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Proposition 5, California's Property tax Transfer Initiative

In 1978, Californians voted overwhelmingly in favor of Proposition 13, the Howard Jarvis Tax Initiative. The measure garnered broad support largely in response to the continuous increases in property taxes during that era which in some instances, were forcing elderly residents on fixed incomes out of their long-time homes because they could not afford to pay the ever-increasing property tax assessments.

Fast forward forty years to the election this November when Californians will once again be asked to weigh in on a property tax measure designed to provide some relief for senior property owners. On November 6, Proposition 5, the Property Tax Transfer Initiative, could result in an amendment to Proposition 13 that will provide property tax benefits to the state's elderly who sell their homes and purchase new ones.

A "yes" vote will allow California homebuyers over the age of 55 and those who are severely disabled to transfer the tax-assessed value (with a possible adjustment) from their old home to their new home. The transfer would apply regardless of their new home's market value or location or the number of times the senior buys and sells. A "No" vote on this measure will maintain the status quo.

Currently, those over 55 can only transfer their tax assessment value when the market value of their new home is equal to or less than the value of their old home. In addition, counties, not the state decides whether those values can be transferred across county lines.

As you might imagine, as a senior myself, I have a vested interest in this legislation and I am certain I am not alone. California's elderly population is expected to grow more than twice as fast as the state's total population in the coming years.

Not surprisingly, there are those who oppose this legislation despite it being tailored to benefit the elderly. The primary argument against it? It does nothing to alleviate the state's housing crisis. They also argue that it means less local revenue for the state's public schools. To these individuals/groups I would say we lost that argument 40 years ago when Proposition 13 was positioned on the bases of protecting the elderly widows and widowers but also included commercial property owners in the bargain.

Under Proposition 13 property owners are taxed no more than one percent of their full cash value shown on the 1975-1976 assessment rolls and annual increases of the assessed taxable value of their property is limited to the inflation rate or two percent—whichever is less. It also provides some protections to new property owners. Property taxes for new property owners are assessed at one percent of the cash value of the property and then the inflation rate or two percent cap kicks in.

The tax protections Proposition 13 afforded commercial property owners made them the greatest beneficiaries of this protection over the last 40 years, while property tax revenue dollars available to support local schools and other municipal needs were seriously impacted.

The property tax relief Proposition 5 will provide seniors who sale and then purchase new homes will pale in comparison to the potential billions in property tax dollars saved by corporations over the last forty years.

For those who oppose Proposition 5 out of concern for lost revenue to the state's public schools, I

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California Bans Plastic Straws

Sacramento – With the signing of SB1884 by Governor Brown last week, California became the first state in the nation to ban the use of plastic straws by full-service restaurants unless a customer specifically asks for one. The measure however does not apply to fast food restaurants or convenience stores.

The movement to ban plastic straws is largely the result of their environmental impact. They easily slip through the cracks in the recycling process and often end up in the ocean and cause damage to sea creatures who often mistake them for food. And, when they are not washing out to sea they end up in land-fills where, according to some scientists it can take as long as 500 years for them to decompose.

The straw ban will take effect January 1, 2019. After two warnings, violators can be fined up to \$25 per day.

Join the Movement to Build Black Business in the I.E.

San Bernardino

The Inland Empire-based Webb Family Enterprises, attributes their family's entrepreneurial success to giving back to the community. It is also the philosophy behind a new initiative they are leading. It calls on Black people to become part of a bigger movement titled, the Cooperative Economic Empowerment Movement (CEEM).

CEEM's co-founder and CEO, Kyle Webb, recently explained how the cooperative's goal of raising \$15 million for the sole purpose of sustaining Black business and supporting community doesn't take a miracle, all it takes is \$100 per person; and for those who get involved, there will be the added benefit of cash back rewards. It is all part of a vision to grow a business empire, while also serving as a wealth building strategy. "Our cause is about increasing [the] incidence of entrepreneurship in the Black community," Webb said.

CEEM is a membership cooperative dedicated to increasing wealth, prosperity and educational outcomes for the African American community. This will be accomplished through mentorship, education, and training. It is open to all residents of California who are willing to make contributions in our efforts to promote wealth of African Americans. The membership cost is \$100 per person.

In some ways, he said CEEM resembles a crowdfund like the Black Wall Street—for the financial benefit of the Black community.

The \$100 one-time membership fee is applicable to both individuals



Kyle Webb and his father, Reginald Webb

and businesses. There is also a recurring annual membership fee is \$25 for individuals, and \$100 for businesses. If 150,000 members of Black businesses and individuals join, the membership fees will provide a \$15 million investable capital base, Webb explained.

Membership dollars go directly into the fund and will be used to buy more businesses supported by the Black community and others. Members

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Community Reinvestment Grants Program Workshops Coming to the I.E.

San Bernardino

The Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GOBiz) is offering a series of workshops on the new California Community Reinvestment Grants program.

This program will provide grants to community based non-profit organizations and local health departments to provide a range of services for communities that were disproportionately affected by past federal and state drug policies.

The grants will be provided to qualified initiatives that support job placement, mental health treatment, substance use disorder treatment, system navigation services, legal services to address barriers to reentry and linkages to medical care.

During the workshops GO-Biz will discuss the parameters of the program and solicit input

and feedback from workshop attendees with respect to the development and implementation of the program.

Representatives from local health departments, community based-nonprofit organizations, community leaders and other stakeholders are encouraged to attend.

Two workshops will be held in the Inland Empire on Friday, October 19 as follows:

- San Bernardino Valley College, 701 S. Mt. Vernon Ave., Library Viewing Room (Lib 149), San Bernardino from 10:00 am to 11:30 am.
- Moreno Valley Employment Resource Center, 12625 Frederick Street, Suite K-3, Moreno Valley from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm.

Register online at <http://business.ca.gov/Portals/o/Files/CalCRG-Workshop-Flyer->

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NEWS BRIEF

Help Wanted!

Washington, D.C. – The U.S. Census Bureau is seeking workers to fill thousands of temporary job openings nationwide in advance of the 2020 Census. Job applicants can apply for a range of positions that include recruiting assistants, office operations supervisors, clerks, census field supervisors and census takers. The positions will be located across 248 Area Census Offices nationwide and offer flexible work hours, including daytime, evenings and weekends.

According to the Census Bureau, applicants will be placed in an applicant pool for 2020 Census field positions for the openings they qualify for and will be contacted as work becomes available in their area.

For more information, contact 1-855-JOB-2020. Applicants may also contact the Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339. Job descriptions are available and applications can be submitted online at https://2020census.gov/jobs?eml=gd&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery.

Medicare is Getting Better: What's New in 2019

Time for the happy dance! Medicare is 53 years old and aging well. The program has higher rates of satisfaction from its 60 million members than almost any other form of health insurance. It is about to get better. Here are seven improvements to Medicare that will take effect in 2019. Some of the changes will affect all beneficiaries while others will apply just to individuals who select Medicare Advantage plans.

No more donut hole. An expensive element of the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit requires enrollees with high prescription costs to pay more for their medicines after they reach a certain level of spending in one year. This creates a coverage gap – also called the “donut hole.” After a beneficiary’s out-of-pocket spending reaches a second threshold, they enter catastrophic coverage and pay substantially less. Under the Affordable Care Act (ACA), the donut hole was scheduled to close in 2020. But the spending bill Congress passed in March will close the donut hole for brand-name drugs in 2019. The gap will close for generic drugs in 2020.

Therapy gap is gone. Beneficiaries of original Medicare won’t have to pay the full cost of outpatient physical speech or occupational therapy

because Congress permanently repealed the cap that has historically limited coverage of those services.

Better information, Medicare is updating the handbook it sends to beneficiaries every fall. It will include checklists and flowcharts to make it easier to decide on coverage. The online Medicare Plan Finder tool will be easier to use and an improved “coverage wizard” will help enrollees compare out-of-pocket costs and coverage options between original Medicare and Medicare Advantage.

More telemedicine, Medicare is steadily broadening the availability of telehealth programs that let patients confer with a doctor or nurse via telephone or the internet. In 2019, it will begin covering telehealth services for people with end-stage renal disease or during treatment for a stroke.

New regulations will let people try an Advantage plan for up to three months and, if they aren’t satisfied, they can switch to another Medicare Advantage plan or choose to enroll in original Medicare. Congress required this flexibility in the 21st Century Cures Act, designed to accelerate innovation in health care.



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NAME CHANGE

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER RIC 1817647

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: MONICA LYNN PENLAND filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: MONICA LYNN PENLAND to. MONICA LYNN PENLAND SMITH 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: 10/10/2018 Time 8:30 am Dept.: 12. The address of the court is: Superior Court of California, County of Riverside 4050 Main Street, Riverside, CA 92502. 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, 4290 Brockton Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501. Date: AUG 24, 2018 John W. Vineyard, Judge of the Superior Court
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER RIC 1818221

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: CRYSTAL CASTANEDA filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: JOSEPH JR CASTANEDA to. JOSEPH JR RAMIREZ 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: 11/05/2018 Time 8:30 am Dept.: 12. The address of the court is: Superior Court of California, County of Riverside 4050 Main Street, Riverside, CA 92502. 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, 4290 Brockton Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501. Date: SEP 05, 2018 John W. Vineyard, Judge of the Superior Court
p. 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/04/2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER RIC 1817957

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: BREYANA ALTRECHE filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: BREYANA ALTRECHE to. BREYANA ALONSO. 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

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER RIC 1818067

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: ADRIAN ADELBERT GLOVER filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: ADRIAN ADELBERT GLOVER to. ADRIAN DELL ROBERTS. The Court Orders

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR

**CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER RIC 1818363**
To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: CALLIE J. RICH NEAL, STANLEY JASON NEAL filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: SETH MALACHI NEAL to. SETH MALACHI RICH NEAL 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: 10/18/18 Time 8:30 am Dept.: 12. The address of the court is: Superior Court of California, County of Riverside 4175 Main Street, Riverside, CA 92501. a. 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

Diocese of San Bernardino Will Publish Names



Bishop Gerald Barnes

San Bernardino

As the Catholic Church struggles to repair the world-wide damage done to its orthodoxy by pedophile priests, it has launched a national effort to disclose the names of priests accused of sexual abuse.

In response, the Diocese of San Bernardino has announced its plans to post an online list of all its priests accused and/or convicted of sexual abuse since its founding in 1978.

On Tuesday, September 18, Diocese spokesman John Andrews said the list will be published on the diocese's website within two weeks.

The current wave of disclosures follows a Pennsylvania grand jury report released last month which detailed allegations that Pittsburgh-area priests had molested more than 1,000 children.

Subsequently, San Bernardino Bishop Gerald Barnes called a meeting with diocese priests, deacons, religious sisters and others in the community.

"He wanted to talk about what the diocese can do locally to address the genuine angst and disappointment that have come with the release of that report ...," Andrews said in an interview with KPCC/LAist.

During the meeting a recommendation to publicize a comprehensive list of accused priests was listed as one of the top suggestions.

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CSUSB Opens Coyote Village and Commons



San Bernardino

Cal State San Bernardino's brand-new housing facility and dining complex opened this month.

Nearly two years ago, Cal State University San Bernardino (CSUSB) President Tomás D. Morales and others broke ground at the site and earlier this month the university held a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate its official opening.

The housing and dining complex identified as the Coyote Village and Commons consists of 416 double units and a limited number of single spaces.

Coyote Village and Commons is approximately 114,000 square feet and will provide housing for 400 freshmen. It boasts study rooms on each wing, a centralized activity center, community kitchen and laundry facility.

Coyote Village will also house the CSUSB Administrative Offices, Honors Living Learning Community, and the school's First Year Living Learning Community. In addition, it will provide housing for two faculty members who are participating in CSUSB's faculty-in-residence program during the 2018-19 academic year. According to school officials, this is just the first phase of what will eventually grow into a larger housing community with the capacity to accommodate as many as 1,200 students.

Coyote Commons dining hall sits adjacent to Coyote Village and is open to all students, faculty and staff and offers 50,300 square feet of dining space. The hall can accommodate up to 700 people and includes a 50-seat mezzanine as well as a private dining room.

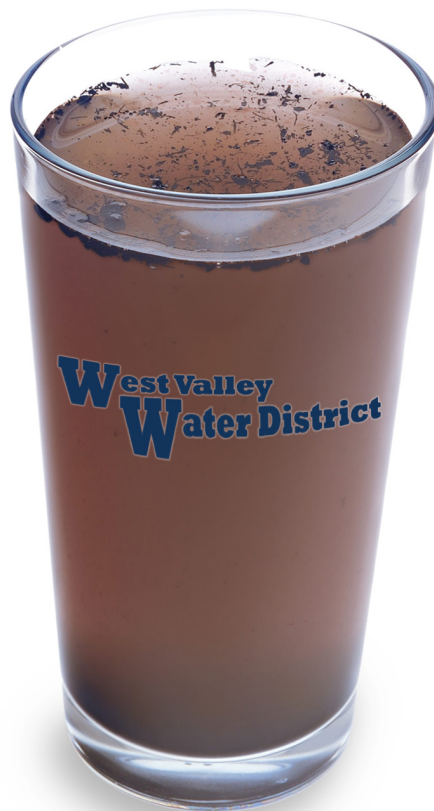
It offers a full range of cuisines including vegan and vegetarian options. In addition, the food stations are both self-serve and full-service. The Commons provides late-night dining options and a convenience store as well as outdoor spaces for meetings and social functions.

At a cost of \$95.8 million, the housing and dining complex combined represent the largest capital investment in the school's history, yet the project did not require general funding from the state. Instead, rent paid by students living in the school's residence halls will offset the cost of the new facilities.

During the ribbon cutting ceremony held September 17, President Morales said the Coyote Village residence hall and Coyote Commons dining hall represented, "two magnificent facilities that mark a major evolutionary step for this university."



Dr. Tomás D. Morales



Muddied Waters

FPPC Refers WVWD Ratepayers Association Complaint to State Attorney General

S.E. Williams
Contributor

It was the kind of celebration many of West Valley Water District's working-class customers might enjoy, especially since they purportedly paid for it; but the event was hosted for a select few and the public was not invited.

On Thursday, December 7, 2017, members of the West Valley Water District's (WVWD) Board of Directors (BOD) gathered at the Sierra Lakes Golf Club in Fontana following a shortened board meeting to celebrate. There is a lingering question regarding exactly what were they celebrating?

Was it a Christmas celebration as the document submitted by Board President Dr. Clifford Young for reimbursement of the cost of the affair indicated, or was it a campaign celebration as alleged by the West Valley Water District Ratepayers Association. In either case, it left rate payers questioning whether it was an appropriate use of ratepayers' funds?

During the celebration those in attendance first teased their palates with delicious hors d'oeuvres before dining on prime rib, pasta primavera,

rosemary potatoes, veggies, garden salad and rolls. They then topped off their meals with tuxedo cake, such an appropriate dessert for the holiday season. The cost of the event, including the allowable 15 percent tip, totaled \$1897.43.

California law contains certain requirements and restrictions on local agency practices detailing what is reimbursable. California's Institute for Local Government (ILG) whose goal is to assist local leaders to govern openly, effectively and ethically, noted that the starting point for analysis of what is appropriate is rooted in the reality that public resources are just that—the public's resources.

"The power to spend these resources is a sacred trust," ILG doctrine asserted further noting that as a result, public officials have an ongoing responsibility to consider the highest and best use of those resources. The key question for decision-makers to always ask themselves when making spending decisions is—What is the public's interest? What kinds of expenditures best serve the interest of the public?

“Water districts often operate out of the limelight”

The West Valley Water District Rate Payers Association under the leadership of its president Don Griggs, has alleged the WVWD Board of Directors failed to test against these questions when they held the December 7 celebration, misrepresented it as a Christmas celebration, and allegedly paid for it with rate payer resources.

Earlier this month, the WVWD Rate Payers Association (Association) sent a formal complaint to the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) making their case that WVWD Board of Directors and its President Clifford Young used ratepayers' money for personal political purposes in relation to the December 7 event.

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 and included copies of key WVWD documents to support their allegations.

After carefully considering the complaint, Galena West, Chief of the FPPC's Enforcement Division responded, “Based on a review of the complaint and documentation provided, the Enforcement Division found insufficient evidence of a violation of the Political Reform Act and will not pursue an enforcement action in this matter.”

However, it is what she said next that lends credence to the Association's concerns. West continued, “Please note the Commission has no jurisdiction to enforce violations of any laws other than the Act. The conduct alleged in your complaint would be better addressed by the Office of the Attorney General. Therefore, we have forwarded your complaint to the Attorney General's Office.”

Sociologist and author, DaShanne Stokes, once proclaimed, “Leadership by deception isn't leadership. It's fraud.” Here is an overview of what the Association has alleged.

On December 8, 2017, the day after the celebration, Sierra Lakes Golf Course Event Coordinator emailed President Young, host and contact person for the event, a copy of an invoice for the event that reflected a balance due of \$0.00.

Subsequently, on December 27, two requests were made on WVWD Disbursement Vouchers payable to President Young. One voucher in the amount of \$527.91 was for reimbursement of his Long-Term Care

Medicare. Documents showed the reimbursement for this voucher was paid on December 29, 2017. The second voucher, also payable to President Young, this one in the amount of \$1897.43 was for the “12/7/2017 Event Dinner for West Valley Water District CY 120717 at Sierra Lakes Golf Club.” Supporting documentation showed an employee in WVWD's Accounting Department processed both requests for Disbursement Vouchers.

The Association presented a copy of a WVWD internal Vendor Number for the two Disbursement Vouchers that reflected the same payment date of January 4, 2018, same payment number, and a total payment amount of \$2,425.34 (the total of the two Disbursement Vouchers) to President Young. There were

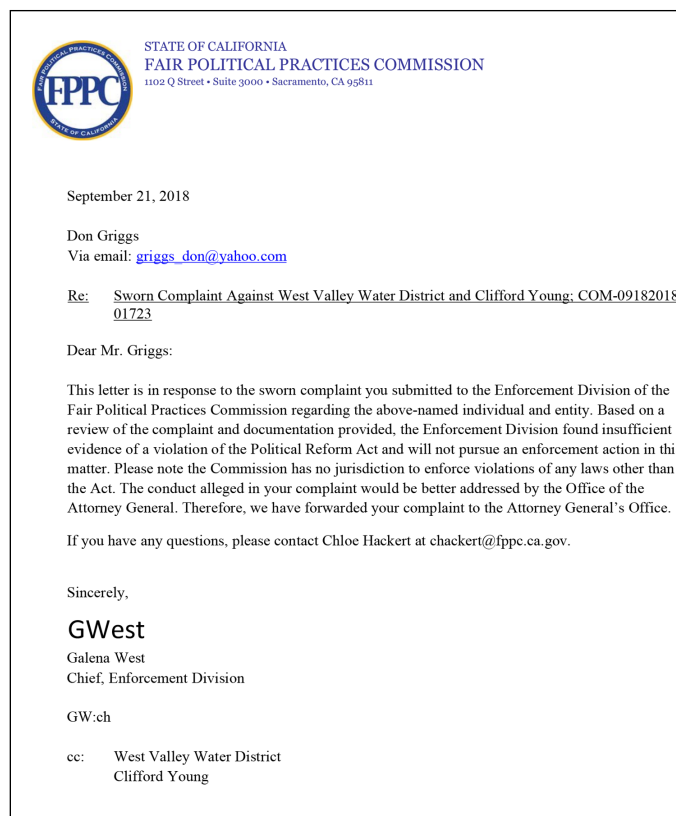
two invoice numbers on this document one for \$1,897.43 (the December 7 event) and the other for \$527.91 (Young's Long-Term Care premium). Supporting documents show a WVWD employee in the accounting department as the contact person.

Although both disbursement vouchers reflected the same payment date, the WVWD December 2017 Cash Disbursement Report only reflected the \$527.99 reimbursement. The Association also provided a copy of this document in support of this point.

Mysteriously, the Cash Disbursement Report for January 2018, was never been presented to the public. It would/should have reflected the reimbursement for the Christmas Event in the amount of \$1,897.43 payable to President Young. The monthly publication of the WVWD Cash Disbursement Reports began again with the February 2018 report period.

The Association purported President Young and the BOD, “... deceived and abused their positions and knowingly submitted false/misleading financial information to all participants under the language of a Christmas Event for WVWD.” The Association further alleged the event was in reality, “a victory celebration for campaign workers and political consultants who helped in their [BOD members] elections.”

To bolster their claim this was a political event, the Association provided further details that included how President Young's campaign manager David



FPPC letter to Don Griggs

ght, and we know democracy dies in darkness.”

- Kathryn Phillips, Common Cause

Morgan, coordinated and announced the event in public during the December 7, 2017 WVWD Board meeting (though the public was not invited).

The Association has also assembled a partial list of the 30 or so guests in attendance. In addition to members of the BOD, it includes their spouses, campaign contributors, campaign workers, local elected officials and a slate of personal friends—further supporting their allegations that this was a political event.

This reporter left several messages for WVWD administrators to provide an opportunity for them to clarify and/or provide a copy of the January Cash Disbursement Report and/or to respond to these allegations—They never responded to these requests.

In an exclusive interview with The Voice/Black Voice News, Kathryn Phillips, Western Region Communications Specialist with the nonprofit organization Common Cause stated, “Local governments are prohibited from making “gifts” of public funds. Whether a Christmas Party qualifies as a gift is probably a case-specific question. For example, an office Christmas party to boost staff morale or a public Christmas party to get the community to learn about the District might be okay” Those were not the circumstance in this case.

Griggs Sam Martinez, Executive Officer with the Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) was asked whether his organization had oversight responsibility for the WVWD. He explained although LAFCO’s primary role is to regulate boundaries for cities, etc., they do look at the agency’s ability to serve within the water agency’s boundaries. “We look at audits,” he explained, “not budgets. We base our review on audits of [the] district.” According to Martinez, the WVWD should follow their policies relative to reimbursement.

On September 1, 2016 the WVWD BOD adopted its “Compensation and Policies Related to Board Activities, Ordinance No. 84.”

Ordinance 84 rescinded all previous orders and resolutions related to this issue and updated policies for compensation of directors. Section 304 of the Ordinance states, “Adequate documentation of actual costs shall include an

identification of the official duty... and proof the expense was paid by the director such as the credit care receipt or cancelled check.” Item’s in this section note that, “Board members will be reimbursed for any expenses incurred during the course of conducting district business with other elected officials, district employees and consultants.

The subsequent item in this section states, “the following are not reimbursable expenses: political contributions, alcoholic beverages, tips greater than fifteen percent...etc.”

The inappropriateness of political contributions was affirmed by Phillips of Common Core, “The government body should not reimburse for a campaign/political event. However, if it did, that payment should be reported as income on his [President Young’s] campaign filing.”

In its publication, Every Day Ethics for Local Officials, the ILG addressed the issue of what it defined as “Buying Meals for Others on the Public’s Dime.” It noted there are times when paying for a companion’s meal can be in the “bona fide” interests of the official’s community and gave examples including meeting with legislators when one is discussing legislation of interest to the official’s constituency.

The ILG, however went on to state, “What is not proper is viewing one’s access to public resources as a “perk” of being in elected office or one’s public sector employment.” It stressed, “Local officials who view access to public resources as a “perk” of public office are headed for trouble.”

“By definition,” the ILG continued, “if one is looking at a meal expense as a perk, the meal is not benefiting the community as a whole and is not an appropriate use of public resources.

Such a mindset is also inconsistent with the laws that limit compensation for elected officials.”

According to Griggs, the Association is confident in the allegations they have levied against President Young and the WVWD BOD. When asked for his response to the FPPC’s referral of their sworn complaint to the California Attorney General’s Office. He replied, “Perhaps the Attorney General will take a closer look. We have laid out our case and we will continue to pursue this issue.”

The Voice/Black Voice News will continue to follow this story.

From: Lorena De La Torre (lorena@sierralakes.com)
 Subject: Invoice West Valley Water District 2017-07-07-21-21-22
 Date: December 8, 2017 at 11:02 AM
 To: [REDACTED]

Hi Cliff,

Here is a copy of the Dinner invoice For last night.

Let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks!

Lorena De La Torre
 Wedding and Eanquet Coordinator
 Sierra Lakes Golf Club 16600 Clubhouse Drive Fontana CA, 92336
 909-350-2500 Ext. 16 lorena@sierralakes.com www.SierritaLakes.com

SierraLakes Golf Club
 25600 Clubhouse Drive
 909/350-2500

West Valley Water District
 C# 20717 inv#e
 9617

HOST: Clifford Young PLANNER/CONTACT: Lorena Delatorre

909 350-3704

Date:	12/07/2017	Estimated Guest Count:	20
Type:	Other	Final Guest Count:	40
Balance Due On:	12/07/2017		
Ref #	Description	Qty	Unit Price Extended Price
1324010	BANQUET	40	\$3.25 \$130.00
1324020	BANQUET	40	\$4.96 \$1,984.00
	SUBTOTAL		\$2,114.00
	TIPS		\$9.00
	SALES TAX		\$139.77
	GROSS TOTAL		\$2,352.77
	GRATUITY		\$1,044.28
	CHARGES		\$1,348.28
	PAYMENTS		\$1,348.28
	BALANCE DUE		\$0.00

15% Allowable Tip.

Party Invoice

Suicide Prevention/Mental Health Services for Children a New Priority in California

Sacramento

Two bills signed into law by Governor Brown in recent weeks will place new requirements on schools to improve access to mental health services for California students.

Under SB 972, middle and high schools are required to print suicide prevention hotline numbers and text crisis hotline information on the back of students' identification cards.

Another measure also signed by the governor recently, SB 2639, established a new requirement for schools to review their suicide prevention policies every five years at a minimum and to update them as needed.

Alarm bells sounded around the country earlier this year when a study by Vanderbilt University Medical Center study titled, Hospitalization for Suicide Ideation or Attempt, looked at trends in emergency room and inpatient encounters for suicide ideation and attempts in children between five and seventeen years of age during 2017.

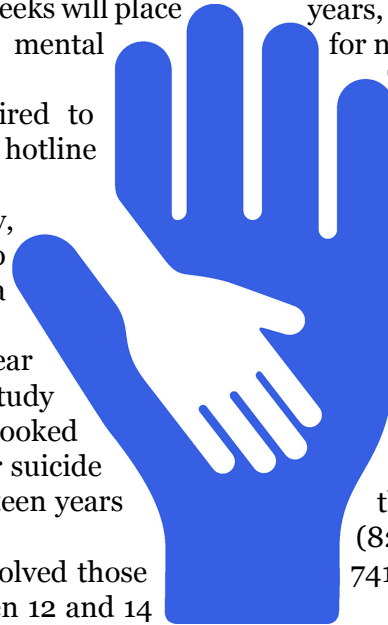
The report showed more than half of the episodes involved those between 15 and 17 years, 37 percent were children between 12 and 14

years, and surprisingly, children between 5 and 11 years accounted for nearly 13 percent.

The Vanderbilt University report came on the heels of a 2016 report published by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It showed the suicide rate for children between the ages of 10 and 14 doubled nationally from 2007 to 2014. During this report period, suicide became the second leading cause of death among this age group.

"The health and safety of our students is paramount, and these policies better equip schools to recognize the warning signs and make the appropriate referrals for help," said Assemblymen Marc Berman, (D-Palo Alto) and co-author of AB 2639.

If you know a young person or adult at risk, please call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-Talk (8255) or contact the Crisis Text Line by texting TALK to 741741.



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of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice, 4290 Brockton Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501.
b. Dates the parties are unavailable for hearing are as follows: October 15-19, November 8-15
Date: SEP 06, 2018
John W. Vineyard, Judge of the Superior Court
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER HEC 1801757

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: LUWANNA RUTH WRIGHT filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: LUWANNA RUTH WRIGHT to. LUWANNA RUTH WARREN 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: NOV 08, 2018 Time 1:30 PM Dept.: H1. The address of the court

is: Superior Court of California, County of Riverside 880 North State Street, Hemet, CA 92543 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, 4290 Brockton Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501.
Date: Sept 10, 2018
Bradley O. Snell, Judge of the Superior Court
p. 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18/2018

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER HEC 1801755

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: SIERRA GOLDEN filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: NINA NICOLE GOLDEN to. NINA NICOLE TAYLOR. 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

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SUMMONS

SUMMONS (FAMILY LAW)

CASE NUMBER FAMSS 1800872
Notice to Respondent: JUAN RAMIREZ
You are being sued Petitioner's name is: MARTHA S. RAMIREZ
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/serflfhelp), 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 San ernardino, 351 N. Arrowhead Ave, San Bernardino, CA 92415 The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: Martha S. Ramirez, 1855 Riverside Dr.#317, Ontario, CA 91761 Notice to the person served: You are served as an individual. Clerk, by KRYSTAL LERMA, Deputy DATE: JAN 31, 2018
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PUBLIC NOTICES

Deputy County Counsel III / IV General Advisory Attorney

San Bernardino County, CA

\$98,924.80 - \$155,667.20 Annually

The County Counsel's Office is recruiting for Deputy County Counsel III/IV General Advisory Attorney. County Counsel Deputies practice in a variety of civil law areas and assignments. For more details, please review the announcements at www.sbcounty.gov/jobs. Application can be made on-line – apply ASAP – open until 10/5/18 at 5 PM. (909) 387-8304 - EEO/ADA

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NOTICE INVITING BIDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received in the Nutrition Services Department of San Bernardino City Unified School District, 1257 Northpark Blvd., San Bernardino, California, 92407, on or before 11:00 a.m. on October 18, 2018, for Café Beverages, including Vending, under Bid No. NSB 2018/19-6. Bid documents required for bidding may be secured at the above department. Please call Nutrition Services Purchasing Office at 909-881-8008 for more information. Bid/addendum posts: http://sbcsdnutritionsservices.org. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid or in the bidding process, and to accept or reject any items thereon.

Publications of this Notice are Sept. 27 and Oct. 4, 2018.

SAN BERNARDINO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
NUTRITION SERVICES DEPARTMENT
By: Lisa Falcone, Admin. Analyst
9/27, 10/4/18
CNS-3176807#

p. 9/27, 10/4/2018

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 # R-201811035
p. 9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
TROPICAL VALLEY MOUNTAINS
4949 Luther St
Riverside, CA 92504
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
Leandro Roman Cuc Son
4949 Luther St
Riverside, CA 92504
This business is conducted by: Individual

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 08/02/2018
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. Leandro Roman Cuc Son
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 08/13/2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 # R-201811225
p. 9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27/2018

The following person(s) is (are)

doing business as:
THE FRUIT OF OUR HANDS MINISTRIES
7000 Indiana Ave, Suite 114
Riverside, CA 92506
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
THE FRUIT OF OUR HANDS MINISTRIES
7000 Indiana Ave, Suite 114
Riverside, CA 92506
CA

This business is conducted by: Corporation
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on June 2018
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. Lisa Ann Degennaro, President
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 08/29/2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 # R-201811980
p. 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
MORENO'S A.D.R.
AUTO DETAILING
1740 Loma Vista St. Apt.Y
Riverside, CA 92507
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
Hector Enrique Moreno Robles
1740 Loma Vista St. Apt.Y
Riverside, CA 92507
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. Hector Enrique Moreno - Robles
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/07/2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 # R-201812456
p. 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
1ST CERTIFIED COLLISION CENTERS
6151 Quail Valley CT
Moreno Valley, CA 92507
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
2614 Fairway Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92627
Moreno Valley Collision Center, Inc.
6151 Quail Valley Court
Moreno Valley, CA 92507
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. Ronald Ross Cramer, CFO
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/06/2018
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File # R-201812371
p. 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
THERAPY MESSAGE
8151 Arlington Ave #N
Riverside, CA 92503
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
777 E. Valley Blvd, Apt2
Alhambra, CA 91801
Yuxuan – Liu
777 E. Valley Blvd, Apt2
Alhambra, CA 91801

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. Yuxuan – Liu
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/12/2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. 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 # R-201812695
p. 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
MISSION BURGERS
4606 Pine St
Riverside, CA 92503
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
Ok Suk Lee
5013 Clematis Ct
Jurupa Valley, CA 91752
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. Ok Suk Lee
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/13/2018
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File # R-201812806
p. 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
TEMECULA RANCH AND HOMES LLC
38037 Via La Colina
Murrieta, CA 92563
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
POB 1362
Temecula, CA 92593
Temecula Ranch and Homes LLC
POB 1362
Temecula, CA 92593
CA

This business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 03/19/2013
I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business 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. Teri Lynn Rice, Managing Member
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/06/2018
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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 # R-201812420
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
BOSS GARDENS
20061 West Point Dr
Riverside, CA 925076657
RIVERSIDE COUNTY
20061 West Point Dr
Riverside, CA 92507
Kenneth Brian Watson
20061 West Point Dr
Riverside, CA 925076657
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. Kenneth Brian Watson
Statement filed with the County of Riverside on 09/05/2018
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File # R-201812316
p. 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11/2018

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

Small Victory for Transparency in Campaign Finance

Washington D.C.

In a surprising decision last week, the U.S. Supreme Court denied a request by the non-profit conservative political organization, Crossroads GPS, to stay a lower court decision which mandated it release the names of its secret donors.

The U. S. District Court of Washington D.C. overturned a Federal Election Commission regulation that had allowed donors giving to groups like Crossroads GPS, led by longtime Republican operative Karl Rove, to remain anonymous.

The decision impacts third party groups who operate under the guise of social welfare groups but in reality, advocate for or against candidates running for the House of Representatives and the Senate.

This Court's decision not to hear this case is being viewed as a modest, but meaningful victory for those who advocate for the removal of dark money from campaigns. Such donations increased exponentially when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in *Citizens United* in January 2010, that tax-exempt 501c(4)s organizations

like Crossroads GPS, can receive unlimited donations they can then spend in support of campaigns.

The issue for many who advocate against the *Citizens United* decision was that these organizations have not operated under the same disclosure requirements as super PACs and candidates, instead, they are not required to fully disclose their donors.

In its controversial *Citizens United* ruling, the high court concluded, "Political spending is a form of protected speech under the First Amendment, and the government may not keep corporations or unions from spending money to support or denounce individual candidates in elections." The ruling further declared that while corporations or unions may not give



money directly to campaigns, they may seek to persuade the voting public through other means, including ads, especially where these ads were not broadcast.

Despite this sure but moderate victory for electoral transparency, some are certain those who want to leverage dark money to influence elections will find ways around the district court ruling.

IN THE KNOW 2018



Pastor Barry E. Knight

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5th Annual Prayer Breakfast

On Saturday, October 6, the San Bernardino Riverside Area Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. will hold their 5th Annual Prayer Breakfast at the Doubletree by Hilton in San Bernardino from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. This year's theme is, "For Such A Time As This." The keynote speaker is Pastor Barry E. Knight, who is the founder and CEO of BEK Impact Co. Payments must be received to the P.O. Box no later than 10/2/2018. Please make checks payable to: Delta Sigma Theta San Bernardino-Riverside Alumnae Chapter- 7056 Archibald Ave, Suite 102-#386, Corona, CA 92880
Doubletree Hotel | 285 Hospitality Ln | San Bernardino, 92408

Utility Companies Receive Green Light to Pass Fire-Related Costs on to Customers

Sacramento

On Friday, Governor Brown acted to expand the state's prevention efforts he simultaneously gave utility companies the authorization to shift some fire related costs to their customers.

The proposal will add one billion dollars over the next five years to clear thousands of acres of dense forests and coastal brush to help mitigate fire dangers.

The bill is a major escalation in the Brown administrations effort to address the ever-increasing fire threats caused by global warming that has made massive, record-breaking wildfires the new normal for California. The fire dangers have become so intense the state's emergency response resources are being stretched beyond their capacity.

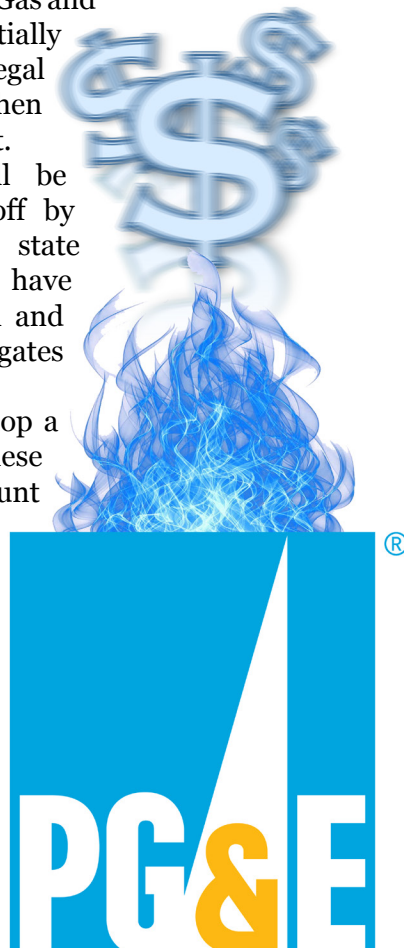
Governor Brown called the bill complex and acknowledged it required investment and also insisted it is absolutely necessary. "Wildfires in California aren't going away, and we have to do everything possible to prevent them," he said in a written statement announcing his authorization of the measure.

The measure is controversial and opposed by consumer groups who are against giving companies like Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) Corp. a way to potentially raise billions of dollars to offset legal damages and other costs that result when wildfires are sparked by their equipment.

Under the measure, utilities will be allowed to issue bonds to be paid off by customers via surcharges whenever state regulators determine the companies have made reasonable attempts to maintain and operate their equipment ways that mitigates fire risks.

The bill requires regulators to develop a stress test for the 2017 fire damages. These tests will determine the maximum amount a utility can pay without harming ratepayers or materially impacting its ability to provide adequate and safe service. It further authorizes any additional costs beyond that number to be passed on to customers.

PG&E has estimated its residential customers will pay about \$5 a year for every \$1 billion in bond debt issued.



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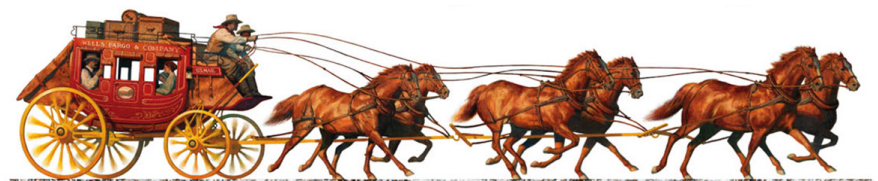
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NEWS IN BRIEF

Scandal Plagued Wells Fargo Now Cutting Jobs



New York – Late last week, CNN Money reported Wells Fargo Bank plans to cut approximately 26,000 jobs over the next three years. The cuts are allegedly in response to the impact of the rise in online banking and the company's soaring legal bills.

According to the report, the bank will cut between five and ten percent of its 265,000-person workforce. It plans to accomplish this through a combination of attrition and layoffs.

The last quarter, Wells Fargo reported declines across the board which impacted loans, deposits and revenue while the banks expenses continued to rise.

Violation Tracker, the national search engine that monitors financial assessments for corporate misconduct reports that since 2000 assessments levied against the banking institution have totaled in the billions.

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will receive occasional dividend checks.

CEEM will offer workshops and business building events in conjunction with local partners. Everyone can join in, and everyone can profit. There will be workshops and business building events in conjunction with local partners.

CEEM founder and Entrepreneur, Reginald Webb, noted that in the Inland Empire, as in California overall, African Americans are 7 percent of the population but receive less than 1 percent of revenue from business ownership. "Changing this paradigm is essential to improving our economic health and increasing the number of our families that are middle

class," he wrote. CEEM's goal is to unite the Black community around its market potential and provide support to Black owned businesses and individuals that allow them to operate successful enterprises.

"Key to our success is a commitment to shared core values that create a community ethic driving greater prosperity. Our aim is to sell what we buy."

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suggest rather than opposing this measure they instead, consider focusing on and supporting a measure possibly headed for California's 2020 ballot.

The measure would overhaul Proposition 13 and increase local property tax revenues by taxing commercial and industrial properties based on their current market value. I make this recommendation because, as those who oppose Proposition 5 have proclaimed—the state's schools can really use the money.

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

S.E. Williams
Managing Editor

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October-November-2018.pdf. Space is limited based on venue capacity so please RSVP at your earliest convenience. For questions regarding this event, please email us at CalCRG@gobiz.ca.gov or call 1-877-345-4633.

For more information about the California Community Reinvestment Grants program please visit www.business.ca.gov/CalCRG.

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"That would be done in a spirit of transparency towards the faithful, and also for victims of abuse," Andrews said. "Sometimes to see their abuser's name made public is beneficial in the healing process."

Although victim advocates have called for an investigation in California, Attorney General Xavier Becerra has not shown his hand in this regard.

During a press conference held earlier this month, however, he stressed, "We are very aware of the allegations, the actions that were taken in Pennsylvania and the professed actions that other states are planning to take. California is a leader when it comes to just about everything you can think of. We'll take a backseat to no one when it comes to protecting our people."

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