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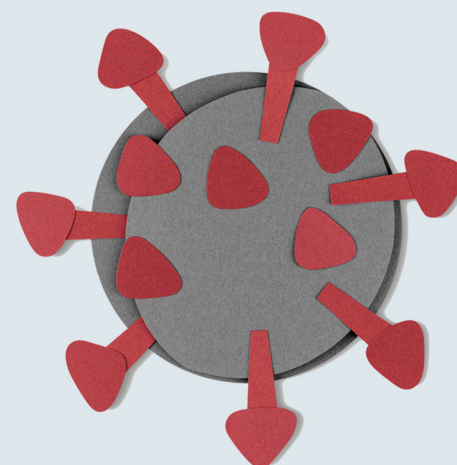
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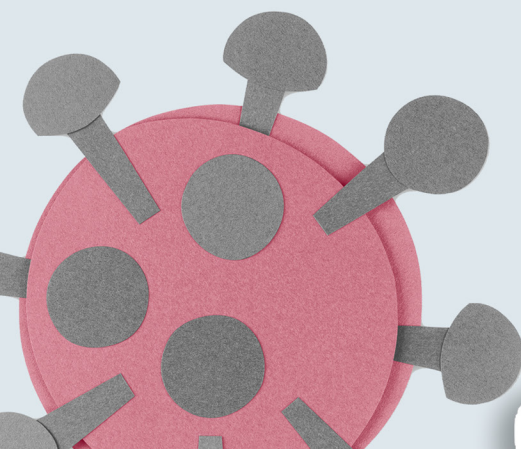
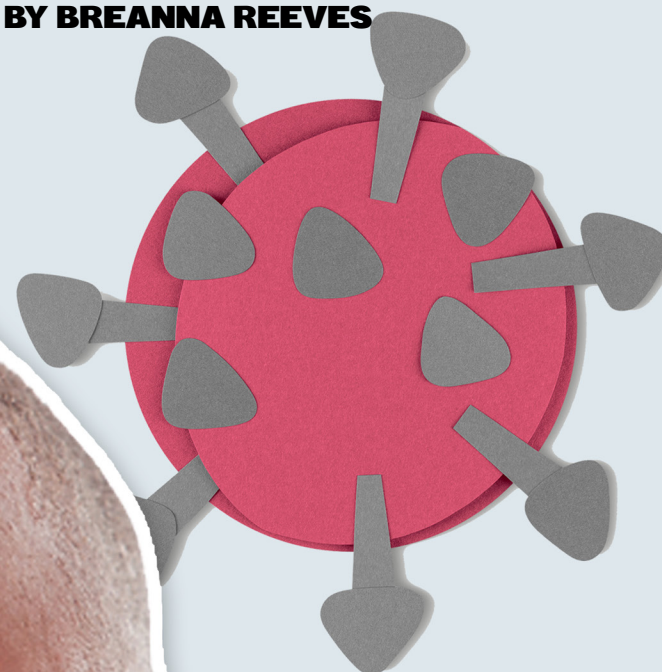
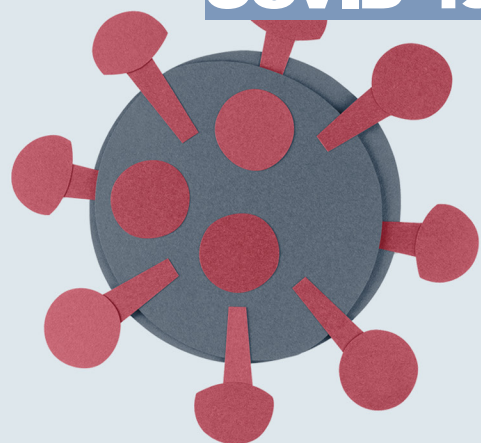
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## COVID-19 VACCINES AND YOUNG CHILDREN IN RIVERSIDE COUNTY AND ELSEWHERE

BY BREANNA REEVES



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helpful information or criticism that is given to someone to say what can be done to improve a performance.



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# Keeping it Real

with S.E. Williams **VOICE** bvn

## Bianco Ignored Department Rules and Promoted Brother, Where's the Accountability?



*Sheriff Chad Bianco (VOICE file)*

**A** wise person once said that “weak managers breed weak managers.” I tend to agree with this assessment.

In the world of business it can be costly but the business bears the burden of their own poor choices regarding who they put in charge of their operations. In the public arena, taxpayers are the ones who bear the burden.

This is equally true when it comes to private businesses as it relates to nepotism. Often their choices are worthy because it comes with an added sense of proprietorship, responsibility and accountability to ensure a family business succeeds. The business owners take a risk and when it doesn't work out, they bear the impact of their choices.

It should work differently however, in the public arena. There is a code of ethics but you certainly would not know it from the way Riverside County Sheriff Chad Bianco takes care of his family on the public dime. As reported by the IE Voice in late October, Bianco has no

concerns about nepotism as it relates to hiring his off-spring or promoting a sibling.

In October a reliable source confirmed Bianco had promoted his brother, Michael, to lieutenant over more qualified candidates almost as soon as he was sworn in as sheriff in 2019. And, just days ago, the public learned Bianco has promoted his brother Michael again, as if “Little Mikie” is the only candidate for advancement in the entire Riverside County Sheriff's Department. This time Mike was elevated to captain of the Thermal Station.

We all know the reason . . . the higher the rank . . . the more money his brother takes home. I guess he is saying to other qualified candidates that filling his brother's wallet “Trumps” their qualifications.

This is the type of right wing political maneuvering the nation experienced for four years at the national level and it is obvious this is the same level of thinking Bianco is using to

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# Traveling this Holiday Season? Get the REAL ID



**Carrie Stanton**  
**California DMV**

Carrie Stanton is Regional Administrator (Region 2, Bay Area) of the California Department of Motor Vehicles. (source: kimberlybrown@lagrant.com)

The holidays are here and families are excited to get together and celebrate for the first time in over a year.

Amid the pandemic, we've missed far too many Sunday and holiday dinners that have been a tradition for many families for generations. For many in our community, family dinner is about creating memories. For those families who will be traveling this holiday season, I encourage you to consider adding a

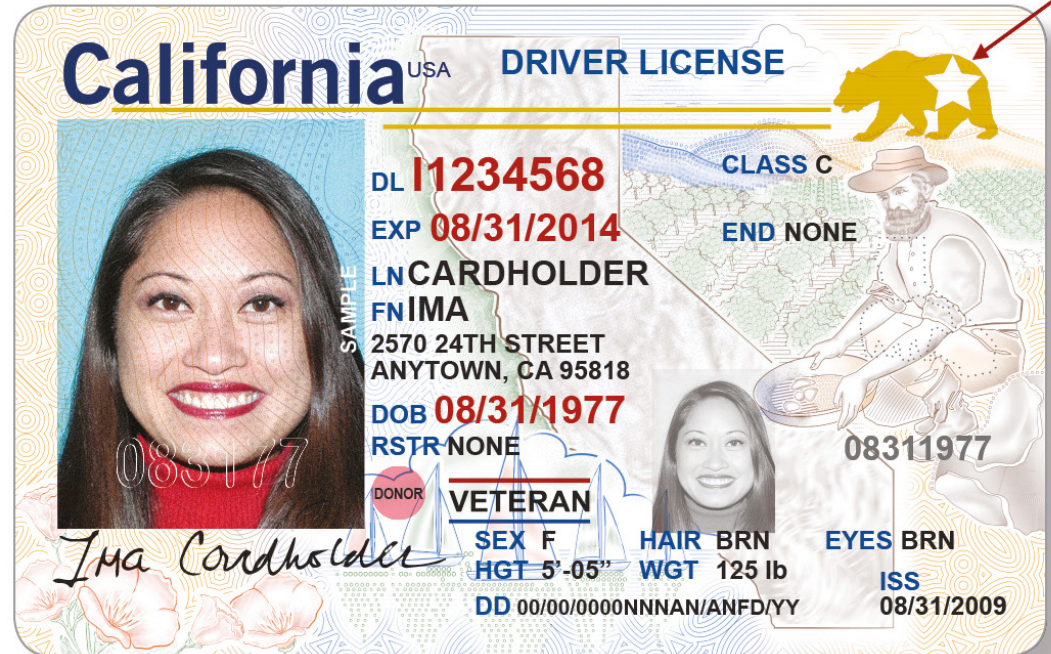
REAL ID upgrade to your checklist when making your travel plans.

The California DMV suggests changing your driver's license or identification card to a REAL ID as federal laws will soon make it necessary to have either a passport, REAL ID, or other federally accepted forms of identification to board local flights and enter federal buildings.

While getting a REAL ID isn't required, it does make it easier to continue using your driver's license to board a local flight or visit loved ones on military bases. To help make this change, the California DMV is offering free upgrades from now until Dec. 31, 2021 to people who renewed their license or ID card between March 2020 and July 2021.

Protecting the health, safety and security of our communities is what's important and the REAL ID provides an extra layer of protection when traveling. Applying is easy and can be started safely online at [CaliforniaREALID.org](https://CaliforniaREALID.org). Complete your application, upload the required forms, and plan your DMV office visit to finish. Don't forget your documents and confirmation code— they will be needed for your visit.

Whether you are applying for a first-time California driver's license or identification card or are up for renewal, a REAL ID may be the best option, especially if you plan to travel soon. Get back to creating those memories with your family. With shorter wait periods and an easy application process, now is the perfect time to



(source: [dmv.ca.gov](https://dmv.ca.gov))

start your REAL ID application so you're ready to go when the time is right.

As we continue to recover from the pandemic, many things in our lives are changing. In our community, many have started businesses, changed their lifestyles for the better and found new passions in life. Whatever is helping you get through these rough times is also playing a part in figuring out our new normal. Make the REAL

ID part of that new normal.

Message from the editor: Earlier this year, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security extended the deadline to get a REAL ID, giving drivers and travelers until May 3, 2023, to obtain the new identification card. The department cited the ongoing coronavirus pandemic as a driver in its decision to extend the deadline from Oct. 1. It was the second time the REAL ID deadline was pushed back due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

## REAL ID

SAFE. SECURE. SMART.

Know the differences before you go!

**Real ID Driver License/ID Card**  
To apply, you must visit a DMV office and bring:

- **One proof of Identity** – current U.S. passport, official birth certificate, naturalization/citizenship document, etc.
- **One proof of Social Security number** – Social Security card, original W-2 form, paystub, etc.
- **Two Proofs of California Residency** – utility/cell phone bill, insurance documents, deed/title of property, rental agreement, etc.

**Federal Non-Compliant Driver License/ID Card**

- May renew online without going into a DMV office.\*
- **Does not** allow you to board a domestic flight, enter a secure federal facility, or purchase ammo and/or firearms (with "Federal Limits Apply")

If you do not choose a Real ID card, you will be issued the Federal Non-Compliant driver license or identification card automatically.

\* Certain customers may be required to renew in person. Check your DMV renewal paperwork to see if this applies.



# Riverside NAACP Condemns Sheriffs Union for Attempts to Influence Redistricting

S.E. Williams | Executive Editor

The Riverside NAACP is raising the alarm regarding alleged attempts by the Riverside Sheriffs Association (RSA) to influence the county's redistricting process.

California state law is very clear in this regard. Although it requires redistricting bodies to take into consideration communities of interest as maps are being redrawn, such bodies should not consider drawing lines that favor or disfavor incumbents.

"Communities of interest do not include relationships with political parties, incumbents, or political candidates," according to Cal. Elec. Code § 21500(c)(2); see also id. § 21601(c)(2) (general law cities); id. § 21621(c)(2) (charter cities)," the organization noted in a press release. Despite these rules, according to NAACP President Regina Patton-Stell, the organization has received several calls claiming the Riverside Sheriffs Association (RSA) is pressuring Riverside County supervisors to do exactly that.

## Multiple reports

"We are hearing multiple reports that RSA is calling the offices of supervisors to use political pressure to get maps approved that will assist in eliminating their political foes," she explained.

The Black Voice News reached out to 5th District Supervisor Jeff Hewitt because the RSA recently endorsed current Moreno Valley Mayor, Yxstian Gutierrez, who is challenging Hewitt's board seat in the coming election. Hewitt was asked if he had been approached by the RSA recently regarding redistricting and if so, whether he thought that might have played a part in the RSA choosing to support his opponent, Gutierrez.

Among the redistricting maps still being considered by the board, one would impact the 5th District and potentially separate the communities of Perris and Moreno Valley, and in the process, disperse Black votes across two supervisorial districts instead of one.

Hewitt made it clear he has never been a favorite of RSA, nor has he ever received any funding from the organization. He stated the group's lack of support for him is probably because



(source: finance.yahoo.com)



Dr. Regina Patton-Stell, President, NAACP Branch, Riverside. (source: riverside-ca.aauw.net)

he has disagreed with the union on an issue important to it. "I voted against their contract," he explained, stating he finds their pension plan unsustainable. I believed they were fiscally irresponsible."

## How will redistricting impact District 5?

Hewitt says he doesn't know for certain whether other board members were contacted by RSA in relation to redistricting. "All I know is when I look at redistricting my district grew the most." Hewitt's district needs to reduce by 35k residents as part of the redistricting process.

Hewitt stressed how important it is that the county's redistricting effort aligns with the Voting Rights Act and how the board is working

to keep communities of interest together like those in the pass area in one instance, and the communities of Moreno Valley and Perris together, as another example.

While Hewitt has not been contacted by RSA, he said he does listen to everyone who comes to testify at redistricting meetings. "I always vote for what is the best for the most residents as long as it doesn't take away the rights that any one of us have," he offered.

Among the supervisorial maps still being considered, he explained, one keeps the pass area together, another keeps the communities of Moreno Valley and Perris in the same district and a third option takes part of the current District 5 and places it in District 3.

## Latino community pushes for more representation

Riverside County has grown by 10.4% over the last decade according to the census and the Latino community accounted for the lion's share of population expansion in the county, having grown by 20.8% in ten years and as such, Latinos

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### San Bernardino International Airport Authority Notice Inviting Bids

Prospective bidders are hereby notified that the San Bernardino International Airport Authority ("AGENCY" and/or "Agency") will receive sealed bid proposals for the TAXIWAY SHOULDER IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (the "Project"). The complete Bid shall be submitted in a sealed envelope with the Bidder's name, the project name, project number, and the words "Sealed Bid - Do Not Open" clearly marked on the outside of the mailing envelope. Bids may not be submitted by facsimile or electronic telecommunication. Bids submitted via USPS or other courier service must have the project name and project number and the words "Sealed Bid - Do Not Open" clearly marked on the outside of the mailing envelope. All Bids shall be submitted by delivery to the AGENCY at the address provided below and will be received until 10:00 AM on January 11, 2022 . Bids will be publicly opened and read at that time. Any bids received after the specified date and time will be rejected and returned unopened. The address for delivery of Bids is: San Bernardino International Airport Authority Attention: Secretary of the Commission 1601 E. 3rd Street San Bernardino, California 92408 The selected CONTRACTOR shall construct all improvements in accordance with the project plans and specifications and the request for proposals specific to this bid package. Time for completion is as follows:

Base Bid = 120 calendar days.

Any questions or communications shall be in writing. Written questions regarding details of the project will be accepted until December 30, 2021 at 10:00AM . Written questions must be directed to Jeff Barrow , Director of Development, San Bernardino International Airport Authority at Jeff Barrow jbarrow@sbdairport.com, or the street address for submitting bids. Contract Documents may be obtained from the AGENCY at 1601 E. 3rd Street, San Bernardino, California 92408, upon payment of a \$350.00 nonrefundable fee and are also available for free download on the AGENCY's website, [www.sbiaa.org](http://www.sbiaa.org). Make all checks payable to "San Bernardino International Airport Authority." A full list of all requirements regarding this project can be found in the project specifications. All information, addendums, and notices regarding this Project will be posted to the AGENCY website. It is the sole responsibility of all perspective respondents to check the website for any pertinent information that may be issued. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at 1601 E. 3rd Street, San Bernardino, CA 92408 on December 14, 2021 at 10:00 AM. Each Bidder must be licensed in the State of California and qualified to perform the Work described in the project specifications. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 3300, the CONTRACTOR must possess the following classification of CONTRACTOR's license: CLASS "A". Each Bidder, and each subcontractor listed by the Bidder in the bid proposal, must be registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5. Registration number for the prime contractor and each subcontractor must be included as required with the bid proposal. Bidders are advised that SBIAA has established an overall Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) race-neutral goal for this solicitation to ensure equal participation of DBE groups in accordance with Title 49 CFR Part

26.51. The DBE participation goal for this solicitation is 7.3% , this is expressed as a percentage of the total dollar value of the resultant agreement. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works contract unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. Each Bidder, and each subcontractor listed by the Bidder in the bid proposal, must be registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or bid bond for ten percent (10%) of the maximum amount of the bid. Said check shall be made payable to the San Bernardino International Airport Authority and when delivered with a proposal, shall constitute a guaranty that Bidder will, if an award is made to them in accordance with the terms of said Bidder's proposals: execute a contract on the AGENCY's standard form, together with Labor Code Certification thereon; furnish contract performance and payment bonds with a corporate surety or sureties satisfactory to the AGENCY, each for not less than one-hundred percent (100%) of total bid price; furnish certificates of insurance evidencing that all insurance coverage required by the contract has been secured. This is a "public work" project and each CONTRACTOR to whom a contract is awarded must pay the prevailing rates and post copies thereof at the job site. In addition, it is also the responsibility of each CONTRACTOR to follow all requirements of the State of California Labor Code as it relates to public works contracts. Before work can begin on a public works contract, the CONTRACTOR shall submit a Public Works Contract Award Information Form (DAS 140) to an applicable apprenticeship program that can supply apprentices to the site of the public work. The CONTRACTOR must request dispatch of required apprentices from an Apprenticeship Program for each apprenticeable craft or trade by giving the Apprenticeship Program. The CONTRACTOR is to use a Request for Dispatch of an Apprentice Form (DAS 142) to submit his/her written request. Bidders are hereby notified that the prevailing rate of per diem wages, as determined by the Director of Industrial Relations, applicable to the work to be done for the locality in which the work is to be performed in compliance with Section 1773 of the Labor Code of the State of California are on file in the AGENCY's principal office at the address listed above and will be made available to any interested party upon request. Bidders are hereby notified that this Project is subject to the payment of prevailing wages as determined by the United States Secretary of Labor, pursuant to the Federal Davis-Bacon Act. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. The AGENCY reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, to waive any irregularity or to award the contract to other than the lowest bidder consistent with the award of the contract to the lowest responsible bidder. Bidder may not withdraw their bid for one hundred and twenty (120) days after bid opening. San Bernardino International Airport Authority San Bernardino, California By: Jennifer Farris, Assistant Secretary of the Commission 12/9, 12/16/21 CNS-3534066#

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Base Bid = 105 calendar days. Additive (1) = 45 calendar days. Additive (2) = 45 calendar days.

(195 calendar days total for Base Bid and all Additives)

Any questions or communications shall be in writing. Written questions regarding details of the project will be accepted until December 30, 2021 at 10:00AM . Written questions must be directed to Jeff Barrow , Director of Development, San Bernardino International Airport Authority at Jeff Barrow jbarrow@sbdairport.com, or the street address for submitting bids. Contract Documents may be obtained from the AGENCY at 1601 E. 3rd Street, San Bernardino, California 92408, upon payment of a \$350.00 nonrefundable fee and are also available for free download on the AGENCY's website, [www.sbiaa.org](http://www.sbiaa.org). Make all checks payable to "San Bernardino International Airport Authority." A full list of all requirements regarding this project can be found in the project specifications. All information, addendums, and notices regarding this Project will be posted to the AGENCY website. It is the sole responsibility of all perspective respondents to check the website for any pertinent information that may be issued. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at 1601 E. 3rd Street, San Bernardino, CA 92408 on December 16, 2020 at 10:00 AM. Each Bidder must be licensed in the State of California and qualified to perform the Work described in the project specifications. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 3300, the CONTRACTOR must possess the following classification of CONTRACTOR's license: CLASS "A". Each Bidder, and each subcontractor listed by the Bidder in the bid proposal, must be registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5. Registration number for the prime contractor and each subcontractor must be included as required with the bid proposal. Bidders are advised that SBIAA has established an overall Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) race-neutral goal for this solicitation to ensure equal participation of DBE groups

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and twenty (120) days after bid opening. San Bernardino International Airport Authority San Bernardino, California By: \s\ Jennifer Farris, Assistant Secretary of the Commission 12/9, 12/16/21 CNS-3534075#

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### NOTICE CALLING FOR BIDS

#### Bid No. 21-11

### Automotive Portable Lift Hydraulic System

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Bernardino City Unified School District of San Bernardino County, State of California, acting through its Governing Board, hereafter referred to as the "District", is soliciting electronic bid submittals through its OpenGov Procurement web portal in response to Bid No. 21-11, Automotive Portable Lift Hydraulic System. Bids must be submitted electronically up to but not later than Monday, December 20, 2021 at 11:00 a.m., at <https://sbcusd.com/bidpostings>. Bidders who are desirous of securing a copy of the Bid documents may do so by logging into the District's website at: <https://sbcusd.com/bidpostings>. Bid responses must conform and be responsive in accordance with the Bid Documents posted through the District's "OpenGov Procurement" website portal. Contract award is contingent upon availability of funds. Local, Minority and Disabled Veterans Businesses are specifically encouraged to respond. The District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, and to accept or reject any item, to withdraw a line item or entire Bid, and to waive any irregularities or informalities in the Bid document(s). The District may award any, all, or none of this Bid. By: Monica DiMasi-Valadez, Buyer Publication: December 9, 2021 Request for Clarification: December 14, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. Virtual Bid Opening: December 20, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.

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### NAME CHANGE

### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR

#### CHANGE OF NAME

#### CASE NUMBER CVMV2105789

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: PAOLA GUADALUPE CAMPOS SALAZAR filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: PAOLA GUADALUPE CAMPOS SALAZAR to. PAOLA GUADALUPE HEREDIA SALAZAR. 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 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 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: 01/18/2022 8:00AM, Dept: MV2, The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 13800 HEACOCK ST. #2021, MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of

general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 11/8/2021 Belinda Handy, Judge of the Superior Court

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### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR

#### CHANGE OF NAME

#### CASE NUMBER CVCO 2105910

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: PRISCILLA DARLENE D'AGOSTINO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: PRISCILLA DARLENE D'AGOSTINO aka PRISCILLA DARLENE ROBY aka PRISCILLA DARLENE STANCE to. DARLENE CILLIA DURALL. 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 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 petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF TELEPHONIC HEARING: Date: 12/22/21 Time: 8:00AM Dept: C2. To appear by telephone dial (213) 306-3065 or (844) 621-3956 (toll free) when prompted enter: Meeting Number 287-806-509#

Access code: # Please mute your phone until your case is called and it is your turn to speak. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 505 S. BUENA VISTA AVE. RM 201. CORONA, CA 92882, CORONA COURTHOUSE. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 10/18/2021 Tamara Wagner, Judge of the Superior Court

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### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR

#### CHANGE OF NAME

#### CASE NUMBER CVMV2105923

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: SOPHIA LORRAINE HART filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: SOPHIA LORRAINE HART to. SOPHIA LORRAINE ALEXANDER-HART 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 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 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: 01/25/2022 Time: 8:00AM Dept: MV2. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 13800 HEACOCK ST, D201, MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to



# Public Health Leaders Encourage Residents, “Keep Safety First” this Holiday Season



**Zanesha Williams | Staff**

(source: istockphoto.com)

**A**s the holiday season begins, it is not unusual to have both excitement and fear of gathering with family and friends after last year’s holiday lockdown. Not only was it mandated to remain in your home last Thanksgiving, but a surge of confirmed Coronavirus cases came soon after.

This season, with the vaccine available and the push for booster shots, some of last year’s anxiety has been alleviated and transformed into holiday cheer. Although social distancing restrictions are lifted, many of the Inland Empire’s population has not been fully vaccinated—which may cause concern for health care workers and families alike.

When discussing the strong likelihood of her family coming together for the holidays, Janel Jackson, a Southern California native expressed, “One of my biggest concerns would be family [members] who are not vaccinated—and don’t plan on getting vaccinated, and who are not precautionary about getting tested before the holidays.”

Jose Arballo Jr, the Senior Public Information Specialist at Riverside University’s Public Health System, shared that while he does not know what to expect this winter, he is hopeful that residents will take all the

necessary precautions to celebrate together, safely.

Much like the recommendations of Arballo’s team, Jackson petitions, “I wish my mom would be more assertive and let people know to have a negative test result or be vaccinated...I think she should because she’s going to be the one more at risk.”

## Hopeful outlook for 2021 holiday season

“We’re hoping we don’t see the type of cases we saw last winter. Last year we had a surge that was difficult on our hospitals and ICU’s. Because the vaccine was not available last winter, and because of public education, we are hoping people will gather safely,” shared Arballo.

Arballo’s department spent a substantial portion of Riverside County’s lockdown finding new and interactive ways to keep the community up to date on all things COVID-19. He added, “For about seven days a week for six months we offered public health updates talking about the latest numbers, updates on vaccines and testing, and live streamed on Facebook to keep the information interesting and fresh.”

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(Left): Riverside County 2nd District Supervisor Jeff Hewitt. (source: rivco.org), (Right): Riverside Sheriff Association President Bill Young. (source: rcdsa.org)

are now 49.7% of Riverside County residents and yet, there is only one Latino representative on the Board of Supervisors.

The Latino community is pushing for (and justifiably so) the district lines to be redrawn in a way conducive to their having an opportunity to attain at minimum, a second seat on the Board of Supervisors.

The next vote on redistricting maps is expected in mid-December and based on the

census, when a final map is agreed on, each district should include approximately 483,647 residents.

In recent weeks, the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) sent notice to the board reminding members of their legal requirement to comply with the Voting Rights Act, which forbids any voting/redistricting practices that might weaken a racial group's electoral power.

Yet, despite the focus of the MALDEF, the ACLU and others, in addition to concerns over a possible lawsuit if a second Latino district is not created—the outcome of the redistricting map remains unclear.

In the meantime, it appears pressure is building from Riverside County's communities of interest, just as the process is designed to work. However, what should not be a part of the process—according to state law—is any purported pressure from the RSA.

Critics claim the RSA already has an outsized influence with certain members of the board due to generous campaign contributions it has made to certain supervisors. Could these be the

board members purportedly being pressured by RSA?

## **RSA President Bill Young weighs in**

The RSA website proclaims, “Many of RSA's accomplishments can be attributed to our aggressive involvement in local and state politics. . . . Our increased involvement in the political arena has allowed us a larger role working with state and local government to accomplish our aims and increase RSA's standing in the community.”

Despite this electronic pronouncement, Riverside Sheriff Association President Bill Young insisted—when asked about the county's redistricting effort and whether the RSA was pressuring board supervisors to vote one way or another on proposed maps, “We have not taken an official stance on any of them [proposed maps] or gotten involved in redistricting. We have no input because we have friends involved in everything. We have not made any calls or endorsed any maps or made any calls to supervisors asking them to vote one way or the

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# FEELING TESTED BY COVID-19?

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# Study Raises More Questions Regarding Ethics and Equity in College Admissions

Drew Naté | Staff

A study released this summer found that White American college applicants have been misrepresenting their race on US college applications.

The survey, conducted by Intelligent.com, a trusted resource for online degree rankings and higher education planning, published the findings from a survey they used to examine the rate of race misrepresentation on college applications. Research experts analyzed responses from a small number (1,250) of White college applicants.

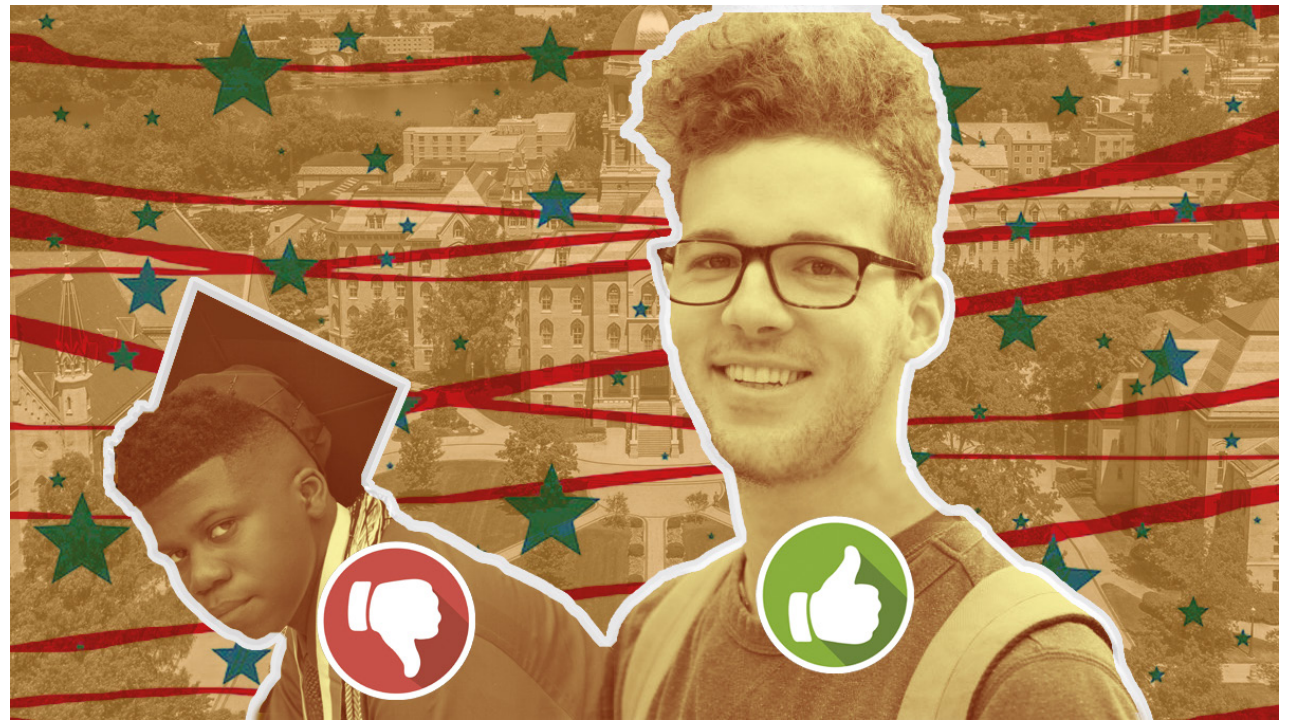
The survey revealed that 34 percent of the respondents admitted they claimed a different race on their college applications. Forty-eight percent of the respondents say they identified themselves as Native American during the application process.

According to the Postsecondary Policy Institute (PNPI), an organization that seeks to make education policy more equitable, less than 20% of 18-24 year old Native American students are enrolled in college compared to 41% of the overall US population. The same source has also stated that Native American college enrollment has decreased by thousands of students from 2016-2019, the most recent year for which data are available.

## On the heels of scandal

This news comes after the 2019 college admissions scandal involving Full House and Fuller House actor Lori Loughlin and her husband Mossimo Giannulli who were both indicted for paying \$500,000 in bribes to have both their children, Olivia and Bella, admitted to the University of Southern California (USC) as recruits.

More than 50 wealthy people, including celebrities and CEOs of public and private companies, have been charged with participating in the 2019 college admissions scandal which involved bribery, money laundering, and document fabrication to unfairly get students admitted to elite colleges such as



(Illustration by Chris Allen, Creative Director, VOICE)

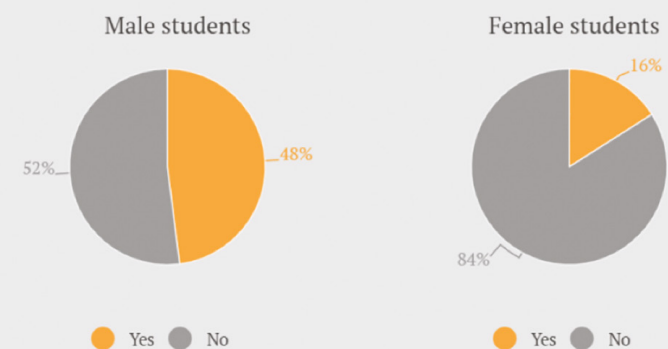
Yale University, Stanford University, and the University of Southern California. Although the survey and the college admissions scandal are not directly correlated, it does show a problem in our nation related to the college application process-- lying by some college applications to unfairly increase their chances for admission.

As the Intelligent.com survey showed, men were three times more likely than women to lie about their race on their applications. From those who faked their minority status on their application, 48 percent of White male applicants lied about their race, while 16 percent of White female applicants did so.

"Twice as many men as women claimed Native American heritage on their applications

## Percent of white college applicants who claimed to be a racial minority on their application

Did you falsely claim to be a racial minority on your college application?



Source: Intelligent.com

(54 percent compared to 24 percent). Meanwhile, one in four women (24%) claimed to be Latino. Women are also more than twice as likely as men to pretend to be Black (18% compared to 8%), "according to the Intelligent.com survey.

As for the rest of the applicants included in the survey, 13 percent of respondents claimed to

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# COVID-19 Vaccines and Young Children in Riverside County and Elsewhere

Breanna Reeves | Staff

Riverside County is experiencing a “somewhat stable” COVID-19 case rate, according to Dr. Geoffrey Leung, Riverside University Health System (RUHS) Public Health Officer. During the county’s weekly health update, Dr. Leung and Dr. Christopher Dael, Medical Director of Children’s Medical Services for RUHS Public Health answered questions from the public regarding COVID.

“As of right now we would say that our cases and our hospitalization rates have sort of leveled off and look somewhat stable,” said Dr. Leung. “They haven’t been changing dramatically one way or the other, but it does mean we’re still seeing new cases every day, and that we continue to have opportunities to do a better job to protect our community.”

Nearly a month has passed since Riverside County began disseminating COVID vaccines for children after the Federal and Drug Administration approved the Pfizer dosage for children between the ages of five and 11.

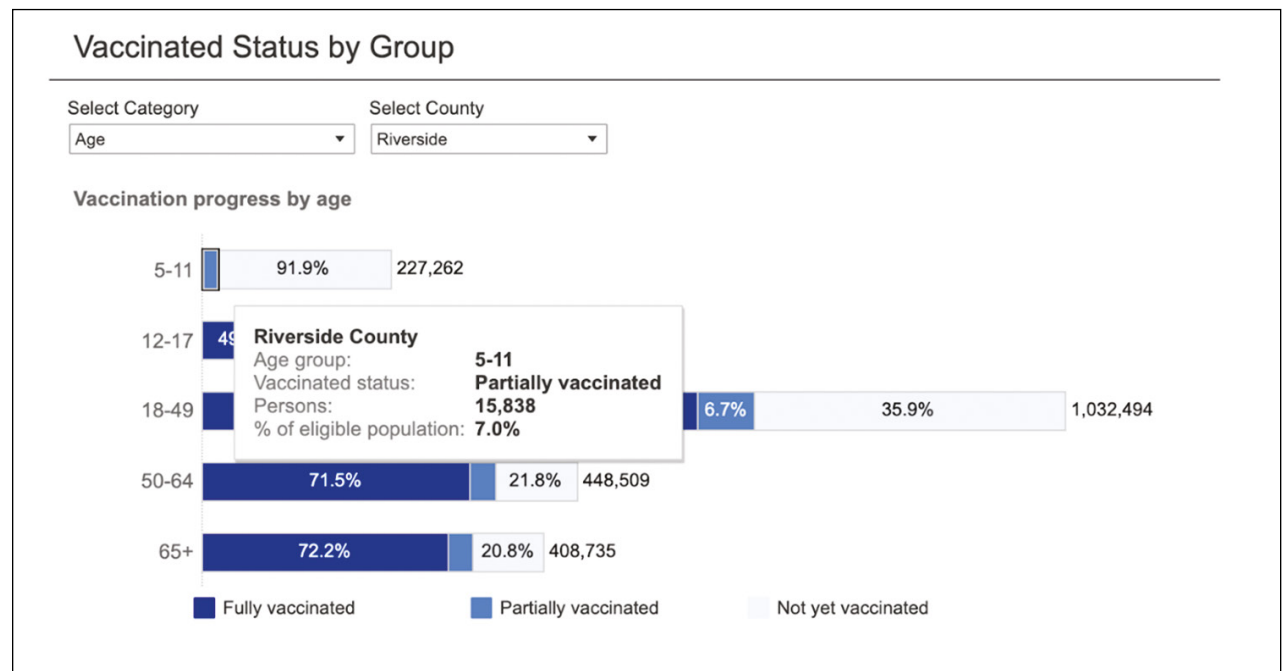
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Although data regarding vaccination rates among the newly approved age group isn’t quite readily available, Dr. Dael explained that families in the county are interested in getting their children vaccinated.

“But what we are seeing is that families are definitely interested, and we’re seeing vaccination rates in Riverside County that we’re happy about, that indicate that families are definitely interested in making sure that their five to 11 year olds are protected,” Dr. Dael explained during an interview with Black Voice News. “And that protection can maybe help other members of the family or those that might be at risk.”

While vaccine hesitancy exists among some parents regarding potential side effects, other parents are eager to get their children vaccinated. More than 15,000 children ages five to 11 are partially vaccinated in Riverside County, according to the California Department of Public Health.

Akasha Hendrix is the mother of two children, a seven-year-old daughter, and a four-year-old son, both who attend schools in Riverside. While her son isn’t eligible for the vaccine yet,



The California Department of Public Health reported that 15,838 children among the five to 11 age group are partially vaccinated in Riverside County (Screenshot by Breanna Reeves).

Hendrix’s daughter has already received her first dose.

“My thoughts (on the children’s COVID vaccine) are sign me up. I was calling my doctor right away to see when my daughter could get hers,” said Hendrix. “My son’s not old enough. He’s four. But I was delighted to hear that they were giving vaccines to the five to 11 age group.”

According to a statement released in November by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), vaccine trials showed that the vaccination was 91 percent effective in preventing COVID-19 among five to 11 year olds. The CDC noted that side effects were mild, and the most common effect was a sore arm.

“I would strongly recommend, like the CDC recommends, that families immunize their kids five to 11,” said Dr. Dael. “We know that children can definitely become ill with COVID and that they can be infected at the same rates as adults.”

## COVID-19 and Children

During the week of November 25, the American Academy of Pediatrics reported nearly 132,000 child cases were reported, adding to the 6.9 million children who have tested positive for COVID-19 since the pandemic began.

“Additionally, we know that children can be

an important vector for transmitting the disease to other members of the family, like grandma and grandpa can be potentially infected, other vulnerable members of the family or friends who have immune problems,” Dr. Dael further explained. “So, it’s really important overall that we protect our kids for their own health and also for the health of their loved ones who might be more at risk.”

It is too soon to tell if children will also be required to receive booster shots for COVID-19 like adults. Children have different immune responses than adults and could be fine with just two doses, Dr. Dael noted.

Although Hendrix was eager to get her daughter vaccinated, she explained that when her daughter was younger, she was hesitant about vaccines, but as her daughter got older, Hendrix did her own research and weighed the pros and cons of vaccinations.

“I would just say younger kids, they’re more curious, they’re less fearful. They’re not as fearful and as cautious as perhaps an adult might be,” said Hendrix. “So, anything that you can do to just give your kids an extra layer of protection, especially with the new variants popping up here and there. I think it’s good to get them any kind of extra protection that you can.”



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Screen shot of San Bernardino County's COVID-19 Dashboard taken Thursday, December 2, 2021. (source: covid19-sbcph.hub.arcgis.com, screenshot courtesy S. E. Williams)

San Bernardino County's Public Health Dashboard has a similar initiative to keep the public informed and in the loop. On the "Cases" page of the SBCPH Dashboard you are met by a large graph displaying the county's COVID-19 analytics. The graph is updated daily and as of Tuesday, November 23, the number of new cases reported decreased since the start of the month.

The dashboard displays informative data such as the number of confirmed cases associated with known vaccination status, seven-day averages, and a legend citing where and how the data is processed and solicited.

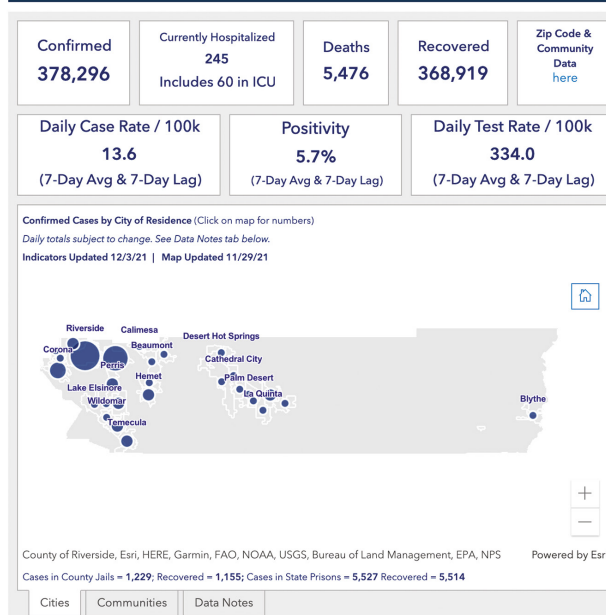
When asked if he expected any spikes from the Thanksgiving holiday, Arballo added, "The last three weeks there's been a slight increase in cases leveling off in hospitals and ICUs, we're hoping that it continues to stay leveled."

Like that of San Bernardino County, the Riverside County Public Health Dashboard—as it relates to COVID-19, breaks down the number of cases and vaccination status associated with the recorded cases. SBCPH Dashboard reports that of all confirmed cases in the county, just over 17 percent were fully vaccinated individuals.

## Gathering with the unvaccinated

Arballo acknowledged the likelihood of gatherings that may have both vaccinated and unvaccinated guests, to which he advises, "We hope that [fully vaccinated residents] get their booster shot and continue to do the safety precautions, and get their flu shot! You're protected from COVID, but you don't want to

## Riverside County COVID-19 Indicators (Updated Daily M-F) Map/Geographic Data and Reports (Updated Mondays)



Screenshot of Riverside County Department of Public Health COVID-19 Dashboard taken Thursday, December 5, 2021. (source: rivecoph.org screen) catch the flu."

Turning his attention to unvaccinated residents, Arballo bargained, "We think we've done everything to plead to protect your family and community, and to get communities reopened. We want people to gather but want people to gather safely...we want you to get vaccinated before."

Taking in consideration the pleas of public health leaders, and in the spirit of keeping your loved ones safe during the time of cheer, it is encouraged to take all the precautions that

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be Latino, 10 percent claimed to be Black, and 9 percent claimed to be Asian or Pacific Islander.

Seven-five percent of the respondents who misrepresented their race or ethnicity reported gaining acceptances to schools, despite lying on their applications. The number one reason applicants said they faked minority status was to improve their chances of getting accepted (81%). Fifty percent also lied to benefit from minority-focused financial aid.

In an interview with the Black Voice News and IE Voice, Cameron Johnson, a freshman business student at the University of California, Riverside talked about the issue of students lying on the survey and said, "It's sad to see people lie about something such as race on a college application. It goes to show you that there needs to be some sort of change within our education systems."

## Questions surface about survey's methodology

As for the survey itself, many experts and scholars have questioned the methodology in which it was conducted, as well as the sample size of the survey. However, the survey has started conversations about college access and the role of race.

Numerous factors could have played a role in the acceptance for those who lied, claiming to be minority applicants, who were accepted, although 85% of the applicants said they believe that falsifying their racial minority status helped them secure admission to college which points to a flaw in the college admissions process.

According to Inside Higher Ed Angel B. Pérez, CEO of the National Association for College Admission Counseling, said, "This data truly saddens me. The fact that students would believe they would be discriminated against for being white goes to show that we have a lot of work to do in this country around racial reckoning and understanding systemic inequality."

## Other studies make similar findings

But this isn't a matter of discrimination, this survey reveals an admissions system at some

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## Some SBCUSD Board Members are Playing a Republican Game of Sabotage



**Hardy Brown, Sr.**  
Publisher Emeritus  
Contributor

*Photo by Benoit Maphettes*

It was sometime in mid September when I heard through my personal “grapevine” that some members of the San Bernardino City Unified School District (SBCUSD) Board of Education wanted to “terminate” the new superintendent, Harry “Doc” Ervin.

At the time, Ervin had been in the position for only four months. So, I got busy trying to trace down this rumor and the more people I communicated with, the names Dr. Barbara Flores, Abigail Medina, and Danny Tillman, were mentioned as the sources behind the movement to oust Ervin.

With that information I emailed the three board members and sought their responses to the rumors and whether the rumors were true or false.

Mr. Tillman responded to my email with a video link to a school board meeting in Bakersfield. The video did not mention anything that Doc Ervin had done wrong. I pulled up other news stories that highlighted the Bakersfield school district’s praise of Doc Ervin for a job well done and wished him well on being selected as superintendent in San Bernardino.

I also received a response from Ms. Medina stating the rumors I heard were wrong and that she knew other information that implied the superintendent must go.

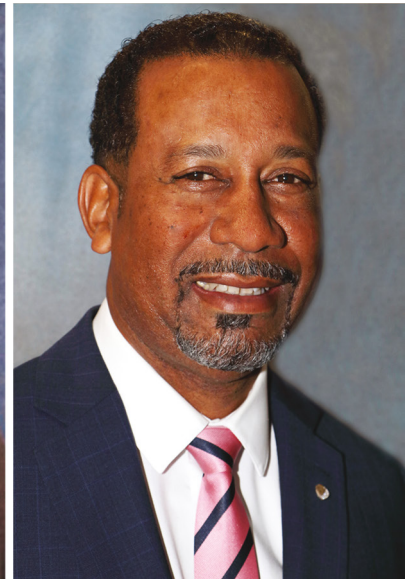
### What others say they heard from Tillman

A few days before the community showed up at the October 5th school board meeting seeking answers and objecting to that rumor, people who had spoken with Mr. Tillman, said he had the required four votes to fire Doc Ervin. I don’t

Sabotage is a deliberate action aimed at weakening a polity, effort, or organization through subversion, obstruction, disruption, or destruction or...Sabotage is also defined as the act of destroying or damaging something deliberately so that it does not work correctly.”



(L): Harry “Doc” Ervin Superintendent of Schools SBCUSD. (Image courtesy of SBCUSD.), (Middle): Dr. Barbara Flores is one of the SBCUSD board members who want to “terminate” the district’s new superintendent, Harry “Doc” Ervin. (Image courtesy of SBCUSD.), (R): SBCUSD Board member Danny Tillman purportedly told sources he had the required four votes needed to fire San Bernardino Superintendent of Schools Harry “Doc” Ervin. (Image courtesy of SBCUSD.)



know what happened, but they did not follow through with the vote.

From my 30 years experience in Human Resources at Kaiser, nine years on the San Bernardino City School District Classified Personnel Commission and four years on the San Bernardino County Civil Service Commission, I have learned that managers and employees have many ways to terminate someone they do not like. One of those ways is to “sabotage” the employee by denying them the necessary resources or information required for them to perform their duties.

As you may remember this is what the Republicans did, or tried to do, with President Obama and are doing now with President Biden. I highlight these two men because you can see it every day and in every way.

Sabotage is something you must stay on top of because the “saboteurs” can be sneaky and cover their behavior behind well meaning statements and actions that make sense to the hearer of those statements.

### Here is the latest

Which brings me to the last SBCUSD Board meeting where Mr. Tillman and Dr. Flores expressed concerns over the Superintendent

and Assistant Superintendent and wanted to hire a Human Relations Director to manage the Classified Employee Personnel Policies and Procedures that govern the more than 2,000 employees in the district.

Now, I am sure there have been adjustments to Senate Bill 160, known as the Rodda Act, authored by Senator Albert Rodda in 1976, which covers collective bargaining and working conditions of classified employees in public schools. As a commissioner I had to study at UCLA and educate myself on how to perform my duties as the appointed commissioner on behalf of the school board.

At the board meeting, Tillman and Flores said they are concerned that any decision that has any “ongoing financial cost to the district must be scrutinized by the board.” This is true.

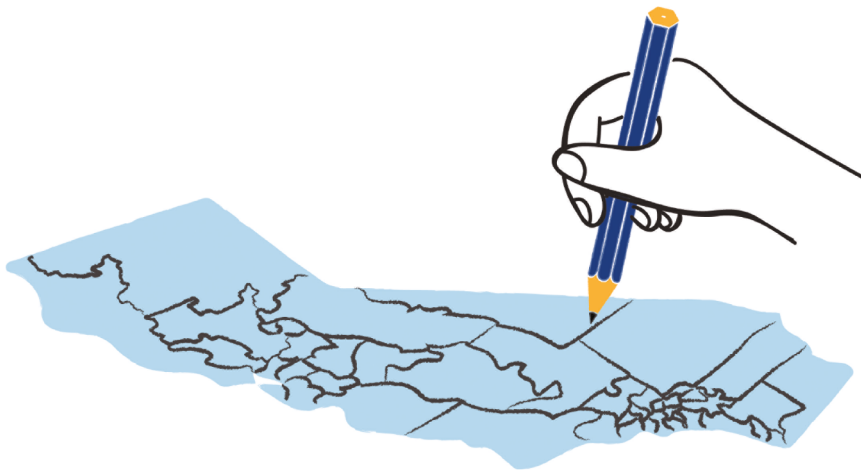
There is a \$125,000 annual management salary cost that is necessary in order for the superintendent to run the district, compared to the board agreement to get more money to classified employees in exchange for these classified employees’ votes in the 2022 election.

### A curious comment from a union leader

I almost fell out of my powerchair while

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## KEEPING IT REAL

*Sheriff Bianco, continued from page 3*

run the Riverside County Sheriff's Department.

I certainly have nothing against Michael and he may well be qualified. It is just a question of whether he was the most qualified. He might do a good job but did he deserve the opportunity to succeed or fail like other competitive candidates? From what I understand, he did not.

But, who can blame him for grabbing the gold ring when his brother Chad handed it to him merely because he felt empowered to do so.

The California Labor Code defines nepotism as "[T]he practice of an employee using his or her influence or power to aid or hinder another in the employment setting because of a personal relationship." In this case, Bianco obviously did both.

Guidelines regarding nepotism are clearly detailed in Section 1051.2 (b) of the Riverside County Sheriff's Department Standards Manual (DSM). It states, "Employees are prohibited from participating in, contributing to or recommending promotions, assignments, performance evaluations, transfers or other personnel decisions affecting an employee who is a relative or with whom they are involved in a personal or business relationship."

Now, knowing Bianco as we do, we can bet he will offer some bumbling

**"Brother, you are one-of-a-kind and I'm lucky to be your sibling."**

**- Unknown**

explanation about how he did none of these things—because he would certainly be in violation of established standards. But, I would wager we can be certain that he did. Why else would little brother Mikie be promoted twice in two years over others that many believe are better qualified?

Maybe Bianco will try and convince us that no one other than Little Mikie wanted to take the assignment in Thermal. That explanation would appear disingenuous as everyone knows pensions are calculated using a formula that includes years of service, and final average salary, among other factors.

Section I of the department's DSM speaks to integrity stating, "We are dedicated to honesty and integrity in all our actions and will uphold our ethical beliefs regardless of the consequences. Our actions must be above reproach."

I wonder if Bianco ever bothered to read the DSM despite its guidelines that state, "It is the responsibility and duty of every member to become thoroughly familiar with the contents of this manual."

The one thing the DSM does not elaborate on is what are the consequences for violating DSM guidelines related to nepotism.

Apparently, it will be up to the voters to put an end to Bianco's folly as sheriff and his continued disregard for ethical leadership.

Of course, this is just my opinion. I'm keeping it real.

S.E. Williams  
Executive Editor

# publicnotices

the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 11/22/2021  
Belinda Hardy, Judge of the Superior Court

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## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CVCO2106340

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: JOSEPHINE DE FLORES filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: JOSEPHINE DE FLORES to. JOSEPHINE 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 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 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: 01/12/2022 Time: 8:00AM Dept: C2. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 505 S. BUENA VISTA AVE. RM 201. CORONA, CA 92882, CORONA COURTHOUSE. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be to. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 11/23/2021  
Tamara Wagner, Judge of the Superior Court

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## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CVCO 2106299

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: ALYSSA MONIQUE VASQUEZ filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: ALYSSA MONIQUE VASQUEZ to. ALYSSA MONIQUE SANGENITO. 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 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 petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF TELEPHONIC HEARING: Date: 01/05/2022 Time: 8:00AM Dept: C2. To appear by telephone dial (213) 306-3065 or (844) 621-3956 (toll free) when prompted enter: Meeting Number 287-806-509#  
Access code: # Please mute your phone until your case is called and it is your turn to speak. The address of the court is SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 505 S. BUENA VISTA AVE. RM 201. CORONA, CA 92882, CORONA COURTHOUSE. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of

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## SUMMONS

### SUMMONS (FAMILY LAW) CASE NUMBER FLRI 1902881

Notice to Respondent: JOSE REFUGIO GARCIA  
You are being sued Petitioner's name is: RITA AURORA GARCIA  
You have 30 calendar days after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response (form FL-120 or FL-123) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter or phone call will not protect you. If you do not file your Response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage or domestic partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form. If you want legal advice, contact a lawyer immediately. You can get information about finding lawyers at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), or by contacting your local county bar association. Tiene 30 dias corridos despues de haber recibido la entrega legal de esta Citacion y Peticion para presentar una Respuesta (formulario FL-120 o FL-123) ante la corte y efectuar la entrega legal de una copia al demandante. Una carta o llamada telefonica no basta para protegerlo. Si no presenta su Respuesta a tiempo, la corte puede dar ordenes que afecten su matrimonio o pareja de hecho, sus bienes y la custodia de sus hijos. La corte tambien le puede ordenar que pague manutencion, y honorarios y costos legales. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentacio, pida al secretario un formulario de exencion de cuotas. Si desea obtener asesoramiento legal, pongase en contacto de inmediato con un abogado. Puede obtener informacion para encontrar a un abogado en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en el sitio Web de los Servicios Legales de California (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org) o poniendose en contacto con el colegio de abogados de su condado. The name and address of the court is: Superior Court of California, County of Riverside, 4175 Main Street, Riverside, CA 92501 The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: Rita Aurora Garcia, 3596 Windsong Street, Corona, CA 92879 Notice to the person served: You are served as an individual. Clerk, by S. Anderson, Deputy  
DATE: April 17, 2019

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name(s) listed above. 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 (\$1000) s. Genisha Conner, CEO  
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 (sec. 1440 et. seq. b & p code)  
Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 11/10/2021  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
FILE NO. R-202115638  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**MANIFESTING EVENTS**  
**3903 Barbury Palms Way**  
**Perris, CA 92571**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**Dietrice Michelle Kidd**  
**3903 Barbury Palms Way**  
**Perris, CA 92571**  
This business is conducted by: Individual  
Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above. 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 (\$1000) s. Dietrice Michelle Kidd  
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 (sec. 1440 et. seq. b & p code)  
Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 11/04/2021  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
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under federal, state, or common law (see section 14411 et seq., business and professions code). I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.  
Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
FILE NO. R-202115347  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**TACOS Y MAS RIVERSIDE**  
**10203 Hole Ave**  
**Riverside, CA 92503**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**CJTYM Inc**  
**10203 Hole Ave**  
**Riverside, CA 92503**  
**CA**  
This business is conducted by: Corporation  
Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above. 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 (\$1000) s. Jose Hernandez, President  
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Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 11/09/2021  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**ARREST A PEST PEST CONTROL**  
**45365 Carrie Lane**  
**La Quinta, CA 92253**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**ARREST A PEST PEST CONTROL**  
**CORP.**  
**45365 Carrie Lane**  
**La Quinta, CA 92253**  
**CA**  
This business is conducted by: Corporation  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 11/1/2021  
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 (\$1000) s. Adam Judnich, President

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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
FILE NO. R-202115801  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**REAL ESTATE ONE**  
**REO HOME LOANS**  
**REO ESCROW A NON INDEPENDENT**  
**BROKER ESCROW**  
**3400 Central Ave, Suite 320**  
**Riverside, CA 92506**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**RE01 INC.**  
**3400 Central Ave, Suite 320**  
**Riverside, California 92506**  
**CA**  
This business is conducted by: Corporation  
Registrant has not yet begun to to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above. 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 (\$1000) s. Ivan M. Navarro, President  
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 (sec. 1440 et. seq. b & p code)  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
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office.  
Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
FILE NO. R-202115846  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**UNLIMITED AUTO WHOLESALE**  
**11231 Riverfall Court**  
**Riverside, CA 92505**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**Joseph Henry Vargas II**  
**11231 Riverfall Court**  
**Riverside, CA 92505**  
This business is conducted by: Individual  
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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 (sec. 1440 et. seq. b & p code)  
Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 11/19/2021  
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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,  
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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:  
**ATTENTION 2 DETAIL SHADOWBOX DESIGN**  
**33242 Vermont Road**  
**Temecula, CA 92592**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**33175 Temecula Pkwy A-1022**  
**Temecula, CA 92592**  
**CA**  
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Statement was filed with the County of





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*Riverside County Board of Supervisors' meeting earlier this year. (source: gvcc.org)*

other.”

When asked whether RSA’s endorsement of Gutierrez over incumbent Hewitt whose district is front and center in the redistricting challenge might have been a message, in other words, was there something written between the lines to incumbents about RSA support [if they did not tow the RSA line]? He dismissed that assessment.

“Somebody could be spinning it as that,” he replied and claimed, “We endorsed Gutierrez because of the support we’ve received [from him].” He shared again that the RSA has not taken a stance on redistricting. “No matter what gets approved, there will be people with their feelings hurt and people who are happy. But, in the final analysis, it is about what is best for Riverside County.”

He reiterated, “We have not made any calls or endorsed any maps or made any calls to supervisors asking them to vote one way or the other.”

Despite Young’s denials, credible sources insist the RSA is/was involved in a pressure campaign to influence how certain supervisors

vote on maps being considered as part of the redistricting effort.

“I find it odd,” said Young, “because we have made a point not to get involved. It is not surprising,” he continued, “but odd, that people are out there alleging we are trying to get people to vote a certain way. If we had,” he insisted, “we would stand proud. We stand proud on any position that we take.”

The NAACP stands behind its statement as well. “We are hearing multiple reports that RSA is calling the offices of county supervisors to use political pressure to get maps approved that will assist in eliminating their political foes,” said Patton-Stell. “Once again, we have law enforcement entities who are unethically abusing the law at the cost of people of color.”

Commenting further about the RSA pressure campaign, the Riverside NAACP said it condemns the RSA political intimidation and called for the Board of Supervisors to center communities of color not political entities and allies.

The NAACP charged the RSA with tainting a sacred democratic process.

*SBCUSD, continued from page 13*

observing the recent SBCUSD board meeting; This is what happened:

Two hours and 17 minutes into the November 16, 2021, meeting, at agenda item 7.2, the 2nd Vice President of the California School Employee Association (CSEA) Chapter 183, Ben Saldago, spoke. “I want to thank the board and two board members—you know who you are—I had a conversation with last week who helped us (CSEA) get more than what we (CSEA) were fighting for. Just know that my members (CSEA) know who you are and we (CSEA) appreciate it and you will surely have our votes when it comes to your reelection.”

Now I am sure the money they gave to CSEA over and above what CSEA was asking for will be the ongoing cost to the district that Tillman and Flores were talking about. The difference is they are hoping it will help them get reelected to the board at the expense of us, the taxpayers, while our kids suffer.

### **Are they placing the district at financial risk?**

I say all of that because Tillman and Flores are putting the district at great financial risk by not approving a position to have someone with the knowledge and time to implement the policies set by the board. It will cost them in labor contract violations and employee grievance settlements. I know what happens in this district when the Human Resource Manager does not have the time and skills needed for this department. I have listened to employee complaints and grievances and have overturned management decisions.

I will do everything in my power to see that Tillman and Flores are not reelected. In the meantime, I am still evaluating the action(s) of Abigail Medina--in other words, stay tuned.



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## IN THE NEWS

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#### Racial minorities white applicants claimed to be on their college applications

Which racial minority did you falsely claim to be?



Source: Intelligent.com

Table 1: Number of Applicants and Admit Rate by ALDC Status

Group	Number of Applicants	Admit Rate (%)
Not Athlete	165,353	6.0
Athlete	1,374	86.0
Not Legacy	162,083	5.9
Legacy	4,644	33.6
Not Dean's Interest List	164,226	6.1
Dean's Interest List	2,501	42.2
Not Child of Faculty or Staff	166,406	6.6
Child of Faculty or Staff	321	46.7

(Source: *Legacy and Athlete Preferences at Harvard* by Peter Arcidiacono, Duke University, Josh Kinsler, University of Georgia, and Tyler Ransom, University of Oklahoma.)

colleges and universities that appears to favor White males.

A December 2020 study titled *Legacy and Athlete Preferences at Harvard* prepared in response to a lawsuit, *Students for Fair Admissions v. Harvard University*, found that 43% of Harvard's White students are either recruited athletes, legacy students, on the Dean's interest list (which means their parents have donated to the school) or children of faculty and staff. Students that are admitted based on this criterion belong to the 'ALDCs', which stands for Athletes, Legacies, Dean's Interest List and children of Harvard Employees.

Seventy percent of Harvard's ALDC students are White.. In contrast, African Americans, Asian Americans, and Hispanics make up the rest of the ALDCs with less than 16%. To put in perspective, it was also found that roughly three-quarters of the applicants would have been rejected by Harvard had it not been for wealth or having a Harvard-connected parent or being an athlete.

Removing preferences for both athletes and legacy students would significantly alter the racial distribution for admitted students at

Harvard. As the data shows, the share of White admits would drop while other groups would rise or remain unchanged.

Although Forbes has named Harvard as the world's most prestigious university, the study shows the systemic favoritism of the White, wealthy, and connected in its college admissions process.

With both the survey by Intelligent, and the study published regarding Harvard's purported racial (and other) disparities in admissions, there is evidence problems remain at some institutions of higher learning when it comes to equity in admissions especially if White applicants are gaming a system designed to level the playing field for minority admissions.

### Public Health, continued from page 12

have afforded us the opportunity to leave our homes and gather this year. Wearing a mask, staying home if you feel sick, and considering if someone you know is vulnerable to the effects of COVID-19.

For engaging and regular updates about COVID-19 data in Riverside County, Arballo encourages residents to visit the University Health Systems website and socials. Explore the dashboard at : <https://covid19-sbcph.hub.arcgis.com/pages/cases>, website: [www.rivcoph.org/coronavirus](http://www.rivcoph.org/coronavirus), Facebook: University health System and/or Twitter @publichealth. For COVID-19 information in San Bernardino County visit <https://covid19-sbcph.hub.arcgis.com/pages/cases>.

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## STOP COVID-19 In the Black Community

### RESOURCES TO ACCESS INFORMATION:

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<https://chair.org/>

**Vaccine Testing Sites**  
<https://iehp.org/en/members/covid-19?target=covid-19-testing-sites>

**California Department of Public Health**  
<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/CID/DCDC/pages/COVID-19/CovidDataAndTools.aspx>

**Tracking COVID-19 California**  
<https://covid19.ca.gov/state-dashboard/>



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