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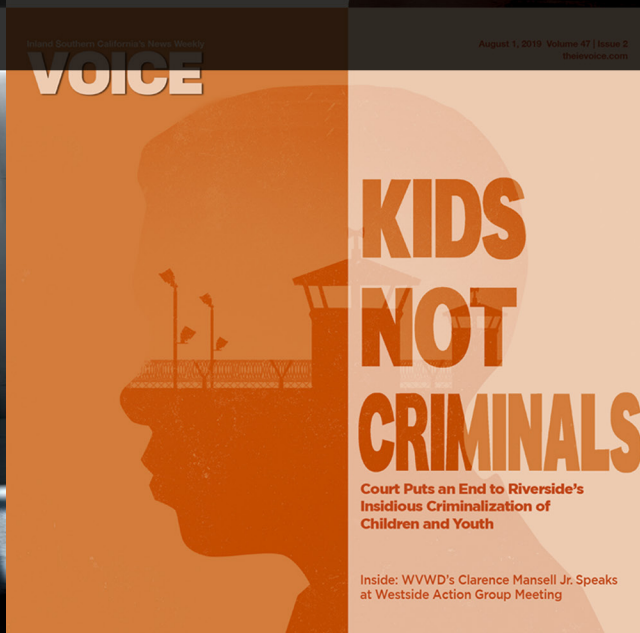
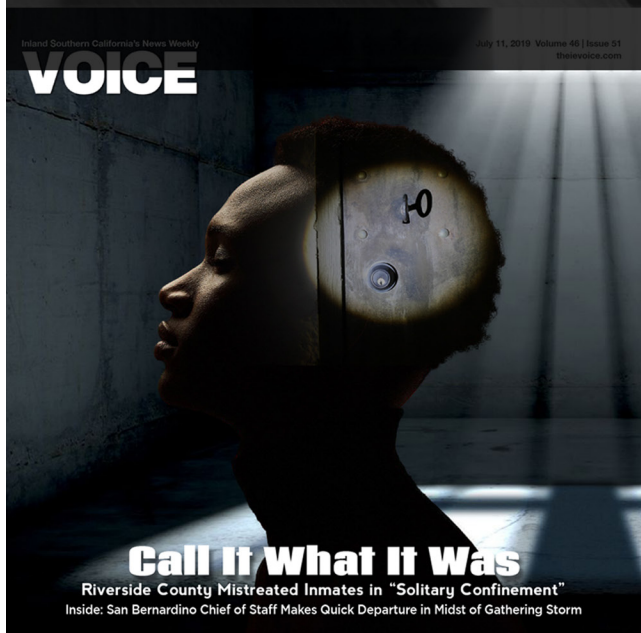
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## KEEPING IT REAL

### Power Struggle

As the state of California grapples with issues related to climate change and the very pressing need (over the objections of climate deniers) to lower the carbon footprint of residents in the state, concerns are bubbling to the surface regarding what is in the best interest of consumers regarding the best energy source for homes. This is an important discussion for everyone in the state and especially for those in low income and minority communities.

Some, like myself, wonder whether the most vulnerable communities will once again become pawns in what is shaping up to be an epic battle between energy giants (gas versus electric) as they struggle to control the energy infrastructure of the future. Leveraging costs to induce these communities to embrace one option over another as the most viable way forward may be more for their benefit than in the best interest of these consumers. Afterall, although cost is certainly important, cost isn't everything.

As such efforts accelerate, it is important to keep in mind these corporate entities—though regulated—remain primarily focused on the long-term viability of their businesses and the rate of return to their investors.

Certainly, entities like SoCalGas, SoCalEdison, Pacific Gas and Electric, etc. should be applauded for their continued efforts to prevent millions of metric tons of Green House Gas emissions from spewing into the environment. The question is however, can they/will they play fair as the state seeks to more aggressively transition to renewable, less polluting sources of energy?

Or will they instead—in their perpetual quest for profit above all else—continue to use rate payer dollars to lobby against laws and regulations designed to improve energy efficiency and reduce carbon emissions while at the same time seeking to leverage cost savings as a way to entice consumers to choose their less optimal—for the environment and community health—service offering.

It is true that consumers with means often consider quality over cost when weighing purchasing decisions; while those who struggle

to make ends meet like many in the inland region, are too often compelled by circumstance to weigh cost above all else.

If, however low-income consumers understood that for a few more pennies a month they may be able to help assure better health outcomes for their children, they might be more inclined to choose an energy source contingent on factors other than cost.

The inland region has poor air quality and high rates of residents suffering from asthma, other respiratory illnesses and heart disease for which greenhouse gas emissions are major contributors. As consumers, especially those in low income and minority communities, carefully consider their energy futures (gas versus electric), such decisions should be based on more than what costs they may incur for service on the front end.

Consumers should be encouraged to also consider the price they will continue to pay in relation to their own health, the health of those they love and the health of their communities as low income communities are the ones who suffer the most from the impact of greenhouse gas emissions that contribute to poor air quality.

Although energy companies may promise they will provide a cleaner product than before at costs that are less than what another provider can offer, we must ask why and how? What are low income and working class consumers being asked to give up in exchange? After all, “cleaner” is not the same as “cleanest.” And, “better” health outcomes are not the same as the “best” health outcomes. Don't these communities deserve the cleanest and best?

Service providers are offering a lot of data regarding current and proposed reductions in greenhouse gases but we must ask ourselves—When it comes to the health of our children and the elderly are we willing to settle for better air quality or do we want the best possible air quality? We must remember that low cost is



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## Free Pet Adoptions for Veterans

**Sacramento, CA** – Veterans wishing to adopt a pet can now do so from a public animal shelter at no charge. Effective January 1, 2020 under California Senate Bill 245 veterans may show their driver's license or ID card with the "VETERAN" designation on it to shelter personnel and their adoption fees will be waived. Although the bill waives adoption fees, licensing and microchip fees still apply. The law limits the free dog and cat adoptions to one every six months. You can view dogs and cats available for adoption in your area online at [www.petharbor.com](http://www.petharbor.com).



# County Treasury Reaches All Time High

## San Bernardino

**A**t the close of business on Monday, December 16, 2019 San Bernardino County Treasury funds reached an all-time high pool balance of \$7,925,534,924.70 according to Treasurer Ensen Mason.

The San Bernardino County Treasury pool first reached the seven-billion-dollar mark two years ago. County officials noted since then it has grown by almost a billion dollars, a rapid rate of appreciation by any measure.

Mason heralded the county's success in this regard. "Thanks to strategic money management, a strong economy and my outstanding Treasurer staff, San Bernardino County has been able to achieve excellent success in investments this year," he noted. "Every dollar we earn is one dollar less that the taxpayers of San Bernardino County have to pay to fund essential government services such as the Sheriff and District Attorney."

The County's Chief Deputy Treasurer John Johnson also weighed in on the accomplishment crediting Mason's leadership. "During Treasurer



Ensen Mason, Chief Deputy Treasurer

Mason's first year in office, he has worked tirelessly along with our talented investment staff to improve investment pool returns while focused on the safety and liquidity of the public funds in his care."

Johnson continued, "Mr. Mason's investment experience and skillset as a Registered Investment Advisor and Chartered Financial Analyst make him uniquely qualified as a public sector Treasurer. He brings to the County Treasury a strong understanding of economics and the financial markets."

The San Bernardino County Treasurer's Office is not only the official Custodian of Investments for the San Bernardino County Investment Pool it also provides banking services for the County, K-12 Schools, Community Colleges and Special Districts. According to Mason, the Treasury adheres to conservative investment policies that have allowed the county to maintain an AAA/S1 rating from Fitch Ratings—the highest possible ratings assigned by the agency for an investment pool of its type.

# Economic Forecast Shows Labor Force Up in Inland Empire

## Riverside

**T**he inland region experienced a higher share of job growth than neighboring Southern California metro communities; California as a whole; and the nation overall during the past year according to analysis released December 20, 2019 by the UC Riverside School of Business Center for Economic Forecasting and Development.

The assessment is based on the recently released Inland Empire Business Activity Index (Index). The Index which is produced entirely by the UC Riverside School of Business Center for Economic Forecasting and Development, tracks performance of the Inland Empire regional economy on a quarterly basis and is adjusted for seasonal variations.

The forecast is estimated using a wide range of economic data including employment, economic output, income, real estate, and other indicators at the national, state, and metropolitan level.

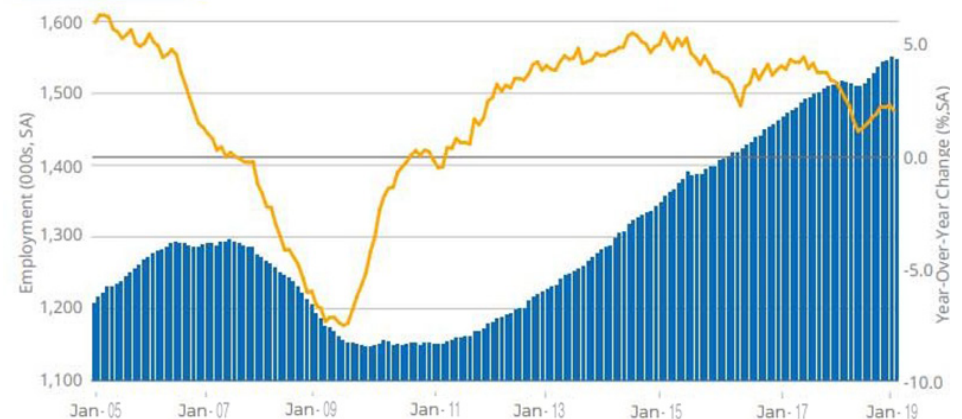
Commenting on the recent Index report Adam Fowler, UCR's Director of Research at the Center for Economic Forecasting stated, "For the Inland Empire, the key takeaways in these numbers are the region's overall competitiveness with other urban metros amidst a tight labor market, and that job growth is coming from a wide, healthy range of industries."

He continued, "While employment growth in the Inland Empire, and across other geographies, has indeed slowed from previous years, it has not stopped or reversed and shouldn't be interpreted as a sign of a downturn."

The Inland Empire's annual job growth stood at two percent matched San Diego's two percent growth as of October 2019. Both areas outperformed growth in the United States (1.4 percent), California (1.8 percent), the Los Angeles metro area (1.3 percent) and Orange County (1.2 percent).

Inland Empire Employment Growth

Jan-05 to Oct-19



Noted among the report's key findings were issues related to wage pressure which noted that although nominal wages continue to increase in the Inland Empire, they are not increasing on par with the state overall. The region reflected a 3.8 percent wage growth vs the state's overall wage growth rate of 4.2 percent from the first half of 2018 to the first half of 2019.

On the other hand, both consumer and business spending increased. Taxable sales in the region jumped 4.1 percent on an annual basis compared to 3.7 percent in the state overall; while business and industry receipts, which represent business-to-business spending experienced 4.2 percent growth.



# Who is Telling the Truth?



**Hardy Brown, Sr.**  
**Contributor**

*Photo by Benoit Maphettes*

clear. Now, this is not what the District Attorney Jason Anderson told Don Griggs President of the WVWD Ratepayers Association in public at a COPE Meeting which is on videotape.

In addition, the Deputy District Attorney told Mr. Griggs on the Friday afternoon after the story appeared in the Sun that the article was not accurate. Both men said it was inappropriate for them to comment on any case where the investigation was ongoing.

In my opinion the statement attributing responsibility for the \$1,897 in question to Christman is both false and misleading because the General Manager does not have the authority or responsibility to approve funding for a member of the Board of Directors political Campaign's Celebration Dinner to thank his political staff workers.

In a recent article printed in the San Bernardino Sun Newspaper and written by Joe Nelson, the reporter quoted Clifford Young's attorney, Rachel Fiset, as saying, "The district sent the case to the District Attorney's Office and the DA did not respond so they closed the case."

In the article, Fiset went on to say former WVWD General Manager Robert Christman approved the \$1,897

tab in question thus, leaving Clifford in the



So, Clifford's lawyer is acting like the President's lawyer, Rudy Giuliani, who just says anything. This is what Clifford did the last time he was under investigation by the District Attorney. In that instance, he never told us he had to pay money back to the water district.

Let me offer you a suggestion. By a majority consensus of the WVWD Board of Directors, the Board president can contact the District Attorney's Office to verify the open or closed status of the case and report back to the public.

On another subject, I would like to commend Clifford Young for bringing the well-qualified and knowledgeable Clarence Mansell to our district even though Clifford has turned on Clarence. Clifford has a history of turning on people. So, don't feel bad Clarence, he does that to people he cannot control to do his illegal work or deeds.

Clifford turned on Matthew Litchfield, Karen Logue, Shanae Smith, Marie Ricci, Robert Christman, Linda Gonzalez, Don Olinger, Michael Taylor, Kyle Crowther, Robert Tafoya, the Law firms of Clifton Albright Yee & Schmit, Gresham, Savage, Nolan & Tilden Martin Kaufman and Robert Katherman. So, who is next?

My professional advice to Mr. Mansell is do not resign. This is what those political appointed staffers want you to do so they can have carte blanche access to the ratepayers' money.

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### NAME CHANGE

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1913924

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: MARK ANTHONY PHILLIPS filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: MARK ANTHONY PHILLIPS to. MARK ANTHONY HARRELL. 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: 01/30/2020 Time: 1:00pm, Dept MV2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 13800 HEACOCK STREET, BLDG. D #201, MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553, MORENO VALLEY CIVIL . 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: Dec 05, 2019 DAVID E. GREGORY, Judge of the Superior Court  
p. 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2019, 1/2/2020

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER PSC 1908570

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: TESSA DANIELLE ROJAS VELASCO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: TESSA DANIELLE ROJAS VELASCO to. TESSA DANIELLE VELASCO. 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: 02/07/2020 Time: 8:30am, Dept. PS4 address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 3255 E. TAHQUITZ CANYON WAY, PALM SPRINGS, CA 92262 . A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 11/27/2019 MICKIE E. REED, Judge of the Superior Court  
p. 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2019, 1/2/2020

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER PSC 1908569

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: JANE KARMINA JIMENEZ VELASCO filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: JANE KARMINA JIMENEZ VELASCO to. JANE KARMINA VELASCO ROJAS. 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: 02/07/2020 Time: 8:30am, Dept. PS4 address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 3255 E. TAHQUITZ CANYON WAY, PALM SPRINGS, CA 92262 . A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Black Voice News, 1201 University Avenue, Suite 210, Riverside, CA 92507. Date: 11/27/2019 MICKIE E. REED, Judge of the Superior Court  
p. 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2019, 1/2/2020

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1914239

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: YOLANDA MORENO RAMIREZ filed a petition with this court for a decree

changing names as follows: YOLANDA MORENO RAMIREZ to. YOLANDA MORENO-MORAN. 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: February 6, 2020 Time: 1:00pm, Dept: MV2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 13800 HEACOCK ST. #201, MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553, SUPERIOR COURT. 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: DEC 17, 2019 ERIC V. ISAAC, Judge of the Superior

Court  
p. 12/19, 12/26/2019, 1/2/2020, 1/9/2020

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER COC 1912107

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: DESIREE WELLS, ON BEHALF OF ALORAH DELEE BROWN WELLS filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: ALORAH DELEE BROWN WELLS to. ALORAH DELEE WELLS. 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: February 26, 2020 Time: 8:00AM, Dept: C2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CORONA BRANCH, 505 S. BUENA VISTA AVENUE, RM. 201, CORONA, CA

## Battle Over Police Transparency in California Persists



### Sacramento

**A**lthough the year 2019 has come and gone and the state's police records transparency law (SB 1421) has been in effect for at least twelve months, the epic battle over police transparency in the state of California continues.

In late December 2019 lawyers for California Attorney General (AG) Xavier Becerra told a three-judge Appeals Court panel when state legislators passed the transparency law, they never intended for his office to commit the extraordinary resources needed to vet so many records.

AG attorneys made this argument as Becerra sought to reverse a lower court ruling which declared the records must be turned over to news organizations in response to a lawsuit filed against the state to have the records released.

The (AG) implored the court to refrain from ordering the state to review and publicly release a massive trove of records that contain documentation of investigations into police

shootings, use-of-force incidents and officer misconduct.

During the appeal Deputy Attorney General Jennifer E. Rosenberg stated the lower court ruling imposed an "enormous burden on the AG's office. As reported by the Associated Press (AP), Rosenberg declared state lawmakers may not have considered this burden when drafting the transparency legislation. "It might have been an oversight," she offered. However, plaintiffs in the case disagree.

The lawsuit against the state was initiated by the First Amendment Coalition and NPR-member radio station KQED and was subsequently joined by the AP and several other new media organizations. According to their attorney Michael T. Risher, cost was considered during the legislative process.

Risher argued the Legislature specifically considered what it would cost the state for the

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# San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District Appoints New General Manager

## San Bernardino

**A**t its meeting on Tuesday, December 17, 2019 the San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District Board of Directors selected Heather Dyer to serve as the agency's new General Manager.

Dyer, who joined Valley District in 2014, is an experienced regional environmental planner who has been leading the District's Upper Santa Ana River Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP), a landscape-level planning effort that includes 11 water agencies in San Bernardino and Riverside Counties.

Dyer was selected after a statewide search to replace outgoing General Manager, Douglas D. Headrick, who ended his ten-year leadership of the agency effective December 30, 2019.

"It has been an honor to serve this District

and our water retailers and cities over the last 13 years – with ten of those years as the General Manager," said Headrick. "I appreciate the opportunity to work with our elected leaders, our dedicated employees, and our constituents in order to ensure water supply reliability for our entire region."

Acknowledging Dyer's appointment, Board President T. Milford Harrison shared, "Ms. Dyer is the perfect candidate to lead Valley District into the future. Her leadership and vision for the needs of the region, coupled with her experience working on regional and sustainable projects like the Sites Reservoir Project and Delta Conveyance, have positioned her to propel Valley District forward in meeting the water needs of our constituents."

The San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water



Heather Dyer and Douglas D. Headrick

District serves the eastern two-thirds of the San Bernardino Valley, Crafton Hills and a portion of the Yucaipa Valley. Its service area includes the cities and communities of San Bernardino, Colton, Loma Linda, Redlands, Rialto, Bloomington, Highland, East Highland, Mentone, Grand Terrace, and Yucaipa.

# Volunteers Needed for 2020 Homeless Count

## Riverside

**B**oth Riverside and San Bernardino Counties are seeking volunteers to participate in the 2020 Point in Time Count, an annual survey of homeless adults and youth in cities and unincorporated communities across the region.

Riverside will conduct its count from January 29 through January 31, 2020. During this period more than 700 volunteers are needed to fan out across the county's 7,300 square-mile landscape to facilitate the count. Organizers say widespread participation from those who know their communities and who can communicate with the homeless is essential to obtaining an accurate count.

"Homelessness is not an issue any one group or community can solve on their own," says Natalie Profant Komuro, Deputy County Executive Officer. "We have to work together to get the most accurate count possible, which helps determine where we put those much-needed dollars and services to help our homeless neighbors get back on their feet."

San Bernardino County has scheduled its Point in Time Count for Thursday, January 23, 2020. The new methodology for the Point In Time Count of homeless individuals and families in San Bernardino County requires the involvement of key community persons and volunteers from each city and all unincorporated areas to help organize and implement the homeless count in their communities.

In both counties the participation of key persons and volunteers include representatives of local government, social service providers, law enforcement, municipal agencies, educational institutions, faith-based



organizations, local businesses, civic groups, neighborhood associations, nonprofit agencies as well as current and formerly homeless individuals.

To participate in Riverside County's homeless count you can register online at [www.rivcoexchange.com](http://www.rivcoexchange.com). Those who would like to volunteer for San Bernardino County's homeless count can register at <http://wp.sbcounty.gov/dbh/sbchp/community-projects/point-in-time-count/pitc-registration/>.





# Gas vs. Electric

## Clean Energy Should Not Be A Disingenuous Choice for Low Income Communities

**S.E. Williams**  
**Contributor**

**I**n early December Riverside County joined other municipalities in the inland region including the cities of Temecula and Upland to cast its lot with more than 100 other municipalities around the state who passed resolutions last year in support of what they described as, “balanced energy policies that preserve consumer choice and keeps energy affordable.”

“The simple process of converting our organic wastes, yard trimmings, and food waste into a recycled natural gas can significantly reduce our overall carbon emissions, and yet, the energy discussion is often dominated by the idea of total electrification,” said Temecula Councilmember Matt





Rahn. “As we plan for California’s energy future, we must realize that electrification is not the only solution, and certainly not something that everyone can afford.”

Upland City Councilmember Ricky Felix has expressed similar sentiments on behalf of his constituents. “Mandating a move to a singular utility model loses sight of the financial burden it will create in many Californians’ homes,” he declared. “It would also be irresponsible to not have different types of utilities available, especially in emergency situations which would put residents at risk.”

In Riverside County Fifth District Supervisor Jeff Hewitt championed the initiative to maintain local control of the county’s energy solutions. Hewitt explained his advocacy for the resolution as follows, “In 2018, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill 100, which mandates relying on carbon neutral energy sources by 2045.” Adding, “California continues to lead in sustainability, but many of the policies are left at a state level without granting local governments the authority, freedom, and flexibility to make/achieve the state’s goals while taking into account resident needs.”

His resolution, supported by fellow board members declared, “[T]he Riverside County Board of Supervisors support balanced energy solutions that provide them the decision-making authority and resources needed to achieve the state’s climate goals, and opposes proposed state legislation and policy that eliminate local control by mandating technologies that can be used to power buildings and fuel vehicles, and also meet or exceed emissions reductions regulations.”

Issues related to the powering of buildings is bubbling to the service as  
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another piece of green energy legislation signed by Brown in 2018 gains added focus. AB 3232, California’s Zero Emissions Buildings and Sources of Heat Energy legislation requires the California Energy Commission (CEC) to complete an assessment by January 1, 2021, regarding how to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from the state’s building stock by 40 percent below 1990 levels. The target date to achieve this level of reduction is 2030.

In other words, the bottom-line expectation of AB 3232 is for the state’s CEC to identify policies that will facilitate the building sector’s ability to adequately participate in the state’s overall goal of reducing GHG in alignment with the state’s overall targets aimed at combating climate change.

The main reason the building industry’s participation in this effort is critical is because experts report greenhouse gas emissions from California’s residential and commercial buildings account for about 25 percent of the state’s emissions. This is largely the result of power plants that produce electricity as well as GHG emissions produced by gas and propane furnaces, water heaters and other appliances used in homes and apartments. Thus, there is a growing movement to move the state away from gas as a source of energy.

Already some California cities like Berkeley for example are pushing ahead of the curve and opting to become “electric” cities. However, opponents to the legislation argue wholesale movement away from gas to all electric homes is too costly and will place an undue burden on working class and low-income consumers. In truth, California is among the states with the highest average electric rates in the nation though homeowners’

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and renters' electric bills are among the lowest. This is largely because most homes in the state rely less on electricity and more on gas than other places.

Proponents of the movement to electricity acknowledge the importance of not penalizing the state's poor and quickly point to the growing need to ensure the state is moving forward in a way that in the end will result in Californians experiencing healthier lives because they will live in homes with access to clean energy that is also affordable.

In the meantime, low income communities in California remain trapped in the middle of this epic battle between gas and electric even as they continue to suffer disproportionately the greatest health consequence of toxic air quality resulting from GHG. Yet, they will also be the most impacted financially if the cost of clean energy is not affordable. And this appears to be the battleground gas companies—fighting to maintain their market share, and politicians—who oppose clean energy policies for political reasons, have selected as their Bunker Hill. But, are their efforts truly in the best interest of the constituents and customers for whom they claim to advocate? Or, is this battle just another way to exploit the poor to further their own corporate interests?

Another factor for consideration in this battle for hearts and minds on the issue of clean energy in California is the millions of dollars being leveraged by energy and utility giants into campaigns. Nationally in 2017 these organizations spent nearly \$60 million on campaign committees, ballot measures, trade associations and nonprofits.

Such funding is a force to be reckoned with. As reported by the publication FastCompany, "Among utility giants, Pacific Gas & Electric Co. emerged as the largest donor to individual campaigns and committees. The San Francisco-based PG&E gave almost \$1.7 million to committees, including \$390,000 to the California Republican Party and \$290,000 to the California Democratic Party."

In the meantime, The Guardian has reported, "SoCalGas (a subsidiary of Sempra Energy) funded not-for-profit consumer group Californians for Balanced Energy Solutions (C4Bes) from its launch."

Although SoCalGas insisted to the publication that it does not direct the consumer group, the Guardian identified documents revealing the contrary. As reported, "But documents show it funded the organization from its launch, paying outside consultants to develop the not-for-profit group, establish 'the organization's messages and themes' and recruit

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***"Mandating a move to a singular utility model loses sight of the financial burden it will create in many Californians' homes...It would also be irresponsible to not have different types of utilities available, especially in emergency situations which would put residents at risk."***

***- Rick Felix, Upland City Councilmember***

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Certainly, as awareness of the changing climate begins to weigh more heavily against them, companies like SoCalGas have demonstrated their commitment to a "cleaner" energy future for the state. The company is working to improve the quality of their products by focusing in three key areas (1) reducing [green]waste through its Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) initiative that the company stated, "[R]educes GHG emissions that would otherwise go into the atmosphere." (2) Working to solve long-term storage challenges by converting excess solar and wind energy into RNG. And, (3) by capturing carbon dioxide from industrial and manufacturing processes before it is released into the air and converting it to RNG.

Although SoCalGas is hoping to supply about 20 percent of its customers with CNG by 2030, environmentalists continue to argue CNG presents the same threats to the environment as gas produced from fracking which according to the consumer watchdog group Food & Water Watch, "spews carbon dioxide (CO2) and other pollutants" into the atmosphere.

Rooting the argument against California going electric based solely on the impact of a perceived cost burden to low- and working-class communities removes focus from this aspect of RNG, the continuing health implications that result from it, and its impact on a changing climate.

board members.

The article went on to quote from an email sent to several local government employees across the state of California which read in part, "I have been asked by our senior leadership team to identify some key Latino leaders that might consider supporting the current [C4Bes] effort."

Just days before former California Governor Jerry Brown signed AB 3232 into law in September 2018, he signed the historic SB 100 calling for 100 percent clean energy in the state.

As the fight for California's energy future continues to escalate consumers will be asked to consider cost over quality of life. When SB 100 was signed into law, Harold P. Wimmer, National President and CEO of the American Lung Association issued a statement putting the issue of clean energy in the context of public health and reminded Californians the fight for clean energy is about more than costs.

"Air pollution contributes to asthma attacks and lung cancer, hospitalizations and even early death," he noted and stressed, "Right now, 90 percent of Californians live in areas that experience poor air quality at some point during the year. Reducing carbon pollution will fight climate change and improve local air quality to save lives."





# Independent Writers Sue California to Protect Freelance Rights

**VOICE Staff  
Contributor**

Independent journalists feel under attack and claim the State of California has threatened their careers and violates the Constitution.

In response, on Tuesday, December 17, 2019 the American Society of Journalists and Authors, Inc., filed suit against the state in federal court to stop a new law from devastating the careers of freelance journalists such as writers and photographers.

“We have no choice but to go to court to protect the rights of independent writers and freelance journalists as a whole,” said Milton C. Toby, JD, president of ASJA. “The stakes are too high, and we cannot stand by as our members and our colleagues face ill-conceived and potentially career-ending legislation.”

In the suit journalists claim Assembly Bill 5, which takes effect January 1, 2020 is full of unfair exemptions and carveouts that disfavor

freelance journalists compared to other professions that engage in speech.

Under the law, journalists are capped at 35 pieces of content per year, and if they exceed that, they must become employees, while journalists who record video, instantly lose their ability to work independently. Marketers, grant writers, and graphic designers face no such limit.

“Under the law, a freelancer like me can write 200-plus press releases in a year for a marketing firm, and it’s no problem. But if a newspaper wants me to write a weekly column about local politics, it must put me on staff — a very unlikely prospect — or violate the law. Otherwise I am silenced,” said San Diego freelance writer Randy Dotinga, a board member and former president of ASJA.

ASJA’s pro bono attorneys at Pacific Legal Foundation joined with the National Press

Photographers Association as plaintiffs in the lawsuit.

ASJA played a lead role on behalf of freelance journalists in negotiations with California state legislators as AB 5 was debated earlier this year. The bill’s author, Assemblywoman Lorena Gonzalez, refused to give freelance journalists a workable exemption.

Although AB 5 is effective January 1st its impact is already hurting the careers of freelance journalists. Multiple media outlets have blacklisted California freelance journalists or limited the amount of work they can produce in 2020.

“In a shrinking media landscape where hiring executives are still mostly White and male, AB 5 places additional restrictions and burdens on women, people of color and the LGBTQ+

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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: DEC 17, 2019  
TAMARA L. WAGNER, Judge of the Superior Court  
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## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER MVC 1913877

To All Interested Persons: Petitioner: GISSSEL ILENE CERVANTEZ filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: GISSSEL ILENE CERVANTEZ to. GISSSEL ILENE MARTHA. 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: 1/30/20 Time: 1:00PM Dept: MV2. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 13800 HEACOCK ST, BLDG. D, MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553, MORENO VALLEY COURTHOUSE. 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: DEC 04, 2019  
DAVID E. GREGORY, Judge of the Superior Court  
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## PROBATES

## NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: MARTIN JESUS GARCIA Case Number PRRI 1902093

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: MARTIN JESUS GARCIA, MARTIN GARCIA. A Petition for Probate has been filed by JUAN CARLOS BUSTOS-ARROYO in the Superior Court of California, County of: RIVERSIDE. The Petition for Probate requests that JUAN CARLOS BUSTOS-ARROYO be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: 1/15/2020 Time: 8:30 A.M. DEPT 11, SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 MAIN ST, RIVERSIDE, CA 92501. RIVERSIDE HISTORIC COURTHOUSE. If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and

state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner: Kristine M. Borgia, Esq. 2155 Chicago Avenue, Suite 306, Riverside, CA 92507  
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## NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: WILLIAM ASBOL COOPER Case Number PRRI 1902090

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: WILLIAM ASBOL COOPER aka WILLIAM A. COOPER. A Petition for probate has been filed by CHERYL L. COOPER in the Superior Court of California, County of: RIVERSIDE. The Petition for Probate requests that CHERYL L. COOPER be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: 1/29/2020 Time: 8:30 A.M. DEPT 11, SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, 4050 MAIN ST, RIVERSIDE, CA 92501. RIVERSIDE HISTORIC COURTHOUSE. If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner: Michael C. Maddux, Esq, 1894 Commercenter W. Suite 108, San Bernardino, CA 92408  
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Notice to Respondent: CESAR ALONZO LOPEZ; NORMA A. ASTORGA; AND DOES 1-100

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s. Victor Cienfuegos, CEO/Director

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Peter Aldana, County Clerk,

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**Riverside, CA 92504**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**19069 Van Buren Blvd Ste 114-414**  
**Riverside, CA 92508**  
**Tara Elaine Pratt**  
**17490 Fairbreeze Court**  
**Riverside, CA 92508**

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s. Tara Elaine Pratt

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**Sabai Capital LLC**  
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s. Richard Steven Pruitt, Managing Member

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This business is conducted by: Individual

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attorney general to comply with the legislation when the law was passed. He further noted the legislators' consensus that the public's right to know about police misconduct outweighed the cost of disclosing such information. "It was a watershed law; it eliminates decades of police secrecy. Of course, it's going to create a burden," he stressed.

When the transparency law took effect January 1, 2019 police agencies up and down the state initially fought compliance. After a series of lawsuits were filed to compel their observance of the law most agreed to comply however many continue to present barriers to compliance.

The AG's office on the other hand, which serves as a warehouse/repository for years of records related to local police investigations, has continued to push back against media requests.

At a news conference in mid-December 2019 Becerra claimed it is not that he opposes the release of older documents involving local agencies but believes local agencies should be the ones to disclose them.

"For us it would be an onerous obligation to have to redo what the (local) agency is already obligated to do. It would grind to a halt so many of the other things we have to do if all of a sudden we have to redirect our resources away from law enforcement and public safety to do data assessment and release of information that other agencies already are doing."

Becerra's position appears disingenuous to many since evidence exists that some agencies destroyed internal affairs records before the law took effect and those documents may still be available at the state level since California law requires state agencies to retain such records longer than local governments.

The Appeals Court ruling is expected by mid-March 2020.

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not necessarily conducive to the best available quality especially when it comes to impacts on public health.

Clean energy in relation to climate change is another important priority requiring education and focus in minority communities. African Americans are among those most severely impacted by climate change and yet Black communities continue to be the least engaged on this important issue.

In 2018, California passed a law requiring it to derive 100 percent of its power from zero-carbon energy sources by 2045. Some municipalities are already working to meet this goal ahead of schedule. At the same time, the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) is in the process of implementing SB 1477 which calls for the agency to create two new programs aimed at promoting the use of highly efficient building appliances.

As local politicians and nonprofits accelerate their focus on the 2020 Census and the 2020 General Election it is equally important that the battle between energy giants to control the future distribution and consumption of energy not be left to these "power" brokers while communities are laser-focused on these other important priorities. We must make room in our collective agenda to educate and activate community engagement on this other important priority as well or important decisions will be made without input from strong voices from the Black and other minority communities. Being silent on this important issue is not an option.

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

S.E. Williams  
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## League of California Cities, Inland Empire Division Appoints New President

**Ontario, CA** – Ontario City Council (Council) Member Debra Dorst-Porada is the newly elected President of the League of California Cities, Inland Empire Division (Division).



Dorst-Porada, who will serve a two-year term, was first elected to the Council in 2008. As President, she is the official spokesperson for the Division, and will be responsible for coordinating its lobbying, educational, fundraising efforts.

The Inland Empire Division is made up of 15 cities in San Bernardino County and provides members with the opportunity to exchange ideas and information and share the advantages of cooperative advocacy.

## Save the Date: 2020 Riverside Black History Parade and Expo

**Riverside, CA** – 2020 marks the 150th anniversary of voter protections for Blacks in America as guaranteed by Congress in 1870 with passage of the 15th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. It declared in part that the right of U.S. citizens to vote could "not be abridged or denied by any state on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude."

On Saturday, February 8, 2020, Riverside's 41st Annual Black History Parade and Expo will pay homage to this important anniversary while simultaneously reminding the community of the importance of 2020 as a pivotal election year. The theme for this year's event is, "It takes a Village: Let's Vote."

The Adrian Dell and Carmen Roberts Foundation has teamed up with the NAACP Riverside Chapter in support of this year's significant anniversary and the coming election. Opportunities still exist for vendors and parade performers to participate in the celebration. To fill out an application visit [www.adcrfoundation.org](http://www.adcrfoundation.org).




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# 9th Annual Educators' Prayer Breakfast



## San Bernardino

The National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc. Delta Rho Chapter celebrated its 9th Annual Educators' Prayer Breakfast on Saturday, December 14, 2019 at the National Orange Show in San Bernardino.

More than 200 attendees gathered for the event where the local organization Social Lites, Inc. was honored for its 60+ years of service to the Inland Empire community and for dedicating more than 50 years in support of local youth through its annual Beautillion program. The Beautillion Scholarship Program is in its 53rd year. For more information about the Beautillion Scholarship Program contact one of the following: Tina Darling at tribicu2@msn.com; Lisa Blacksher at lisasocialities@gmail.com; or Bettye Brewster at bettyebrewster@yahoo.com.

The Swans Club and Carolyn Tillman were also honored at this years' Prayer Breakfast for their dedicated work with community youth.

*Top: Carolyn A Tillman, Special Assistant to the San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools and Mrs. Linda Bardere, Bahelila Booth, Swans Club President, accepted the Award for their organization from Mrs. Linda Bardere. Bottom: A dance performance, Mr Derek Harris served as Master of Ceremonies, Ms Vicki Lee performed a dramatic selection.*

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community by forcing many of us to seek staff jobs," said Los Angeles freelance writer and author JoBeth McDaniel, chair of ASJA's First Amendment Committee. "Many journalists choose to freelance because we encountered discrimination, harassment and bullying in staff positions. Others, such as parents, caregivers and the disabled -- need the flexibility of setting their own schedules and workloads."

In addition, there are growing concerns California's restrictions on independent journalism may spread beyond the state. ASJA is deeply concerned about proposed laws in New York and New Jersey that are inspired by AB 5. If necessary, ASJA is prepared to launch more legal action in support of the free speech, free press and equal protection rights protected by the Constitution.

"We hope and expect that the legal challenges to the constitutionality of AB 5 will encourage lawmakers considering similar measures in other states to draft legislation that protects the rights of all independent writers and other freelance journalists," said Toby, the ASJA president

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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. John Donald Janssen III  
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 12/17/2019

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-201916354

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The following persons) is (are) doing business as:

**TACTICAL ARMOUR GROUP**  
11801 Pierce St, Suite 200  
Riverside, CA 92505  
RIVERSIDE COUNTY

3380 La Sierra Ave, 104  
Riverside, CA 92503  
Jacqueline Anne Johnson  
11801 Pierce St Suite 200  
Riverside, CA 92505

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. Jacqueline Anne Johnson  
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 12/06/2019

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Peter Aldana, County Clerk, FILE NO. R-201915925

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

**123FLOOR**  
12321 Magnolia Ave, Suite F  
Riverside, CA 92503  
Riverside County

**HUVER JAVIER ROJAS**  
12321 Magnolia Ave, Suite F  
Riverside, CA 92503

This business is conducted by: an individual Registrant(s) 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. Huver Javier Rojas  
Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 12/24/19 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.

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Statement was filed with the County of Riverside on 12/24/19 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.

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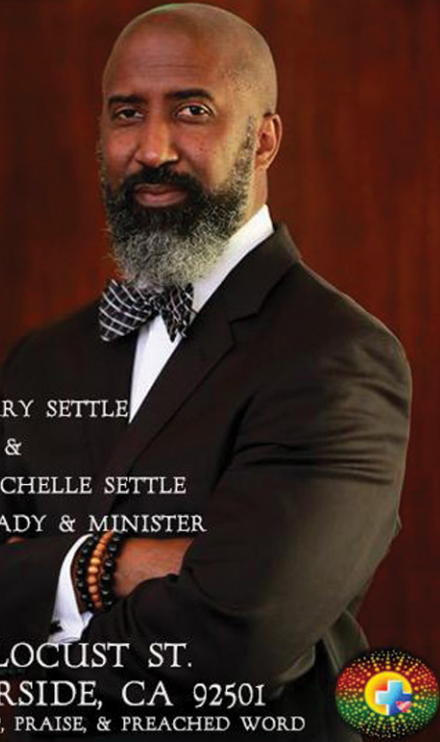
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