaires are not unimpressed by the opportunities offered by the grand deregulator. If the United States wants to let their mining companies ravage its public lands, why would they stop it? Energy Fuels, a Canadian uranium producer, successfully lobbied the Trump administration to shrink the Bears Ears National Monument in Utah by 85 percent.

If the U.S. permits the world's financial predators to go after ordinary Americans with abusive loans and such, well, there's money in that. And who in Davos is going to argue against lower taxes on their investments?

Speaking of investments, the U.S. stock market has performed admirably in Trump's first year. No denying that. But the globally oriented know that others are doing better. As The Wall Street Journal reports, "foreign stock returns edged out those in the U.S. last year for the first time since 2012."

As for this year so far, stock yields in dollars have risen by a higher percentage in France, Germany and Sweden than in the United States, according to Morgan Stanley Capital International. Just don't tell America's little people that France, Germany and Sweden enjoyed these gains without dismantling their generous universal health care systems. Their populations would never put up with it.

In a 2016 presidential debate, Trump vowed to raise American economic growth by 4 percent a year — hey, maybe 6 percent. "We're bringing (the gross domestic product) from 1 percent up to 4 percent," he assured voters. "And I actually think we can go higher than 4 percent."

For the record, real GDP grew by 2.3 percent last year. That was not bad, though nowhere near 4 percent.

In Obama's last year in office, real GDP rose only 1.5 percent. But for two years under Obama, it grew faster than Trump's 2.3 percent. Guess

Obamacare didn't destroy the economy after all.

The Affordable Care Act certainly wasn't the nation's "biggest job killer" as Ted Cruz once stated with great confidence. The U.S. added 2.24 million jobs in 2016, Obama's last full year in office. That's more, by the way, than the 2.06 million jobs created in Trump's first calendar year.

A trade war would be no fun for the American economy, especially for farmers so dependent on export markets. The attendees at Davos also find Trump's hostility to multinational trade deals worrisome, as well as baffling.

There must have been some silent guffawing when Trump said that the U.S. may re-enter the Trans-Pacific Partnership. This is the 12-nation trade pact that he pulled the United States out of the first Monday of his presidency. The assembled knew full well that a few days before the Davos speech, the other 11 TPP members had agreed to create a trade

## A rigged game only Amazon will win

By **Jim Hightower**

In September, the giant retail monopolist Amazon announced its intention to build a second corporate headquarters in Someplace, North America.

Where's that? Aha, that's the trick in a corporate game called "Fleece the Taxpayer."

CEO Jeff Bezos demanded that cities submit a list of bribes (excuse me, "incentives") they would pay to get Amazon to put what he calls HQ2 in their place.

Yes, the haughty Amazonian royals actually commanded our public officials to bring all the jewels, gold, and other taxpayer booty they have and kiss Bezos' ring just to be considered for HQ2. In one stroke, taxpayers all across America were pitted against each other in a bidding war.

Amazon even listed specific incentives that each supplicant should offer. First was a "business-friendly environment." Then, urging hopefuls to "think big" when offering freebies, the directive demanded contributions of "land, site preparation, tax exemptions, relocation grants, workforce grants, utility grants, and fee reductions."

bloc without our participation. They're moving on.

So what have Americans given up for this kind of economic growth? They've been held back from fully participating in the booming green energy economy — a Trumpian payoff to the fossil fuel interests. Their health coverage is in jeopardy, and in coal country, so is their health. Meanwhile, the country's precious (and priceless) natural heritage is being sold off piece by piece.

Rising deficits, made worse by the new tax law, threaten a recovery already old by historical standards. When things turn south, as will inevitably happen, there will be a reckoning. And many Americans will ask, Were the gains worth what we lost?

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### Zoning changes

Dear Editor:

Re: "City Council Taking Closer Look at Zoning Code," (1/11/18)  
This study could look very bad for the City Council. Connect the dots:  
\*citizen spends approximately \$1.5 million on two lots with zoning adverse to his projected purpose

- \*citizen gives free office space to person running for City Council
- \*the person getting the free office space wins a seat on the City Council
- \*citizen seeks zoning variance and is denied (said councilman correctly abstains from voting)
- \*city council calls for zoning study
- \*will the citizen get his zoning variance?

If the particular lot that is in question [Downey Avenue and 2nd Street] is rezoned in favor of said citizen, then some people are going to think that the City Council created a straw man so that they are clear of any suspicion. The City Council can remedy this by excluding said property from the study. No zoning change on Downey Avenue.

The current City Council is one of the best that I have seen in Downey in almost 40 years and I would not like to see them open themselves to this kind of doubt.

**Kenneth Stallcup**  
Downey

### Lack of variety in Downey restaurants

Dear Editor:

As I drove by the Downey Landing and saw the closed Elephant Bar Restaurant one sunny afternoon, I thought to myself, "Oh, I can't wait to see what restaurant will open there" and "hope it's not another Mexican restaurant." Well turns out it is. ("El Pescador Coming to Downey," 1/25/18)

I have nothing against El Pescador, Mexican food, and especially a family-run business. It's just I was really hoping for something different like TGI Fridays, Wood Ranch or Outback. Come on Downey, we need more of a variety of restaurants for our community!

There are enough Mexican restaurants in Downey, almost on every corner from Lakewood and Gallatin to Old River School Road, down Paramount and through Firestone. Not to mention the one still under construction right in the heart of Downey.

What happened to comfort food, steak and potatoes? A menu with variety for everyone? I mean how much chips and salsa can we have (just kidding, I can eat those all day), but you see what I mean. The Downey Promenade offers a good variety of business and is still growing as does Stonewood Mall.

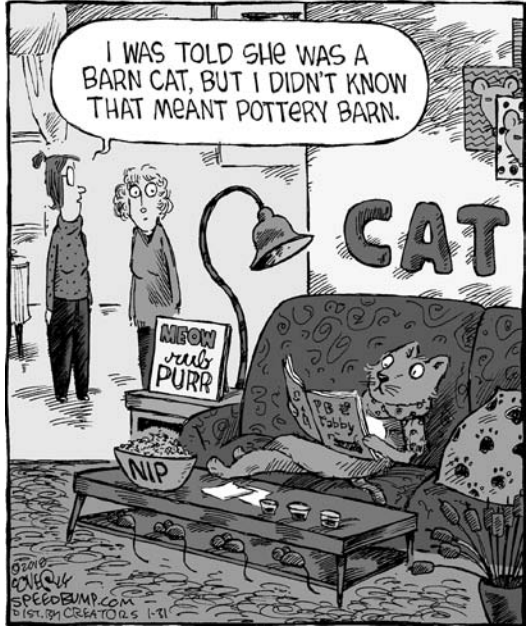
I wish nothing but good luck to El Pescador at the Downey Landing but in the future please, Downey, let in some new businesses with variety to our beautiful, growing city.

**Nora Rodriguez-Ortiz**  
Downey

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# 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 am: Quilters group, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, call 803-4459.  
 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 Alex Lopez 441-7947.  
 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 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 Cheryl 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., 3:30 pm: Keep Downey Beautiful, at City Hall, call 904-7102.  
 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

#### THURSDAYS

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 am: Crafters group, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, call 803-4459.  
 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.

#### FRIDAYS

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.

#### SATURDAYS

9 am: Farmers Market, Downey Avenue at 3rd Street, call 904-7246.  
 4th Sat., 12:00 pm: Downey Arts Coalition, email contact@downeyarts.org.

## On This Day...

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- 1919:** The first Miss America was crowned in New York City
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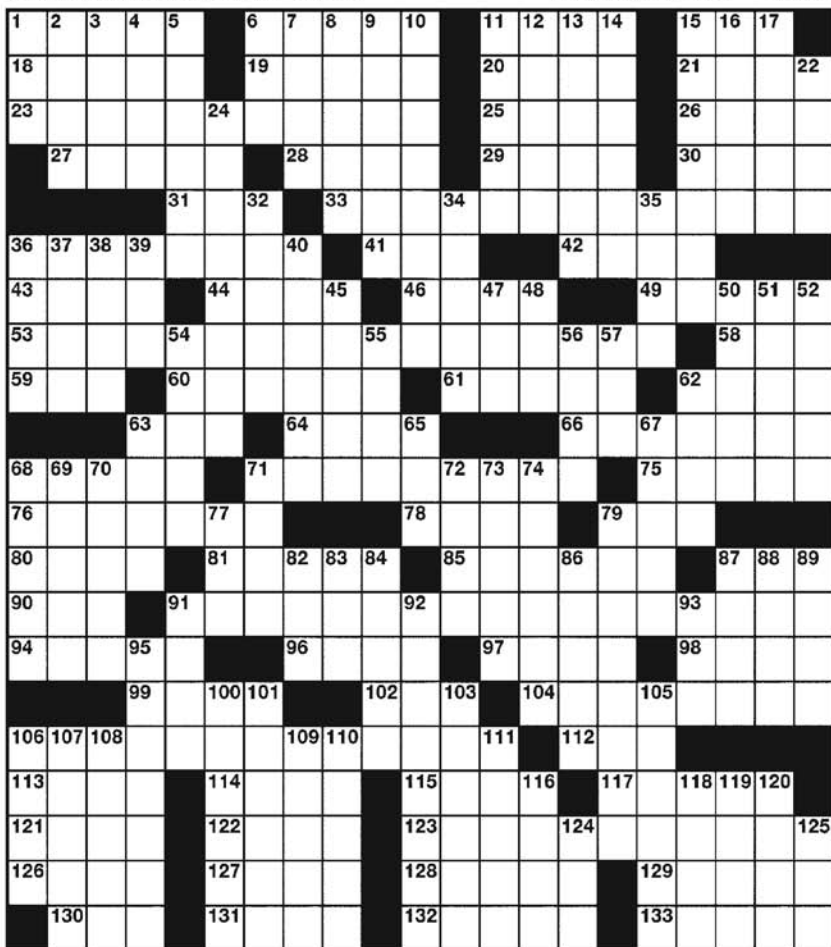
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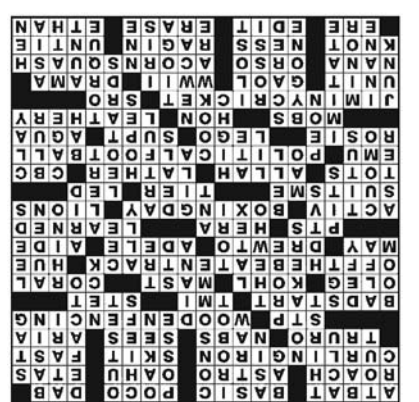


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# Cerritos places regulations on marijuana cultivation

**CERRITOS** – The City Council recently approved amendments to Cerritos' marijuana/medical marijuana regulations, expanding its prohibition of marijuana and medical marijuana businesses, uses and activities.

The Medicinal and Adult Use Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (MAUCRSA), which went into effect on January 1, 2018, authorizes the State of California to issue licenses for both medicinal and adult-use/recreational marijuana businesses in 20 different categories, including: cultivation, dispensaries, manufacturing, testing, retail, distribution and microbusiness.

However, MAUCRSA also gives local jurisdictions the right to prohibit the establishment or operation of any or all of the 20 categories. The City of Cerritos has adopted an ordinance that expressly prohibits all commercial marijuana and medical marijuana activities and uses, including the 20 categories outlined under MAUCRSA. All commercial marijuana and medicinal marijuana activities and uses within the City of Cerritos will be considered public nuisances and will be subjected to general penalties, infractions or misdemeanors. Delivery of commercial and medicinal marijuana also is prohibited.

In response to the state proposition legalizing marijuana use passed by California voters in 2016, the City Council previously approved a municipal code amendment regarding the cultivation of the plant within Cerritos boundaries.

Under the City ordinance, outdoor cultivation of marijuana remains prohibited, in addition to the indoor personal cultivation of more than six living plants, subject to review and approval by the Department of Community Development.

Applicants must also consent to the City conducting random inspections at the property.

**LICENSE PLATE READERS:** The Cerritos Sheriff's Station recently added three new Ford Explorer patrol vehicles to its fleet that feature Automatic License Plate Reader (ALPR) technology. Cerritos deputies now deploy a total of five ALPR-equipped vehicles daily to aid them in their crime suppression efforts. The original two ALPR equipped vehicles were introduced to the Station's fleet in 2016.

The new patrol vehicles are equipped with the most updated version of ALPR technology. They feature four roof-mounted, high-resolution, infrared digital cameras providing 360 degree coverage and a computer that automatically photographs, geo-tags and instantly checks the license plate number of every vehicle that passes within proximity of the ALPR cameras.

The ALPR system immediately notifies the patrolling deputy if a scanned license plate belongs to a stolen vehicle, a person with an outstanding warrant or other persons of interest. The Cerritos Sheriff's Station's crime analyst and detectives utilize the scanned license plate data to locate possible witnesses and suspects.

"These additional ALPR-equipped patrol vehicles are a welcome tool that will assist our deputies in keeping our community safe," remarked Cerritos Mayor Grace Hu.

**FESTIVAL OF FRIENDSHIP:** Celebrate Cerritos' rich cultural diversity at the city's Festival of Friendship from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday, February 3.

The City of Cerritos and the Let Freedom Ring Committee, in conjunction with the Los Cerritos Center, are presenting the event. The festival will be held in the Los Cerritos Center.

The Festival of Friendship will feature a variety of cultural entertainment on two stages. Local groups will perform an assortment of songs and

dances.

Special commemorative gifts will be distributed at each stage between performances. For more information, call the City's Recreation Services Division at (562) 916-1254.

**HOMEGOODS:** The City Council has reviewed and approved a sublease agreement for HomeGoods Inc. to open at the Cerritos Towne Center.

The store will occupy the 24,000-square-foot space that was formerly occupied by Golfsmith.

**TRAFFIC SIGNAL:** The Caltrans Highway Safety Improvement Program awarded Cerritos a \$360,000 grant for traffic signal improvements at Bloomfield Avenue and 166th Street.

The project calls for modifying the existing traffic signal to make it a fully protected signal for drivers making left turns.

The project includes a design phase and a construction phase. The design phase is estimated to cost \$54,000. Once the design phase is completed, Caltrans allows the remaining funds to be used toward construction.

**MASON CONTRACTS:** The Cerritos City Council has awarded masonry maintenance contracts to Ruiz Concrete & Paving, Inc. of Long Beach and Golden State Constructors of Placentia.

The contracts are for a period of one year with the option to extend them for up to four separate one-year terms. By retaining two masonry companies, the City is able to respond more quickly to issues as they arise.

**PARK ACCESSIBILITY:** The Cerritos City Council has approved the use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to improve accessibility at Reservoir Hill Park and Gridley Park East.

Approximately \$148,203 will be allocated toward removing physical barriers at the properties to make them more compliant with the Americans With Disabilities Act. About 9,539 square feet of new rubberized material is expected to be installed at the playground areas of both parks, making them more accessible for people with disabilities.

Funds are expected to be disbursed to the city in July 2018 and construction is anticipated to be completed by June 2019.

# Downey man is finalist for innovation prize

**DOWNEY** – A Downey man has been named a finalist for the 2017-18 Westly Prize for Young Innovators of California, an award given annually to social entrepreneurs under age 28.

From these finalists, four will be selected to each win a \$30,000 grand prize. Honorable mentions will be awarded \$5,000.

Downey's Ben Alemu was nominated for his creation of SENDforC, a national network of student mentors designing high-impact educational service programs and entrepreneurial initiatives for underserved schools.



Ben Alemu

The award is presented by the Westly Foundation.

Other finalists include:

Helen Zou (Palo Alto), creator of FreeWill, a free online tool to help users make legal wills

Miranda Wang (Mountain View), creator of BioCollection, a proprietary thermochemical process that can turn unrecyclable plastic waste into sustainable material

Maya Sussman (Palo Alto), creator of Practica, a mobile platform that helps non-native English speakers improve their spoken English and expand their employment opportunities

Kartik Sawhney (Stanford), creator of NextBillion, a mentorship program for students with disabilities interested in tech

Demetri Maxim (Stanford), creator of Novel, an inexpensive and non-invasive device that can detect chronic kidney transplant rejection in 20 minutes for less than \$5

Kevin Madrigal (San Francisco), creator of Farming Hope, which provides homeless individuals with transitional jobs in gardening and cooking

Kana Hammon (San Francisco), creator of YCore, which promotes social impact by equipping young professionals with the tools to impact their community

Berk Coker (Redwood City), creator of Teach FX, a personalized professional development tool for teachers that uses machine learning to provide them with daily metrics about the dialogue happening in their classroom

Jack Amend (Los Angeles), creator of Web Neutral Project, a comprehensive certification that calculates, reduces and neutralizes the carbon footprint of websites.

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## Downey resident hides decorated rocks to spread positivity

**SPREADING CHEER:** Kandy Grzebyk decorates and then hides rocks for residents to find.

By Alex Dominguez  
Staff Writer

**DOWNEY** – Batman in a tree. A “Despicable Me” minion on a park playground. A bird on the steps of the theatre.

It may sound like a silly cartoon show, but in fact, it is one Downey resident’s way of spreading positivity in her community.

You’ve probably heard Kandy Grzebyk’s name before, especially on social media; she’s the creator and moderator of Downey’s Crime Watch Page on Facebook.

Covering crime constantly can bog anyone down in the negativity, so when Grzebyk discovered a page called “Positively Bellflower,” she decided that a similar page for Downey would make the perfect foil to the crime watch.

“The crime page is all bad stuff,” said Grzebyk. “Everyone is saying how, ‘Downey’s terrible,’ there’s a lot of good here, and that way people see that too.”

While still in its infancy, the Positively Downey page has already attracted more than 1,300

members, many of which participate in daily discussions about favorite locations, memories, and people in the community.

And now, another borrowed activity from Bellflower has taken the group by storm.

“There’s a little old lady on [Positively Bellflower] who paints rocks, and the kids just go crazy for it,” said Grzebyk. “People ask her all the time, ‘Can you paint it and hide it with their name on it,’ or whatever. So, it seemed like it would be fun for our kids to do.”

Grzebyk started with a handful of rocks from her yard and painted several different designs and characters on each. Once they were completed, Grzebyk and her husband and son spent an evening hiding them at the Downey Library, Downey Theatre, Dennis the Menace Park, and Furman Park.

Once all the rocks were in place, Grzebyk alerted the Positively Downey page to start looking.

The first rock – a small, blue bird – was found near the steps at the Downey Theatre later that same

evening just after midnight. Several others followed the next morning.

Grzebyk encourages all community members to participate, whether that means searching for existing rocks or painting and hiding their own.

“I kind of hoped people would pay it forward,” said Grzebyk. “Just have fun. Paint them and tell people where they are...people like it; it seems like they’re having fun. We’re excited to see when they post them.”



Kandy Grzebyk holds rocks she decorated and hid throughout Downey.

Photo by Alex Dominguez

## OBITUARY: Kevin Towers, former baseball GM, dies of cancer

**SAN DIEGO** – Kevin Towers, whose 14-year tenure as general manager of the San Diego Padres included an appearance in the 1998 World Series, has died from complications of cancer. He was 56.

Friend and former agent Barry Axelrod said Towers died Tuesday at a hospital. Towers’ wife, Kelley, was at his side.

Towers was diagnosed with a rare form of thyroid cancer a little more than a year ago.

Axelrod said Towers was admitted to a hospital with fluid on his lungs a few days ago, and friends and family members thought he would be able to go home Tuesday.

As he spoke last week about being elected to the Hall of Fame, former Padres closer Trevor Hoffman grew emotional when he mentioned Towers’ influence on his career.

Towers also was general manager of the Arizona Diamondbacks for four seasons, including 2011, when they won the NL West title in a 29-game turnaround from their last-place finish the previous year.

Towers was born in Medford, Oregon, was a first-round draft pick and pitched in the minor leagues for seven seasons before arm injuries ended his playing career in 1988. He served as a scout and pitching coach for the Padres before being promoted to director of scouting in 1993 and was named Padres general manager in 1995.

**INGVAR KAMPRAD:** Ingvar Kamprad, the IKEA founder who turned a small-scale mail order business into a global furniture empire, has died at 91, the company said Sunday.

IKEA Sverige, the chain’s Swedish unit, said on Twitter that Kamprad died Saturday at his home in Smaland, southern Sweden. Later it said he died peacefully following a short illness.

Kamprad’s life story is intimately linked to the company he founded at age 17 on the family farm.

His work ethic, frugality and down-to-earth style remain at the core of its corporate identity today. But his missteps in life, including early flirtations with Nazism, never rubbed off on IKEA, one of the world’s most recognizable brands.

Kamprad formed the company’s name from his own initials and the first letters of the family farm, Elmtaryd, and the parish of Agunnaryd where it is located. It’s in the heart of Smaland, a forested province whose people are known in Sweden for their thrift and ingenuity. Kamprad possessed both.

Later in life, his name often appeared on lists of the world’s richest men, but he never adopted the aura of a tycoon. He drove a modest Volvo and dressed unassumingly. In a 1998 book that he co-authored about IKEA’s history, he described his habit of visiting vegetable street markets right before they closed for the day, hoping to get a better price.

He moved to Switzerland in the late 1970s to avoid paying Swedish taxes, which at the time were the highest in the world. He decided to return home only after his second wife Margaretha died in 2011.

## Rancho CEO resigns to lead county hospital

**DOWNEY** – Jorge Orozco, chief executive officer at Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center, announced Wednesday he was resigning to accept the same job at L.A. County-USC Medical Center.

“Although this was a very difficult decision, the opportunity to serve the community where I was raised and to help transform an already great institution into a world-class organization is one

that I could not pass up,” Orozco wrote in a letter announcing his departure.

Orozco worked at Rancho Los Amigos in various capacities for the 29 years. He had served as CEO since 2007.

“Like Rancho, LAC+USC Medical Center represents a personal commitment to serve a community that has given me so much,” Orozco said.

“It provides care to my family and friends, it inspired me to become a physical therapist when I volunteered there at age 18.”

Orozco’s letter didn’t indicate when his last day at Rancho would be.

“I am so proud to be part of the Rancho family and I am excited that the Rancho campus will finally reflect the quality of the people and services here,” Orozco said, referring to a \$418 million hospital

renovation currently underway.

“Thank you for teaching me about teamwork, compassion, clinical excellence, resilience and what truly is important in life.

“I will always consider Rancho and DHS [Department of Health Services] my home, therefore this is not a goodbye; this is just moving across town.”

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## NEW ON NETFLIX: 'American Pie,' 'Ocean's Eleven,' 'Jeepers Creepers'



Netflix's reboot of "Queer Eye" premieres Feb. 7.

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## NEW ON HULU: 'One Tree Hill,' 'Cougar Town,' 'Star Trek'



"One Tree Hill," which left Netflix in October, is now streaming on Hulu

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| <p><b>FEBRUARY 1</b><br/>Cougar Town: Complete Series<br/>Dirt: Complete Series<br/>Everwood: Complete Series<br/>Face Off: Complete Seasons 1-10<br/>Nightcap: Season 2<br/>One Tree Hill: Complete Series<br/>Real Humans: Seasons 1-2<br/>A Date for Mad Mary<br/>A Fish Called Wanda<br/>Agent Cody Banks<br/>Agent Cody Banks 2: Destination London<br/>Akeelah and the Bee<br/>Amelie</p> | <p>American Idiots<br/>The Animal<br/>An Officer and a Gentleman<br/>Asterix &amp; Obelix: Mission Cleopatre<br/>The Benchwarmers<br/>Black Spurs<br/>Blazing Saddles<br/>Casi Divas<br/>Charm School<br/>Confessions of A Dangerous Mind<br/>The Cutting Edge<br/>The Cutting Edge: Going for the Gold<br/>Daybreakers<br/>Gang Related</p> |
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He Said, She Said  
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Running Scared  
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Slow Burn  
The Spirit  
The Swan Princess: Royally Undercover  
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## SEAACA drops adoption price to \$14 one day only

**DOWNEY** – The Southeast Area Animal Control Authority (SEAACA) will offer dog and cat adoptions for only \$14 on Saturday, Feb. 10.

The special rate applies to dogs 1 year or older and cats 8 weeks and older. The fee includes spay/neuter, microchip, flea treatment, and first set of vaccines.

## In Paramount, middle school students get head start on medical curriculum

**EDUCATION:** Paramount Unified offering five-month elective course in medical training.

**PARAMOUNT** – Alondra Middle School's medical detectives will now be able to work with Paramount High School's medical pathway students to explore human physiology, check vital signs and practice CPR on training dummies through a plan aimed at creating a smooth transition between the two programs.

Class leaders connected Alondra's Project Lead The Way (PLTW) program to Paramount High's PLTW program to improve participation in college and career pathway programs, and to give middle schoolers insight into high school life.

"This transition will give our students progressive exposure into the pathways available to them and what they can continue studying

in high school," sixth-grade Earth science teacher and medical detectives' instructor Jennifer Halliburton said.

"I love PLTW because it provides exposure to students for subjects that they wouldn't normally get the chance to see at the middle school level."

Alondra's PLTW program, started during the 2016-17 school year, is a five-month elective course that offers medical, architecture, app creation and graphic design classes to seventh- and eighth-graders. It connects with Paramount High's program goals for providing students with academic and technical instruction to prepare them for the job market.

Twenty-three Alondra students made their inaugural visit to Paramount High on Jan. 10, where they were mentored by high schoolers and used the campus' medical facilities.

Alondra's program provides students with an introduction to medicine by teaching human anatomy, first aid and various jobs in the medical field. The program's name comes from an in-class activity where students solve a murder mystery using medical techniques.

Halliburton said the connection between programs already has helped several students decide to continue their medical interests when they enter Paramount High. She also said the next batch of medical students will visit Paramount High at the end of the school year.

"Our Project Lead The Way programs are shining examples of how our District strives to provide our students with important skills that can be used in college and in their careers," Superintendent Dr. Ruth Pérez said. "These programs



create an important drive in our students because they strengthen their interest in considering a variety of careers until they select one that fits best."

## POETRY MATTERS

### Homeless

My son lives on the streets.  
We don't see each other much.  
Like a mother who puts white lilies  
on the headstone of a dead child,  
I put money into his bank account,  
clothes into E-Z Access storage  
and pretend he's far away—  
at a boarding school, or in a foreign country.  
Nights, I dream fairy tales about him.  
I dream he becomes a prince,  
scholar or warrior who rescues me  
from sorrow, the way he rescued me  
when he was a child and said,  
"Mommy, don't cry," and brought tea  
into the room of his father's acrimony—  
brave, standing tall in the forest  
fire of his father's scorn. I wake  
to the empty sound of wind in the trees.  
He says he wants to live with me.  
I say I can't live with him—  
boy whose words crash like branches in a rain storm.  
Nothing can hold him in,  
the walls of a house too thin.  
Back home, I had seen  
the "study-hard-so-you-don't-become-like-them"  
street bums on Mamo Street,  
and he's like them.  
These days, in order to catch a glimpse of him,  
I circle the city. One day,  
I see him on his bike.  
People give him wide berth,  
the same way birds avoid power lines,  
oncoming cars or trees.  
I park on a side street.  
Wild-eyed, he flies the block  
as if in a holding pattern.  
Not of my body, not of my hopes,  
he homes in on what can't be given or taken away.

—Juliet Kono, from *Tsunami Years* (Bamboo Ridge Press, 1995)

Homelessness is a complex social problem which Kono shows from a parent's point of view. A Hawaiian poet, a former police dispatcher who took up writing while on the job, Kono has taught at Wellesley College and MIT. Poetry Matters is curated by Lorine Parks.

## Shared Stories: Thank You and Goodbye

Dora Silvers recalls a dedicated doctor who worked night and day to provide needed treatment for her premature infant with hyaline membrane disease. 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 Dora Silvers

I was reading the Press-Telegram and came across the obituary column for Dr. Brown McDonald, my obstetrician in 1958.

I remember when I was expecting my fourth child, and Dr. McDonald said, "It would be nice if you had a girl, since you have three boys." My baby was due on March 30, but I went to the hospital on February 8.

When he delivered my baby, Dr. McDonald said, "Dora, you have a little girl."

I said, "Ouch!"

Dr. McDonald said, "I thought you wanted a girl."

The nurse said, "Come back and catch the other baby."

The reason I said "ouch" was because I was having another labor pain. I delivered twins, a girl and a boy. They were two minutes apart. I was not

expecting twins.

My son Neil was born with hyaline membrane disease. This is when the mucous lines the lungs. President Kennedy lost a baby boy from this disease. The baby was put on a lung machine to drain the mucous, and it was on the TV news. But the baby died.

Dr. McDonald decided to drain the baby's lungs manually with a syringe. Dr. McDonald was there night and day, for four days. On the fourth day, Dr. McDonald told me the baby was in good health. I would be able to take him home when he reached five pounds, which was in two weeks.

I believe that Dr. McDonald saved my baby's life. Today Neil is 59 and has been running since he was 12. Neil and his twin sister ran a marathon in Huntington Beach on their 50th birthday.

I worked with the March of Dimes. Through research a preventative measure is taken. While the mother is pregnant, a test is given. Usually it is a premature male baby. A small amount of testosterone is injected into the baby. The baby is born without the lung problem.

We have come a Long Way for Baby. That is the theme of the March of Dimes. I am sad to hear about my wonderful, caring doctor passing away. I have such good memories of his dedication.

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Technical studies for the project are still underway. We invite you to join us for a project update.

Agenda and presentation materials will be the same for all meetings. Please attend the community meeting that is most convenient for you.

#### Join Us!

**Tuesday, February 6, 2018**  
6 - 8pm  
Pico Rivera Senior Center  
9200 Mines Av  
Pico Rivera, CA 90660

**Wednesday, February 7, 2018**  
6 - 8pm  
Lakeside Middle School  
11000 Kenney St  
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**\*Thursday, February 8, 2018**  
6 - 8pm  
California Country Club  
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\*Live Webcast: You can also join via live webcast on Thursday, February 8 at <https://tinyurl.com/Metro605>. The live webcast presentation starts at 6:30pm.

All Metro meetings are held in ADA accessible facilities and are accessible by transit. ADA accommodations and translations are available by calling 213.922.3012 at least 72 hours in advance.

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## CIVIL

**SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL)**  
CASE NUMBER: (Numero del Caso): 30-2017-00956876-CL-BC-CJC  
**NOTICE TO DEFENDANT (AVISO AL DEMANDADO):** ADLA NASSAR  
**YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):** HESTON & HESTON, Attorneys at Law  
**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 case. There may be a court form that you 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](http://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 free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site ([www.lawhelpcalifornia.org](http://www.lawhelpcalifornia.org)), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center ([www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp](http://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 decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación. Después de tener 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO de los días 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](http://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 secretario 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 le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin avisarlo.

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](http://www.lawhelpcalifornia.org)), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California ([www.sucorte.ca.gov](http://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 desear el caso.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es):  
ORANGE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT  
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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):  
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## FICT. BUS NAME

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018023675

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **MERCADO LAW FIRM, 100 OCEANGATE SUITE 1200, LONG BEACH CA 90802, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JESSICA MERCADO, 100 OCEANGATE SUITE 1200, ONG BEACH CA 90802  
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/ JESSICA MERCADO, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 29, 2018  
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 than 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 2018023578

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **J.J.N CONSULTING, 11537 CULLMAN AVE, WHITTIER CA 90604, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) JASON JOHN NADIN, 11537 CULLMAN AVE, WHITTIER CA 90604  
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  
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S/ JASON JOHN NADIN, OWNER

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018007988

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **ATODA MAQUINA AUTO REGISTRATION, 1410 STATE AVE, SOUTH GATE CA 90280, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) VICTOR M MAQUEDA, 1410 STATE 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: 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 M MAQUEDA, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 10, 2018  
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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2017361943

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **DIAMOND ESCROW (2) CENTURY 21 DIAMOND, 11835 SOUTH STREET, CERRITOS CA 90703, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) OHANA AMERICANA CORPORATION, 11835 SOUTH STREET, 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: 10/2017

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/ OHANA AMERICANA CORPORATION, PRESIDENT, BUDDY CABALU

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on DECEMBER 29, 2017

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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018012552

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **ROJAS BELVIERES, 11825 POPE AVE, LYNNWOOD CA 90262, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) EVELYN OSIRIS ROJAS, 11825 POPE AVE, LYNNWOOD CA 90262  
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/ EVELYN OSIRIS ROJAS, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 21, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018009253

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **MBS TRANSIT GLOBAL LOGISTICS (2) MAIL BOX SHIP-BUSINESS CENTER (3) MANNABIS GREEN (4) COLLECTIVE MINORITY SHIPPERS (5) ENGLISH PROPERTY INVESTMENTS (6) ICONIC MANAGEMENT (7) NINE (9) BLOCK ENTERTAINMENT, 3680 WILSHIRE BLVD STE#P04, LOS ANGELES CA 90010, LA COUNTY, 14921 STANFORD AVE A208, COMPTON CA 90220**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: 40393885  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) TTH NETWORKS CORPORATION (2) 3680 WILSHIRE BLVD STE#P04, LOS ANGELES CA 90010  
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: 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/ TTH NETWORKS CORPORATION, CEO, WILL ROBINSON

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 11, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18**

**2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18, 2/22/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018013503

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **BLUE OAK HR SOLUTIONS, 612 ROCKING HORSE RD., WALNUT CA 91789, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ANGELICA BARRERA, 612 ROCKING HORSE RD., WALNUT CA 91789  
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: 12/2017

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/ ANGELICA BARRERA, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 17, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2017355299

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **WIREDLESS TECHNOLOGIES, 7802 DANVERS STREET, DOWNEY CA 90240, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ROBIN M SCHUCK, 7802 DANVERS STREET, DOWNEY CA 90240  
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: 10/2017

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/ ROBIN M SCHUCK, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on DECEMBER 20, 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 than 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**  
**1/11/18, 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18**

**STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**  
2018008561

FILE NO: 2017324518 DATE FILED: NOVEMBER 13, 2017  
NAME OF BUSINESS(ES): FINANCIAL PARTNERS INSURANCE AGENCY, LLC  
STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: 8700 E. IMPERIAL HWY, DOWNEY, CA, 90242  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) FINANCIAL PARTNERS SERVICES, LLC, 8700 E. IMPERIAL HWY, DOWNEY CA 90242  
If Corporation or LLC – Print State of Incorporation/Organization: CA  
Business was conducted by: a Limited Liability Company

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/ FINANCIAL PARTNERS SERVICES, PRESIDENT, MARIO OSORIO

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on JANUARY 10, 2018

**The Downey Patriot**  
**1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018012495

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **CIRCLE K, 9809 IMPERIAL HWY, DOWNEY CA 90242, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: C390693  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) J & K MULTANI, INC, 9809 IMPERIAL HWY, DOWNEY CA 90242  
State of Incorporation: N/A  
THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED BY: a Corporation

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/ J & K MULTANI, INC, SECRETARY, JASWINDER SINGH

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 16, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018022377

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **E & E BROTHERS TRUCKING, 7825 DUCHESS DR. UNIT D, WHITTIER CA 90606, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A

REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) VICTOR RAMIREZ MARAVILLAS, 7825 DUCHESS DR. UNIT D, WHITTIER CA 90606  
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/ VICTOR RAMIREZ MARAVILLAS, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 26, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18, 2/22/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018014686

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **C & K PEST ELIMINATION, 528 S. FENIMORE AVE., COVINA CA 91723, LA COUNTY, P.O. BOX 4561, COVINA CA 91723-4561**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) ROLANDO I CANOBBIO RUIZ, 19647 W/A CABALLOS ST., COVINA CA 91724 (2) BLAS Y CANOBBIO RUIZ, 19647 W/A CABALLOS ST., COVINA CA 91724  
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: 12/2017

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/ ROLANDO I CANOBBIO RUIZ, PARTNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 19, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18, 2/22/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018026058

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **BILINGUAL CPR, 13803 FAUST AVE., BELLFLOWER CA 90706**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) MARCELA BRADY, 13803 FAUST AVE, BELLFLOWER CA 90706  
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/ MARCELA BRADY, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 31, 2018  
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 than 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**  
**1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18**

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File Number 2018012239

THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) **ALMAX CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, 8504 FIRESTONE BLVD. #240, DOWNEY CA 90241, LA COUNTY**  
Articles of Incorporation or Organization Number (if applicable): AI #0N: N/A  
REGISTERED OWNERS(S): (1) APOLINAR CARRILLO, 8504 FIRESTONE BLVD. #240, DOWNEY CA 90241  
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



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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 than 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 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018003205
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) TRANDY,USA, 12749 DOWNEY AVE, DOWNEY CA 90242, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18, 2/22/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017360526
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) SPINE CARE CENTER, 8361 FLORENCE AVENUE, SUITE 204, DOWNEY CA 90240, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018006154
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) PALETERIA LIMON, 6100 ATLANTIC BLVD, MAYWOOD CA 90270, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/11/18, 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2017347284
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) HIGH GRADE, 355 N FAIRFAX, LOS ANGELES CA 90036, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018014239
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) MATTES ENTERPRISES, 11606 GARVEY AVENUE, EL MONTE CA 91732, LA COUNTY, 9737 GARVEY AVENUE, SOUTH EL MONTE CA, 91733

The Downey Patriot 1/11/18, 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018024325
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) REBELTOWN ROLLERS, 452 E. 52ND ST., LONG BEACH CA 90805, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/11/18, 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18
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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 29, 2018 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 than 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 2/1/18, 2/8/18, 2/15/18, 2/22/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018015950
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) ALIANZA CLAYTON, 14300 GAYVILLE DR, LA MIRADA CA 90638, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018002432
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) PICO RIVERA WOMEN AND CHILDREN HEALTH CENTER, 5060 ROSEMEAD BLVD, PICO RIVERA CA 90660, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18, 2/8/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018007065
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: (1) LEPE'S PAINTING & CLEANING, 11924 PANTHEON ST, NORWALK CA 90650, LA COUNTY

The Downey Patriot 1/11/18, 1/18/18, 1/25/18, 2/1/18
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2018007065
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File Number 2018007065
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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/ ISAIAS LEPE, OWNER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on JANUARY 9, 2018 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 than 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
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Notice is hereby given that in accordance with Downey Ordinance No. 11-1991, Section 2943(B)(3) and Section 2945(D), the Campaign Contribution Limitations are hereby adjusted based on the increase in the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, All Urban Consumers, Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the prior twelve (12) month period ending on August 31, 2017. The CPI ending August 31, 2017, was 2.8%.

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# LEGALS

prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work for the Los Angeles County area for each trade, craft, classification, or type of work needed to execute the contract. Holiday rates shall be paid as specified in the collective bargaining agreement applicable to each particular trade, craft, classification, or type of work employed on the project.

Copies of schedules of rates so determined are available on the Internet at ([http://www.dir.ca.gov/DIR/S&R/statistics\\_research.html](http://www.dir.ca.gov/DIR/S&R/statistics_research.html)) and are on file and available at the District Office address noted above. In accordance with Section 1773.2 of the California Labor Code, the Contractor shall post a copy of the determination of prevailing rate of wages at each jobsite. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight (8) hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work shall be at time plus one-half. The Contractor and any subcontractor(s) shall pay not less than the specified prevailing rates of wages to all workers employed by them in the execution of the contract. In accordance with provisions of the Public Contract Code Section 22300, substitution of eligible and equivalent securities for any monies withheld to ensure performance under this contract will be permitted at the request and expense of the Contractor.

No bidder may withdraw their bid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date for the opening of bids.

All bidders and their subcontractors MUST be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) and possess a current and valid DIR registration number at the time of bid submission.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive irregularities in any bid.

The Downey Unified School District is an "Equal Opportunity" employer. Qualified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises (DVE) are encouraged to participate in this project.

**Darren Purselglove, C.P.M.**

Director, Purchasing and Warehouse

Downey Unified School District

Los Angeles, County, State of California

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## LIEN SALES

### NOTICE OF SALE

In accordance with the provisions of the California Uniform Commercial Code, there being due and unpaid storage and other charges related to the storage for which AMERICANA MOBILE HOME PARK is entitled to a lien as Warehouse on the goods hereinafter described, and due notice having been given to the parties known to claim an interest, and the time specified in such notice for payment of such charges having expired, notice is hereby given that these goods will be sold at public auction at **16600 Downey Avenue Space 95, Paramount, California 90732 on February 5, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** The following is a brief description of the property to be sold:

A 1964 Clarn Mobilehome, Decal Number AAW6255, Serial Number S3083, HUD Label/Insigna number A89060, 52 feet in length and 12 feet in width.

Purchase of the mobilehome and its contents by any party will require its removal from **AMERICANA MOBILE HOME PARK.**

Name of Owner: **GLORIA G DRAIN**

Amount Due: \$5,026.00

Dated at Sunnysvale, California

December 28, 2017

SS// **JUDY C. TSAI**  
Attorney for Americana Mobile Home Park  
710 Lakeway Drive, Suite 180  
Sunnysvale, CA 94085  
(408) 775-8848

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### NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to sections 21700 – 21716 of the CA Business and Professions Code, CA Commercial Code Section 2328, Section 1812.600 – 1812.609 and Section 1988 of CA Civil Code, 353 of the Penal Code.

The undersigned will sell at public sale by competitive bidding on **Wednesday the 14th day of February, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.**, on the premises where said property including: household goods, tools, electronics, and personal effects, have been stored and which are located at **Paramount Self Storage, 8160 E. Rosecrans Ave., Paramount, County of Los Angeles, State of California,**

the following:

Customer Name	Unit#
Marilyn Lee	1140
Armando J. Lopez II	1250
Santiago Sierra	1251
Robert Hamby	1334
Mario Romero	1529
Greyci Valdez	2061
Armando Ramirez	2073
Drew Fishbein	2079
Naimah Cauty	2268
Wakebia Dunn	2333
Victoria Dillhuut	2344
Vashalia Reed	2469
Mark Hernandez	2489
Stacy Cuartero	2523
Debra Walker	2527
Guadalupe Hernandez	2606
Wanda L. James	2948

Purchases must be paid for at the time of purchase in cash only. All purchased items sold as is, where is and must be removed at the time of sale. **Sale subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party.**

Dated this **1st Day of February, 2018 and 8th day of February, 2018.**  
Self Storage Management Co. Bond #: WLI1254152

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## NOTICES

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030775**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Susanna Hernandez-Martines filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Jeremiah Matthew Ikegbu Hernandez to Proposed name (1) Jeremiah Matthew Hernandez  
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: **March 21, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, 3rd Floor, Room: 312**  
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** January 22, 2018  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Susanna Hernandez-Martines**  
**6822 Passaic Street**  
**Huntington Park, CA 90255**  
**(323) 537-9972**

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030776**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner David Ortiz Gallegos filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) David Ortiz Gallegos to Proposed name (1) David Ortiz  
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.  
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Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **David Ortiz Gallegos**  
**7121 Eglise Avenue**  
**Pico Rivera, CA 90660**  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030777**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner David Ortiz Gallegos filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) David Ortiz Gallegos to Proposed name (1) Edwin Andrew Landaverde-Douglas  
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.  
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Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **David Ortiz Gallegos**  
**7121 Eglise Avenue**  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030778**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Kristen Lynn Douglas filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Edwin Andrew Landaverde-Douglas to Proposed name (1) Edwin Andrew Douglas  
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.  
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Date: **March 14, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: 312**  
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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** January 16, 2018  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Kristen Lynn Douglas**  
**15277 Woodruff Avenue**  
**Apartment #21**

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030779**

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030781**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Elisabel Coronado filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Elisabel Coronado to Proposed name (1) Elizabeth Coronado  
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: **March 7, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: 312**  
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** January 05, 2018  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Elisabel Coronado**  
**5225 Elizabeth Street #11**  
**Cudahy, CA 90201**  
**(323) 945-2259**

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030752**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Susana Castaneda filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Amir Castaneda to Proposed name (1) Maximiliano Amir Davila  
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: **February 28, 2018, Time: 1:30, 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, **Downey Patriot** December 22, 2017  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Susana Castaneda**  
**(323) 479-0160**  
**c.dayanara@icloud.com**

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030769**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Enrique Francisco Barba filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Enrique Francisco Morales to Proposed name (1) Enrique Francisco Morales  
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.  
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The address of the court is **12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk 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** January 16, 2018  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Enrique Francisco Barba**  
**9362 Danby Ave.**  
**Santa Fe Springs, California 90670**  
**(562) 387-6727**

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030767**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Kristen Lynn Douglas filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Edwin Andrew Landaverde-Douglas to Proposed name (1) Edwin Andrew Douglas  
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Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Kristen Lynn Douglas**  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030776**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Kristen Lynn Douglas filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Edwin Andrew Landaverde-Douglas to Proposed name (1) Edwin Andrew Douglas  
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: **March 14, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: 312**  
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Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030778**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Kristen Lynn Douglas filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Edwin Andrew Landaverde-Douglas to Proposed name (1) Edwin Andrew Douglas  
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.  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030769**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Enrique Francisco Barba filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Enrique Francisco Morales to Proposed name (1) Enrique Francisco Morales  
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: **March 14, 2018, Time: 1:30 p.m., Department: C, Room: 312**  
The address of the court is **12720 Norwalk Blvd., Norwalk 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** January 16, 2018  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Enrique Francisco Barba**  
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: VS030752**

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Susana Castaneda filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:  
Present name (1) Amir Castaneda to Proposed name (1) Maximiliano Amir Davila  
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: **February 28, 2018, Time: 1:30, 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, **Downey Patriot** December 22, 2017  
Judge Margaret M. Bernal  
Judge Of The Superior Court  
Petitioner or Attorney, In Pro Pro **Susana Castaneda**  
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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE WORLD BUSINESS LEENDERS VS SYNERGY SWITCHGEAR & CONT CASE NO: BC636083 R**

Under a writ of Sale issued on 03/20/17. Out of the LA SUPERIOR COURT STANLEY MOSK, of the CENTRAL DISTRICT, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on a judgment entered on 01/25/17. The described property is sold subject to the right of redemption. The amount of the secured indebtedness with interest and costs is \$392,389.60 (Amount subject to revision)

In favor of **WORLD BUSINESS LEENDERS, LLC, A NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY** and against **DELGADILLO, DARIO**. I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the property in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows:  
**REAL PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF DOWNEY, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:**  
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Creditor's Attorney  
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The Maloney's traveled to Playa del Carmen and Tulum, Mexico recently and took their Downey Patriot newspaper.

Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard took part in a collaborative meeting at the Downey TLC (True Lasting Connections) Family Resource Center on Jan. 26, where she heard about the work the facility is doing in the community.

Roybal-Allard spoke about her work as a U.S. congresswoman, including serving on the Appropriations Committee, as the lead House Democrat on the Dream Act, and as a support of DACA recipients.

She also spoke of the importance of the upcoming 2020 census and the need to "make sure the census gives a full and fair count of those who live in our communities."

From left: Downey TLC coordinator Luz Perez, Roybal-Allard, Downey TLC assistant Olivia Gutierrez, Downey school board member Nancy Swenson, Downey Parks and Recreation director Pamela Passow, and the meeting's guest speaker Stephanie Molen, director of partnerships at the Coalition to Abolish Slavery and Trafficking.



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church will host a Valentine's Day-themed past presidents luncheon Saturday, Feb. 10, starting at 10 a.m. at the Rio Hondo Event Center. Cost is \$25.

The afternoon will include lunch, pink champagne, a candy buffet, door prizes, money tree raffle, and entertainment from Downey Dance Studio. For reservations, call Linda Malme at (562) 869-6491.

Pictured: Terry Wright, Melodie Santana, Joyce Prokop, Linda Malme and Lou Ugiano.

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