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KEEPING IT REAL

Stop the Theft

The Republican party has a penchant for suppression whether they are seeking to suppress minority votes, the rights of women to make decisions about their own bodies, or doing everything they can to suppress minority participation in the 2020 decennial census—going to any lengths to minimize the voices of minorities and limit the allocation of federal funds to their communities.

Every time the U.S. undertakes the challenge of a census, the nation's constitution requires that every person in the country, every man, woman and child within the borders of this country—whether natural born or naturalized, legal or undocumented—must be counted.

Yet, every ten years certain communities are identified as hard to count for a variety of reasons. As a result, these communities are undercounted. This is especially true among people of color, the homeless and immigrants, whether documented or not.

As the 2020 Census approaches it's been clear from the moment the current president announced his candidacy, he has no tolerance for the people of these communities. Upon taking office he wasted no time implementing initiatives designed to deport, restrict, detain and/or denigrate members of these groups.

One of the ways certain to minimize their voices is to assure the undercount of their communities continues and the administration is attempting to do just that by adding a citizenship question to the upcoming census.

Despite the implausible assertion of U.S. Secretary of Commerce Wilbur Ross who declared the question was required to gather citizenship data to protect America's voting rights—many believe the real reason was to suppress participation in the census survey.

With the administration's unrelenting pressure on immigrants and asylum seekers it doesn't take much to figure out how a citizenship question would make people afraid and suppress participation by creating fear their responses could be used by the administration for nefarious reasons. Civil Rights advocates, social scientists, policy makers and other experts have stated unequivocally the question will suppress census participation.

It is the very real possibility of suppression that should cause concern among residents of majority-minority communities like those in Riverside and San Bernardino Counties regardless of one's political affiliation.

Census data is not only used to allocate seats in the U.S. House of Representatives it also determines federal funding allocated to states in support of several programs including Section 8 Housing vouchers, Medicaid, SNAP, Head Start and numerous other programs. Census results are also used to allocate funding for highway planning and construction.

So, when leaders of the current administration contrived to suppress census participation, they were only seeking to potentially rob local communities and others around the nation of adequate representation at the federal level but also of the federal funding they need to help establish and maintain viable and vibrant communities.

Although many in the country have long suspected this was the administration's real purpose in insisting the citizenship question be added, last week a "smoking gun" showed such suspicions are warranted.

The ACLU filed new documents in a case pending before the U.S. Supreme Court seeking to block the administration's ability to add the citizenship question to the 2020 Census. The documents presented to the court, revealed a longtime Republican redistricting expert who is now deceased, Thomas Hofeller, as reported by Time, "contributed vital language to a letter used [by the administration] to justify adding the question."

According to information in the documents, the administration added the question in hopes of diluting the voting power of minorities—by making immigrants afraid to participate. In the process, the administration would not only impact the power of their vote, they could legally steal/deny these communities access to millions if not billions of dollars in federal funding.

On August 9, 2014, Michael Brown Jr. was

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Remembering D-Day

Victorville – On June 6, as the nation marked the 75th anniversary of the Allied Forces invasion of Normandy, France during World War II, it was also a time to remember the important role played in this historic 1944 military saga by the U.S. Army Air Corps (Air Corps) at the Victorville Army Air Field. In July 1941, the Air Corps began work on the Victorville Army Airfield which became home to an advanced twin-engine pilot training school. Pilot and bombardier training began there in February 1942 and graduating pilots flew a variety of aircraft, including bombers and C-47 Skytrain transports, the primary aircraft that carried airborne paratroopers into battle. Victorville Army Airfield also trained Waco CG-4 glider pilots. Pilots of both CG-4 gliders and C-47s were essential to the invasion of Normandy. According to official reports, nearly 13,100 American paratroopers of the 82nd and 101st Airborne made night parachute drops early on D-Day. Their efforts were followed by 3,937 glider troops.



Measles Warning Issued for Riverside County

Riverside

Riverside County Health officials reacted quickly to notification from the Santa Barbara County Public Health Department (PHD) regarding one of their residents, a person in his 20s who had tested positive for the illness. Riverside was notified because the individual recently visited the area.

Although Santa Barbara PHD officials claim to be confident public exposure was limited, the patient did travel across several counties while infectious including Ventura County, Los Angeles County, San Francisco and Riverside (primarily in La Quinta and Palm Desert) while infectious.

Santa Barbara PHD advised the individual was infectious between May 25, 2019 and June 2 and has been in isolation since May 29.

Specific locations in Riverside County visited

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New Honor for Cal State San Bernardino

San Bernardino

Cal State was recently named a finalist in the inaugural group of colleges and universities to be honored for promoting Latino student success.

As a finalist for the inaugural Seal of Excelencia from the organization Excelencia in Education, which recognizes colleges and universities promoting Latino student success, CSUSB is being acknowledged for its work and achievements with Latino students.

CSUSB is one of only 20 institutions from around the country to be honored as a finalist. It joins other California campuses also being considered for the honor including Cal State Channel Islands, Cal State Monterey Bay and San Diego State.

According to Excelencia in Education, the goal of the Seal of Excelencia is to accelerate institutional transformation to promote equity and college completion for Latino students. The seal is a voluntary certification with a framework for serving Latino students—not just

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NEWS IN BRIEF

So Many Waze



San Bernardino – A “no cost” agreement with Waze Traffic Data was recently approved by the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors to share publicly-available incident and road closure data. In exchange for various county departments providing this data to Waze, Waze will be able to provide its users with more precise information on current road conditions. The county will further benefit from Waze’s crowdsourcing approach to reporting potholes—it is more efficient than conventional reporting means. This information will be leveraged by the county to develop road repair and maintenance strategies. In addition the county will provide Waze location data on shelter and evacuation centers during emergency situations will help provide county residents with timely and valuable information that can save lives. To learn more about Waze visit <https://www.waze.com/>.

How to Talk to Children About Gun Violence

America's stunning failure to respond to gun violence was spotlighted – again – May 31, 2019 when DeWayne Craddock fatally shot twelve people and wounded five others in a mass shooting at a municipal building in Virginia Beach. The longtime city engineer was later shot dead by police officers responding to the scene.

In our children's eyes, the U.S. is often viewed as this great humanitarian model for the rest of the world in so many arenas, but when it comes to gun violence we do nothing, we just shake our heads and say our thoughts and prayers and wait for the next one to happen.

Children's lives are touched by trauma on a regular basis, no matter how much parents or teachers try to keep the "bad things" away. Instead of shielding children from the dangers, violence or tragedies around us, adults should talk to kids about what is happening.

The conversation may not seem easy, but taking a proactive stance, discussing difficult events in age-appropriate language can help a child feel safer and more secure.

As much as adults may try to avoid difficult topics, children often learn or know when something sad or scary happens. If adults don't talk to them about it, a child may overestimate what is wrong or misunderstand adults' silence. So, be the first to bring up the difficult topic. When parents

tackle difficult conversations, they let their children know that they are available and supportive.

Some advanced planning may make the discussion easier. You won't have to think about it off the top of your head.

Find a quiet place to where your children can be the center of your attention. Ask them "What have you heard about this?" And then listen. Listen. Listen. And listen more.

Tell the truth. Lay out the facts at a level they can understand. You do not need to give graphic details.

For young children, you may need to have the conversation about what death means (no longer feel anything, not hungry, thirsty, scared, or hurting; we will never see them again, but can hold their memories in our hearts and heads).

Say, "I don't know." Sometimes the answer to the question is "I don't know." "Why did the bad people do this?" "I don't know" fits.

At the end of the conversation, reassure your children that you will do everything you know how to do to keep them safe and to watch out for them. Reassure them that you will be available to answer any questions or talk about this topic again in the future. Reassure them that they are loved.



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NAME CHANGE

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1902479

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: KELLY CULLIVER- NELSON, CLANCE DREW NELSON filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: a. KELLY CULLIVER-NELSON aka KELLY NELSON aka RAQUEL CULLIVER- NELSON to. KELLY LYNN CULLIVER b. CLANCE DREW NELSON to. DREW CLANCE NELSON. 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 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: 06/12/2019 Time: 8 AM DEPT: C2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CORONA BRANCH, 505 S. Buena Vista Ave, Corona, CA 92882. 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: April 24, 2019 Tamara Wagner, Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1904743

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: CRISTAL GONZALEZ filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: a. DESTINY MARIE RAMOS to. DESTINY LUNA GONZALEZ. b. DANIEL BENJAMIN RAMOS to. DANIEL BENJAMIN GONZALEZ. 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 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: 06/13/2019 Time: 1PM, DEPT: MV2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, MORENO VALLEY BRANCH, 13800 HEACOCK AVENUE D201, 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: April 08, 2019 Eric V. Issac, Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1906011

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: RAYMOND SAMUEL ACEVES MORENO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: RAYMOND SAMUEL ACEVES MORENO to. RAYMOND SAMUEL MORENO. 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 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: 07/11/2019 Time: 1PM, DEPT: MV2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, MORENO VALLEY BRANCH, 13800 HEACOCK AVENUE D201, 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: MAY 08, 2019 Eric V. Issac, Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER COC 1905664

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: NATHAN LLOYD SHOAF filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: NATHAN LLOYD SHOAF to. NATHAN ANDREW SHOAF. 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 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: 07/17/2019 Time: 8am, Dept: C2 The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CORONA BRANCH, 505 S. Buena Vista Ave, Corona, CA 92882. 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: MAY 16, 2019 Tamara Wagner, Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER COC 1905517

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: JOEY KARIM filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: JOEY KARIM to. JOSEPH A. KARIM. 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 the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. Notice of Hearing: Date: June 26, 2019 Time: 8am, Dept: C2 The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CORONA BRANCH, 505 S. Buena Vista Ave, Corona, CA 92882. 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: MAY 10, 2019 Tamara Wagner, Judge of the Superior Court p. 5/30, 6/6, 6/13, 6/20/2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER COC 1905827

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: BUKI OMOSHOLAPE BOLURO-AJAYI filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows a. BUKI OMOSHOLAPE BOLURO-AJAYI to. MICHAEL OLUWATOSIN BOLURO-AJAYI b. MICHAEL OLUWATOSIN AJAYI c. OLUWAMAYOKUN JONATHAN BOLURO-AJAYI to. JONATHAN OLUWAMAYOKUN AJAYI d. OYINDASOLA SARAH BOLURO-AJAYI to. SARAH OYINDASOLA AJAYI e. JOSHUA TEMILOPE BOLURO-AJAYI to. JOSHUA TEMILOPE AJAYI. 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 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: 7/10/2019 Time: 8am, Dept: C2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CORONA BRANCH, 505 S. Buena Vista Ave, Corona, CA 92882. 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: MAY 21, 2019 Christopher B. Harmon, Judge of the Superior Court p. 5/30, 6/6, 6/13, 6/20/2019

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1906409

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: SAADIA JONES on behalf of minor son, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: SEMAJ MOSA to. SEMAJ JONES. 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 the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court

Call for Greater Transparency Regarding Warehouse Subsidies, Salaries, Impact of Automation

Sacramento

Riverside Assemblyman Jose Medina, is championing legislation, Assembly Bill (AB) 485, the Local Government: Economic Development Subsidies Measure, which could potentially slow the ever-expanding growth and impact of warehouses in the inland region.

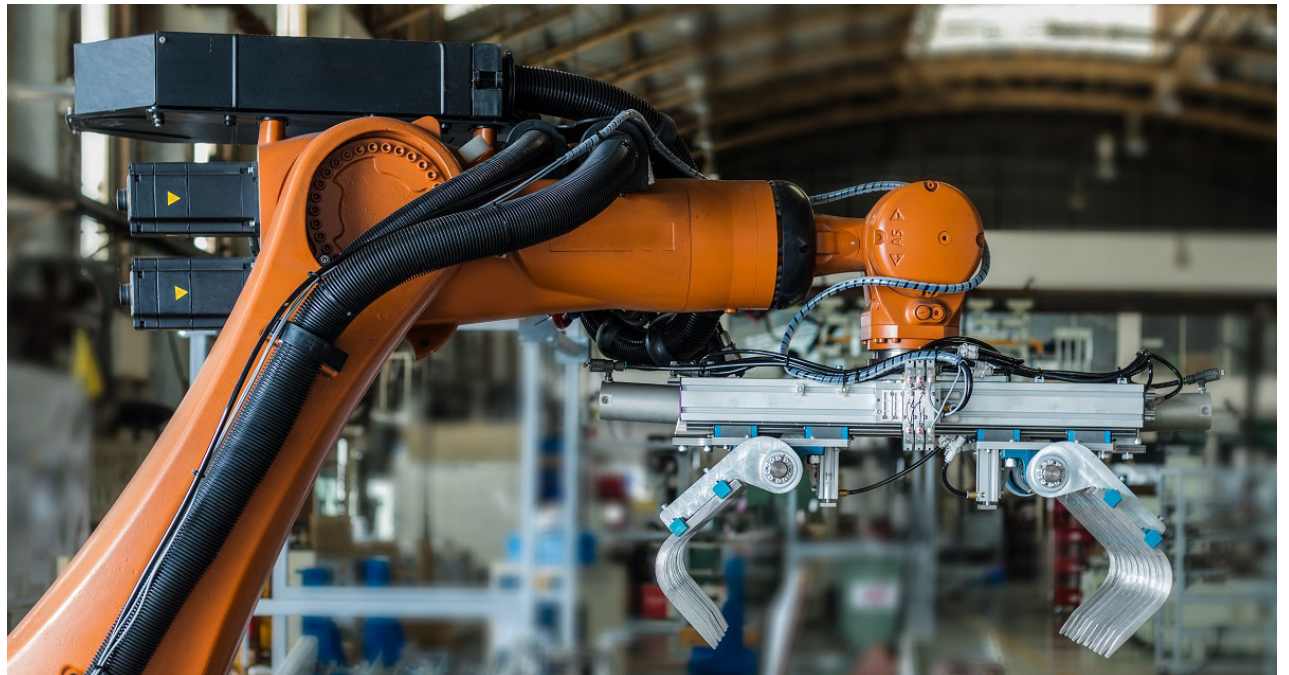
The measure would press local officials to attract jobs to the area beyond those offered by the warehouse industry in hopes other businesses/industries would offer higher wages, better benefits and be more conducive to the overall benefit of public health—i.e., create less pollution.

Under current law local agencies are required to provide specified information to the public before approving an economic development subsidy within its jurisdiction, and to hold hearings and report on those subsidies, as provided. The law defines “economic development subsidy” for these purposes to mean any expenditure of public funds or loss of revenue to a local agency in the amount of \$100,000 or more, to stimulate economic development within the jurisdiction.

The same would hold true under the new legislation, however AB 485 would also prohibit a local agency from signing a nondisclosure agreement regarding a warehouse distribution center as part of negotiations or in the contract for any economic development subsidy—after all, a community has a right to know if it is forgoing tax revenues as a result of such agreements.

The measure would apply to all local municipalities—cities and counties—and they would further be required to disclose specific employment details, including how many jobs will be created, the number of full-time versus part-time positions, wage/salary amounts and benefits. Warehouse owners/operators would also be required to present forecasts detailing how long jobs are projected to last before employees are displaced by automation.

Medina believes it is important that taxpayers understand how their tax dollars are being used in this regard and what kind of return they should expect for their investment.



According to a report by SCNG, the legislation has received pushback from local communities like Moreno Valley who have experienced a large influx of warehouses in recent years and have plans to add more.

Regardless of the pushback, AB 485 passed the Assembly last month by a wide margin, 58 to 17. Medina expects it will also succeed in the Senate and he is optimistic Governor Newsom will sign it into law.

San Bernardino City Council Considers Budget Cuts to Avoid Projected Deficit

San Bernardino

With the coming of the new fiscal year San Bernardino City officials are beginning to officially grapple with another financial challenge—an approximate \$11.2 million-dollar budget shortfall. With the city’s recent history with bankruptcy, the budget deficit carries an added though unavoidable weight as the city’s revenues have under-performed, while expenses, largely driven by salaries and benefits, increased.

Facing tough decisions about what and where to cut with little time left to weight their options, the council got to work in earnest recently, evaluating their options in this regard. The council’s goal—to cut approximately seven percent from the proposed budget for 2019-20 fiscal year.

The City of San Bernardino, like most organizations both public and private when required to cut costs, is looking to shave dollars from where it incurs the most expense—in the area of personnel. Following this premise, a staff report analysis of the budget dilemma with a choice of recommendations was presented during a meeting on the budget last week. It suggested the city cut a minimum of 74 full-time staff positions. If there is any good news in this for city employees—it is that most of those positions are already vacant, however, 25 employees currently in such positions would be impacted if a decision is made to move forward with this option.

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A Tradition of Organizing

When there's a crisis in the community, we help our neighbors. A new movement is bringing back this tradition to address the housing crisis.



Konstantin Hatcher
Director of Organizing
California YIMBY

As young student activists and organizers in Ohio and Los Angeles in the early 1970s, my parents were a part of a rapidly-growing movement within the Black community that sought to create the kinds of community institutions we knew we needed in order to prosper and thrive.

My dad won a scholarship to the college they attended by writing a play based on race relations -- and, after they met, both my parents spent their young adulthood advocating for civil rights and a basic respect for the human dignity of African Americans and people of color. Their achievements set the tone for my own work as a political organizer and activist for social justice.

The values I hold -- fighting for what's right, holding our elected leaders accountable, making sure people find and use their own voices in addressing the systemic problems in our society -- come from mom and dad, and from others in my family who heard the call to activism. I'm proud to be walking in their footsteps as a part of the next generation.

But while my parent's political activities may have been seen as radical in their time, today, I'd just call that "being a good neighbor."

And there's no question that, now more than ever, our neighbors need our help. Poverty and homelessness are at record levels among African Americans in California, and many of our long-term neighbors are being pushed out by high

rents -- all consequences of the severe housing shortage that's crushing our state, from north to south and all points in between.

But like my parents before me, I'm not inclined to sit on the sidelines and watch as my brothers and sisters go through another cycle of gentrification and displacement. It's my commitment to creating equitable communities that led me into the political realm, first as a volunteer leader on the first Obama campaign, then as Operation Vote Director for the 2012 Obama Campaign in Wisconsin, and now as the statewide Director of Organizing for California YIMBY -- a new, pro-housing group focused on ending the affordable housing crisis and making sure California is affordable for everyone.

Despite our passion and commitment to resolving the housing crisis in all of our communities, we're facing huge headwinds: Many of the wealthy, suburban California communities that put up barriers to inclusion in the 1960s and 1970s have maintained their political influence in our state, and continue to take an exclusionary view of how their communities develop. As the New York Times wrote recently:

There is [a] refusal on the part of wealthy progressives to live by the values they profess to support at the national level. Creating dense, economically and socially diverse urban environments ought to be a paramount goal of progressivism. Cities are the standard geographical unit of the global economy. Dense urban areas are quite literally the "real America" — the cities are where two-thirds of Americans live, and they account for almost all national economic output. Urban areas are the most environmentally friendly way we know of housing lots of people. We can't solve the climate crisis without vastly improving public transportation and increasing urban density. More than that, metropolises are good for the psyche and the soul; density fosters tolerance, diversity, creativity and progress.

Yet where progressives argue for openness and inclusion as a cudgel against President Trump, they abandon it on Nob Hill and in Beverly Hills. This explains the opposition to SB 50, which aimed to address the housing shortage in a very straightforward way: by building more housing. The bill would have erased single-family zoning in populous areas near transit locations. Areas zoned for homes housing a handful of people could have been redeveloped to include duplexes and apartment buildings that housed hundreds.

At California YIMBY, we take seriously our state's history of excluding certain types of people -- people of color, middle-class and low-income workers, and immigrants -- via apartment bans and other restrictions on building affordable housing, but we're undaunted in facing the challenge. If you look at the scale and scope of the crisis, we don't have much of a choice: In Los Angeles, over 30% of people experiencing homelessness are African American -- despite making up just 9% of the population. In Oakland, the Black population has fallen from its high of 47% in 2000 to 31% today -- a loss of 27,000 African Americans during that time.

My role at California YIMBY (YIMBY stands for "yes in my back yard") gives me the opportunity to engage with Californians across our state, to hear their stories of housing insecurity or even homelessness, and support their efforts to find solutions. I'm blessed to be able to listen to the concerns people have about preserving and protecting their neighborhoods, while engaging in honest conversation about what we need to do to produce the housing that will provide everyone with a home. Sometimes, these conversations are awkward or uncomfortable. But as activists, we're not here to provide cover for the status quo: We're here to foster the kind of changes in society that would advance our values of neighborliness and empowerment, of creating access to opportunity through the most basic vector of access to affordable housing.

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Criminal Intent?

WVWD Director Clifford Young May Finally be Held to Account

Hardy Brown Sr.

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Contributors

For more than a year The IE Voice/Black Voice News has chronicled in op-eds and feature stories the antics and alleged fiscal malfeasance of West Valley Water District Board Director Dr. Clifford O. Young.

After failed efforts to solicit meaningful responses from the West Valley Water District Board (Board) of Directors to concerns raised by members of the West Valley Water District (WVWD) Rate Payers Association (RPA), regarding what they saw as potential misuse of rate payer funds the organization took their concerns to the California Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC).

As previously reported, in a letter dated September 10, 2018, RPA President Don Griggs presented their concerns to the FPPC documenting how WVWD Board of Directors and its President Clifford Young used ratepayers' money for personal political purposes in relation to an event that occurred in December 2017.

In a sworn statement, Griggs, on behalf of the Association, presented

the (FPPC) with a very detailed report which laid out a compelling case in support of their claim that Young had misused rate payer funds and provided copies of key WVWD documents to support their allegations.

The basis of their claim was rooted in an event that occurred on December 7, 2017. Although described by Young as a Christmas celebration the RPA alleged the event was actually a political victory celebration for Young (who was re-elected to the Board) and for newly elected Board Directors, Dr. Michael Taylor and Kyle Crowther. RPA believed Young had violated FPPC regulations when he requested and was reimbursed for the cost of the event which totaled \$1897.43.

After considering the allegations, Galena West, FPPC Enforcement Division Chief responded to the RPA complaint in late September 2018 noting the FPPC found insufficient evidence of a violation of the Political Reform Act and as a result, would not be pursuing the case from an FPPC perspective. However, she added, "The conduct alleged in your complaint

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“The safekeeping of public moneys has, from the first, been safeguarded and hedged in by legislation most strict and severe in its exactitudes. It has continuously been the policy of the law that the custodians of public moneys or funds should hold and keep them inviolate and use or disburse them only in strict compliance with the law.”

- California Supreme Court, People v. Dillion (1926)

would be better addressed by the Office of the Attorney General. Therefore, we have forwarded your complaint to the Attorney General’s Office.”

In a separate matter in mid-October 2018, the Public Integrity Unit (PIU) of the San Bernardino County District Attorney’s Office provided a written assessment to WVWD attorney, Bradley Neufeld, Esq. Varner & Brandt, LLP, regarding two complaints against Young. The complaints involved Young’s receipt of reimbursement from WVWD in the amount of \$1378.58 for travel expenses for a business trip to Washington, DC in 2016 that was ultimately cancelled; and a reimbursement in the amount of \$538.41 for fees on his personal LinkedIn account for 2016.

In the communication, PIU Deputy District Attorney Carlo A. Dicesare reported—based on the department’s investigation which included previous communications with Neufeld—it was their understanding that, “[Young] without admitting any liability, acknowledged the payments in question were inappropriate.

Dicesare further noted the PIU took at “face value” the lawyer’s representations that the payments were—inadvertent. And, acknowledged Dicesare had also provided proof the money was repaid. The PIU declared the matter closed; but the correspondence did not end there.

Dicesare was provided the following caution, [I]n looking at the totality of the allegations in the complaints [against Young in this case], it appears that there may be issues with the WVWD’s internal controls.”

He continued, “We alert you to that, and request that you remind your client and WVWD staff, of their obligations to scrupulously safeguard public funds.” Adding, “As the California Supreme Court noted more than 90 years ago, “The safekeeping of public moneys has, from the first, been safeguarded and hedged in by legislation most strict and severe in its exactitudes. It has continuously been the policy of the law that the custodians of public moneys or funds should hold and keep them inviolate and use or disburse them only in strict compliance with the law.”

By the time Young’s attorney received that guidance to pass on to his client however, Young was already (once again) under investigation for purportedly violating that guiding principle in another matter—triggered by the RPA’s FPPC complaint.

In mid-September 2018 the WVWD engaged the law firm Milon Pluas LLP (Pluas) to conduct an investigation into allegations involving Young and the District in response to the RPA’s FPPC complaint.

“We insisted the internal investigation be conducted by an outside firm,” Griggs explained, “to eliminate any concerns about the integrity of

its results.”

The investigation, which began February 14, 2019 and completed March 6, 2019, concluded the allegations made against Dr. Clifford Young Sr. and the West Valley Water District are substantiated. Pluas based its conclusions on following:

The December 7, 2017 party at Serra Lakes Golf Course constituted a private, political event for which reimbursement was improper.

It is unlawful for any elected state or local officer to use public resources for campaign activity which includes expenditures made by a candidate or officeholder unless it is clear from the surrounding circumstances that the expenditure was not made for political purposes. In other words, there is a presumption that expenses made by public officials are made for political purposes and as such, must be clearly rebutted by the circumstances. According to Pluas, this case proved the contrary—there was overwhelming evidence the event was held for personal political purposes.

Young, Crowther and Taylor were sworn in during the December 7, 2017 Board meeting. The event in question was held immediately following the meeting. Based on testimony of many who attended the affair at the Sierra Lakes Golf Club the evening of December 7, 2017, including staff and other evidence, investigators determined the event was specifically organized by Young and Taylor as a way for the newly-elected board directors to celebrate their election victories.

The facts led to the further conclusion the event was a private affair only for individuals involved in their political campaign. It included donors, elected officials, family members and others who were in one way or another connected to the campaigns and it was not intended for the public or the district at large.

Young’s request and receipt of an improper expense reimbursement is an impermissible use of public funds.

It is illegal for elected government officials and employees to use public resources for personal or political purposes and reimbursement of such money is deemed to be an illegal “gift.” According to investigators such gifts resulting from improper reimbursement(s) are a violation of the California Constitution.

An email invitation to the event from Young’s political campaign, “Young for Waterboard,” dated December 4, 2017 sent to those who

attended the event directly stated the purpose of the affair was to thank the recipients for the work they provided in the campaign and to celebrate a “job well done.” This further supported the finding that the event was exclusively held for those associated with the campaign; however, the paperwork submitted to WVWD by Young for reimbursement referenced it as a Christmas party. However, none of the attendees interviewed during the investigation understood it to be a Christmas party. In addition, no members of the general public were in attendance and there was no evidence of a public announcement or invitation to the general public.

Based on these and other factors, investigators determined the event was political in nature intended to celebrate the election of the Board members and thank those involved in the campaigns. They further determined Young improperly sought and received reimbursement for its costs and noted the reimbursement was an illegal use of public resources in violation of WVWD District Ordinance 85 and the California Constitution.

Young was improperly reimbursed for cost incurred for his spouse, other directors’ spouses and third parties unrelated to the WVWD who attended the event.

Whether the December 7, 2017 event was private or public, reimbursement for meals consumed by spouses and other third parties is likely improper, investigators reported. According to the California Attorney General public funds cannot be used to reimburse elected officials who purchase meals for their spouses or other third parties including constituents, legislators, private business owners, etc. This determination is also reflected in WVWD’s Ordinance 85 which states in part, “[E]ach Director shall reimburse the District for any prepayment of costs for his/her spouse except as otherwise stated in this ordinance.”

Investigators concluded the majority of the meals served at the December 7, 2017 event and paid for through the reimbursement of public funds were for spouses and third party individuals who attended—a direct violation of Ordinance 85 and other state regulations.

The District improperly paid for Young’s reimbursement.

The investigators determined that based on the details describe above and other factors included in the investigative report the district knew or should have known Young’s request for reimbursement for the event was improper and should not have been paid.

Among the many other factors highlighting Young’s hubris and disregard for the rules revealed during the investigation was evidenced in an exchange that occurred at the close of the event. Taylor and Crowther told investigators they approached Young and offered to share the costs—specifically informing him they

could cover the costs of the event with money left over from their political action committees (PACS), i.e., campaign funds. However, Young declined their offers and indicated he would pay the bill himself to treat the two new Board members because unlike Young, they were just elected to the Board for the first time. Both Crowther and Taylor told investigators they understood the event was not “District related” and as a result, could not be reimbursed through the water agency.

During the investigation several individuals involved in the event were interviewed including Deborah Martinez, Clarence Mansell, Donald Olinger, Kyle Crowther, Michael Taylor, Greg Young, Guillermo Villavicencio and Scott Olson. Clifford Young and the former assistant board secretary Patricia Romero declined to be interviewed and the former WVWD Chief Financial Officer Robert Christmas is now deceased.

Although those who processed the reimbursement, Martinez and Christmas, could not be interviewed, Plusas determined District documents were enough to establish conclusively the reimbursement was requested and made—further noting, “[Based on their investigation] this is not in dispute.”

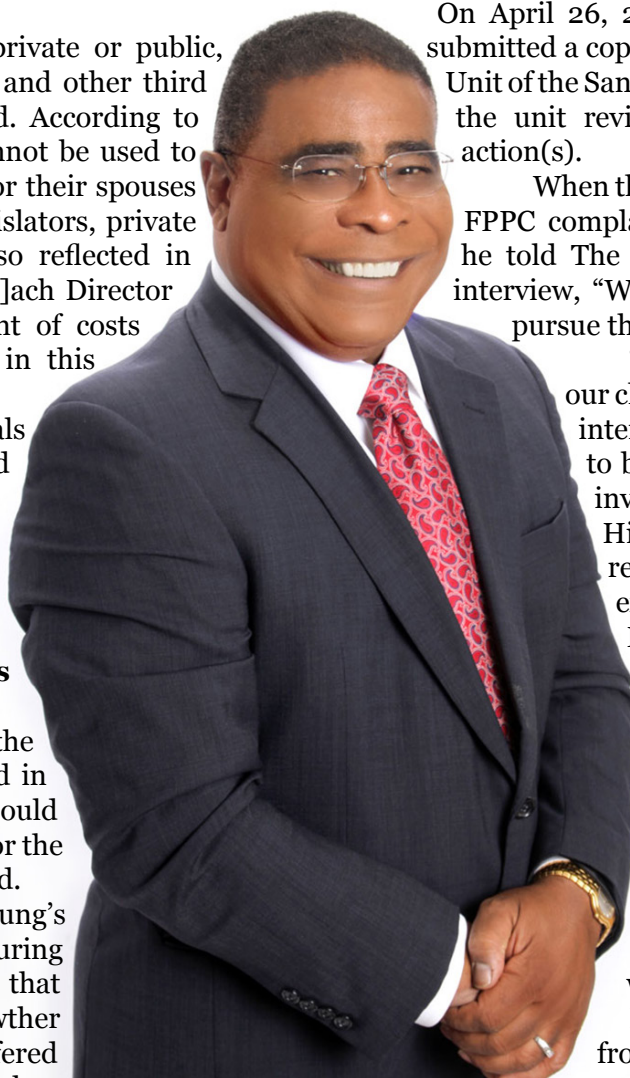
On April 26, 2019 WVWD General Manager Clarence Mansell submitted a copy of the investigator’s report to the Public Integrity Unit of the San Bernardino District Attorney’s office and requested the unit review it and determine an appropriate course of action(s).

When the FPPC advised Griggs in September 2018 the RPA FPPC complaint was being referred to the Attorney General, he told The IE Voice/Black Voice News during an exclusive interview, “We have laid out our case and we will continue to pursue the issue.” And, they did.

“The results of the [investigation] came back, and our claim was substantiated,” Griggs declared in a recent interview. “In other words, everything we said proved to be true.” Although upon learning the results of the investigation Griggs admitted he had some concerns. His thoughts were in reference to the previous case referred to the DA over Young’s reimbursement for expenses related to the cancelled trip to Washington, D.C. and 2016 fees on his personal LinkedIn account as detailed above.

“For the DA to have dismissed that complaint because Young claimed his reimbursement filings with [WVWD] were inadvertent and because he repaid the money,” Griggs said adamantly, “did not sit well with me. It means if I get caught doing something wrong, whether its stealing or something else, and I pay it back—then all is forgiven. In the real world it doesn’t work that way.”

He continued, That was a big concern for me coming from the DA’s office.” He acknowledged the DA’s



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'We Need Numbers to Tell Our Story' – Reversing Census Undercount in Indian Country

Mark Hedin

Ethnic Media Services

Fear, distrust and even anger at the federal government are among the obstacles the 2020 Census must overcome to reach an accurate count, especially of immigrants and communities of color, most experts agree.

For Native Americans, the ethnic group with the highest undercount of any defined by the Census Bureau, these obstacles are compounded by diversity and isolation.

So concluded a group of Native American media representatives who met recently in Sacramento with state officials, a Native American legislator and members of the governor's staff to brainstorm how to reverse the undercount in 2020.

Those media in attendance were: Hoopa Radio, Indian Country Today, Indian Voices, News from Native California, the Two Rivers Tribune, the Quechan Indian Tribe's KUAV-FM, KPRI-FM from the Pala Indian Reservation and FNX-TV. Also, on hand were state government and Ethnic Media Services staff.

There's no one-size-fits-all message on the census for Indian Country, Ditas Katague, director of CA Complete Count Census 2020, the state's complete count committee, acknowledged. She pointed out how in 2010, the Two Rivers Tribune had to reject two consecutive ads as culturally inappropriate, one showed Plains Indians walking through fields towards teepees, the other depicted an Indian man in front of a Los Angeles skyscraper.

Two Rivers Tribune's readership of Hoopa Indians have lived in the redwood forests of Northern California for 20,000 years. Native media embedded in their communities are key to customizing the message for each tribe, Katague pointed out.

The stakes couldn't be higher. The 2010 Census, considered the most accurate of any decennial census taken since 1790, still missed almost five percent of Native Americans living on reservations and almost 12 percent of those off the reservation. As a result, the native community has lost out on at least 4.9 percent of its share of hundreds of billions in government allocations based on census data.

The undercount has a national effect. George Washington University's "Counting for Dollars 2020" study estimates that for the 16 large federal programs that together spend \$589 billion annually based on census data, the loss comes to \$1,838 per person. For California, the same study pegs that

amount at \$1,958 per person. Mark Trahan, editor of Indian Country Today, says for the Native American population, the number is closer to \$3,000 each.

"Indian Country is so diverse in general, but in California the state with the largest population of Native Americans in the country, that diversity increases exponentially," said Jourdan Bennett-Begaye, a reporter with Indian Country Today. "California has 109 recognized tribes, and there are so many more. Each tribe, each community, is different, with our own identities, our own ways."

Daniel Golding runs KUAV, the radio station serving the Quechan Indian Tribe in the southeastern corner of the state. "California's second-largest tribe you've never heard of," he joked. To underscore the diversity, he recalled seeing a coyote on the road while touring a different reservation. "For one tribe, crossing paths with a coyote brings bad luck. For my tribe, it's a sign of good fortune."

The sheer isolation of tribal lands makes tallying people a challenge. Eric Ortega, of the Pala Indian Reservation in San Diego County, notes that just having a street address, instead of a post-office box, is a recent innovation.

In 2010, the Census Bureau began community outreach efforts two or three years before census-taking started. That was very helpful, according to Brian Golding, Daniel Golding's brother, head of economic development for the Quechan tribe. Local residents helped enumerators find where people lived, he said, and

more importantly, worked alongside enumerators to mitigate a mistrust of strangers that might have led to fewer people being counted.

That sort of outreach hasn't been seen in the run-up to 2020, Golding says. "This go-round, right out the gate, is significantly weaker in outreach to Indian Country."

The Census Bureau has been underfunded throughout the 2010s, affecting its ability to do its typical preparations such as community outreach and thorough field-testing of proposed changes.

And, in a new cost-cutting effort, the Census Bureau plans to have people complete their questionnaires online after getting a notice in the mail. But not everybody in Indian Country has ready access to a computer.

"The online opportunity may be helpful," Brian Golding says. "The younger population tends to have smart phones and are generally tech-

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Assemblyman James Ramos (D-San Bernardino), the first Native American elected to the California State Assembly, addressed a gathering of Native American media and state workers ahead of the upcoming 2020 Census at a meeting in the governor's conference room on April 4. Photo by Lynn Chan

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Health officials caution anyone who spent time at the above locations on the specified dates may be at risk of developing measles for up to 21 days after being exposed. The health department is asking anyone who may have been exposed to check if they are immune to the disease and to talk to their doctor to determine if they may be at risk.

“We highly encourage every person to know their measles vaccination status by checking in with their health care providers. Measles is a highly contagious virus that spreads easily by air and through direct contact with someone who is infected. The MMR (measles, mumps, rubella) vaccine is safe and highly effective in protecting individuals from contracting measles,” shared Dr. Henning Ansorg, Health Officer for the PHD in Santa Barbara.

Although there are no known cases of measles in Riverside County to date, at least 49 cases of the disease have been reported statewide so far this year.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention signs and symptoms of the disease include high fever, cough, runny nose and red, watery eyes. Three to five days after symptoms begin, a rash breaks out. It usually begins as flat red spots that appear on the face at the hairline and spread downward to the neck, trunk, arms, legs, and feet. Small raised bumps may also appear on top of the flat red spots. When the rash appears, a person’s fever may spike to more than 104° Fahrenheit.

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In the meantime, the city’s police force which will drive nearly 65 percent of the city’s budget in the coming year, is under pressure to make significant cuts.

The city has no reserves to offset the potential deficit so budget cuts appear to be the only viable way forward. Though a possible way forward was laid during the session, no decisions were reached. The team will reconvene to explore the issue further in the coming weeks.

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enrolling them. It not only identifies trendsetting institutions; it helps other institutions that aspire to better serve their students.

CSUSB officials noted to be considered for the seal, participating colleges and universities are required to provide a data snapshot of Latinos being served at the institution, details of programs and practices intentionally serving Hispanic students, and leadership strategies committed to accelerating Latino student success.

Recipients of the seal will be announced on June 20 at the Excelencia in Education 15-year anniversary celebration to be held in Washington, D.C.

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fatally shot dead by the police in Ferguson, Missouri for stealing a \$6.50 box of Swisher cigars. Something is wrong in this country when an 18-year-old African American can be shot down by police for stealing an item worth \$6.50, while a president with the help of his political enablers can contrive to steal millions of dollars from minority communities across this county and be celebrated for their actions.

The only way to fight back against this egregious distortion of democracy and blatant theft of our voting power, our representation, and federal dollars to our communities is for every person of color, for every person, to stand up and be counted in the 2020 Census! It is the only way we can stop the theft. . .

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

S.E. Williams
Editor

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My goal is to not just walk in my parent’s footsteps, but to move our cause further down the field and advance the good work of folks like my parents and so many of their fellow activists. I’m confident that as we build this movement, we’ll become a force for overcoming the barriers -- both historic, and from the present-day -- to inclusive, diverse, open communities. We really can make California for everyone.

Change is going to come, but to get there we’ll all have to “do the work” -- in our communities, but also in our own hearts and minds.

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decision in part, is what encouraged the RPA to continue. Noting further the DA’s decision “was not good enough.”

The investigation into the December 7, 2017 event and its results are a credit to the diligence and determination of Griggs and other members of the RPA who continue to stay the course working to ensure ratepayers have a voice in the administration of the District while also holding Board members to account for their actions.

Now, the RPA is waiting to see the results of the DA’s investigation. “Of course, we have a new District Attorney [Jason Anderson], Ramos was the DA when the other case was forgiven. We wanted to make sure this investigation went as planned; we had all the information; and we were sure that anyone who pursued it would find the charges were true.” That’s what happened in the internal investigation and Griggs is hopeful the same will be true regarding the DA investigation.

“The WVWD deserves Directors it can trust,” Griggs stressed. “It’s time for Young to move on.” Though he acknowledged Young will probably not leave voluntarily. “The question is,” he added, will the DA’s investigation result in charges?

He went on to express his hope the DA has the integrity to do the right thing for the District Attorney’s Office and the WVWD. “Let’s make things right,” he encouraged, “and let’s move on.”

The IE Voice/Black Voice News reached out to attorney Robert Tafoya for a comment from Clifford Young. As of publication there was no response.

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savvy.” But they also tend to be more mobile and less concerned about responding, he adds. “They’re more likely to use tech, but least likely to respond.”

Fully 73 percent of Native people in California live in cities and smaller towns, presumably making them relatively accessible. But, Lorenda Sanchez, who heads the California Indian Manpower Consortium in Sacramento, says it’s actually harder to count Native people in urban communities because they’re dispersed, not clustered in a homogenous community. This is particularly true in cities too small to have strong, sizable identity groups in their midst but large enough to be diverse.

Sanchez, whose organization includes 104 of the state’s tribes and 68 community-based organizations, has worked on census matters for 41 years. She pegs the undercount for Native Americans in California at between 10percent and 25percent in urban communities, with the larger cities at the lower end of the range. The

2010 Census counted 723,000 Native Americans in California, almost evenly split between full-blooded and mixed-race. Los Angeles has about 140,000, the Bay Area about 75,000.

The April 4 meeting, held in the governor’s conference room in the state Capitol, provided a call to action for attendees.

“One of my takeaways was that localized media in each of the communities that attended are ready to raise awareness and address concerns in each of their regions,” observed Frank Blanquet of FNX TV, who is producing a segment on the conversation.

“We all understand how the census affects us and our communities,” Bennett-Begaye remarked. “We’re figuring out how to communicate that to our diverse audiences.”

Allie Hostler, editor of the Two Rivers Tribune, says her major challenge is limited resources, a sentiment shared by virtually all attendees.

For Terria Smith of the Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians, editor of News from Native California, which covers tribal news statewide,

trust is the underlying issue Native media must address. “There is no trust right now for the federal government at all, as far as a lot of people go. Then you’re going to have to combat people’s apathy: What is the benefit of doing all of this?”

“I understand people’s distress, but it also affects a lot of our federal programs,” Bennett-Begaye countered. “I’m also thinking about the younger kids. The number one population that’s undercounted are kids 0-5, and Native youth are our largest population in Indian Country.”

“If we can get that message back to our people, and we can share that with them, they just may be better involved,” noted Joe Orozco, longtime station manager of the Hoopa reservation’s radio station KIDE, 50 miles north of Eureka. “So, I’m looking forward to doing what I can do to make that happen.

“Let’s give them some more numbers that they can count on, and just keep adding to our story,” he concluded as the convening ended.

“That’s the only thing we have. We need the numbers to tell our story.”

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NOTICE- In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious business 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. 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). 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. 201907667
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
CT REAL ESTATE
5939 Petite Court
Riverside, CA 92504
Riverside County
CRAIG THOMSON INC
A/I# 4211434
5939 Petite Court

Riverside, CA 92504
This business is conducted by: a corporation
Registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 11/30/-1.
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. Craig Thomson Inc, Craig Thomson, 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)
Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 5/24/19 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.
NOTICE- In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious business 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. 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).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-201907616
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The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as:
AMERICAN RESIDENTIAL REMODELING COMPANY
AMERICAN PERFECT REMODELING COMPANY
AMERICAN SINCERE REMODELING COMPANY
7454 Elm Grove Avenue
Riverside, CA 92504
Riverside County
PEIHE ZHANG
7454 Elm Grove Avenue
Riverside, CA 92504
This business is conducted by: an individual
Registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 11/30/-1.
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. Peihe Zhang.
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 5/24/19 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.
NOTICE- In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious business 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. 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).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-201907617
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ABANDONMENTS

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
File No. R-201409625
MFG OF RESTAURANT BOOTHS
3129 Tamarack Way
Mira Loma, CA 91752
Riverside County
Pedro-Garcia Garcia
3129 Tamarack Way
Mira Loma, CA 91752
Dolores – Cano De Garcia
3129 Tamarack Way
Mira Loma, CA 91752
This business is conducted by: Married Couple
The fictitious business name(s) referred to above was filed in Riverside County on 10/07/2014
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. Pedro-Garcia Garcia
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Riverside County on 05/14/2019
Peter Aldana, County Clerk
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REV. ROCHELLE SETTLE
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GREG LAURIE
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S.E. Williams
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Whether identified as, laws, regulations, statutes, of how many hours he/she works—they also benefit when the minimum wage is increased because the salary threshold is also increased. As a result, effective January 1, 2019, the new threshold will be \$960 per week, or \$49,920 per year.

In addition, commissioned inside salespeople, who qualify as exempt when they earn more than 1.5 times the state minimum wage and their

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