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Questionable-Ohio Will Arm More Teachers, Cut Training Hours

By Brian Hews

In the wake of Uvalde, Ohio will arm more teachers, not that it is new, school staff can already carry weapons.

What is different is that the state will ease training requirements and other restrictions.

Ohio Gov. Mike DeWine (R) said last week that he planned to sign the bill that makes it easier for teachers to be armed at school; he did.

Signed into law Monday, the bill would arm more schoolteachers and reduce training requirements for staffers to carry guns on campus.

The move comes in the wake of a shooting in Uvalde, Tex., where a teenager opened fire on a pair of classrooms, killing 19 fourth-graders and two teachers. DeWine said in a Monday news conference that while House

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EPA Warning

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PFOS is found in, among many other things, fire-fighting foam.

The EPA on Wednesday issued nonbinding health advisories that set health risk thresholds for PFOA and PFOS to near zero.

Associated Press

The Environmental Protection Agency is warning that two nonstick and stain-resistant compounds found in drinking water are more dangerous than previously thought and pose health risks even at levels so low they cannot currently be

detected.

The two compounds, known as PFOA and PFOS, have been voluntarily phased out by U.S. manufacturers, but there are a limited number of ongoing uses and the chemicals remain in the environment because they do not degrade over time. The compounds are part of a larger cluster of "forever chemicals" known as PFAS that have been used in consumer products and industry since the 1940s.

The agency is inviting states

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HMG-CN Investigation Results in District Attorney Review of Cerritos Councilman Solanki's Residency Claims

By Brian Hews

An investigation and story published a few weeks ago regarding Cerritos Councilman Naresh Solanki owning two homes, one in Cerritos and one in Anaheim Hills, has triggered a Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office of Integrity review of Solanki's residency status.

It is a requirement to live in Cerritos to be a Cerritos City Councilman.

Solanki claims he lives in his 2,700 square-foot home in Cerritos versus a massive multi-million dollar 7,000 square-foot mansion in Anaheim Hills.

A District Attorney review can lead to a formal investigation and criminal charges.

Solanki's Cerritos home could fit in the backyard of the Anaheim home, the lot is over a half-acre, and the house is 7,000 square-feet with seven bedrooms and eight baths, and an outdoor swimming pool



DOES SOLANKI live in a 2,700 sf home in Cerritos or a 7,000 sf home in Anaheim Hills, the District Attorney is asking the same question.

area that resembles a high-end resort.

According to the online realty website Zillow, the house is worth more than \$4.1 million and carries a mortgage payment of \$21,000, with annual property taxes of \$40,000.

The house's beauty is only upstaged by the gaudy, over-the-top French-style interior that would make Louis XIV blush, an interior that would seem to completely contradict

[See **SOLANKI** page 15]

Up-to-Date Local Election Results

By Brian Hews

In the new 30th District, Bob Archuleta at 31,155 will battle Mitch Clemmons who garnered 28,476 in Los Angeles; Clemmons is ahead of Archuleta in Red Orange County 5,255 to 2,996.

Henry Bouchet, who outright lied and defamed HMG-CN, telling constituents he gave "money to the newspaper" came in last place; he had resigned his Whittier City Council seat he paid over \$100,000 to get.

In the 67th District, Sharon Quirk-Silva will be locked in a battle with ABC Board Member Soo Yoo; Silva leads Yoo 3,975 to 3,438 in L.A.;

25,357 to 20,373 in the OC.

This newspaper wants Yoo to resign her ABC Board seat given her alt-right views and the fact her attention will be pulled in three different directions; as a ABC board member; as a business owner and as a congressional candidate.

Given the choice to rank the three, Yoo's duties at ABC will certainly be neglected. Yoo has also met with Critical Race Theory and known white supremacists, told Mexican's not to have Quiceneras, and is on video saying she doesn't want to see the money spent on professional development to train teachers to "indoctrinate our children," a clear reference

[See **ELECTIONS** page 15]

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Local School District's Enhance Safety Protocols

By Tammye McDuff

Last week, are school district's were undergoing safety drills in the wake of the Texas school shooting.

El Rancho Superintendent Frances Esparza ordered the special safety drills, “We wanted to make sure teachers feel they would have an opportunity to practice and ensure anxiety levels are low when they hear a bell ringing.” The drills began June 1. In addition to practicing lockdowns, schools are preparing for earthquakes, shelter in place and other emergencies. The goal is to keep students and staff safe and prepared for an emergency.

Downey Superintendent Dr. John Garcia stated, “I’m reaching out on behalf of the District to remind you that student safety is our number one priority and all of our schools have specific protocols to secure our campuses.” The Downey USD continuously partners with the Downey Police Department (DPD) to ensure students and staff are prepared for such instances. Garcia added, “We certainly hope that our planning is never put to use; but to help ensure campus safety and security, every year, we reevaluate and update our District Emergency/Preparedness and Lockdown Protocol Plans in collaboration with DPD.” Also, DUSD has upgraded campus safety features.

ABCUSD trains, drills and practices for a rapid multi-leveled response. The District uses the SEMS Standardized Emergency Management System to structure its communications and respond to any ABC campus school emergency scenario. ABC maintains a close relationship with local Sheriff and Fire Departments, state, and national agencies.

All ABCUSD facilities have safety plans in place that are updated annually. Safety planning is conducted throughout the year by the District’s Emergency Operations Center staff, Child Welfare and Attendance, Information and Technology, Mental Health Services, School Resource Officers, and local emergency responders. ABCUSD uses remote-controlled “lock and unlock” technology door access technology to control who enters a school.

Dr. John Lopez, Superintendent for the Norwalk / La Mirada Unified School District, wrote in a statement to all NLM USD families, “I want to emphasize our utmost commitment to the safety of our students and staff. Our schools will continue to be diligent in implementing our safety protocols.”

In addition, the NLM USD has connected with local law enforcement partners at the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Department to increase their patrol units and presence around the schools. Garcia added, “Understandably, students and staff may be concerned and will want to speak with someone about this tragedy. Please get in touch with your school directly to be connected with counseling resources. As a community, we all must be vigilant and report any suspicious activity.”

Hundreds of students and families celebrated their accomplishments last week with graduation ceremonies across multiple school districts. This comes at a time when safety is on the mind of many due to the recent shootings nationwide. It has been a year of ups and downs for students, despite the pandemic and increased threats of violence against schools, students finally walked across the stage as friends and families cheered them on.

City-Wide Wireless Network Close to Phase 1 Completion in Bellflower

By Tammye McDuff

In mid-2019, Bellflower decided to offer a wireless city and sent out a Wireless Implementation Plan for bid.

This proposal was to develop a city-wide wireless network program to connect downtown Bellflower and other public facilities, then expand to a city-wide wireless network.

The program will provide municipal broadband via Wi-Fi to large parts of the city by deploying a wireless mesh network. The typical design uses hundreds of wireless access points outdoors, often on poles.

ICC Networking [ICCN] was selected as the low bidder and will also share digital advertising revenue.

Due to the pandemic, the agreement was not approved until August 23, 2021. Now, ten months later, the wireless broadband network is close to the implementation of Phase I.

Now the city needs a name to begin promoting and marketing the network. It was suggested that ‘Bellflower Connect – Powered by the City of Bellflower’ be adopted.

Bellflower Kiwanis Award Over \$18,000 in Scholarships



BIG CHECKS: Recipients of the Bellflower Kiwanis scholarship awards from Bellflower High School with their families collectively received \$18,500 in funds.

Coachella Music Festival Announces 2023 Dates

The Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival announced Tuesday that next year’s event will be held on the weekends of April 14-16 and April 21-23, with advance tickets going on sale at 10 a.m. Friday.

music festival will be released at a later date.

General admission three-day tickets will be available starting at \$549, including entrance to the venue and day parking lots for all three days. VIP three-day tickets start at \$1,199.

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A color portrait photograph of Catherine Grant Wieder, a woman with shoulder-length brown hair, smiling. She is wearing a grey blazer over a white collared shirt. The photo is positioned on the left side of the advertisement.

Ebell Installs 2022-2023 Officers



NEW OFFICERS from (l-r) Mary Cipres, Kathy Alvarez, Misty Cota, Erika Rives and Anne Haraksin, missing from photo is Adreinne DeLama

By Tammie McDuff

The La Mirada Ebell Club is a women's social club that meets the second Wednesday of each month at the Resource Center. With education and volunteerism at the heart of the organization, you know that any event hosted by Ebell will go hand-in-hand with fellowship and fundraising.

La Mirada Ebell was established over 65 years ago and is still one of the major volunteer groups in the community. The Club awards annual scholarships, volunteers for fireworks stands, and hosts the ‘Youth in Government Day’ at City Hall and local candidate’s forums alongside the city of La Mirada.

Last Thursday, Ebell installed their new officers for the 2022/ 2023 year at Mexico 1900 Restaurant. When looking for an installation for new officers, the world sorely needs the fine qualities of our Ebell leaders: Cooperation, Faith, Enthusiasm, Sincerity, Friendliness,

Loyalty, Vision and Integrity.

The new officers for La Mirada Ebell are Mary Cipres, First VP of Membership; Third VP of Program Development, Cathy Alvarez; Treasurer, Adreinne DeLama; Secretary, Erika Rivas; Parliamentarian, Anne Haraksin and the new President is Misty Cota. A beautiful bouquet was given to the outgoing president Ellen Peters. Leadership in Ebell is an opportunity for service to the community, to uphold the policies of Ebell and direct the work of the membership.

With new leadership from women in the community, the La Mirada Ebell Club is looking to recruit new members.

The recent meeting was seasoned with working ideas, serious discussions and lots of good hearted laughter and camaraderie.

***For membership information,
visit their Facebook page at
La Mirada Ebell @EbellLM.***

2022 Angel City Games at Cerritos College

Friday June 24 through Sunday June 26 the games will feature more than two dozen Paralympians and elite coaches, clinics in 16 adaptive sports, along with an Experience Zone featuring a variety of adaptive sports for all attendees to try. Registration is open now at angelcitygames.org/

On Friday, June 24 the Games'

Experience Zone will highlight rowing, fitness, table tennis, boccia, golf, handcycling and curling.

There will also be sport clinics for track & field, wheelchair basketball, goalball, para powerlifting and adaptive strength. Lunch will be provided during the opening ceremonies with a parade of athletes.

Passings-
La Mirada Resident
Joan Elizabeth Spinosa



Joan Elizabeth Spinoso was the youngest of 5 children born to Patricia Della (Stahl) Spinoso and Frank S Spinoso on July 15, 1962. Born and raised in La Mirada, CA, she graduated from William Neff High School in the class of 1980. She worked at Knotts Berry Farm and Tower Records while she completed her training with Plumbers Union #582, which lead to her dream job of working as a plumber at Disneyland. She worked there for over 32 years, until her passing on June 4th, 2022.

Not having any children of her own, Joan put her energy into loving her nieces and nephews. She was everyone's favorite aunt, "Joany Pony." She would take a niece or nephew to a rock concert, Brazil or France, even willing to be an adult chaperone for a school field trip.

Join us at Los Coyotes Country Club on Wed, June 22, 2022 at 1:30pm for a celebration of Joan's life. Please wear your favorite Disney outfit or rock concert t-shirt, whatever reminds you of her and makes you smile.

Become a Foster Parent

Foster parenting is a meaningful way to provide children at-risk with safe, nurturing support and resources to thrive.

To learn about foster care and how to help, Children's Bureau, a nonprofit leader in protecting vulnerable children, is hosting a live Zoom Orientation on June 16th from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM.

For those who want to learn at their own pace about becoming a foster and/or foster-adopt parent, a PowerPoint Orientation is available. To R.S.V.P. for the live orientation or to request the PowerPoint orientation, please email rfrecruitment@all4kids.org or call 800-730-3933.



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Lakewood Regional Celebrates 50 Years of Community Service

By Tammye McDuff

For the past 50 years, Lakewood Regional Medical Center has been an integral part of the city of Lakewood and surrounding communities.

The hospital is a 172-bed acute care facility specializing as a primary stroke center with award-winning heart care services, 24-hour emergency care, bloodless medical care, surgery and urgent care.

Most recently, the hospital received the designation as a primary stroke

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Bill 99 was in the works last year, “That heartbreaking school shooting certainly increased the urgency to enact it.”

Ohio already permits schoolteachers to be armed, but they need the permission of their school board and 700 hours of training as a peace officer. In the news conference Monday, DeWine said school staff who want to carry weapons will be required to have at least 24 hours of training.

“My office worked with the General Assembly to remove hundreds of hours of curriculum irrelevant to school safety and to ensure training requirements were specific to a school environment and contained significant scenario-based training,” DeWine said in a news release earlier this month.

Republicans, reluctant to pass gun regulations, push arming teachers

Shari Obrenski, president of the Cleveland Teachers Union, called the effort to arm teachers “ironic,” as it comes after state lawmakers sought to ban how teachers talked about race in classrooms.

“Educators are being told we are not trusted to decide what to teach in the classroom, a job we study for and are licensed to do,” she said in testimony to state lawmakers last month. “But we are trusted to have loaded guns around children with far less training than is required to drive a car.”

Proposals to arm schoolteachers have proved unpopular with teachers and their unions, which say that it is dangerous and unfair to expect teachers to battle active shooters. In Ohio, the Fraternal Order of Police also opposes the bill.

The practice of arming teachers is far from widespread, but many major school shootings have inspired more districts and states to adopt it.

Florida passed a law that year permitting educators to be armed, naming the program after a teacher slain at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High. A school shooting in Texas that occurred just a few months after Parkland inspired the state, which already permitted certain school staff to be armed, to create a school marshal program to train armed staff to respond to school shootings.

center for Los Angeles County, receiving this designation for its highly specialized capabilities with neurological diseases.

The staff and medical team accomplished this success while caring for patients during CoVID, a testament to their commitment to advancing health-care.

The past two years during the pandemic took the hospital on a journey they never imagined.

The team stepped up to do what they do best and provide exceptional care, serving hundreds with the virus through dedication and commitment.

Over the last half-century, staff and physicians have attained the impossible while remaining devoted to personal care.

A celebration was held on June 9 to recognize 50 years of service. These years have included facility renovations and aesthetic upgrades, new technology, and recruitment of brilliant new leaders, professional staff and physicians, all while celebrating a grand legacy and building a firm foundation.



Lakewood Regional Chief of Staff Dr. Eric Cheung complimented the administration, "Fifty years is a brave milestone. Medicine has changed and improved over the last half-century. It has brought us the first artificial heart, advances in imaging, robotics in surgery, and the ability to restore sight to blind eyes and target treatments for numerous diseases. Over the next fifty years, medicine will continue to advance, and I am proud of this hospital and administration. They have managed to thrive during the pandemic."

Lakewood Regional Medical Center Governing Board Chair and newly re-elected mayor of Lakewood Steve Croft awarded the hospital with a certificate of excellence saying, "The city has had a long and profitable partnership with Lakewood Regional Medical Center. They have served the community and surrounding areas with care and commitment. The hospital not only cares for our residents but also serves as the city's major employer. You have been our community's saving grace, and I applaud you for being our heroes."

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CERRITOS RESIDENT Midshipman Tyler Hwangbo reads a replenishment-at-sea (RAS) brief on the bridge of USS Harry S. Truman during a RAS with USNS Supply. The Harry S. Truman Carrier Strike Group is on a scheduled deployment in the U.S. Naval Forces Europe area of operations, employed by U.S. Sixth Fleet to defend U.S., Allied and Partner interests. U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist Seaman Anthony Robledo.



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MONUMENT clockwise from left Bob Henderson, Rep. Grace Napolitano, Councilmember Cathy Warner and Supervisor Janice Hahn at the dedication of the Henderson Monument. Over the course of his long career, Bob negotiated 40 land acquisitions to preserve 3,600 acres of land. He founded the Habitat Authority, the Whittier Puente Hills Preservation Authority, and the Wildlife Corridor Conservation Authority – all committed to preserving land, plants and animals that live on it in perpetuity.

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Staff Report

The Claude Monet Exhibit is an experience where you can have fun while learning about the history of Claude Monet.

Located in Montebello, Monet: The Immersive Experience is a 20,000 square foot light and sound spectacular featuring two-story projections of the artist’s most compelling works.

Attendees can encounter the brilliance of one of history’s greatest artists in 360 degrees; the exhibit opened this past June 13.

The exhibit is all digital, hands free, and perfect for our socially distant world. Its rich content is suitable for a wide audience, including families, school groups, couples, and seniors.

Monet and other paintings created impressionism in France around the 1860s; the art style became controversial because the paintings looked “unfinished.”

The exhibit shows how Monet focused on “Impressionist” paintings and showed how revolutionary Monet was.

Impressionist paintings are created outdoors, were extremely experimental compared to the time, rejected by salons during that time, and can be compared to landscape paintings

There are six parts to the exhibit, all use different visuals to explain Monet’s life and the period he lived.

The exhibit is set at the guests’ own pace detailing Monet’s life and showing off his creations in detail.

One of the best rooms, the fourth room, showed a mini-film based on Monet’s life with eye-catching visuals.

The visuals are life-and the room was showing those visuals on four different walls; which was similar to what Monet wanted (which Monet wanted his paintings shown in an oval room).

It’s not just the fourth section that has a great environment, the first two sections also have an amazing attention to detail.

The second to last part of the exhibit had pieces of paper and colors laid out so that the audience could color in a template of Monet’s work.

Overall, the experience is about an hour and is definitely worth the \$45 tickets.

There are VIP and VR experiences, which will be about \$10-20 more than the regular price.

The dates will be from March through July and will be open Thursday and Sunday: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. – Friday and Saturday: 10 a.m. – 7 p.m (when you book your tickets, you pick a specific date and time).

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Cerritos' Yokoyama Holds First AAPI Leadership Awards



CORRECTION: Last week we did not identify Congressional candidate Jay Chen. Cerritos City Councilman Frank Yokoyama held the first annual Asian American and Pacific Islander Leadership Awards on May 31 at London’s Pub and Grill in Artesia. Those attending were (l-r) former Cerritos Mayor Mark Pulido; Conner Traut, Buena Park Council; Farrah N. Khan, Irvine Mayor; Yokoyama; Jay Chen leading candidate for the 45th Congressional District; Jeff Prang, LA County Assessor; Victor Manalo, former Mayor of Artesia.

La Palma Citizens Academy Registration Open

By Tammye McDuff

The city of La Palma recently announced registration is now open for the 2022 La Palma Citizens Academy. The LPCA is a free five-week course aimed at giving residents a clearer understanding to local government. Residents will be given information about the La Palma City Council, Council-appointed committees, City Departments and other city departments. Each workshop focuses on specific aspects of local government functions,

including administration, finance, public safety, community development, community services, and public works. The 2022 Academy is the perfect way for residents to learn about the city and how to become more involved. The academy takes place on five consecutive Wednesday evenings beginning on Jul. 6 and ending Aug.3. Sessions will start at 5:30 p.m. and end by 6:30 p.m. Space is limited, so interested residents should apply as soon as possible. Applicants must be a La Palma resident to apply. For more information, please contact Joseph Cisneros, Assistant to the City Manager, at jcisneros@cityoflapalma.org.

Sen. Archuleta Recognizes Cerritos' Community Family Guidance Center as 2022 Nonprofit of the Year



NONPROFIT OF THE YEAR: State Sen. Bob Archuleta, center front, with representatives from the CFGC in Sacramento.

State Senate Bob Archuleta (D-Pico Rivera), in conjunction with the California Association of Nonprofits, recognized the Community Family Guidance Center based in Cerritos as the 32nd Senate District’s 2022 nonprofit of the year. “The Community Family Guidance Center has done outstanding work providing counseling services to children and families in need. They have developed strong community partnerships with local schools and agencies to promote healing for the entire family averaging more than 33,000 therapy sessions each year.” Established in 1976, the CFGC is a 501(c) (3) non-profit agency, providing counseling services in the Southeast area of L.A County. With approximately 70 team members, they provide therapy that is culturally sensitive and bilingual as needed to help children dealing with traumatic mental health issues.

“Our entire agency is extremely honored to be recognized for the hard work performed by our therapists. Many thanks to Senator Archuleta and Cal Nonprofit for selecting us as a nonprofit of the year,” said Bill Sinko, Exec. Director, CFGC. “Senator Archuleta has been a true partner helping kids in our community heal through compassionate guidance,” stated Victor Sanchez, Director of Community Relations for the Center. California nonprofits have led on numerous social movements, ranging from the right to vote, to the beginnings of the environmental movement. From issue area specific movements, to associations organized around vocational and professional advocacy, California’s 80,000 nonprofits are key drivers for innovation, success and opportunity. To learn more about them, please visit <https://www.cfgcenter.com/mission>

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COMBAT VETERANS and animals have a tough time with the noise of fireworks.

Many communities in California allow the use of “safe-and-sane” fireworks approved by the State Fire Marshal on the day of July 4th only. These are fireworks that do not explode or go into the air. Their sound does not travel far. And families can enjoy them responsibly as part of a fun...and safe...July 4th celebration. Their use also benefits community groups that sell them at stands throughout the city between July 1-4.

However, some people make the fateful decision each year to purchase and use fireworks that are illegal in California for personal use. These include skyrockets and explosives...all of which are illegal in California and dangerous to use...especially in highly populated residential neighborhoods and urban areas.

If you're thinking of using illegal fireworks, did you know...?

Some combat veterans with Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) can be traumatized by illegal fireworks.

The U.S. Marine Corps urges Americans to be considerate of the veterans living among us when it comes to illegal

fireworks use. A Marine veteran of two tours in Iraq said he can prepare for events like the annual fireworks display that his hometown puts on at a certain time. But the sudden rat-a-tat of firecrackers set off by his neighbors throughout the night transports him back to Baghdad and sets him on edge. Communities are urging residents to be considerate of veterans...and think twice before using illegal fireworks.

Pets can also be traumatized by loud fireworks...and more pets run away from home and are lost on July 4th than on any other day.

Like veterans, most pet owners can prepare their animals for a short, one-time event like a planned fireworks show or the use of safe-and-sane fireworks whose sound does not travel far. But there's no preparing for the loud and unexpected sounds of illegal skyrockets, firecrackers and other explosives, including those happening late at night.

Many cities have a hotline set up and some even have apps to report illegal fireworks.

LAFD Fire Chief and L.A. County Assessor at Pride Parade



ENJOYING THE LA PRIDE PARADE in Hollywood this past Sunday is Kristin M. Crowley, the first female, first LGBTQ and first paramedic to hold the office of LAFD Fire Chief; she is Los Angeles' 19th Fire Chief. With her is Los Angeles County Assessor Jeff Prang (right) and Ray Vizcarra. Ray and Jeff are married.

Church to host July 4th July Event at Pico Rivera Sports Arena

Staff Report

Freedom City Church (FCC) will hold a July Fourth Freedom Fest event at the Pico Rivera Sports Arena. The family event will feature carnival rides, live music, food vendors, giveaways, a live production and a fireworks show.

“We are beyond excited to be able to host an event of this magnitude,” said Jason Lozano, lead pastor of Freedom City Church. “July Fourth is a special day for our community and our country so to have the opportunity to hold

Freedom Fest at the Pico Rivera Sports Arena is a true blessing on so many levels.”

“Our hope is that many families come out to enjoy the festivities as we celebrate the Fourth of July.”

Carnival rides will begin at 2 p.m. and the production and fireworks show will take place at 7 p.m. The entrance fee is \$10 and tickets are available to purchase at go2freedomfest.com

For more information visit go2freedomfest.com or check out [@go2fcc](https://www.instagram.com/go2fcc) on Instagram for the latest news.



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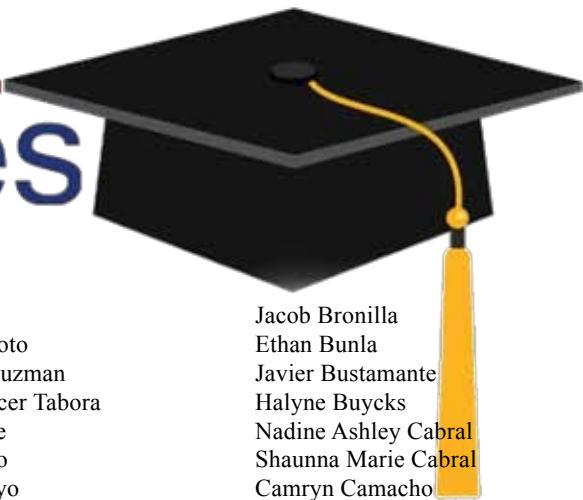


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NOTICE INVITING BIDS

ADA CITY HALL/CITY HALL WEST PROJECT (CDBG)

Project Number: 50073

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Pico Rivera, California (“City”) invites sealed Bids for the Project. The City will receive such Bids at the City Clerk’s office, City Hall, 6615 Passons Boulevard, Pico Rivera, California 90660 up to **2:00 p.m. on July 27, 2022**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

All Bids must be made on the form furnished by the City. Each Bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the City Clerk with the Project name and identification number typed or clearly printed on the lower left corner of the envelope. Bids must remain valid and shall not be subject to withdrawal for 90 calendar days after the Bid opening date.

SCOPE OF WORK. The Project includes, without limitation, furnishing all necessary labor, materials, equipment and other incidental and appurtenant Work necessary to satisfactorily complete the Project as more specifically described in the Contract Documents. Time for completion of the Work is **Sixty (60) total Working Days** from the date specified in the Notice to Proceed and shall be inclusive of the procurement time to furnish and install all materials associated with this project.

FEDERAL AID CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT. This is a **CDBG funded** Federal aid construction contract. The Contractor is responsible to understand and comply with all Federal Labor Standard Provisions of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Davis Bacon and Labor Standards.

OBTAINING BID DOCUMENTS. Bidders may obtain free copies of the Plans, Specifications, and other Contract Documents online by visiting <http://www.pico-rivera.org/rfps/>. Hard copies of the Contract Documents are not available at this time.

LICENSES. Each Bidder shall possess either of (a) a valid Class “A” Contractor’s license, or (b) a valid Class “B” Contractor’s license and combination of Class “C7”, “C8”, “C10”, and “C12 as applicable, or (c) a valid Class “B” Contractor’s license held by the prime and combination of Class “C7”, “C8”, “C10”, and “C12” specialty licenses held by subcontractors as applicable, or (d) Any of the above stated “C” licenses held by the prime and combination of the remaining state “C” specialty licenses held by the subcontractors as applicable issued by the California State Contractors License Board necessary for the performance of all Work to be performed at the time of the Bid submission. The successful Contractor must also possess a current City business license.

MATERIALS SUBSTITUTIONS AND OTHER QUESTIONS. Bidders are required to post their questions or equivalent material or substitution request of construction materials to the City Project Manager online by visiting <http://www.pico-rivera.org/rfps/> . Any questions or equivalent material or substitution request of construction materials asked by email or by telephone will not be answered. Materials substitutions or questions are acceptable until **4:00 pm on or before Wednesday, July 6, 2022**. Any questions or equivalent material or substitution request of construction materials submitted after **Wednesday, July 6, 2022** will not be answered. Questions and answers and/or any responses to material substitution request will be issued by **Wednesday, July 13, 2022** as an addendum. Any addenda and/or supplemental information, as applicable will be posted online and available at <http://www.pico-rivera.org/rfps/>. It is the Bidder’s responsibility to check online for any addenda that are released. Any changes or corrections to the original Bid Documents or any other information that will affect the completion of the award will be disseminated and posted on the City’s website. Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of all addenda documentation (if any) with the submitted bid proposal. Contractor shall not be allowed to make substitution or equal and/or equivalent request of construction material after **Wednesday, July 6, 2022**.

CITY PROJECT MANAGER CONTACT INFORMATION:
Name: Gene Edwards
Contact Number: 562-801-4225
E-mail address: gedwards@pico-rivera.org

By: Terry Rodrigue 6/15/22
Interim Public Works Director Date

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Su Casa is a nonprofit community-based organization dedicated to the philosophy that every individual has the right to live free from violence or the threat of violence.

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TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS
JAIMIE MICHELE RIVERA filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name as follows: JAIMIE MICHELE RIVERA TO SERAPHINA SUMMERS. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two 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 a petition without a hearing. Court date 06/20/22, 10:30 am, Dept C, RM 312. Published at Los Cerritos Community Newspaper 5/13, 5/20, 5/27, 6/3/22. Case number 22NWCP00168

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File Number 2022 114878
THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) IS (ARE) DOING BUSINESS AS: LION AND LAMB WELLNESS 6317 MONTEREY ROAD APT 306, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90042. Registered Owner: PORTER PSYCHOLOGICAL, APC 6317 MONTEREY ROAD APT 306, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90042 . THIS BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED AS A CORPORATION. The date registrant started to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above: N/A. I declare that all the information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /S/ JENNIFER PORTER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 5/26/22. 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 of notice of the County Clerk, except, as provided in Subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to Section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. Effective January 1, 2014, the Fictitious Business Name Statement must be accompanied by the affidavit of identity form. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State or Common Law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). LCCN 6/3, 6/10, 6/17, 6/24/22

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALLING FOR BIDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ABC UNIFIED SCHOOL will receive up to, but not later than **10:00 AM** of the **8th of July 2022**, sealed bids for the award of a contract for:

Bid #ABC- 1593 Tree Trimming

All bids shall be made and presented on a form furnished by the District. Bids submitted shall conform to the terms and conditions stated on said form. Bids shall be received in the office of the Purchasing Department at 16700 Norwalk Blvd., Cerritos, CA 90703 and shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above-stated time and place. Bidders may obtain bid documents by request to Wendy Wall (562) 926-5566 x 21218. This work is subject to DIR Registration, prevailing wage payments, Valid License Class C-27 or D-49 and DIR Registration will be required will be required.

Published at LCCN June 17, 2022 June 24, 2022

CITY OF LA MIRADA

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 723 ADOPTING ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT NO. 53, AMENDING THE DRIVE-THROUGH FACILITY STANDARDS IN TITLE 21 OF THE LA MIRADA MUNICIPAL CODE (ZONING ORDINANCE), AND THE AMENDMENT OF SUBSECTION 5.6.2 OF THE IMPERIAL HIGHWAY SPECIFIC PLAN; AND APPROVING AN ENVIRONMENTAL FINDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 15061(B)(3) OF THE CEQA GUIDELINES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on June 28, 2022, at 6:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the Council Chambers, 13700 La Mirada Boulevard, La Mirada, the City Council of the City of La Mirada will consider adopting its Ordinance No. 723.

Summary of Ordinance No. 723
Ordinance No. 723 would amend the Zoning Code to modify the existing standards to allow for drive-through aisles, including menu/ordering boxes and pick-up windows, to be located between a structure and a public street. To reduce potential visual and noise impacts, the proposed ordinance would require three-foot (3’-0”) high block walls and landscaping along drive-through aisles that are adjacent to a public right-of-way. In instances where nearby residences may be impacted by headlight glare from vehicles in the drive-through aisles, the block wall height requirement would increase to four-feet (4’-0”). Additionally, pursuant to the proposed ordinance, new drive-through facilities would need to be designed to accommodate sufficient on-site queuing to prevent overflow vehicles from impacting adjacent sidewalks or streets.

A certified copy of the entirety of the text of Ordinance No. 723 is available in the office of the City Clerk, City of La Mirada, 13700 La Mirada Boulevard, La Mirada, California, and is available for public inspection at that location.

Anne Haraksin, La Mirada City Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PLOT PLAN NO. 999
CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 546
7400 BANDINI BLVD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Commerce will conduct a public hearing to consider a Plot Plan No. 999 and Conditional Use Permit No. 546 to allow the demolition of a 97,626 sf industrial building and 2100 sf ancillary office building and allow for the construction of a new 94,937 square foot warehouse distribution facility with office space on a 4.20-acre site in the City’s M-2 (Heavy Industrial) zoning district.

SAID PUBLIC HEARING MEETING: A virtual meeting will be held via Teleconference during a Planning Commission hearing on Wednesday, June 29, 2022, at 6:30pm, at which time proponents and opponents of Plot Plan No. 999 and Conditional Use Permit No. 546 will be heard. Instructions for Teleconference access are provided below:

Call in phone number: (669) 900-9128
Meeting ID: 936 8760 5928
Password: 838914

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom proclaimed a State of Emergency in California as a result of the threat of COVID-19. On March 17, 2020, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-29-20 (superseding the Brown Act-related provisions of Executive Order N-25-20 issued on March 12, 2020), which allows a local legislative body to hold public meetings via teleconferencing and to make public meetings accessible telephonically or otherwise electronically to all members of the public seeking to observe and to address the local legislative body.

Pursuant to Executive Order N-29-20, please be advised that members of the Commerce City Planning Commission will participate in meetings virtually and telephonically. Further, in the interest of maintaining appropriate social distancing, and restricting gatherings of over ten (10) people, due to the health risks associated with COVID-19 pursuant to Federal, State and County orders, directives and/or guidelines, this meeting will be telephonically accessible to the public. Members of the public may participate by calling in to the number provided herein.

Per Government Code Section 65009, if you challenge the above-listed item in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public scoping meeting and during the comment period described in this notice in written correspondence delivered to the city office, at, or prior to, the public hearing.

THE PLANNING COMMISSION
Jose D. Jimenez

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ES-TATE OF:
NANCY HACKERT PODRAZA AKA NANCY HACKERT
CASE NO. 22STPB02417

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be inter-ested in the WILL or estate, or both of NANCY HACKERT PODRAZA AKA NANCY HACKERT.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by JEF-FREY CHARLES HACKERT in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that KATH-ERINE MARION MIRKOVICH be appointed as per-sonal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Es-tates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtain-ing court approval. Before taking certain very im-portant 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: 07/08/22 at 8:30AM in Dept. 29 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objec-tions 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 ap-pointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in sec-tion 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
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 pro-vided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
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JOSEPH N. MIRKOVICH, ESQ. - SBN 46544,
RUSSELL, MIRKOVICH & MORROW
ONE WORLD TRADE CENTER, SUITE 1660
LONG BEACH CA 90831-1660
6/10, 6/17, 6/24/22
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HAWAIIAN GARDENS COMMUNITY NEWS

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:
DARYL GREGORY THOMAS
CASE NO. 22STPB05465

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of DARYL GREGORY THOMAS.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by RANDY JAMES THOMAS in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that RANDY JAMES THOMAS 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: 07/08/22 at 8:30AM in Dept. 4 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
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.
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LA MIRADA LAMPLIGHTER

Extra Space Storage will hold a public auction to sell personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at location indicated: 10753 Artesia Blvd. Cerritos, CA 90703 on July 08, 2022 at 11:00 am.

Ken Larsen- couch, furniture, shelf, lisa chavez- household items, Nichole Zellmer- boxes, totes, rug, bag, chairs, baskets, cabinet, vase, pictures, table, Julia Centola- boxes, shoes, luggage, guitar case, Nichole Zellmer- suitcase, nightstand dresser, patio containers, chairs, clothing, pottery, totes, Bryan Treser- clothing, tools, Sabah hadi- boxes, dolly, tires, gardening tools, bike, giant Pikachu, industrial sewing machine, Alicia Berta Melendez- bags, bicycles, boxes, desk, Autumn Vanderlinden- 4 bed house, Sheryl Boon- bags, clothes, box spring, soap bars, bed sheets, laundry, basket, vacuum, Stephanie Meneses- flat screen TV home furniture tools home entertainment and other miscellaneous items, Ken Larsen- lawn décor, baskets, containers, boxes, decorations, dolly, bike, chairs, China cabinet, gardening, dresser, pottery, tables, tools, chest, rugs, speakers, mattress, ladder, doors, Stacy Evans- Household items, Anthony Tipton- rims, arcade games, boxes, Natasha Castillo Madrid- bags, clothes, totes, luggage, bikes, car seats, Keith Fields- bags, boxes, shoes, toilet paper, vacuum, food sealer, printer, Enoch Chamberlain- suitcase, guitar, clothing, shoes, boxes, laundry baskets, bags, containers, tennis racquets, Steven Jones- household items, Robert Thomas- household items, Airis Salvatierra- furniture, mattress, boxes, sofa, cooler, 2 chairs, BBQ grill, night stands, big mirror, washer, dryer, bed frame, TV, Oledean Outlan- clothes, shoes, Jeremy Isturis- chair, couch, printer, TV, bags, boxes, skateboards, Mac monitor, art, rug, stormtrooper helmet, Damion Smith- table, machine, canopy, a lot of boxes, sofas, cooler, computer, Kathryn Brady- shelves, totes, boxes, games, sewing machine, mini fridge, fabric, Paul Kiefer- household items, Glenn Elderidge- mattress, box spring, chairs, TV stand, refrigerator, bedframe, Maria Josafat- household items,

The auction will be listed and advertised on www.storage treasures.com. Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.

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CITY OF CERRITOS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
NOTICE TO BIDDERS OF THE
CONSTRUCTION OF THE CERRITOS CENTER FOR
THE PERFORMING ARTS ROOF REPLACEMENT
PROJECT NO. 12706, BID NO. 1468-22

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Cerritos, County of Los Angeles, State of California, hereby invites sealed bids for the following project: **Project Identification: CONSTRUCTION OF THE CERRITOS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS ROOF REPLACEMENT, PROJECT NO. 12706, BID NO. 1468-22. Project Description:**The work or improvement to be performed generally consists of providing all labor, material tools and equipment necessary to reroof the Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts. Cerritos Center for Performing Arts is located at 12700 Center Court Drive, Cerritos, CA 90703, as specified in the Bid Sheet. **Mandatory, Pre-Bid Conference: 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 1, 2022, 12700 Center Court Drive, Cerritos, California. Bids will be opened: 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 20, 2022. Place of bid receipt:** The bid submission must be received in the Office of the City Clerk, First Floor, 18125 Bloomfield Avenue, Cerritos, CA 90703. Bids must be marked: **“CONSTRUCTION OF THE CERRITOS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS ROOF REPLACEMENT, PROJECT NO. 12706, BID NO. 1468-22.”** It is the responsibility of the bidder to ensure that the bid is received in the appropriate location by the deadline. Bids not received in the Office of the City Clerk by the deadline provided will not be considered. All Bids shall be made on the form furnished by the City and shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above-stated time in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Cerritos, City Hall. **Obtaining Contract Documents:** A set of Contract Documents, including plans and specifications may be purchased by contacting Cerritos Engineering Division at (562) 916-1219. The cost of the bid documents is \$10.00 (\$15.00 if mailing is requested). There will be no refund for return of the Contract Documents. Return of such documents is not required. Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security referred to in the Contract Documents and by a list of proposed subcontractors. Evidence of insurance, a Performance Bond, a Labor and Material Payment Bond, and Warranty Bond, as specified in the Contract Documents, will be required prior to execution of the contract. In accordance with Public Contract Code Section 22300, the bidder who is awarded the contract may substitute securities for retention money withheld by a public agency to ensure performance under the contract. The procedure and requirements for substituting said securities are set forth in Public Contract Code Section 22300, which is incorporated by this reference as set forth herein. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or portions thereof, or to waive any informality or irregularity in a bid to the extent allowed by law. No bid will be accepted from a contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division III of the California Business and Professions Code. The contractor must possess a license of the following classification at the time the contract is awarded (and must maintain this license classification through completion of the project): **“A”** and/or **“B”** and **“C-39.”** The bidder’s attention is also directed to Section 7028.15 of the Business and Professions Code for further reference. Only a contractor or subcontractor who currently is registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations (“DIR”) to bid on public works contracts in California, pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5, shall be permitted to submit or be listed on a bid. No bid shall be accepted, nor any contract or subcontract entered into, without proof of the contractor or subcontractor’s current registration to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1770, et seq., of the California Labor Code, the DIR has determined the general prevailing rate of wages and employer payments for health and welfare, vacations, pensions and similar proposes applicable to the work to be done. These rates shall be the minimum rates for this project. Copies of the prevailing wage rates are on file at City Hall, located at 18125 Bloomfield Avenue, Cerritos, California, 90703, and shall be available to any interested party upon request. In addition, rates may be obtained by visiting http://www.dir.ca.gov/OPRL/pwd/, calling the DIR, Division of Labor Statistics and Research’s Prevailing Wage Unit at (415) 703-4774, faxing the Prevailing Wage Unit at (415) 703-4771 or writing to DIR, Division of Labor Statistics and Research, Prevailing Wage Unit, P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA, 94142. The contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and the subcontractors under him, must pay not less than these rates for this area to all workers employed in the execution of the contract. The bidder’s attention is further directed to Section 9204 of the Public Contract Code regarding the claims resolution process for all public works projects. Any dispute or claim against the City under a public works project shall be processed in accordance with Section 9204 of the Public Contract Code and any other applicable law. By order of the City of Cerritos.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCO-HOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE (UCC Sec. 6101 et seq. and B & P 24073 et seq.)
Escrow No. 10326-JH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic bever-age license is about to be made. The name(s) and business address of the Sell-er(s)/Licensee(s) are: EMAD S KHALIL AND NADIA S FAHEEM - 19430 PIONEER BLVD, CERRITOS, CA 90703
Doing Business as: MS LIQUOR MARKET
All other business names(s) and ad-dress(es) used by the seller(s)/licensee(s) within the past three years, as stated by the Seller(s)/Licensee(s), is/are: NONE
The name(s) and business address of the Buyer(s)/Applicant(s) is/are: RAGHAV OHRI - 19430 PIONEER BLVD, CERRITOS, CA 90703
The assets being sold are generally de-scribed as: FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT, GOODWILL, LEASE, LEASE-HOLD IM-PROVEMENTS, INVENTORY, COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE and is/are located at: 19430 PIONEER BLVD, CERRI-TOS, CA 90703
The type of license to be transferred is/are: ABC 21-OFF-SALE GENERAL LICENSE #595334 now issued for the premises locat-ed at: SAME
The bulk sale and transfer of alcoholic bev-erage license(s) is/are intended to be con-summated at the office of: DETAIL ES-CROW, INC, 13737 ARTESIA BLVD, #105 CERRITOS, CA 90703 and the anticipated sale date is JULY 14, 2022
The Bulk sale subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2.
The purchase price of consideration in con-nection with the sale of the business and transfer of the license, is the sum of \$595,000.00, including inventory estimated at \$60,000.00, which consists of the follow-ing: DESCRIPTION, AMOUNT: CASH \$595,000.00; TOTAL \$595,000.00
It has been agreed between the Sell-er(s)/Licensee(s) and the intended Buy-er(s)/Transferee(s), as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions code, that the consideration for transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.
Dated:
EMAD S KHALIL AND NADIA S FAHEEM, Seller(s)/Licensee(s)
RAGHAV OHRI, Buyer(s)/Applicant(s)
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PARTIAL FRONT OF HOUSE, around the corner is the three car garage. 2nd picture is the backyard resort-style pool; 3rd picture is a massive kitchen with top-notch equipment and Italian tile; 4th picture is a fully packed wine cellar/humidor.

Does Solanki Live in Cerritos or Anaheim Hills? from page 1

any claim by Solanki that he lives in his home Cerritos.

The house boasts a huge kitchen with top-notch kitchen equipment worth hundreds of thousands, a state-of-the-art climate-controlled humidor and wine cellar, and bronze-coated bathrooms, complete with bronze-coated sinks.

Online title documents show that Solanki bought the Anaheim mansion for \$3.4 million in May 2016, immediately after being sworn in as a Cerritos City Council member.

And in another fact Solanki will have to explain, HMG-CN has obtained a picture of a wedding event involving Solanki's family, which shows the event was held at the Anaheim mansion.

When asked about wedding event, Solanki did not comment.

The revelation presents a number

of major concerns for Solanki, including legal issues, a recall movement, and most sticky, explaining how he describes the \$4 million-plus home as a second residence to angry Cerritos residents and constituents.

When asked for additional comment, Solanki finally answered, saying, "My son lives in [the] Anaheim house until I am ready to sell and buy another one. I bought that house to exchange - a 1031 exchange - home in Diamond Bar."

Is he telling the truth?

A check of title records by HMG-CN shows Solanki sold the Diamond Bar home in 2013 to Lo Kuie Lein and Su Tsung Chang.

He did not buy the Anaheim mansion until 2016, and bought it from the Fermanian Family Trust.



Rancho Halos Wheelchair Sports Program



THE RANCHO HALOS ranked high enough to compete in the 2022 Nationals.

By Tammye McDuff

Developed in 1987, the Rancho Wheelchair Sports Program allows Rancho patients to participate in competitive wheelchair sports activities.

Called the Rancho Halos, the wheelchair sports program is sponsored by Las Floristas and the Rancho Los Amigos Foundation. This year the Rancho Halos ranked high enough to compete in the 2022 Nationals in Kansas.

According to the Foundation, the team's hard work paid off, and the team

entered the Nationals placing eighth. The Halos won their first game 62 to 59 and then won against New Mexico 71 to 64. The third game was lost to Dallas, but this still allowed them to place fourth.

Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center treats some of the most complex rehabilitative cases in LA County, seeing nearly 4,000 inpatients and 85,000 outpatient visits annually.

For more information call 562.385.6322 or visit www.RanchoFoundation.org

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and territories to apply for \$1 billion under the new bipartisan infrastructure law to address PFAS and other contaminants in drinking water. Money can be used for technical assistance, water quality testing, contractor training and installation of centralized treatment, officials said.

Several states have set their own drinking water limits to address PFAS contamination that are far tougher than the federal guidance. The toxic industrial compounds are associated with serious health conditions, including cancer and reduced birth weight.

PFAS is short for per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, which are used in nonstick frying pans, water-repellent sports gear, stain-resistant rugs, cosmetics and countless other consumer products. The chemical bonds are so strong that they do not degrade or do so only slowly in the environment and remain in a person's bloodstream indefinitely.

The revised health guidelines are based on new science and consider lifetime exposure to the chemicals, the EPA said. Officials are no longer confident that PFAS levels allowed under the 2016 guidelines "do not have adverse health impacts," an EPA spokesman said.

While the new guidelines set acceptable risk below levels that can currently be measured, as a practical matter the EPA recommends that utilities take action against the chemicals when they reach levels that can be measured — currently about four parts per trillion, a senior administration official told reporters Tuesday night.

The EPA said it expects to propose national drinking water regulations for

PFOA and PFOS later this year, with a final rule expected in 2023.

The agency said the advisories provide technical information that federal, state and local agencies can use to address PFAS in drinking water, including water quality monitoring, use of filters and other technologies that reduce PFAS, and strategies to reduce exposure to the substances.

Environmental and public health groups hailed the announcement as a good first step. Advocates have long urged action on PFAS after thousands of communities detected PFAS chemicals in their water. PFAS chemicals have been confirmed at nearly 400 military installations and at least 200 million people in the United States are drinking water contaminated with PFAS, according to the Environmental Working Group, a research and advocacy organization.

Erik Olson, senior strategic director for health and food at the Natural Resources Defense Council, said "the science is clear: These chemicals are shockingly toxic at extremely low doses." He called on the EPA to regulate all PFAS chemicals "with enforceable standards as a single class of chemicals."

Melanie Benesh, legislative attorney for the Environmental Working Group, said EPA's announcement "should set off alarm bells for consumers and regulators" alike.

Legislation passed by the House would set a national drinking water standard for PFAS and direct the EPA to develop discharge limits for a range of industries suspected of releasing PFAS into the water. The bill has stalled in the Senate.

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to the LBGTQ movement.

In La Mirada, Andrew Sarega leads with a whopping 460 votes to Chris Pflanzner's has 424 votes.

Dem. Downey Mayor Blanca Pacheco will run against (R) Raul Ortiz, Jr. who tallied 10,956 to Pacheco's 8,660 in L.A.; Ortiz 3,862 to Pacheco's 1,018 in the OC.

In a bruising battle, Jay Chen beat

Michelle Steel in L.A. 4,917 (53%) to 3,768; in Red OC, Steel got 60,273 votes to Chen's 51,643. Steel 64,041, Chen 55,411.

Dem. Long Beach Mayor Robert Garcia 32,937 will be in a race with John Briscoe 19,003 in the 42nd District.

Rep. Linda Sanchez and Grace Napolitano won their seats handily.

Next update is tomorrow, Friday June 17 starting at 10 a.m.



Congrats!

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2022!

