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Libraries are thrilled to welcome back visitors

By Charlene Dizon

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Since the onset of the pandemic, library staff in Alameda and Santa Clara counties have put significant effort in ensuring that community members receive necessary services despite social distancing requirements. As the counties enter the moderate orange tier and more social restrictions are lifted, local libraries are ready to welcome the public back through gradual reopening.

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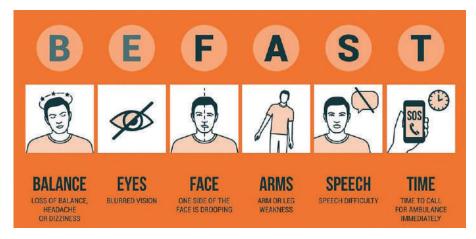
May is National Stroke Awareness Month

National Stroke Awareness Month is a good time to learn the symptoms of a stroke because calling 911 and getting fast treatment at the first signs of stroke can prevent brain damage or death. Stroke awareness takes on a whole new importance now, one year into the COVID-19 crisis. Two stroke experts offered sound advice for all adults on how to manage risk factors and mitigate the threat of stroke during the pandemic.

"We are currently seeing patients with stroke risk factors including high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and diabetes who became more sedentary during the pandemic and have avoided going to their doctor for fear of COVID-19," said Prabhjot S. Khalsa, MD, neurologist and Washington Hospital Stroke Program medical co-director. "I encourage people with underlying stroke risk factors to visit their primary care physician to closely monitor and treat their blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol, and other conditions."

Strokes, also called "brain attacks," happen when blood flow to part of the brain is cut off due to blocked arteries or when a blood vessel bursts causing bleeding in the brain. Stroke is a leading cause of death in the U.S. and the major cause of serious long-term disability. Awareness is so important because the majority of strokes are preventable with lifestyle changes and when addressed quickly, most are treatable.

An effective way to familiarize yourself with the signs of stroke is with the acronym, BE FAST. This guideline is a reminder that



timely treatment, and more specifically calling 911, is the key to saving someone's life or reducing their disabilities from stroke.

BE FAST stands for:

Balance – Is the person experiencing a sudden loss of balance or coordination?

Eyes – Is the person having a sudden change in vision or trouble seeing?

Face – Ask the person to smile. Does one side of the face droop?

Arms – Ask the person to raise both arms. Does one arm drift downward?

Speech – Ask the person to repeat a

simple phrase. Is their speech slurred or strange?

Time – If you observe any of these signs, call 911 immediately.

"During the pandemic, people experiencing stroke symptoms may have been reluctant to come to the Hospital out of concern they would be isolated from family and friends while visitation was restricted, but that is resolving now and one visitor is again being allowed," pointed out Stroke Program medical co-director Jack Rose, MD, who is board-certified in neurocritical care. "Actually, communications between patients, clinicians and family members are enhanced now that iPads and teleconferencing have become the new normal for patients admitted to the Hospital."

Washington Hospital is a certified Primary Stroke Center and the designated receiving center for strokes in Southern Alameda County. This means stroke patients receive the most current, high-quality care from the moment emergency medical services (EMS) responds through when they leave the Hospital and begin the recovery process. When EMS is en route to Washington Hospital with a stroke patient, they send in a 'Code Neuro' alert which sets in motion a multifunctional expert stroke response team ready to assess,

test, diagnose and treat that patient upon arrival.

Dr. Rose added, "We are as prepared and well-equipped as ever to receive patients with all levels of stroke. Members of our extensive stroke team are vaccinated and it is safe to come to the Hospital for doctor visits or emergent care."

Both Drs. Khalsa and Rose strongly recommend all community members, aged 16 and up get vaccinated against the virus. "COVID-19 can lead to stroke, heart and kidney disease and other devastating conditions. The vaccines are safe and effective for healthy individuals as well as those with underlying conditions," noted Dr. Khalsa.

As a Primary Stroke Center, Washington Hospital strives to educate the public through quarterly seminars and helps recovering stroke patients in monthly support groups. The next events include a free two-part Stroke Education Series that all community members are encouraged to attend. Part one: Stroke Prevention is being held on Tuesday, May 18, from 10 a.m. until noon. Part two: Life After A Stroke will be held Tuesday, May 25, from 10 a.m. until noon. These events will be held in the clinic conference room at the Washington Township Medical Foundation Danielson Clinic, 6236 Thornton Ave., Newark.

To reserve your spot for the Stroke Education Series seminars go online to www.whhs.com/events, or call 800.963.7070. To learn more about Washington Hospital's Stroke Program visit whhs.com/stroke.

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	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
	5/11/21	5/12/21	5/13/21	5/14/21	5/15/21	5/16/21	5/17/21
PM AM	Managing Diabetes During Challenging Times	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting April 14, 2021	Advanced Treaments for Knee Pain	Diabetes Matters: Glucose Monitoring	Ortho Overuse	The Signs and Symptoms of Sepsis	Gastrointestinal Disorders
PM	How to Prevent Financial Elder		Early Detection and Prevention of Female Cancers	Intro to Radiation Oncology Therapy	Injuries: Prevention and Treatment		
AM PM	Abuse/Fraud Mental Health Education Series: Mental Wellness From One Second to the Next			Solutions for Weight Management	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting April 14, 2021	Don't Let Hip Pain Win	Mental Health Education Series: Understanding Psychotic Disorders
M			Mental Health Education Series: Family Support 11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Patient's Playbook				
И				– Anxiety: Stop Negative Thoughts		Diabetes Matters: Diabetes & Eyes	
M M		Diabetes Matters: Dining Out Around The World				- Washington Township	Metabolic Disorders
1	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes Complications and Amputation	Preventive Care: What You Need To Know					
1	Learn the Latest Treatment Options for GERD	Updated Treatments for Knee Pain & Arthritis Women's Health Conference: Reclaiming Your Confidence	Mindful Healing	– Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting – April 14, 2021	Active Living: Yoga Exercises	Health Care District Board Meeting April 14, 2021	Keeping Your Heart on the Right Beat
I	Sports Medicine				Stress Management		
1	Program: Why Does My Shoulder Hurt?		Diabetes Matters: Asian Indian Cooking				Peripheral Vascular Disease: What You Need to Know
И	How To Stop Disease Before It Starts		Hernias: Causes Symptoms and the Latest Treatment Options		Aortic Valve Disease: Treatment Options Including TAVR	Diabetes Matters: Latin Foods	
M		Diabetes Matters: Asian Fusion	Women's Health: Planning for Pregnancy		Colon Cancer	Preventive Screenings: When and Why are They Important?	Chronic Kidney Disease: FAQ
M M		Advancements in Lung Cancer Detection and Treatment	Sidelined by Back Pain?	COVID-19: The Road Ahead	Suffer From Sinus Problems?	FB Live: Staying Fit While Working From Home Diabetes Matters:	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting April 14, 2021
VI		Healthy Gut, Healthy You	Get Back in the Game				
M M	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting		Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting April 14, 2021	Diabetes Matters: Filipino Food Made Healthy	Women's Health through	Diabetes Conversations	
M M	April 14, 2021	Keeping Your Brain Healthy			the Years: Screening is Key to Aging Well	How to Sleep Your Way	
M M				Food Pharmacy: Prescription for Colon Health	When Your Heart Needs A Little Help	to Better Health	
M M	Sick Feet? Healthy Eating:			Laugh without Leaking: Understanding Female Urinary Incontinence	Women's Health Conference: Quality of Life Before and After Cosmetic Surgery	Understanding HPV: What You Need to Know	Endometriosis: Causes, Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment
1		Hepatitis B and Liver Cancer: Prevention			Family Caregiver Series: Loss, Grief & Recovery	Diabetes Matters: Exercise IS Medicine	
M	Prescription for Health	and Treatment Shoulder Pain: Causes and Treatment Options FB Live: Maintaining Your Mental Wellness During the COVID-19 Pandemic	Strategies to Help Lower Your Cholesterol and Blood Pressure Fremont Bank Staying Healthy in 2021	Family Caregiver Series: Nutrition for the Caregiver	Inside Washington Hospital: Advanced Treatment of Aneurysms	Wound Care:	Diabetes Matters: Heart Healthy Eating
M	Family Caregiver Series: Understanding Healthcare Benefits Oh My Aching Feet! Recognizing Common Foot and Ankle Problems			Mental Health Education Series: Anxiety Disorders	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes and Your Heart	The Latest Treatment Options	
M					Interventional Radiology	Diabetes Matters:	Treating Neck and Bac Pain from Home
PM AM				2.03.4613	(IR) for Vascular Disease	Heart Healthy Foods & Diabetes	Diabetes Matters: Italian Foods
PM AM	Palliative Care, an Extra Layer of Support	Fall Prevention		FB Live: Noontime in the COVID-19 Kitchen	Women's Health: Depression, More Than a State of Mind	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes and Kidney Health	Family Caregiver Series Managing Family Dynamics in Caregiving





Walnuts are a type of tree nut that cause allergic reactions in some people.

Did you know just eight foods are responsible for 90% of all food allergies in this country? They include peanuts, eggs, milk, wheat, tree nuts, soy, fish and crustacean shellfish. In fact, these eight ingredients have special labeling requirements under the Food Allergen Labeling and Consumer Protection Act of 2004 because they pose such a serious risk to some people. This is Food Allergy Awareness Week (May 9-15), a good time to talk about food allergies and their impact on people's lives.

A food allergy is a medical condition wherein exposure to a particular food triggers a harmful immune response. This response, or allergic reaction, happens because the immune system attacks proteins in the food even though they are harmless, explained Lorie Roffelsen, a registered dietitian at Washington Hospital. More than 32 million people in the U.S. have a serious and potentially life-threatening food allergy, according to Food Allergy Research and Education (FARE).

Symptoms of an allergic reaction can be mild such as an itchy mouth or hives, to more severe like throat tightening or difficulty breathing. Roffelsen said the most serious reaction is anaphylaxis, which can occur within seconds of eating something you're allergic to. Your immune system releases a flood of chemicals that cause your blood pressure to drop suddenly and your airways to narrow, blocking breathing. Anaphylaxis requires an injection of epinephrine and if it isn't treated right away, it can be fatal.

While those eight food items cause the most serious problems when it comes to food allergies, FARE reports that more than 170 foods have been known to cause allergic reactions.

It Can Happen at Any Age

"We don't know what causes food allergies, but you can develop one at any age—even if you never had any problems eating that food before," Roffelsen added. "Sometimes kids outgrow their allergic reaction to milk and eggs, but they are less likely to outgrow an allergy to peanuts and tree nuts."

She said peanut allergies have become much more common in children, with many schools banning foods containing peanuts and tree nuts in school lunches. But now there are new guidelines set by the National Institute for Allergy and Infectious Disease for preventing peanut allergies from developing in kids.

"These new guidelines offer a step-by-step approach for safely introducing peanuts to high-risk infants at 4 to 6 months of age," Roffelsen said. "This is a paradigm shift." Discussions with your child's pediatrician can help determine if they are at high risk for developing a peanut allergy.

Part of Roffelsen's job is to make sure patients at Washington Hospital are protected from food allergies. Patients are asked if they are allergic to any foods when they are admitted to the Hospital.

She said nearly every food item in the Hospital kitchen has been reviewed for ingredients and coded in a sophisticated computer system, so that food allergens can be tracked. Menus are created for each patient taking into account their specific dietary needs, including any food allergies.

Allergy or Intolerance?

"We also do a lot of educating and talking to patients about their food allergies so we can understand exactly what they are experiencing when they eat certain foods," Roffelsen added. "For example, if a patient tells us milk causes diarrhea, but eating cheese does not, that's not a milk allergy. That's lactose intolerance, which is different. The goal is to provide a safe food

tray, and to give patients as many food options as possible. An allergy takes a lot of things off the menu, but a food intolerance might not."

It's very common for people to think they have a food allergy when really it's something else. If you have a true food allergy, no amount of that food is safe to eat. "You have to completely avoid that food because repeated exposure can make the allergy worse," Roffelsen explained. "The immune response may become more and more severe with each exposure."

She encourages anyone who thinks they have a food allergy to see a board-certified allergist to determine if they really are allergic to certain foods or if they have a food intolerance.

"You may find you don't need to eliminate that food completely," she added. "But if you do have a food allergy, it could be serious."

To learn more about the nutrition services offered by Washington Hospital, visit www.whhs.com/Services/Clinical-Services/Outpatient-Nutrition. To find a local allergist, visit www.whhs.com/Find-Your-Physician.



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Music, Humor, and Drama



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A virtual celebration of music, humor, and drama is on tap Friday, May 14 and Saturday, May 15 when Ohlone College's Department of Theatre and Dance holds its seventh annual Playwrights Festival.

The festival premieres thought-provoking, humorous, and entertaining 10-minute plays and musicals written by professional and emerging playwrights and composers around the country. Some of the themes explored in this year's plays deal with attraction, friendship, family, creativity, self-awareness, change, greed, the environment, guilt, racism, and accountability.

"We started this festival to promote and cultivate new plays that will engage and speak directly to a younger audience. It's great to see a



strong interest in this endeavor," said Producing Director Michael Navarra, of the festival and an Ohlone College faculty member. "It's an exciting production and sells out each year receiving rave reviews."

Many of the playwrights and composers have been published and have had their work produced Off Broadway and at regional theatres, such as Berkeley Repertory Theatre, San Francisco Playhouse, San Diego Repertory Theatre, Marin Theatre Company, La Mama, Geva Theatre Center, Ensemble Studio Theatre, Manhattan Theatre Source, The Flea Theater, Actors Theatre of Louisville, The Eugene O'Neill Theatre Center, and Metropolitan Playhouse.

This year's festival will include two Ohlone student playwrights and composers, David Kautz and Manase Misa, who are also directing and acting in the company. Student Repertory Theatre Company, a class of student directors, producers, actors, and designers at Ohlone, is producing the Ohlone Playwrights Festival, which is being shown online due to COVID-19 regulations.

The festival was inspired by the need to create original material to engage college students and audiences and to reconnect this demographic with live theatre. Playwrights Festival asks playwrights to write directly for the student actors and directors in the class. They are sent videos of their actors being interviewed by the directors, along with several themes the students were interested in. Playwrights then had a month to write their plays with these student actors and themes in mind.

The selected plays and musicals are:

- The Bojiff Dodang Show by David Kautz (Book, Music and Lyrics) and Nick Saud (Music and Lyrics); Directed by Haiden Grushkin
- Lola Cooked Our Food by Jeffrey Lo; Directed by Sarah Elizondo
- Opposites Attract by Manase Misa; Directed by Lilian Mangrobang
- Mess by Philana Imade Omorotionmwan; Directed by Manuel Muñoz
- To the North Star by Jordan Ramirez Puckett; Directed by Manase Misa
- Slaying Demons by Jacob Marx Rice; Directed by Leah Robertson
- Hopes and Dreams Incorporated by Mercedes Segesvary; Directed by Gillian Bong
- MI6 Budget Report by Max Tachis; Directed by Rebecca Twyman
- Enemy by Peter Tamaribuchi; Directed by Yorick Moran

The festival is free, and viewers can access it via a weblink. For more information, including when the weblink will be available, visit the Playwrights Festival webpage at www.ohlone.edu/playwrights.

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The initial lockdown and subsequent social distancing were jarring for both the community and library staff. Hayward Director of Library Services Jayanti Addleman states, "The beginning was certainly a shock. Typically, when a disaster happens, our first goal is to get the materials into the hands of the public. However, with the pandemic, it was the opposite with an unfortunate panic that the books might be carriers of the virus." Regardless of these circumstances, library staff knew what patrons wanted and immediately began planning to make

books can do so with contactless pickup. Borrowers can search and select books on the library's website, place a hold, and pick them up when available with no in-person contact necessary. Alternatively, eBooks are also available for those who wish to read from the safety of their homes. A book bundle service, which includes additional items selected by a librarian based on the reader's genre interest and age, has been used at both the Alameda County and Hayward Libraries. Alameda County Library Division Director Ben Gomberg explains, "Because people could not browse



materials available safely. This required transitioning in-person services to focus on online accessibility for checking out books and learning programs.

The process of borrowing books has undergone considerable but straightforward alteration. Those who wish to check out

books, we thought of a way to replace that serendipitous feeling of discovering new titles. With the book bundle service, we have reached the point of packing 100 bundles daily, and we have given a total of over 30,000. People love being surprised and we love giving our librarians that opportunity to be creative."



In-person learning programs have also moved to virtual meetings. A County Reads program was held, along with speaker series, storytimes, reading clubs, homework centers, online readathons, and discussion groups. eBooks and other electronic subscription services were also increased. For community members who lack access to electronic devices, additional lending opportunities were created. "We partnered with schools to get devices into the hands of students," Addleman explains. "The Tech Lending library was a huge impact for students most in need. Because distance learning requires computers full-time, we allowed these items to be checked out for the entire school year." These adaptations have granted libraries the ability to continue serving the community.

The most consequential change still to come is gradually reopening libraries. Visitors can now enter libraries and spend a limited amount of time indoors, with limited occupancy and hours. Masks must also be worn at all times by anyone over the age of two, and social distancing will be maintained per COVID-19 public health guidance. In the Alameda County system, Albany, Castro Valley, Centerville, Dublin, Fremont, San Lorenzo, and Union City Libraries started participating in a hybrid reopening model as early as March 22. Milpitas instituted limited opening as well. Exceptions include Newark Library due to construction, as well as Irvington and Niles Library due to limited space. In Hayward, the Downtown branch is welcoming walkin visitors as of May 3. "Visitors can browse shelves, use computers, print, check out books, and ask reference questions. We will have two-hour walk-in sessions. Computer

use is limited to one hour," Addleman states. Though services are limited, libraries are carefully working towards full reopening and higher occupancy.

Gradual library re-opening assesses not only the safety and comfort of the community but space adjustment and repurposing. Due to the initial in-person closure, additional materials have had to be stored inside and therefore decreased the amount of space usable by the public. In-person programs and community meeting spaces are still inaccessible until further notice. "Meeting spaces sometimes work as double duty space for extra materials or staging pickup services. Staff may have to continue working in the study rooms. In the meantime, we are looking into possible outdoor activities as summer comes, ensuring they are safe, functional, and accessible," Gomberg states.

Patience and prioritizing the welfare of the community have been key to the remarkable leadership and flexibility of library staff. Community members reentering the library after a year has been fulfilling for librarians to witness. "When people first walk in, we can see their smiles even under their masks. It feels like a weight has been lifted and we have received many words of appreciation. We recognize this has been a transitional time and are always focused on how to serve more community members," Gomberg says. Libraries are thrilled to welcome back visitors and remain dedicated to providing necessary services to those in need.



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Ohlone College's annual commencement ceremony will take place Friday, May 21. The college is taking an in-person and virtual approach to this year's celebrations.

Two live-streamed, drive-thru ceremonies for graduates will take place on the Ohlone College Fremont campus, with full of sideline cheers from faculty and staff. Over 250 graduates will be driving through to celebrate this momentous occasion and will have the opportunity to step out of their vehicles for a socially distanced photo-op with Ohlone College Superintendent/President Dr. Eric Bishop. To create a safe environment for all, the celebration is limited to only one vehicle per graduate. For family and friends who would like to view the event, live streaming will be available via www.ustream.tv/ohlonecollegetv.

Following the drive-thru ceremonies, the graduates can access a virtual ceremony, which will include speeches from Dr. Bishop, featured graduation speakers, the conferring of degrees, and a roll call of graduate slides. The link to the online virtual ceremony will be posted on https://www.ohlone.edu/graduation.

"Graduation is always my favorite day of the year because it reminds us of how important the work we do is and why we do it," says Dr. Bishop. "This year is especially significant because students have had to overcome so much to get to where they are today—having had to deal with the challenges of the pandemic and adjusting to an online, virtual learning environment hasn't been easy. So, I hope this year's graduating class is extra proud of their achievements."

Ohlone College Commencement Ceremony Friday, May 21

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California trucks salmon to Pacific; low river levels blamed

AP WIRE SERVICE

California officials will again truck millions of young salmon raised at fish hatcheries in the state's Central Valley agricultural region to the Pacific Ocean because projected river conditions show that the waterways the fish use to travel downstream will be historically low and warm due to increasing drought.

Officials announced the massive trucking operation on Wednesday, saying the effort is aimed at ensuring "the highest level of survival for the young salmon on their hazardous journey to the Pacific Ocean."

"rucking young salmon to downstream release sites has proven to be one of the best ways to increase survival to the ocean during dry conditions," Jason Julienne, North Central Region Hatchery Supervisor said in a statement.

California is now in its second year of drought after a winter with little precipitation and it's the state's fourth-driest year on record, especially in the northern two-thirds of the state, according to the California Department of Water Resources.

Illustrating the state's risk of drought, record low reservoir levels led Gov. Gavin Newsom last week to proclaim a regional drought emergency for the Russian River watershed in Sonoma and Mendocino counties.

More than 16.8 million young salmon from four Central Valley hatcheries will be trucked to coastal

sites around the San Pablo, San Francisco, Half Moon and Monterey bays.

Getting the fish transported means taking about 146 truckloads to the Pacific Ocean from four state hatcheries and federal officials will do the same from one hatchery, the San Francisco Chronicle reported.

California's iconic native Chinook Salmon need cold water to survive but dams have blocked their historic retreats to the chilly upper reaches of Northern California's Sacramento River tributaries.

The fishing industry and Central Valley farmers are in a constant struggle over the same river water to sustain their livelihoods, with fish supporters lobbying for higher river water levels and farmers against it so that so they can draw water to irrigate crops.

John McManus, president of the Golden State Salmon Association, which advocates for fishers, told the Chronicle he appreciates the extra effort to save the fall-run chinook amid the drought.

But he said the underlying problem for salmon is that state and federal water officials have allowed too much water to be pulled from rivers and creeks for agricultural irrigation.

"These river conditions are made worse by decisions that put salmon last," he told the San Francisco Chronicle.

Protect Our Elders

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF UNION CITY

The newly formed Racial Justice Committee of the New Haven Teachers Association was established to promote racial justice throughout the community with a direct focus on k-12 students, their parents, and NHTA members in NHUSD. The RJC is co-hosting an upcoming event, called Protect our Elders, designed to pass out safety kits to elder members of the Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) community.

This event will take place on May 15, 11 a.m. -4 p.m. at Birdhaus Beer Garden (3821 Smith St). Safety items needed include: Small flashlights, whistles, bungee coil key rings, personal alarms, pepper spray. Drop off locations include: Lion's Mane Barbershop, the front office of Logan High School, and the front office of Alvarado Elementary.

For more information, contact Joe Ku'e Angeles at 510.363.1790.

76,000 California inmates now eligible for earlier releases

By Don Thompson Associated Press

California is giving 76,000 inmates, including violent and repeat felons, the opportunity to leave prison earlier as the state aims to further trim the population of what once was the nation's largest state correctional system.

More than 63,000 inmates convicted of violent crimes will be eligible for good behavior credits that shorten their sentences by one-third instead of the one-fifth that had been in place since 2017. That includes nearly 20,000 inmates who are serving life sentences with the possibility of parole.

The new rules take effect Saturday, but it will be months or years before any inmates go free earlier. Corrections officials say the goal is to reward inmates who better themselves while critics said the move will endanger the public.

Under the change, more than 10,000 prisoners convicted of a second serious but nonviolent offense under the state's "three strikes" law will be eligible for release after serving half their sentences. That is an increase from the current time-served credit of one-third of their sentence.

The same increased release time will apply to nearly 2,900 nonviolent third strikers, the corrections department projected.

Also as of Saturday, all minimum-security inmates in work camps, including those in firefighting camps, will be eligible for the same month of earlier release for every month they spend in the camp, regardless of the severity of their crime.

The changes were approved this week by the state Office of Administrative Law.

"The goal is to increase incentives for the incarcerated population to practice good behavior and follow the rules while serving their time, and participate in rehabilitative and educational programs, which will lead to safer prisons," department spokeswoman Dana Simas said in a statement.

"Additionally, these changes would help to reduce the prison population by allowing incarcerated persons to earn their way home sooner," she said.

Simas provided the emergency regulations and estimates of how many inmates they will affect at the request of The Associated Press.

Simas said the department was granted authority to make the changes through the rulemaking process and under the current budget. By making them "emergency regulations" the agency could impose the new rules without public comment.

The department now must submit permanent regulations next year. They will be considered a

public hearing and opportunity for public comment.

Kent Scheidegger, legal director of the Criminal Justice Legal Foundation that represents crime victims, said the notion that the credits are for good behavior is a misnomer.

"You don't have to be good to get good time credits. People who lose good time credits for misconduct get them back, they don't stay gone," he said. "They could be a useful device for managing the population if they had more teeth in them. But they don't. They are in reality just a giveaway."

Republican state Sen. Jim Nielsen, who once headed the state parole board, criticized Gov. Gavin Newsom's administration for unilaterally deciding to make the changes.

"He's doing it on his own authority, instead of the will of the people through their elected representatives or directly through their own votes," Nielsen said. "This is what I call Newsom's time off for bad behavior. He's putting us all at greater risk and there seems to be no end to the degree to which he wants to do that."

California has been under court orders to reduce a prison population that peaked at 160,000 in 2006 and saw inmates being housed in gymnasiums and activity rooms. In 2011, the U.S. Supreme Court backed federal judges' requirement that the state reduce overcrowding.

The population has been declining since the high court's decision, starting when the state began keeping lower-level felons in county jails instead of state prisons. In 2014, voters reduced penalties for property and drug crimes. Two years later, voters approved allowing earlier parole for most inmates.

Before the pandemic hit, the population had dropped to 117,00 inmates. In the last year, 21,000 more have left state prisons – with about half being held temporarily in county jails.

Meantime, officials announced in mid-April that they will close a second prison as a result of the dwindling population, fulfilling a promise made by Newsom. California Correctional Center in Susanville will close by July 2022. Officials announced last fall that Deuel Vocational Institution in Tracy, east of San Francisco, will close by this October.

Many Democratic lawmakers and advocacy groups have been calling for further releases or shorter sentences. Californians United for a Responsible Budget, for instance, earlier in April said the state should shutter at least 10 more of its 35 prisons.

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SpaceX launches, lands Starship in 1st successful flight

By Marcia Dunn AP Aerospace Writer

SpaceX launched and successfully landed its futuristic Starship on Wednesday, finally nailing a test flight of the rocketship that Elon Musk intends to use to land astronauts on the moon and send people to Mars.

The previous four tests flights ended in fiery explosions before, during or soon after touchdown at the southeastern tip of Texas, near Brownsville.

This latest upgraded version of SpaceX's full-scale, stainless steel, bullet-shaped rocketship soared more than 6 miles (10 kilometers) over the Gulf of Mexico before flipping and descending horizontally, and then going vertical again just in time for touchdown.

"Starbase Flight Control has confirmed, as you can see on the live video, we are down. The Starship has landed!" announced launch commentator John Insprucker.

A fire at the base of the 160-foot (50-meter) rocket quickly was extinguished, and the rocket remained standing after the six-minute flight. Musk tweeted the landing was ``nominal'' – by the book,

Success came on the 60th anniversary of the flight of first American in space, Alan Shepard. And it capped a stunning two weeks of achievements for

SpaceX: the launch of four more astronauts to the space station for NASA, the nation's first nighttime crew splashdown since the Apollo moonshots, and a pair of launches for its mini internet satellites.

Less than a month ago, NASA chose SpaceX's Starship to deliver astronauts to the lunar surface in the next few years. The \$3 billion contract was halted last week, however, after the losing companies – Jeff Bezos' Blue Origin and Dynetics – protested the selection.

Musk said last month that the NASA money will help development of Starship, which is meant to eventually launch atop a Super Heavy booster. He said it has been a ``pretty expensive'' project so far and mostly funded internally. The first high-altitude test was in December.

"As you can tell, if you have been watching the videos, we have blown up a few of them. So, excitement guaranteed, one way or another," Musk told reporters after the private company's second crew flight on April 23.

Long after Wednesday's touchdown, Starship was still standing tall.

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Fuchsia Fancies

By PAT KITE

I am a fuchsia addict. I have told myself a bazillion times not to buy any more fuchsias. My narrow yard is overfull. Regardless, I have just ordered three more fuchsias. One is short and bushy; one has yellowish leaves; and the other one, a Regia, is supposed to be a vine-like scramble. Just the thought is exciting. There are thousands of fuchsia varieties some with teeny flowers, such as thymifolia; some with double ruffled flowers, like ballerinas with exotic tutus. Colors galore: pink, purple, red, lavender, white, combinations.

Fuchias got their moniker from botanist Dr. Leonhard Fuchs. They are mostly from Central and South America, coming to Britain in the 1700s. The original exotic import, Magellanica, was divided via multiple cuttings. By 1840, courtesy of hybridization, fuchsias grew everywhere including homes where people left openings in their decorative exterior fuchsia collection for window placement.

Just a few years ago, fuchsias began having a bad reputation because of something called gall mite. These almost invisible insects sucked the plants' life-giving sap, causing distorted leaves. Nothing would get rid of them. But the hybridizers got to work. Nowadays most fuchsias are "gall mite resistant." Some are labeled this way, and I usually check it out.

You can try growing fuchsias indoors, although I have not succeeded at this. They do need

ample light and cannot be bombarded with house heat. However, it is worth a try. Many fuchsias do splendidly in hanging baskets. I have not succeeded at this either, as hanging baskets dry out quickly, and I forget to water. Fuchsias do need moisture.

In the past, I used to just dig a nice biggish hole in the ground, add a batch of commercial potting soil, water - and anticipate. However, since I am always moving stuff around, I now put my fuchsias in large cheap pots (about \$20) with drainage holes. Sometimes more sun in another area can be beneficial. For example, I recently moved a fuchsia from a semishady area to a semi-sunny one, and within a month, it expanded to almost five feet high. Yes, despite publicity, fuchsias do need some sun in our area. You must

water to keep soil slightly moist (do not drown), and occasionally add fertilizer.

As a note, the American Fuchsia Society recommends about a week's wait when you bring a fuchsia home, so it gets used to your garden ambiance. If you like a fuchsia in someone's garden, ask if you can have a piece. When home, keep the stem, take off lower leaves, leaving nodes or bumps, and immerse in a semi-sun pot of potting soil where you will remember to water.

Hummingbirds visit my fuchsias most of the day. I have also read that fuchsias provide fairies with a favorite hiding place and... fuchsias are so pretty.

What more can anybody want in post-COVID springtime?

Pat Kite's Garden



PAT KITE

L. Patricia [Pat] Kite's several garden books include KISS Guide to Gardening, Gardening Wizardry for Kids, Raccoons, Ladybug Facts and Folklore and Silkworms. They may be found at Amazon.com and Alibris.com.

Rotary Clubs Help India's COVID-19 Crisis

SUBMITTED BY MARGUERITE PADOVANI

Rotary District 5170, which includes clubs in Alameda, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, and San Benito counties, has partnered with major organizations to support India's COVID-19 crisis. Rotary District 5170 is part of Rotary International, dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges.

"India is experiencing a huge surge in COVID-19 cases," said Ramesh Hariharan, past district governor 5170. "This has resulted in overwhelming the country's hospitals and led to thousands of people dying. India has also experienced a massive shortage of oxygen, and the administration is struggling to vaccinate people amid this surge. Let us do our part to help India through this unprecedented crisis, he added.

Among Rotary District 5170 clubs that have initiated efforts:

Rotary Club of Santa Cruz Sunrise with American Red Cross

The Red Cross in coordination with the Indian Government and the support of the global

Red Cross network is:

- Coordinating with the Ministry of Health to support Indian Red Cross branches with medical facilities with the provision of oxygen cylinders, oxygen concentrators, and COVID-19 prevention kits. The procurement of medical supplies is being supported by the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC).
- Mobilizing additional ambulances, blood services as well as 24/7 helpline services.
- Scaling up the risk communication and awareness campaigns across the country to address misinformation on COVID/immunization.
- Procuring and distributing hygiene kits, masks, sanitizers/soaps to the vulnerable populations as well as front line Red Cross staff and volunteers.

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Rotary Club of Silicon Andhra Silicon Andhra Sanjivani Hospital in serving rural populations. The hospital needs oxygen cylinders and other related equipment to provide life support to COVID-19 patients. **Link to Donate:**

Kuchipudi, India, is a nonprofit hospital

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Rotary Club of Cupertino

Together with Rotary e-club of SV Smart Village and Pratham USA (https://prathamusa.org), Rotary Club of Cupertino is supporting a global grant for an oxygen generator in New Delhi.

Pratham has established the Pratham Covid Relief Fund. Their plan includes:

- Securing and delivering oxygen concentrators as well as rapid tests, vaccines, and personal protective equipment (PPE) to hospitals and care centers in India.
- and care centers in India.
 Exploring the conversion of Pratham vocational training centers and district offices into alternate facilities for COVID-19 treat-
- Coordinating field response teams to aid in the distribution of supplies and ensuring relevant and timely dissemination of accurate information in regional languages.

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Contact: Alysa Sakkas, asakkas@gmail.com; www.cupertinorotary.org

Rotary Club of Silicon Valley for Global Impact

Rotary Club of Silicon Valley for Global Impact, with its members from Overseas Volunteer for Better India (OVBI) and the International Association for Human Values (IAHV), is stepping up relief efforts providing much-needed oxygen cylinders and oxygen concentrators to people in need across the country. Since there is low availability of hospital beds for critically impacted patients, providing much-needed supplies to those who are home quarantined is the only means to aid in their survival and treatment while staying at home.

Link to Donate: http://tiny.cc/OVBICovidRelief

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New HR director named in Hayward

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF HAYWARD

Hayward officials have named Jana Sangy as the city's new Human Resources Director. In a statement released May 4, Hayward City Manager Kelly McAdoo said, "I am thrilled to have Jana join the city's leadership team and know she will bring a strong skill set and excellent background and perspective to our public-serving organization."

Sangy comes to Hayward from Seattle, Washington, where she served as Director of Labor Relations. In her capacity there, she led all labor relations and negotiations for the city and its 13,000 employees. She will start her new job in Hayward on May 24.

Earlier in her career, Sangy worked in California as Regional Director of Labor Relations for the Associated General Contractors of California, as Director of Human Resources at Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local Chapter 2015, and as Director of Human Resources at the SEIU National Industry Pension Fund. She also worked in Washington, D.C. as Director of Human Resources for the Economic Policy Institute.

Sangy holds a Bachelor's degree in Psychology and Juris Doctorate from the Unversidade Estacio de Sa in Brazil, and is fluent in English, Spanish, and Portuguese.

CDC sets rules for trial cruises with volunteer passengers

AP WIRE SERVICE

Cruise lines can soon begin trial voyages in U.S. waters with volunteer passengers helping test whether the ships can sail safely during a pandemic.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention gave ship operators final technical guidelines Wednesday for the trial runs. The CDC action is a step toward resuming cruises in U.S. waters, possibly by July, for the first time since March 2020.

A spokeswoman for the cruise industry's tour group said the group was reviewing the CDC instructions.

Each practice cruise – they will run two to seven days – must have enough passengers to meet at least 10% of the ship's capacity. Volunteers must be 18 or older and either fully vaccinated or free of medical conditions that would put them at high risk for severe COVID-19.

The ship operator must tell passengers that they are simulating untested safety measures "and that sailing during a pandemic is an inherently risky activity," the CDC guidelines state.

Passengers must be examined for COVID-19 symptoms before and after the trip, and at least 75% must be tested at the end.

Restrictions on board will include face masks and social distancing. The CDC will allow guided shore excursions – no wandering about on their own – if tour operators follow certain standards.

Ships must make at least one practice run before resuming regular cruises in U.S. waters, although operators will be able to avoid the requirement if they vouch that 98% of crew and 95% of passengers are vaccinated.

Google says 20% of workers will be remote, many more hybrid

AP WIRE SERVICE

Google says it expects about 20% of its workforce to still work remotely after its offices reopen this fall, while some 60% will work a hybrid schedule that includes about three days in the office and two days "wherever they work best."

The remaining 20% can change their location to a different Google office. The policy announced Wednesday relaxes the company's stricter earlier stance.

"The future of work is flexibility," CEO Sundar Pichai wrote in an email to employees that was also posted on Google's website. "The changes above are a starting point to help us do our very best work and have fun doing it."

Most of Google's 135,000 employees can continue to work from home through September of this year.

For up to 20 days per year, Google employees will also be able to work

from any location other than their main office. That is up from a previous allotment of 10 days.

The company based in Mountain View, California, will also continue offering extra "reset" days – days off to help cope with the pandemic.

Google was among the first major technology companies last year to tell its employees to work from home at the onset of the pandemic. Other tech giants, such as Facebook and Twitter, have announced that people can work from home permanently after the pandemic if their jobs allow for it.

Bid to end 'spousal rape' distinction stalls in California

AP WIRE SERVICE

Efforts to end what California lawmakers call an archaic distinction between spousal rape and other forms of sexual assault appear to have stalled for the year.

The two measures would have ended the spousal rape exception in the state's criminal code, meaning that the rape of a spouse would be treated and punished the same as the rape of a non-spouse.

California is one of 11 states that distinguish between spousal rape and other forms of sexual

Neither bill received a committee hearing before last week's deadline.

Sen. Dave Cortese pulled his legislation because the Senate Public Safety Committee proposed amendments that advocates felt would contradict its intent. He turned his measure into a two-year bill, saying he and supporters will work on the language before moving forward next year.

His fellow Democrats, Assembly members Cristina Garcia and and Evan Low, objected Monday to their version of the bill not getting a hearing in that chamber's public safety committee

They called for a hearing even though the deadline has passed. They were backed by California NOW, a gender equity organization, and four progressive district attorneys, including those in Los Angeles and San Francisco.

"Not providing AB 812 a hearing directly contradicts the urgency to modernize our penal code to be line with our values and make clear that no means no," Garcia said in a statement. "Current spousal rape statutes say that in California, a marriage license allows a spouse to violate both the body and the dignity of a non-consenting spouse with minimal accountability."

The committee's chairman, Assemblyman Reggie Jones-Sawyer, also a Democrat, did not respond to a request for comment.

San Leandro names new City Manager

SUBMITTED BY PAUL SANFTNER

After several months serving as interim City Manager for the City of San Leandro, Fran Robustelli has now taken a permanent seat at the city's executive table. At its May 3 meeting, the City Council voted to approve Robustelli's contract as the city's permanent city manager. She started the job May 4.

For the past 25 years, Robustelli has served in executive roles with special districts and various city governments. With previous specialization in human resources, Robustelli is also skilled in a wide range of other city service areas, including economic development, budget and risk management, and emergency services.

"Ms. Robustelli took charge of the City Manager position amid the coronavirus pandemic, calls for police reform, budget shortfalls, and City Council leadership changes," said San Leandro Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter. "I'm thrilled that we hired someone who is so well prepared to be our city manager. This selection also highlights the city's diversity goals as Fran is the first female permanent city manager in our community's history.'

After learning she got the job, Robustelli said, "The previous months in San Leandro have been



one of the busiest times in my public sector career. However, I'm thankful to be entrusted with this permanent role so that I can continue to support Mayor Cutter and the City Council in the various projects and challenges they will address in 2021 and into the future."

Google gets into sleep surveillance with new Nest Hub screen

By MICHAEL LIEDTKE AP TECHNOLOGY WRITER

Google's next internet-connected home device will test whether consumers trust the company enough to let it snoop on their sleep.

New sleep-sensing technology will be a key feature on Google's latest version of its Nest Hub, a 7-inch smart screen unveiled Tuesday. Like the previous generation, the \$100 Nest Hub can display pictures and video in addition to fielding questions and handling household tasks through Google's voice-activated assistant. It also doesn't feature a

But the latest Nest Hub's new trick may help differentiate it from similar devices, such as Amazon's Echo Show, while also providing a springboard for Google to get more involved in helping people manage their health.

If you allow it, the device will also monitor your sleeping patterns from your bedside, negating the need to wear a fitness device or any other potentially bothersome gadget in bed. The feature, which Google intends to offer for free through at least this year, relies on a new chip Google calls Soli, which uses radar to detect motion, including the depth of a person's breathing.

The Nest Hub is supposed to generate weekly sleep reports with easy-to-understand breakdowns on the length and quality of sleep, how frequently the user gets up at night and snoring and coughing frequency, along with tips developed in consultation with the American Academy of Sleep Medicine.

Google says it honed the technology by studying 15,000 sleeping people over a combined 110,000 nights.

That kind of help may sound appealing to the millions of people who have trouble sleeping. But the feature may also raise privacy concerns - especially

given Google's long history of online surveillance to collect personal details such as interests, habits and whereabouts to help sell the digital ads that generate most of its revenue.

It also underscores Google's obvious intent to extend its tentacles into new areas of people's lives in its relentless quest to make more money, said Jeff Chester, executive director of the Center for Digital Democracy, a consumer and privacy rights group.

"Google's goal is to monetize every cell of your body," Chester said.

The sleep sensing feature will remain free through the rest of this year, but Google could eventually sell it as a subscription service, acknowledged Ashton Udall, Google Nest's senior product manager.

The company may also eventually tweak the feature to work with its FitBit line of fitness devices, which Google took over in January. That \$2.1 billion purchase has raised concerns that Google could use those gadgets to peer more deeply into people's personal health.

Google is emphasizing the privacy protections built into the sleep sensing feature. For starters, users will have to turn it on themselves. The Nest Hub will also have controls that Google says will make it clear when sleep tracking is on and to make it easy to delete data from the device.

All audio will be kept on the device, meaning it won't be sent to Google's data centers, although other sleep information will be provided to generate the analysis and reports. None of the information collected through the sleep sensing feature will be used to sell ads, Udall said.

But Chester is skeptical about that pledge. Knowing an individual's sleeping patterns, for instance, could help Google know when a person is feeling anxious or sick, Chester said, and those insights could influence which ads to show.

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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns

Kid Scoop Together:

Have a friend give you each type of word to fill in the blanks. Then read the story aloud!

Pecos Bill once traveled to

NAME OF STATE

NOUN People came from miles around

ADJECTIVE

Bill picked up a huge stack of

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and some PLURAL NOUN

and got to PLURAL NOUN right to work. Widowmaker

carried ADJECTIVE

PLURAL NOUN

At lunchtime, Pecos Bill poured

and black PLURAL NOUN pepper on his chili. Suddenly, he

felt a sneeze coming on, so everyone began to _

Pecos Bill sneezed so hard that

ended up in PLURAL NOUN

NAME OF STATE Houses rolled like tumbleweeds,

and a large NOUN landed in a NOUN

It took Pecos Bill more than a

VERB back to where it belonged.

Standards Link: Grammar: Use nouns, understand the meaning of words from

kid Scoo-doku

Complete the grid by using all the letters in the word PECOS in each vertical and horizontal row. Each letter should only be used once in each row. Some spaces have been filled in for you.

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Kid Scoop

This week's word: **OUTRAGEOUS**

The adjective outrageous means going far beyond what is correct or true.

Tall tales contain outrageous characters and details.

Try to use the word outrageous in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family members.

Lesson Library

Action Language

Read today's newspaper and highlight each of the following examples of active writing:

- A sentence that commands or directs action
- One or more exciting verbs The shortest sentence you can find
- Standards Link: Grammar: Identify different kinds of sentences



write un! 🐗

Write about a special day or a special experience you had with your mom (or a special lady in your life).

The Fremont CONNECTION













Part-Time Job Opportunities



The Recreation Services Division is hiring! If you're a motivated individual seeking an exciting summer job, this is an excellent opportunity to make a difference. Whether you are looking to supplement your income or strengthen your college applications or resume, these positions help you gain valuable experience, develop critical skills, and create lasting friendships. Hours are flexible with day, evening, and weekend shifts available, making it a great opportunity for college-bound students, future educators, and all-around dedicated individuals. Apply today online at www.fremont.gov/RecJobs or call 510-494-4327.

Summer Camps



Get ready for a fun and safe adventure this summer with the City of Fremont! The Recreation Services Division is offering Summer Camps for the 2021 season. Campers will participate in activities and outdoor play keeping children engaged during the summer break. We've got a variety of in-person and virtual camps. Some of our camp locations offer extended care to help with full day coverage. Registration is available online at www.RegeRec.com. So, don't delay and enjoy the summer knowing your kids are safe, engaged, and active. We'll see you in camp! For more information about our camps visit our website at www.fremont.gov/SummerCamps or call 510-494-4300.

Home Match



Looking for housing in the Tri-City Area? Or looking for a housemate? There are many benefits that come with home sharing. As a community-based approach to affordable housing, Home Match builds resilient connections between homemates, thereby increasing housing stability for all. Home Match is a free nonprofit home sharing program offered throughout the Tri-City Area in partnership with Covia, an affiliate of Front Porch, and the City of Fremont.

Home Match introduces compatible matches based on lifestyle, budget, and interests, and individually guides people through the home-sharing process, up through and after move-in day. If you are interested in home sharing, please send an email to info@coviahomematch.org or call 510-574-2173.

Fremont Housing Navigation Center Shares Successful Six-Month Update



The Fremont Housing Navigation Center (HNC) is proud to announce that in its first six months of operations, none of its participants have returned to homelessness. While operating under reduced capacity because of COVID-19, the HNC served 44 individuals in its first six months (21 of which have transitioned into permanent housing while the rest actively participate in the program). Of the 21 participants who have moved to other housing, eight have been reunited with family and 13 moved into independent or shared housing

Operated by Bay Area Community Services (BACS) and the City of Fremont, the HNC opened its doors on September 28, 2020 to 25 residents who stayed on average for four months. There have been no significant complaints, serious calls for police service, or visible blight because of the HNC to date.

In addition, BACS has developed new connections with 19 local landlords (12 of which are located in Fremont). The HNC has received monetary donations from the community totaling \$40,346 and many in-kind donations.

With vaccinations becoming more prevalent in the community and the decrease of COVID-19 cases, staff are hopeful that HNC occupancy will increase, possibly to full capacity of 45 residents, within the next six months. To read the HNC six-month report visit www.Fremont.gov/HNCReport.

Fremont Receives **Tree City USA Recognition**

Fremont has once again been recognized as a Tree City USA Community for 2020, making it 24 straight years in a row! This distinction is awarded by the Arbor Day Foundation to cities that place a high importance on caring for the trees in their community. Our trees take care of us by providing benefits such as clean air, clean water, shade, and beauty, so we choose to take care of them! For more information, visit the Arbor Day Foundation website at www.arborday.org/programs/treeCityUSA.



New Online Residential Express Permits







Get your building permit online! **Residential Express Permits**



Residential Express Permits are now available in Citizen Access, the City of Fremont's online permitting portal. Residential Express Permits are building permits for projects within single-family homes and multi-family residential buildings. The process for obtaining these types of permits can now be performed entirely online. If applicants submit all the required information in Citizen Access and pay the permit fees, their Residential Express Permit will be automatically issued. This new process saves time and money and reduces paper clutter. It's a win-win for the City and the community!

Residential Express Permits are available for the following projects:

• Residential Electrical Upgrades: This includes residential electrical upgrades including repair, replacement, or new installation of electrical panels, electrical fixtures, and

receptacles. Residential Furnace and Air Conditioning **Replacement:** This includes residential furnace and air conditioning replacement, including repair and installation of furnaces/heaters, air conditioning units, and ducts.

• Residential Plumbing: This includes residential plumbing repairs and alterations, including the installation or repair of water heaters, gas lines, and water lines.

• Residential Reroof: This includes residential reroof

To request a Residential Express Permit, please do the

- Log in to your Citizen Access account at www.Fremont.gov/CitizenAccess.
- Select "Building."
- Select "Create Application."
- Select "Building/Express."

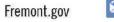
- Select the type of permit you need.
- Complete the online application form, including uploading and submitting required documents.
- Pay the permit fees, when prompted.
- Retrieve the issued permit and building inspection job card from the "Documents" tab in the record (listed under "Record Info").

This summer, all remaining construction and development permit types will become available for submittal in Citizen Access. These include:

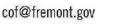
- Building Permits: Building; Fire; Solar; and Temporary
- Engineering Permits: Encroachment; Grading; Small Cell; Subdivision; and Technical Peer Review
- Planning Permits: Homeless Shelter; Historic Evaluation; Home Occupation Permit; Master Sign Program; Preliminary Review Procedure; Project; Sidewalk Dining; and Transportation Demand Management (TDM)

For additional information and updates, please visit the City's Online Permits webpage at www.Fremont.gov/ OnlinePermits.



































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Celebrate Women!

SUBMITTED BY WINIFRED THOMPSON

Celebrate Women! is a collaboration of 37 very accomplished Northern California artists, musicians, and writers - some of whom have achieved international acclaim. This year, prose and poetry videos can be viewed for the first time.

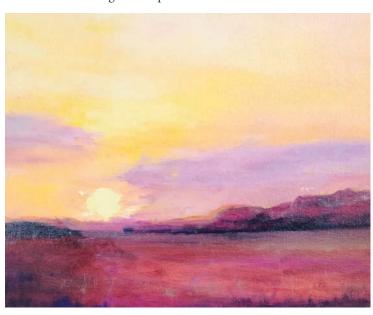
The fifth annual Celebrate Women! Multimedia Exhibition, hosted by the Diablo/Alameda Branch of the National League of American Pen Women (NLAPW), runs Sunday, May 16, to Saturday, July 17. For the first time, the event will be online.

Keynote speaker National President, Evelyn Wofford, speaking from Washington, D.C, will talk about the incredible impact Zoom is having on Pen Women. National Membership Chairperson Luanna Leisure, Santa Clara, will speak about Pen Women's aim to increase membership by making the NLAPW more relevant to emerging artists. Co-authors of Words from Nerds Social Media Director Diana di Avila and Wilma Davidson will present "Clues to Overturn Your Membership Blues" from Florida.

Hayward City Councilmember Sara Lamnin will greet guests. Celebrate Women! is sponsored by the Hayward Arts Council, which stimulates interest in visual and performing arts, promotes opportunities for artists to exhibit, and encourages public participation.

A public Artists' Reception will take place Saturday, May 22. Community members who wish to attend the reception can RSVP on the Hayward Arts Council (HAC) website at www.haywardartscouncil.org.

Women attending the reception who are interested in the arts or are



"I'm Thinking About You, George Floyd" by Castro Valley artist Winifred Thompson on view during "Celebrate Women!" at the John O'Lague Galleria Online Exhibition.

already pursuing the arts professionally will be invited to attend Zoom forums where sharing of creative endeavors will be supported. The reception will feature performances by three Diablo/Alameda vocalists/instrumentalists: Julie Cohn, (aka Juls) songwriter and guitarist; Mary Fineman, composer and pianist; and Margaret Davis, singer and Celtic harper.

In 1897, when women were routinely excluded from professional groups, the NLAPW was established to create support and inspiration for women. Members included Pearl Buck, Georgia O'Keefe, and Eudora Welty. Eleanor Roosevelt, a prolific writer, was an enthusiastic Pen Woman while in the White House and beyond.

Visit www.haywardartscouncil.org/ for information about more art exhibits and art education programs.

> Celebrate Women! Multimedia Exhibition Sunday, May 16 - Saturday, July 17

> > Artists' Reception Saturday, May 22 2 p.m. - 3p.m.RSVP; open to public

www.haywardartscouncil.org/

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

COVID-19 vs Human

One tiny virus continues to threaten health and businesses across the world, but there is hope. We must defeat COVID-19 and its variants by working together. At this moment, giving up, running away, having doubt, or hiding is not going to solve the problem.

COVID-19 waits for no one. Millions have already lost their lives. Americans are fortunate to be able to get vaccinated at their convenience. Many other countries do not have the same luxury.

You must ask yourself: "Why should you or shouldn't you get vaccinated? President Biden said: "You do need to get vaccinated. So, you probably could save your life and the lives of your loved ones." His statement is supported by scientists and medical health professionals.

Before and after vaccination, people still need to wash their hands, wear mask, follow six feet social distancing, and avoid crowds. It is our responsibility to protect ourselves and others by doing the right things, which includes prayers.

Gholam Jelani, Fremont



Home & Garden

Spice up your garden with curry plants

By Daniel O'Donnell

Plants that have similar characteristics to one another are often misnamed. A Sago Palm is not a palm; Swedish Ivy is neither Swedish nor a type of ivy; and the common houseplant Lucky Bamboo is not actually a bamboo. True curry plants were mistakenly named because westerners thought they were used to make curry powder. However, this mild error is no reason not to grow one at home. They make attractive house or garden plants, have beautiful white flowers, and have flavorful aromatic edible leaves.

Curry powder tends to play the dominant role in flavoring curry sauces in India, Thailand, and other Asian countries. Curry powders are made from a blend of different bold and delicate spices that often includes turmeric, which gives many their yellowish/orange color. Many of these curry dishes incorporate curry leaves as an essential ingredient to give a delicate aromatic background flavor.

Curry leaves grow on small and medium size bushes or a shrub-like tree. There is one main species of curry leaf plant that has three distinct types: regular, dwarf, and gamthi.

Regular curry trees range in size from five to 15 feet high and five to more than 10 feet wide. They are fast growing and are the most cultivated curry leaves. They provide a delicate taste when added to a sauce that can

be compared to a citrus, anise, and/or lemongrass flavor.

Dwarf curry plants have a mature height of about only 12 inches but have the largest leaves of all the three types of curry plants. The leaves have a pleasant aroma when crushed but have a strong bitter taste if eaten. Their soft silver foliage and small clusters of small white flowers in the summer make them attractive ornamental plants for inside or outside.

The gamthi curry plant is the smallest of the three plants with its mature height reaching a maximum of about eight inches. It produces the longest and thickest leaves of the three curry plants. These leaves are the most fragrant, so few are needed to flavor a curry sauce.

Curry plants can be purchased, propagated from cuttings, or grown from seeds. A rooted curry plant can be planted in the ground or in a container. The soil should be well draining, and the plant should be exposed to full sun for most of the day even if it is grown as a house plant. Curry plants do not tolerate freezing temperatures so in areas that get frost, it is best to plant in a container that can be moved indoors during the winter.

Once established, curry plants are semi-drought tolerant and do not require much watering. Curry plants also do not require much fertilizing. A two-inch layer of compost applied in the spring around the base of the plant or a monthly dose of organic liquid



Photo Courtesy of M. Chang



Photo Courtesy of Muhammad Mahdi Karim

fertilizer or buttermilk while the weather is warm usually provides enough nutrients for them.

Leaves can be harvested throughout the year, however, depending on how cold it gets, curry plants in this area can be semi-deciduous. The best way to harvest the leaves is to cut a portion of the main stem off the top of the plant or off the ends of larger branches and use those leaves. These will be fresher, and this will also encourage bushier growth of the plant. The leaves should be used the same way that Bay leaves are used by adding fresh curry leaves to sauces, soups, and stews and then removing them before serving.

Clusters of curry flowers produce multiple shiny black curry berries, which each contain one or two seeds. The flesh of the fruit is edible, but the seed is toxic if consumed. Essential oils from the seeds are used in perfumery.

The curry plant *Helichrysum* italicum is often mistaken for the edible curry plant. It has leaves that have a citrus and lemongrass scent when crushed but are too bitter to be used for culinary purposes. The real curry plant is Murraya koenigii. It can more easily be found by looking for one of the three varieties as regular curry leaf tree, dwarf curry leaf plant, or gamthi curry leaf plant.

Once purchased and planted, a curry leaf plant may not be the dominant focal point of the garden, but it will add a pleasant allure to it much like it does in food dishes.

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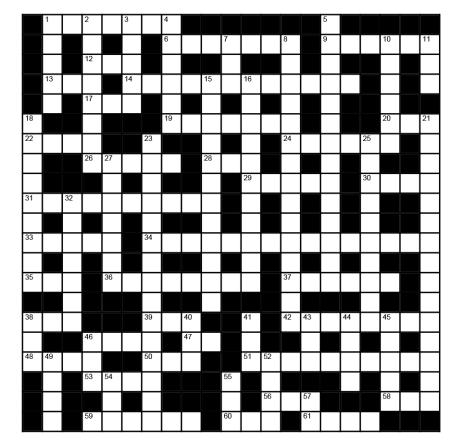






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Crossword Puzzle



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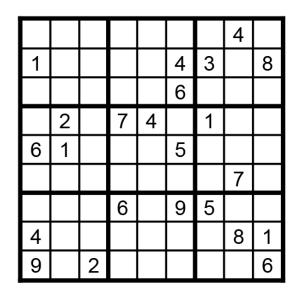
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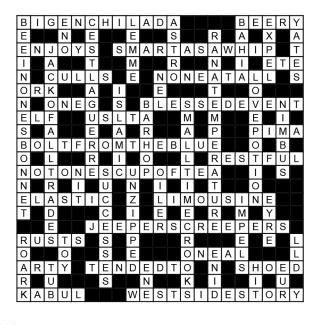
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Sudoku:

Fill in the missing numbers (1-9) inclusive so each row, column and 3x3 box contains all digits.





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Tri-City Stargazer For WEEK: MAY 11, 2021

All Signs: We are approaching the second Mercury retrograde: May 28 - June 22. However, a shadow period extends this window while Mercury is slowing down and catching up; hence we have May 16 - July 8.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): For the next three months, you will be more contemplative. Something in your immediate environment will make you think of profound realizations like the fact that every moment, you are approaching the end of your life, which is why you must decide what you should do with the time left to you. For the next three months, Jupiter, the planet of wisdom, will be in the part of your chart associated with spirituality. This will make you more empathetic and give you a deeper understanding of the

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): Your popularity will increase in the next three months. In fact, your friends will benefit you, which is why this is not the time to go it alone. Enjoy interaction with friends and groups (online or in person) because they will play an important part in your life and help you attain your wishes for the future. It is important to know that regarding your interactions with others, whatever you put out will come back to you in an even greater quantity. This is fortunate because many of you will decide to work for social reform and make changes for the better.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): Lucky Jupiter will be at the top of your chart for the next three months. Jupiter will return to the top of your chart in Jan 2022 for four months; and then return for two months in November. So, consider this a preview of coming attractions. Jupiter at the top of your chart signifies promotions at work, public recognition, accolades,

prizes, and acknowledgements for your efforts. If you do not get a promotion, then you will have a chance to change your job or field of work to medicine, healing, law, higher education, or travel.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): For the next three months, your desire to expand your world and increase your knowledge will be strong. Traditionally, this would be a time when you would travel or do something to enrich your life. Obviously, with the restrictions of COVID, you cannot do this. However, you can do something in a more abstract way to learn, study and expand your world by taking courses, reading, and seeing the world online. You might explore opportunities in publishing, media, or higher education.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22):

Lucky moneybags Jupiter will slip into your Money House and stay for the next three months. Specifically, this is the Money House that relates to the money and wealth that you share with others - money back from the government, shared property, inheritances, money from insurance, wealth that comes indirectly through someone else. Hence, these specific areas will expand or be magnified in some way, which means you are going to get gifts, goodies and favors from others! Whatever happens will be powerful, fortunate changes in your life at this time.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22):
This week, lucky Jupiter will move to sit opposite your sign for the

next three months. This is a lovely benefit for you! It will improve your closest relationships. This is such a wonderful benefit to partnerships; the next three months are the best times to get married in the last 12 years. (Fear not Jupiter will return to your House of Partnerships in January 2022 for four months and then again for two months in November.) This three-month window of time is also an excellent time to consult professionals.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): In the next three months, your health will improve. You will feel more vigorous, lively, and optimistic! If you are recovering from an illness, this three-month window will assist the process. In addition, this is an excellent time for any kind of work or duties that you do. In terms of your job, you can improve your job or improve your workspace, and even improve your relationships with your coworkers. If this does not happen, then instead, you can get a better job! You will also gain the esteem and

admiration of your peers.

Scorpio the Scorpion
(October 23-November 21):
Jupiter is all about optimism and pleasure. In the next three months, Jupiter will move into the part of your chart associated with vacations, fun, games, playful activities with kids, sports, arts, and your creative expression.

Because you will be more in touch with your creative self-expression,

you will find the courage to be

without fear or apology. It will

be a wonderful opportunity for

personal growth and increased

yourself! You will express yourself

wisdom because you have the personal freedom to express who

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21):

Lucky Jupiter is your ruler, which is why many Sagittarians are fortunate people. In the next three months, lucky Jupiter will move into the part of your chart symbolizing home and family. This means relations with family members will become warmer and happier. You will feel pleased about where you live. Some of you might move to something bigger and better. Others will renovate where you live. This same blessing will also give you a chance to make money from real-estate speculation. You will feel happier and content to be in your own skin.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): Jupiter is the planet associated with magnification, expansion, and increase. In the next three months, it will move into a part of your chart relating to your daily habits, daily contacts, and daily communications. Obviously, it will increase your contacts in the world either in-person or online. It will stimulate your mind by bringing opportunities for advanced training or study. Many of you will read and write more than usual and with great enjoyment. Relations with siblings and relatives will improve and you

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): For the next three months, lucky, moneybags Jupiter will sit in your House of Money and Earnings,

might receive financial benefits

from them.

which means you have an opportunity to boost your earnings. You might earn more money or get a better paying job, or you might increase your assets, even if you have to buy them. To put a finer point on it, Jupiter will increase whatever it is you most value. Take a real look at your overall goals to see what you really must have to achieve them. Jupiter will help you do this. It will increase the dimension of your life that is most important to you.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20):

Lucky Jupiter is going to enter your sign and stay there for the next three months. Usually, it will stay in your sign for one year. However, after being in your sign for three months this year, it will return in January 2022 for four months and then for two months in November. This signifies the beginning of a new major cycle of growth in your life. It will be a time of gaining new experiences. You will easily attract people to you who are beneficial. It will be a time that is fortunate for you in personal terms. Jupiter will give you divine protection.



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Kia Sorento Hybrid: More for Les



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By Steve Schaefer

26974 Halifax Place

Kia arrived in the U.S more than a quarter century ago, and ever since, the Korean brand has been successfully selling—and even building—cars here. The Sorento, a compact but roomy crossover, is the second largest of six SUVs in the Kia family. The fourth-generation model is debuting for 2021. I briefly sampled the hybrid model; a plug-in hybrid is coming next year.

In the U.S, we love our SUVs, so thoroughly upgrading the popular Sorento is a wise business decision. The new model receives more sharply defined lines outside and an all-new interior. The new face features a more imposing version of the tigernose grille, composed of a series of three-dimensional "mouths." Headlamps are a series of sparkling boxes. Body sides are more folded, and the chunky, twin-bar taillamps evoke a more muscular view from behind. There is a prominent spear-shaped garnish ahead of the

front doors that implies forward motion. An odd-looking raised section pokes up aggressively in the rearmost side windows.

Inside, Kia moves further into a more luxurious look and feel. Kia calls the theme "Refined Boldness," which offers quilted metal trim, complex and elegant vertical dash vents, and fashionable embossed leather chairs. A little tune plays when you arrive and depart the vehicle, as Kias have done for a while. The turn signals make the tick-tock sound of a fine swiss clock, and you can hear it clearly since it is so quiet inside while you are driving.

My Runway Red test car was the EX model. An S model is also available, but the EX gets a roster of extras, including a panoramic sunroof, handy wireless charging pad, and more electronic safety features including enhanced front collision avoidance for pedestrians and junctions.

A standard gasoline-only Sorento comes with either a 191-horsepower, 2.5-liter fourcylinder engine or a turbo version that puts out 281 horsepower. The hybrid gets a smaller, but still turbocharged, 1.6-liter four with 227 horsepower and a 1.5kWh battery for the 44-kW electric motor. This delivers U.S EPA numbers of 39 mpg City, 35

Highway and 37 Combined. Compare the 37 with the 25 of petrol-burning models to see how much driving the hybrid incrementally reduces your carbon footprint. EPA Green scores are a laudable: 7 for Smog and 8 for Greenhouse Gas. The six-speed automatic transmission provides paddle shifters if you would like to select gears yourself.

A new generation vehicle needs to do more than just look different. The new Sorento has a 1.4-inch longer wheelbase, which translates into more interior space. The car weighs 3.1 percent less, too. The new platform is set up to accommodate alternate drivetrains, enabling hybrid and plug-in hybrid models.

With only a two-day test during a pandemic, I cannot report a lot about the driving experience, except that you sit tall, the interior is quite comfortable, and that 227 horsepower seems to be enough. I found myself driving with pure electricity a few times when I was in town on level ground, and the switch to using the engine was not too intrusive.

This may be a compact crossover, but it comes with three rows of seats. The second and third rows fold, so you can haul a

lot of gear if you want to. The second row offers three-passenger bench seating or twin captain's chairs--a class exclusive.

2/9/21

Today's vehicles are showcases of safety technology, and the Sorento has plenty. I urge you to consult their website for details. As a family car, this one should protect you and your loved ones effectively. Kia's UVO link telematics technology is an array of advanced vehicle features, including routing, weather, user profiles, smart speaker integration, and much more. If you buy a new Sorento, it could keep you entertained for hours.

The Sorento S starts at \$29,390, but my EX tester, with \$445 extra for the red paint, came to \$37,035. Add \$1,170 to either model for transportation. This hybrid model is built in Hwasung, Korea, but there is also a plant producing Sorentos in West Point, Georgia. Perhaps only the hybrids are imported.

Driving a hybrid helps to put less harmful CO2 into the atmosphere and adds no extra tasks to your driving day. If you want to do more for the environment, next year the plug-in hybrid version arrives with a 13.8 kWh battery that gives the car an estimated 30-mile all-electric range. Kia already markets the smaller Niro in hybrid, plug-in hybrid, and all-electric flavors, so you can expect the same award-winning level of

quality in any model you choose. Kia has had the highest rated

mainstream vehicles in initial quality from J.D. Power for six years running. Kia sure has come a long way since the 1994 Sephia subcompact sedan I tested all those years ago.

Auto Review



Over the past 28 years, Steve Schaefer has tested and written about more than 1,300 cars. Since training as a Climate Reality Leader in 2018, he has transitioned to testing only electrified vehicles with plugs, including all-electric cars and plug-in hybrids. He is also exploring electric micromobility, including e-bikes, scooters, and mopeds.

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Thursday, May 13, 2021 6 to 7 p.m.

Zoom Meeting Information:

https://zoom.us/j/95591949258?pwd= NmQ5UUZRdEtNZ05ZN3R0c0IWN

Meeting ID: 955 9194 9258

Passcode: celebrate

Dial: 877 853 5247 USToll-free

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Can bikers pedal to the moon?



SUBMITTED BY MAISHA EVERHART

In conjunction with National Bike Month during May, schools throughout Alameda County are participating in a "Bike to the Moon Week" through May 14.

Students, families, teachers, school administrators, and other school staff are encouraged to digitally track their miles and minutes of activity during the collaborative event. Participants who submit their activities online by 5:00 p.m. Monday, May 17 will have them converted to "moon miles." These miles will count toward the goal of collectively "biking" 286,900 miles -- the distance to the moon.

Participants are encouraged to join the event from their own homes and neighborhoods and use a variety of active and shared transportation modes for the chance to receive participation incentives. The virtual event is organized by the Alameda County Transportation Commission's Safe Routes to Schools Program and aligns with Safe Routes' mission of striving for healthy kids, safer streets and strong communities.

Traditionally, the keystone event for National Bike Month is Bike to School Day when students and families are encouraged to bicycle to school. "Bike to the Moon Week" continues the bicycling celebration and mission of supporting school communities in reducing pollution and congestion, being active and healthy, and building community. This virtual event creates a way for students and families to continue to celebrate Bike Month in a way that complies with coronavirus-related shelter-in-place orders.

For more information and registration details, visit the Alameda County Safe Routes for Schools webpage at https://alamedacountysr2s.org, then type "Bike to the Moon Week" into the search field and follow the prompts.

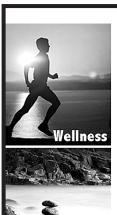
Defense, the name of the game

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

As cross-town rivals met May 4th on the soccer field, the John F. Kennedy Lady Titans (Fremont) and Irvington Lady Vikings (Fremont) were both determined to leave the field as winners. A defensive battle from start to finish, both teams were superb on defense and it was a momentary Vikings lapse that allowed a single score to make the difference. Final score: Titans 1, Vikings 0.



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To adopt call

Hayward Animal Shelter (510) 293 - 7200

If you are a first time pigeon owner, we recommend looking through the resources from our rescue partner, Palomacy Pigeon Rescue:

https://www.pigeonrescue.org/faqs-2/how-to-care-for-a-rescued-pet-pigeon-for-newbies/



Cappuccino is a female rabbit who is playful and curious.

She enjoys moving her toys about her room and snacking on fresh herbs like dill, basil, and cilantro.

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CONTINUING EVENTS

Call to confirm activities shown in these listing

Tuesdays and Wednesdays Parenting During COVID R

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Virtual support group to help families cope with challenges encountered during COVID

To register:

www.fremont.gov/3060/Caregiver-Support (510) 574-2100

Tuesdays

Free Virtual Sing-Along

7 p.m. – 8 p.m. Zoom choir meeting hosted by Mission Peak Chamber Singers https://www.chambersingers.org/ Contact: info@chambersingers.org

Wednesdays

Niles Street Eats

5 p.m. - 8 p.m. Food trucks Niles Town Plaza 37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont

Wednesdays and Sundays

McNevin at The Mudpuddle

6 p.m.

Dinner time tunes, oddservations, and bad jokes

Via Facebook Live: www.facebook.com/mudpuddlemusic

Thursdays

San Lorenzo Street Eats

5 p.m. - 9 p.m. Food trucks 500 Via Mercado, San Lorenzo

Thursdays

First Presbyterian Church of Newark Virtual Youth Group

6:30 p.m.

Youth and young adults, students welcome

Contact: brian@newarkpress.org for Zoom Meeting ID# www.newarkpres.org

Fridays

Castro Valley Street Eats

5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Food trucks and live music - support The Chabot Theater

Parking lot behind Trader Joe's 2490 Grove Way, Castro Valley https://www.thefoodtruckmafia.com/ upcoming

Saturdays

Virtual Telescope Viewing R

9:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Free on Facebook Live Join resident astronomers live from Chabot's observation deck https://chabotspace.org/calendar/

Saturdays

Online Comedy Shows R\$

8 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Made Up Theatre's interactive comedy has gone to YouTube!

https://madeuptheatre.com/upcoming-shows/online-shows/

Sundays

Southern Alameda County Buddhist Church Family Service

10 a.m. Via ZOOM For link, call (510) 471-2581 https://sacbc.org/

Sundays

First Presbyterian Church of Newark Worship Services

8:30 a.m.; Worship Service 12 noon: Sunday School, Ages K – 6th grade

Contact: office@newarkpres.org for Zoom Meeting ID# www.newarkpres.org

Sundays

St. Anne's Episcopal Church

Service 10 a.m.

Socially distant outdoor seating 2791 Driscoll Road, Fremont Via Zoom link: www.stanneschurch.org

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Every 3rd Thursday and Friday, March – May

Property Transfer Clinic

Free 30-minute legal consultation https://aclibrary.org/lawyers/

Third Thursday each month

Chronic Pain Support Group

12:30 p.m.- 2:30 p.m. Request link: njordan@fremont.gov

Last Thursday of the Month,

March – June Mini MBA in Entrepreneurship

7 p.m. – 9 p.m. Self-paced virtual program for earlystage entrepreneurs

https://sv.tie.org/mini-mba-in-entrepreneurship/

Monday, April 5 – Sunday, June 27

Shifting Tides: Convergence in Cloth

Virtual exhibit to shine light on issues facing the Pacific Ocean www.olivehydeartguild.org

Wednesdays, April 14 – May 12 Tools For Change R

6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Virtual workshop for parents and caregivers of adolescents (ages 12-18) www.fremont.gov/3060/Caregiver-Support (510) 574-2100

Thursday, April 22 – Monday, May 31

LEAF Spring Plant Sale

Online plant sale with curbside

pickup https://www.fremontleaf.org/

Meri Awaz/My Voice: South Asian support group for

survivors

Support for survivors of domestic/intimate partner violence in the South Asian community

Via Zoom Contact Shaila Dixit at shailajad@save-dv.org or (510) 578-

Select Wednesdays & Saturdays

Distinguished Author series R

Saturday, May 8 - Joyce Carol Oates,

3 p.m. Saturday, May 22 - Jhumpa Lahiri, 3

p.m.
Delve into the minds of authors who spark new thoughts and deep discus-

Online; advance registration required https://sccld.org/authorseries

Tuesdays, May 4 – June 8 Fremont Police Department Community Education

7 p.m. – 9 p.m. Learn about the inner workings of the Fremont PD and ask questions Session #1 - Meeting ID: 979 9853 5133; Passcode: 918094 Session #2 – Meeting ID: 931 6925 3382; Passcode: 216222 Session #3 – Meeting ID: 959 8501 8713; Passcode: 334356 Session #4 – Meeting ID: 926 0787 3041; Passcode: 865048 Session #5 – Meeting ID: 927 4524 9258; Passcode: 014773 Session #6 – Virtual Coffee With A Cop

Saturdays & Sundays in June & July

Niles Canyon Railway

10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. 6/12, 6/13: Steam Trains 6/19, 6/20, 7/10, 7/11, 7/17, 7/18: Diesel Trains Sunol Depot 6 Kilkare Road, Sunol www.ncry.org

UPCOMING Events

Tuesday, May 11

How to Manage and Forecast Cash Flow

1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

Proven strategies to help small business owners manage cash flow – a free ACS-BDC webinar

https://nc.ecenterdirect.com/events/4 8076

Tuesday, May 11

Owning and Investing in Real Estate for Small Businesses

10:30 a.m. – 12 noon Information for anyone interested in buying real estate – a free ACSBDC webinar

https://zoom.asksbdc.com/FinancingRealEstate-May

Tuesday, May 11 Enlarged Prostate: Causes,

Symptoms and Treatment 6:30 p.m. Virtual Seminar – Learn about diagnosis and effective treatment

Wednesday, May 12

www.whhs.com

(800) 963-7070

Fitness Walk at Lake Elizabeth

Group 1: 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. Group 2: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Take a brisk walk around Lake Eliza-

beth! 40086 Paseo Padre Parkway Fremont http://bit.ly/AgeWellClasses (510) 574-2035

Wednesday, May 12

How to Become a U.S. Citizen

4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Free info session from U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Webex Link: https://bit.ly/3nfDF1z Meeting number (access code): 199

Meeting password: FjxbCi4Pi@47

Wednesday, May 12 **Cocktails and Conservation: Pangolins in Crisis**

6 p.m. -7 p.m. Learn how to stop the trafficking of these unique and endangered mammals Via Facebook and YouTube Live https://www.oaklandzoo.org/programs-and-events/cocktails-conserva-

https://www.pangolincrisisfund.org/

Thursday, May 13

Effective Marketing Strategies to Manage Customer Pitfalls and Boost Loyalty

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.Learn how to increase customer loyalty by promoting events - a free ACSBDC webinar https://nc.ecenterdirect.com/events/4 7437

Thursday, May 13

Waterwise Gardening 101

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.Free webinar on efficient irrigation techniques, soil types, and more https://bit.ly/3ucYFc4 www.cleanwaterprogram.org

Friday, May 14 **BACH Talks!**

4 p.m. – 5 p.m. COVID-19 questions answered by professionals Via Zoom

https://bach.support/

Friday, May 14 **Black Business Roundtable**

12 noon

Speakers: Schatzie Allen-Jefferson, Bay Area construction CEO, and Paul Nguyen, Economic Development Manager for the City of Hay-

Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/3tsB99R Meeting ID: 897 7824 7195 Passcode: 758699

Friday, May 14 & Saturday, May 15

Ohlone College Playwrights Festival

Thought-provoking, humorous, and entertaining 10-minute plays and

https://www.ohlone.edu/theatredance/playwrightsfestival www.ohlone.edu/playwrights

Saturday, May 15

Free Booster Seat Giveaway

10 a.m. - 12 noon 250 free new booster seats will be distributed to Alameda County families Oakland Arena/RingCentral Coli-

Parking Lot C 7000 Coliseum Way, Oakland https://tinyurl.com/ywhan4pu

Saturday, May 15

Building Futures 2021 'Jazz It Up!' Gala R 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Watch videos of Building Futures' 2020 accomplishments and listen to music from The Gold Souls Online: RSVP for link Free, but donations encouraged (links online) https://bfwc.org/gva_event/2021jazzitup/

Saturday, May 15

CWC-ICC 360 degrees Mind-**Body Wellness**

6 p.m. – 7 p.m. Classical yoga teachings by Swami Paramananda

Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/3hb9x6r

Saturday, May 15 - Sunday, May 16

The Addams Family \$

Sat: 7:30 p.m., Sun: 3:00 p.m. StarStruck Theatre presents a streaming musical production https://starstrucktheatre.org/pages/n ow-playing

Sunday, May 16

Celebrate Our Friendship & **Future**

11 a.m. Join the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose for a special event https://bit.ly/3nUttfs (510) 933-6309

Monday, May 17 **Milpitas Rotary**

JP Sahi, CEO of Rotocare Bay Area Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/364zWgd Meeting ID: 830 1305 6992 Passcode: 113524

Tuesday, May 18

COVID-19: How to Make Your Business Virtual

3 p.m. – 5 p.m. Strategies to create your ideal virtual business – a free ACSBDC webinar https://nc.ecenterdirect.com/events/4

Tuesday, May 18 or Wednesday, May 19

Racism – An Introduction to the Tragic History of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders in the United States

5/18: 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. 5/19: 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Learn about our racist past. Hosted by Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose. RSVP by 5/17 https://bit.ly/3hn7FrJ (510) 933-6360

Wednesday, May 19

USCIS Online Resources and Customer Service Tools

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Free info session from U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Webex Link: https://bit.ly/3tKJvKQ Meeting number (access code): 199

Meeting password: Kuj32SRyQX3@

Wednesday, May 19

Caregiving 101

Learn about resources to help with family caregiving

Via Zoom: http://bit.ly/AgeWell-Classes (510) 574-2035

Thursday, May 20

Hayward Nonprofit Alliance

Learn about virtual events and

Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/3eYCHDq Meeting ID: 823 8148 0428 Passcode: 147350

Friday, May 21

Tiny Tot/Age Well Center Art

10 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Fun intergenerational art project on

http://bit.ly/AgeWellClasses (510) 574-2035

Friday, May 21

Virtual Cooking Class

11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Learn to cook a delicious recipe with Chef David http://bit.ly/AgeWellClasses (510) 574-2035

Saturday, May 22

Bon Jovi Drive-In Concert \$

Never-before-seen show recorded live and broadcast on the big screen Alameda County Fairgrounds Gate 12, Valley Ave, Pleasanton

Saturday, May 22

https://bit.ly/3xCApSY

How to Stop Anti-Asian Violence

10 a.m. - 3 p.m.Join the Union City Police Department and other leaders in conversation Marina Food parking lot 1791 Decoto Road, Union City

Monday, May 24 **Milpitas Rotary**

Special Event with John Agg Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/364zWgd Meeting ID: 830 1305 6992 Passcode: 113524

Monday, May 24

Non-Pharmacologic Interventions for Dementia with Behavioral Distur-

11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Explore alternative treatments to medication Via Zoom: http://bit.ly/AgeWell-

Classes (510) 574-2035

Tuesday, May 25

COVID-19: Mind Mapping For **Your Small Business**

3 p.m. – 5 p.m. Increase creativity and productivity a free ACSBDC webinar https://nc.ecenterdirect.com/events/4 8214

Tuesday, May 25 - Wednesday, May 26

Understanding Adverse Childhood Experiences

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Wednesday, May 26

Stress Management for Caregivers

10 a.m.

Strategies for dealing with caregiving

Via Zoom: http://bit.ly/AgeWell-Classes (510) 5/4-2035

Wednesday, May 26

Petitioning for Relatives & The Permanent Resident Process

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Free info session from U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Webex Link: https://bit.ly/3etRHsn Meeting number (access code): 199 092 2356

Meeting password: VArwyYfu@438

Friday, May 28

Latino Business Roundtable

Elena Miramar, founder of Vision Hispana Newspaper Via Zoom: https://bit.ly/33paNei Meeting ID: 827 9395 8686 Passcode: 121713

Honor Roll

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi New inductees

- Elaine Ng of Fremont, University of Findlay, Ohio
- Srikanth Yadavilli of Milpitas,

University of North Alabama

Walk-in Moderna vaccinations available

SUBMITTED BY KALI SHERMAN

Free walk-in COVID-19 Moderna vaccination slots are available for adults age 18+ at Davis Street's Primary Care Clinic until Friday, May 14. Johnson and Johnson vaccinations are by appointment only. Save time by downloading and filling out the COVID-19 Vaccine Quick Registration form at www.davisstreet.org. To schedule an appointment or for more information, call (510) 347-4620, ext. 400.

> Moderna Vaccination: Walk-In Appointments Until Friday, May 14 8 a.m. - 12 noon

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> **Davis Street Primary Care Clinic** 3081 Teagarden St, San Leandro

(510) 347-4620, ext. 400 www.davisstreet.org

Graduates to roll into ceremony in vehicles

SUBMITTED BY KIMBERLY HAWKINS, CAL STATE EAST BAY

A special "Car-mencement" ceremony to honor Cal State East Bay (CSEB) graduates from the classes of 2020 and 2021 is set for May 14-16 on the university's hillside campus in Hayward.

The celebration is planned in accordance with current COVID-19 public health guidelines in Alameda County, which restrict large gatherings. Although state and local guidelines are fluid, the university needed to solidify plans to provide graduates and their families time to plan, as well as secure additional staffing and event logistics resources.

"Earning a degree from Cal State East Bay is a life-changing milestone for our students and their entire families," said Cathy Sandeen, university president. "While we would love to honor them with our traditional in-person event, we are working closely with the county to ensure the safety of our students, guests and employees. It is just not yet safe to have a large event in Pioneer Stadium. Our creative solution of a "Car-mencement" ceremony has been so well-received by our graduates and we look forward to celebrating their achievements in this unique way.

Graduates will schedule a time to arrive on campus by vehicle, then will head in their cars to a special staged area where they will have their names recognized via loudspeaker and pose for a professional photo. Graduates are encouraged to wear regalia.

Graduates will be allowed one car to participate in the celebration and will need to abide by state vehicle codes for safe seating and occupancy, including seat belts for each passenger. Guests will be required, per Alameda County ordinance, to remain in their vehicles at all times, and only the graduate will be allowed to exit the vehicle for recognition in the staged area.

Updated information and instructions for graduates is posted on the university's Commencement webpage at https://www.csueastbay.edu/commencement/.

> 'Car-memcement' graduation May 14 - 16Cal State East Bay 25800 Carlos Bee Blvd., Hayward Free; advance registrations required https://www.csueastbay.edu/commencement/

Unity Against Hate

SUBMITTED BY APAPA

On Saturday, May 15, join people across the country to take action against acts of hate on Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) and all other communities

at Unity Against Hate, a national event, planned at a single time, coast-to-coast. Fremont Mayor Lily Mei and incoming Police Chief Sean Washington will be guest speakers at the local Fremont event, organized by Asian Pacific Islander American Public Affairs Association (APAPA) Greater Fremont Chapter (APAPA-GFC).

Register at https://goo.gl/1RSRPX to get free face masks and a whistle. Together, let us end hate crimes and discrimination in the United States.

> **AAPI Unity Against Hate** Saturday, May 15 11 a.m.

Veterans Memorial Park (near Fremont Hall of Justice) Corner of Walnut Ave and Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont https://goo.gl/1RSRPX

Mega-vaccination site to close soon

SUBMITTED BY ALAMEDA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

In a joint statement issued May 4, Alameda County and the Governor's Office of Emergency Services announced that the Oakland Coliseum mega vaccination site will close on Sunday, May 23. Alameda County will expand community-based vaccination access to meet people where they are.

Alameda County residents that have not received a vaccination are encouraged to call (510) 208-4829 to arrange an appointment, or to take advantage of numerous walk-in opportunities available throughout the county. Appointments are available across California by logging on to myturn.ca.gov or calling (833) 422-4255.

More vaccine information, and links to make appointments online, is available on the Alameda County Office of Education website at www.acoe.org/vaccines.

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HISTORY MATTERS

By John Grimaldi and David Bruce Smith

On May 5, 1961, Navy Commander Alan Bartlett Shepard Jr. became the first American in space. It was just a 15-minute mission—memorable to the nation—but too late to outwit the competition. Soviet cosmonaut Yuri Gargarin astounded the world when he orbited the earth—once—in the Vistok 1.

Shepard's Freedom 7 capsule, however, foreshadowed America's dominance; less than a decade later, the Apollo 11 mission "silenced" the Russians, and catapulted Neil Armstrong, Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, and Michael Collins to the moon. Shepard was ranked fifth to walk the lunar surface after the Apollo 14 mission.

Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Light This Candle: The Life and Times of Alan Shepard" by Neal Thompson. The American Revolution was an unexpected victory for the colonists. They won an immense land with a myriad of perks and perils, but the only way to traverse its complex vastness was to join a wagon train. It was a complicated and difficult crossing that many did not survive.

Then, on May 10, 1869, everything changed; two railroads completed the task of laying the tracks from "sea to shining sea". The presidents of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads met at Promontory, Utah to drive the last spike into the rails of the nation's first transcontinental railway.

Seven years earlier, land grants and loans from Congress had equipped them with the fiscal flexibility to build, but according to History.com, "In their eagerness for land, the two lines built right past each other, and the final meeting place had to be renegotiated."

To learn more about how the West was subdued, Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Full Steam Ahead: The Race to Build a Transcontinental Railroad" by Rhoda Blumberg.

To mollify a newly acquired, undomesticated expanse of land, President Thomas Jefferson determined that a survey was imperative; he selected two explorers—Meriwether Lewis and William Clark—to manage the mission.

America was just over 21 years old, but the Louisiana Purchase transaction suddenly added 828,000 acres, and the equivalent of approximately 15 states. Lewis and Clark started their journey in St. Louis with 55 men on May 14, 1804.

According to History.com, "The expedition traveled up the Missouri River in a 55-foot- long keelboat and two smaller boats. In November, Toussaint Charbonneau, a French-Canadian fur trader accompanied by his young Native American wife Sacagawea, joined the expedition as an interpreter. The group wintered in present-day North Dakota before crossing into present-day Montana, where they first saw the Rocky Mountains."

They met up with the Shoshone Indians when they reached Colorado, crossed the Clearwater and Snake rivers in canoes, and followed the Columbia River to the Pacific Ocean on November 8, 1805.

Two and a half years later, the expedition returned—in triumph—to St. Louis with thirty-three men. They had mapped out new lands and brought back journals about the Indian tribes they encountered, scientific notes of the flora and fauna they encountered, and a claim to the Oregon Territory.

For more information, Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Sacajawea" by Joseph Bruchac.

The feature is courtesy of The Grateful American Book Prize, which is an annual award given to authors who have created outstanding works of historical fiction or nonfiction for seventh to ninth graders.

Report shows progress in helping homeless

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

After six months of operation, officials from the Fremont Housing Navigation Center (HNC) recently announced that none of the people served by the center have returned to homelessness. The positive statistics were revealed in a progress report released May 3.

While operating under reduced capacity because of COVID-19, the HNC served 44 individuals in its first six months

(21 of whom have transitioned into permanent housing while the rest actively participate in the program). Of the 21 participants who have moved to other housing, eight have been reunited with family and 13 moved into independent or shared housing agreements.

Operated by Bay Area Community Services (BACS) and the City of Fremont, the HNC opened its doors on September

28, 2020 to 25 residents who stayed on average for four months. There have been no significant complaints, serious calls for police service, or visible blight because of the HNC.

In addition, BACS has developed new connections with 19 local landlords (12 of which are located in Fremont). The HNC has received monetary donations from the community totaling \$40,346 and many in-kind donations.

With vaccinations becoming more prevalent in the community and the decrease of COVID-19 cases, staff members are hopeful that HNC occupancy will increase, possibly to full capacity of 45 residents, within the next six months.

The full six-month progress report is posted online at Fremont.gov/HNCReport.

Urban Forest Management Plan

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

City of Fremont wants to hear from its residents about the future of the urban forest. Residents can help to develop a strategic plan to achieve a long-range vision for the community's urban forest. The project will include several opportunities for the public to participate. Visit https://fremonturbanforest.com/ for more details and to sign up to get involved.

Future of Urban Forest https://fremonturbanforest.com/

Meatless May

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

This May, use the power of your plate to help fight climate change. Did you know that making small changes incrementally to your diet is a simple and affordable way to make an impact in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and boosting your health?

Enter Acterra's Meatless May Challenge: a pledge to choose more fruits, veggies, whole grains, and legumes while moving meat and dairy products to the side or off your plate entirely. If this is new, try going meatless one day a week. If you are already eating less meat, try some additional days. The idea is to eat more plants at a level that feels achievable to you.

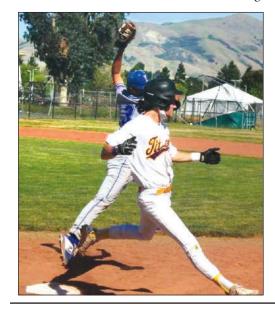
Throughout the month, Acterra will provide weekly themes, recipes, healthy tips, and even a buddy who can guide you through your questions, menu planning, and grocery lists. There are even some great money-saving rewards at specific Bay Area restaurant partners. Sign up for free at www.acterra.org/meatless-may. If you are already eating a plant-based diet, invite your omnivore friends to join.

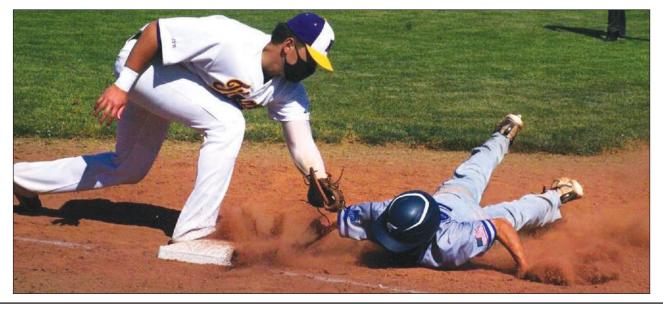
Acterra's Meatless May Challenge www.acterra.org/meatless-may

Titans prevail over Vikings

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

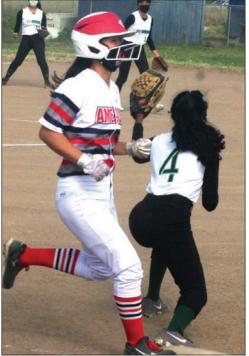
For years, a matchup between John F. Kennedy (Fremont) and Irvington (Fremont) has followed a long tradition of great games on the baseball diamond. May 5, 2021 was no different as the Irvington Titans were motivated, but could not keep up with Vikings bats that produced early scores. The Vikings were able to close the gap a bit in late innings, but it was too late. Final score: Titans 10, Vikings 2.





Mission San Jose has attitude despite loss







By MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The new year has brought a change in attitude to the Mission San Jose Warriors (Fremont) softball program. Although on the losing end of a May 6th 15-3 effort against the Eagles of American (Fremont), the team is looking forward to bouncing back this season. The lady Eagles of American looked strong on the field and at the plate, proving they will be a strong competitor this year.





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OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

Definition of the term "infrastructure" has evolved over time. Past references described roads, bridges, buildings and the physical framework of a geographical area such as a city, state or country. With the evolution and technical advancement of civil society, the context and organization of how things work and integrate has expanded. While roads, buildings and bridges remain as basic building blocks of commerce and civic life, the infiltration of electronic – virtual or cyber – connectivity has become an immense economic and vital factor in the welfare of daily lives.

Close examination of infrastructure will determine the strengths and weaknesses of all segments of society. Each community chooses to either commit to, defer or reject replacements, enhancements or advancements that require capital investment. When municipalities disclose these decisions, the result is a multiyear action roadmap called a Capital Improvement Plan (CIP). This typically balances the budget with civic goals and objectives. Although some elements of the plan may be prioritized as financially speculative, others are firm

Infrastructure

commitments, allowing elected representatives and the public to not only review stated municipal goals, but see where and how money is spent.

This document can be daunting since it covers a host of concerns but just as a household budget can either guide or disrupt future decisions, it is important to pay close attention to the use of public monies. For example, Fremont is in the midst of reviewing its 5-year program and authorizing a 2-year capital budget. A presentation at its council meeting on May 21 will reveal the results of council study sessions and staff recommendations followed by public hearings and adoption in June. This is not a trivial decision; proposed Fiscal Year 2019-2024 program amounts to \$220 million. At stake are investments in ongoing projects such as street maintenance, park maintenance and downtown construction as well as one-time expenditures for new facilities and renovations.

It may also be appropriate at this time to consider additional infrastructure needs. A problem for many cities - Fremont included – is intercity transportation. Although the current pandemic has curtailed a significant amount of traffic, old patterns are beginning to reemerge as more facilities open and people feel more comfortable in public venues. Not only is first and last mile travel to and from

mass transportation needed without bikes and scooters, but many trips within city limits could be handled by a fixed rail (trolley?), well-maintained system for shopping, visiting and commuting. For those who are bike/scooter inept or adverse, intracity transportation could remove the need for single occupant auto travel and its attendant impact on traffic and the environment. In a new system such as this, the impact of high-tech electronic systems could minimize cost and maximize efficiency.

As the CIP process proceeds, careful study of the elements addressed, offers opportunities for public comment and revision at hearings; a chance to modify and expand the definition of infrastructure. This debate is occurring at the national level and should also be welcome locally.

William Marshak PUBLISHER

Opportunity for Community Conversations

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT

Fremont Mayor Lily Mei and City Manager Mark Danaj announced a series of community conversations and listening sessions with residents, business owners/operators, and nonprofit organizations over the next several months with incoming Police Chief Captain Sean Washington.

The goal of the sessions is to provide the public an opportunity to ask questions, get to know the incoming police chief, and share input on the topic of policing in Fremont in a small group setting. Captain Washington is expected to serve as the police department's acting chief for several weeks this summer, and his official promotion will take place October 2.

"Building upon our 2020 Engage Fremont community dialogue initiative, and our promise that conversations would continue, I look forward to spending the next few months with Mayor Mei and Incoming Police Chief Sean Washington expanding our reach

into the Fremont community. Our goal is to meet in smaller settings with special interest groups and stakeholders representing our diverse community to dive deeper into the topic of racial justice and policing in Fremont," said Danaj.

Listening sessions are open to any group or organization that is interested in having a conversation. If you have a group that meets regularly, and you would like the opportunity to hear from our city's leadership on the topic of policing or share your organization's views or input, contact Interim Chief Communications Officer Geneva Bosques at Gbosques@fremont.gov. We recommend meetings be limited to approximately 15-20 people or less to allow for ample dialogue and participation.

Community Conversations Gbosques@fremont.gov





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Alameda County Water District 2nd Thursday @ 6:00 p.m. 43885 S. Grimmer Blvd., Fremont (510) 668-4200 www.acwd.org

East Bay Municipal Utility District 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 1:15 p.m. 375 11th St., Oakland (866) 403-2683 www.ebmud.com

Santa Clara Valley Water District 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 6:00 p.m. 5700 Almaden Expwy., San Jose (408) 265-2607, ext. 2277 www.valleywater.org

Union Sanitary District 2nd/4th Monday @ 7:00 p.m. 5072 Benson Rd., Union City (510) 477-7503 www.unionsanitary.com

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Castro Valley Unified School Board 2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:00 p.m. 4400 Alma Ave., Castro Valley (510) 537-3000 www.cv.k12.ca.us

Fremont Unified School Board 2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. 4210 Technology Dr., Fremont (510) 657-2350 www.fremont.k12.ca.us

Hayward Unified School Board 2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. 24411 Amador Street, Hayward (510) 784-2600 www.husd.k12.ca.us

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San Lorenzo Unified School Board 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7:30 p.m. 15510 Usher St., San Lorenzo (510) 317-4600 www.slzusd.org

Sunol Glen Unified School Board 2nd Tuesday @ 5:30 p.m. 11601 Main Street, Sunol (925) 862-2026 www.sunol.k12.ca.us

Weekend BART track shutdowns coming

SUBMITTED BY CHRISTOPHER FILIPPI, **BART**

Initial work is underway for a large BART construction project in southern Alameda County. Crews will replace critical track components between the South Hayward and Union City BART stations as well as begin the

preliminary work to build a new storage facility at the Hayward Maintenance Complex for hundreds of new Fleet of the Future cars. The work is happening as BART has made the most of reduced service hours over the last year to gain ground on a list of important system improvement projects.

The latest project will require a series of weekend track shutdowns between South Hayward and Union City. On those weekends, free buses provided by AC Transit instead of trains will carry

passengers directly between the two stations. There will be no train service between South Hayward and Union City on the following weekends: May 15-16, May 29-31 (Memorial Day weekend), June 19-20, September 4-6 (Labor Day weekend), September 18-19, October 2-3, and October 16-17.

On all these weekends free buses will replace trains and riders should plan to add 20 to 25 minutes to their trips. The work will also require BART to reduce service to a single track in the area on select Saturdays and Sundays,

which will cause delays of 15 to 20 minutes. Additional track shutdown weekends are expected in 2022 but specific dates have not vet been determined.

This southern Alameda County work comes as BART has focused on advancing infrastructure rebuilding projects across the system during a time of low ridership and reduced service hours. The work is made possible thanks to Measure RR, which was approved by BART District voters in 2016 and provides \$3.5 billion to rebuild the backbone of the system.

Fremont Unified Board Meeting Highlights

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

At its May 5 meeting, Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) Board of Education:

- Updated about Return to In-Person Instruction – FUSD expanded its Learning Hub model on April 26 and has approved the full return to in-person instruction for the 2021-2022 school year. In addition to a full return to campus, the district will offer a virtual learning program at both the elementary and secondary levels. FUSD is planning for in-person graduation events, modified to align with state/local requirements. Staff presented information to the Board of Education regarding new developments for its Summer School and Extended School Year programs, virtual learning programs for 2021-2022, and state guidance for schools, graduations, or extra-curricular activities.
- Adopted Resolution 030-2021 - This resolution will support the efforts of FUSD's commitment to supporting the education of students on human-induced climate change, verse students in climate change and climate solutions, support a school and community wide

effort to develop or adopt a pre-existing comprehensive climate change literacy program. Fremont Unified will also include professional development, create an implementation plan, review existing education initiatives and sustainability programs to coordinate with the climate change literacy program, pledges to share and promote climate change literacy and assist in mobilizing the education community to address the climate emergency.

 Approved Textbook Adoption – The current K-5 Social Studies curriculum, Scott Foresman History-Social Science for California, was adopted in 2006. The current curriculum is no longer available for Special Day Instruction (SDI) classes and will likely be completely discontinued by the publisher soon. The criteria used to evaluate the curriculum was based on information in the following resources: California History-Social Science for California Public Schools, Standards for Evaluation of Instructional Materials with Respect to Social Content which embodies the FAIR Act requirements, and College, Career, and Civic Live (C3) Framework for Social Studies State Standards. After a thorough review, the committee is recommending Social Studies Alive! The adoption materials were available online to the public for review from April 1 through May 5.

Minimum Wage Increase Effective July 1

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

Fremont's minimum wage is scheduled to increase on July 1 for both large and small employers. Beginning July 1, large employers with 26 or more employees will be subject to a \$15.25/hour minimum wage and small employers with 25 or fewer employees will increase to \$15/hour.

To prevent inflation from eroding its value, the minimum wage for large employers will be adjusted beginning on July 1 by the local consumer price index, while small employers will increase to \$15/hour. On July 1, 2022, the small employer minimum increases to the large employer level. From that point on, both large and small employers will be subject to the same minimum wage increase defined by the local consumer price index.

Fremont's Minimum Wage Ordinance exempts nonprofit corporations. For more information, visit the city's minimum wage webpage at www.fremont.gov/MinimumWage or email the city manager's office at minwage@fremont.gov.

Fremont City Council

May 4, 2021

Consent Calendar:

- Appropriate funds for Warm Springs Plaza public art. APPROVED 6-0-1 (Salwan,
- Authorize applications to MTC for Mobility Grant for Fremont Boulevard/Walnut Avenue and Fremont Boulevard/Grimmer Boulevard Protected Intersection Project.

Ceremonial Items:

- Proclaim May 2021 as Bike Month. Melissa Avery, vice chair of Fremont Mobility Commission accepted the procla
- Proclaim Children's Mental Health Awareness Day. Anjali Gigi Truong and Rohin Puvvada accepted the proclamation. City of Fremont Human Services Department art exhibition will be open to public view on May 6.

Items Removed from Consent Calendar:

 Authorize application to Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) for

\$368,002 in grant funds for Fremont Boulevard/Country Drive intersection improvements.

 Adopt findings for denial of appeal of Planning Commissions action on Omaha Way project.

Scheduled Items:

- Public Hearing to amend Master Fee Schedule to add a credit card convenience fee. Delay implementation until 2022; no fee for check or debit card. PASSED 6-1 (Nay, Kassan)
- Public Hearing to restructure and reassess Landscaping Assessment District 88. PASSED 5-0-2 (Recuse, Mei, Salwan)
- Public Hearing to adjust Development Impact, Parkland, Park Facilities, Capital Facilities and Fire Facilities fees. CONTINUED TO JUNE 1

Mayor Lily Mei Vice Mayor Yang Shao, District 4 Teresa Keng, District 1 Aye Rick Jones, District 2 Aye Jenny Kassan, District 3 Aye, 1 nay Raj Salwan, District 5 Aye, 2 recuse Teresa Cox, District 6

San Leandro **City Council**

May 3, 2021

Recognitions:

- Proclaim May 2021 as Asian Pacific American Heritage Month.
- Proclaim May 21, 2021 as Endangered Species Day in San Leandro.
- Proclaim May 2021 as
- Affordable Housing Month. • Proclaim May 3-7, 2021 as Small Business Week.
- Proclaim May 9-15, 2021 as National Police Week. (Council members Simon and Aguilar spoke against it).

Public Comments:

- Numerous comments about National Police Week proclamation in light of the Steven Taylor officer-involved shooting in San Leandro.
- Comment about no proclamation for Jewish American Heritage Month in San Leandro.
- Comment supporting the council's tobacco policy updates.

Public Hearings:

• Resolution approving the city's U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Final Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan (implements the Housing and Community Development Strategies of the Fiscal Year 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan) and authorizes the City Manager

to execute all related grant documents in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Annual Action Plan. Adopted 7-0.

• Resolution approving adjustments to city fees and service charges for 2021-2022. Adopted 7-0.

Consent Calendar:

- Authorize a submission request to the Metropolitan Transportation Commission for the allocation of Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Transportation Development Act Article 3 Pedestrian/Bicycle Project Funding to install pedestrian improvements in the amount of \$105,062.
- Resolution to accept the City Council Investment Report for the quarter ended March 31,
- Resolution supporting the goal of reaching 100% Zero Emission Vehicle sales in California by 2030.

Action Item

• Resolution by the City Council to approve an employment agreement with Frances Robustelli to serve as City Manager. Approved 6-1 with council member Simon voting no.

Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter Pete Ballew Vice Mayor Victor Aguilar Aye Bryan Azevedo Aye Fred Simon Aye; 1 Nay Deborah Cox Aye Corina Lopez Aye

Police DUI checkpoint planned

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD PD

Hayward Police Department (HPD) officers will be on the lookout for impaired drivers during an upcoming DUI checkpoint planned at an undisclosed location in the city.

The checkpoint is set for 8:00 p.m. Friday, May 21 and will continue until 2:00 a.m. the next day. During the checkpoint, officers will look for signs that drivers are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs. Checkpoint locations are chosen based on a history of DUI crashes and arrests. The primary purpose of checkpoints is not to make arrests, but to promote public safety by deterring drivers from driving impaired.

"The safety of our community is and always will be our mission," Sergeant Tasha DeCosta said. "We are looking for impaired drivers because driving under the influence is dangerous and puts others on the road at risk."

HPD is reminding the public that impaired driving is not just from alcohol; some prescription medications or over-the-counter drugs may also interfere with driving. People should always follow directions for using medications and read warning labels about driving or operating heavy machinery, which includes driving a car. While medicinal and recreational marijuana are legal, driving under the influence of mari-

Anyone that is planning on drinking or taking medications that may impact their ability to drive safely should stay home ride with a designated driver. Drivers charged with a first-time DUI face an average of \$13,500 in fines and penalties, as well as a suspended license.

Funding for this DUI checkpoint program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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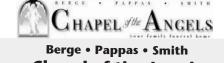
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Barbara Jean Owens

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On April 25th, 2021, our family lost its brightest light. Barbara Jean Owens was born on August 27th, 1936 in Oakland Ca. She lived a fulfilling life full of love for her family, love for her friends and love for animals. Barbara lived her life to the fullest by enjoying simple pleasures such as hanging out with her family and friends at the beach, going to water aerobic classes, making pottery in her ceramic classes, or working on a puzzle. She spent most of her time in Northern California where she worked at PG&E for over 40 years. Through those years, she developed many friendships that later became more like family. Barbara had a way with people. She was the type of person that could light up your life when you were feeling down with her infectious laugh or she would tell you a story from her adventurous life. She is survived by her older sister Shirley M. Gordon; Her daughter Amber Lea Gillman;



Her grandsons, Mark Gillman Jr, Michael Gillman and Sean Fletcher, Her partner of 20 years Howard Blizinski and his children Charlie and Faye, her nieces and nephews and her three great grandchildren. A private funeral service were held.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses 510-797-1900

Sidney Edward Parker

Resident of Newark

August 16, 1943 - May 2, 2021

Sidney was born August 16, 1943 in Venice California and entered into rest May 2, 2021 in Fremont. He is survived by his loving wife Rhondda, beloved father to Megan, Kyle, Jeremy and Jennifer Parker, dearest brother to Kenneth Parker, and loving grandfather to Joshua and Jacob Parker.

Sidney was a HAM radio operator. He enjoyed reading and computers and worked 34 years for Santa Clara County Communications Department.

Private family services

were held.
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Dhanyor de Guzman

Resident of Union City
April 17, 1995 – May 1, 2021

Dhanyor was born in the Philippines. He is survived by his beloved mother Rosalia Poblete, his loving partner/coparent Aryssa Marie Navarrete, his loving son Addison. Siblings, Danica Rose de Guzman, Bianca Pauline Vitug, Royce Louis Vitug, Kerl Jayvee Poblete, Kc Bryan Poblete and Kyla Mae Poblete.

Dhanyor worked as an assembler at Gel-Pak in Hayward, California for almost 5 years. He was a loving father to his 17month-old son. He loved recording videos of his son whenever he feeds him, gives him a bath, or just simply enjoying their time together. He was a responsible and loving son to his mother, and a very dependable brother to all his siblings. Dhanyor was everyone's source of laughter and positivity. Those who were lucky to have known him would know the kind of effect he gives on people.

Dhanyor, you have touched so many lives in your own special way. You will be greatly missed by many.

Gofundme: https://gofundme/596ba491



Visitation will be Friday
May 14th, 2021 from
4:00 PM – 8:00 PM at
Fremont Memorial Chapel
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with a Vigil Service at
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10:00 AM. at Holy Spirt
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Willa Mae Loretta Talley

Resident of Fremont

July 4, 1936 - May 3, 2021

Willa Mae was preceded by her parents Wilfred and Bernice White, and husband Vern Talley. Survived by her sisters Pat Kruske and Carolyn Korte, her brother Robert White, her four sons Vern, Mark, Greg and David and many nieces, nephews, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Willa Mae worked in banking and retail for many years, she enjoyed knitting, doll and thimble collecting, spending time with family and friends and her dog Jack. She will be missed by many.

Memorial Service will be held on Friday May 28, 2021, 12:00 PM. at Fremont Memorial Chapel

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Clipper debuts new digital payment options

SUBMITTED BY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Passengers who use the Clipper fare payment card on Bay Area transit systems can now use it on an iPhone and with Apple Pay and can manage the card on a new mobile app.

Officials from the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) said the new options for the card, launched in mid-April, gives riders on 24 Bay Area transit systems a new, contactless way to pay fares on buses, trains and

Customers can add the card directly through Apple Wallet and load cash value with Apple Pay anytime. Riders also can transfer the value from a plastic Clipper card to their iPhone; Clipper is coming to Google Pay in late May.

"The last year has taught us the importance of contactless fare payment, and this is one more way Clipper is delivering on that promise," said MTC Chair Alfredo Pedroza in an April 15 statement. "With Clipper's launch today on iPhone and Apple Watch, we are offering greater safety and convenience to riders, drivers, station agents and transit operators."

The launch makes paying for and riding public transit easier and safer because Clipper on iPhone and Apple Watch works with Express Mode, which allows riders to quickly tag and pay for rides without having to use Face ID, Touch ID, wake or unlock their device, or open an app. Riders can simply hold their

iPhone or their Apple Watch near the Clipper reader and then board a bus, train or ferry. They no longer need to touch a ticket vending machine or reload a Clipper card at a retailer.

Clipper mobile app, available on iPhone, allows riders to easily manage their Clipper cards and their Clipper account, and to plan transit trips around the Bay Area. Riders must use the Clipper app to buy transit agency passes for use on iPhone or Apple Watch.

"This new fare payment method works on all 24 Bay Area transit services that accept Clipper," said MTC Executive Director Therese McMillan. "Riders can easily add cash value from Apple Pay and just tag and ride. It couldn't be more user-friendly, not to mention timely. We're looking forward to offering the same convenience soon with Google Pay."

Transit riders who are enrolled in the Clipper START program and those who use cash to load their Clipper cards also can use the Clipper app, but cash payers will need to use a BART, Golden Gate Ferry, or SMART ticket machine or select Caltrain ticket machines to add value to iPhone or Apple Watch.

MTC has been working with Apple and Cubic Transportation Systems, the Bay Area's fare payment solutions partner, to introduce these convenient new payment and account management features. For more information visit www.clippercard.com or https://transit.applepay.apple/san -francisco.

Police share bicycle safety tips

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT

May is National Bicycle Safety Month and the Fremont Police Department (FPD) is encouraging drivers to slow down when passing bicyclists, and asking bicyclists to be visible, predictable and safe on the road.

"Bicyclists are safest when they act like and are treated the same as drivers," Lieutenant Ariel Quimson said. "Please share the road with bicyclists and think of them as your closest friends or family. We all want to get where we need to go safely, whether that is in the car or on a bike."

FPD officials have compiled a list of safety tips for people to follow when they are navigating Fremont city streets.

Drivers:

- Slow down. Give at least three to five feet of space when passing a bike.
- Wait for a safe place to pass when driving behind a bike, especially on narrow roads. California law requires drivers to provide at least three feet of space between a vehicle and bicycle.
- If making a right turn, assume a bicyclist is traveling through the intersection unless they signal otherwise.
- When making a left turn, yield to oncoming bicyclists just as you
- would for other drivers. • Look for cyclists before opening a car door.
 - Never drive distracted or impaired.

Bike Riders:

- Be predictable, safe, and seen; obey traffic laws, use hand signals, use lights at night (front white light and rear red reflector), and wear a helmet.
- Bicyclists must travel in the same direction of traffic and have the same requirements as any slow-moving vehicle.
 - Avoid the door zone: do not ride too closely to parked cars.
- If there's a bike lane, use it, unless making a left turn, passing, or approaching a place where a right turn is allowed.
- Yield to pedestrians. Bicyclists must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians within marked crosswalks or within unmarked crosswalks at intersections.

Funding for this program is provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

STEM scholarships for local students

SUBMITTED BY TAMAR SARKISSIAN

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) and PG&E Corporation Foundation are encouraging qualified students to apply for the Better Together STEM Scholarship Program. Application deadline is Tuesday, June 1.

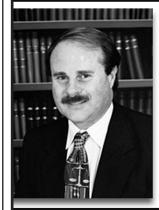
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SOCIAL SECURITY MATTERS

Ask Rusty My Social Security Card Is Incorrect – What Should I Do?

BY RUSSELL GLOOR, NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY ADVISOR, AMAC FOUNDATION

Dear Rusty: My sister and I have the same first and last names but are distinguished by our "middle" names. Our last name consists of two family names, which gives us both four, with only our middle names unique. We received two Social Security cards with the same name (middle name excluded), each with a unique number, but with our last name misspelled. So, my questions are:

- Which card is mine, and which is my sisters?
- Is it okay that our last name is misspelled?
- I called Social Security and was told to make an appointment online, which I tried but could not because it would not accept my last name. I do not know what to do now and hope you can advise me.

Signed: Confused Sister

Dear Confused Sister: You have not shared your age, but unless you are ready to apply for Social Security, you and your sister have time to correct your last name in your Social Security records. In any case, your Social Security Number is what is used to record your earnings for the purpose of future SS benefits, so you are not losing anything where your earnings credits are concerned. You should, however, get your correct last name reflected in your Social Security records to be sure that your future benefits will be properly paid.

For Social Security purposes, only first names and last names (surnames) are considered your legal name. You can include a middle name if it will help distinguish you from another, but your legal name for Social Security purposes will be your first and last name only. Thus, you should correct your Social Security profile to reflect your correct first and last name and include your unique middle name for personal purposes to distinguish you from your sister. For additional awareness, SS last names are limited to 13 characters. Also, it is not uncommon for many people to share the same first and last name (e.g., John Smith) in Social Security's records - it is the SS number associated with that name that counts.

Other factors might apply too, such as whether the SS cards and numbers you and your sister now have are new, or if either or both of you have been using those SS numbers for past employment purposes. In any case, those numbers have been assigned to you, so getting your profile to reflect your correct last name is important. It is also important that each of you separately use only one SS card/number (you use one; your sister the other).

To correct your name with Social Security, you should fill out and submit form SSA-5, which you can download/print at www.ssa.gov/forms/ss-5.pdf. Note that the form is used to apply for a new card, get a replacement card, or to change information for an existing SS number. The form includes complete instructions on how to fill it out, and you can submit it via the US Post Office to your local Social Security office, the mailing address for which you can find at www.ssa.gov/locator.

Take note of the form's instructions for including additional documentation for identification purposes. I suggest that you and your sister both do this separately, each of you taking ownership of one of the SS numbers. When Social Security processes your name change, they will schedule an appointment to discuss any remaining questions they may have. They will notify you via U.S. mail of the date/time of the appointment and the next steps to be taken.

Since all Social Security offices are temporarily closed to public access due to the pandemic, you can do this transaction entirely over the phone if you wish, but you will need to first call for an appointment. If you choose the phone method over submitting form SSA-5, you should call 1-800-772-1213 and request an appointment to correct your name on Social Security's records. They will send you an appointment notice, at which you will be able initiate the name change process (you will still need to provide them with identification documents

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The PG&E Foundation will provide funding for a total of \$250,000 to students pursuing a degree in the Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) disciplines. The program will award 20 scholarships of \$10,000 each and 20 scholarships of \$2,500 each.

"For PG&E, enhancing opportunities and the future for our young people is part of delivering on our triple bottom line of serving people, the planet and California's prosperity," said Stephanie Isaacson, Executive Director, The PG&E Corporation Foundation. "Through this scholarship program, we're helping local students pursue their dreams of becoming the next generation of engineers, innovators or environmental scientists who will lead the way into our clean energy fu-

Applications are open to graduating high school seniors, current college students, U.S. military veterans and adults returning to school who are PG&E customers at the time of application. Applicants must plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study for the entire 2021-2022 academic year and be seeking their first undergraduate degree at an accredited four-year institution in California.

Students enrolled in the following majors are eligible:

- Engineering (electrical, mechanical, industrial, environmental, power and/or energy)
- Computer Science, Information Systems or Cyber Security

Environmental Sciences

Scholarships will be awarded based on academic achievement, demonstrated participation and leadership in school and community activities, and financial need. Awards will be announced in August. Interested applicants can learn more and apply at www.pge.com/en_US/residential/in-your-community/education-programs/grants-and-scholarships/scholarship-opportunities/scholarship-opportunities.page.

Better Together STEM Scholarship Application Deadline: Tuesday, Jun 1 www.pge.com/en_US/residential/in-your-community/education-programs/grants-andscholarships/scholarship-opportunities.page

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Suspect sought for home invasion

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES, FREMONT PD

Since the beginning of April, Special Operations Detectives assigned to gun violence reduction, have been searching for 20-year-old Gerardo Landa-Sandoval of East Palo Alto. Robbery Detectives had identified Landa-Sandoval as one of the suspects who attempted to force entry into an apartment at the Mosaic Apartments on 03/10/21. During the incident, a 19-year-old associate of Landa-Sandoval was shot and killed by a resident from inside of the apartment.

Landa-Sandoval and several other suspects fled the scene after the shooting.

On 04/20/21, undercover Detectives located Landa-Sandoval near the San Francisco Airport and contacted the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office (SMCSO) for assistance. SMCSO Deputies were able to detain him without incident. FPD Detectives took custody of Landa-Sandoval and searched his vehicle which resulted in the recovery of a loaded handgun. A follow up search warrant was conducted at his residence and additional ammunition was recovered.

Landa-Sandoval was arrested for home invasion robbery, conspiracy, and possession of a loaded/concealed firearm. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail with a bail of \$240,000. The District Attorney's

Office charged Landa-Sandoval with home invasion robbery in concert while armed with a firearm, and his bail was reduced to \$135,000 at his 04/23/21 arraignment. At a 04/27/21 plea hearing, Landa-Sandoval's bail was further reduced to \$62,500 which he posted to secure his release.

Robbery Detectives have also identified 20-year-old Lajon Harris as another outstanding home invasion suspect from the 03/10/21 incident. Harris is currently wanted on a home invasion robbery warrant and efforts to locate and arrest him have been unsuccessful. On 05/05/21, Detectives conducted a search of Harris's residence in Stockton with negative results. Detectives are requesting the assistance of

those familiar with Harris to provide information that will lead to his arrest. Harris is known to frequent the areas of Stockton, East Palo Alto, Menlo Park, and San Francisco.

A pre-trial hearing is scheduled for 07/22/21 for both Landa-Sandoval and Harris for their involvement in the home invasion robbery which resulted in the death of their associate.

If you have information regarding Lajon Harris, please contact Det. Troy Roberts at 510-790-6900 or troberts@fremont.gov. Information and tips can also be submitted on various platforms including anonymously at: https://fremontpolice.gov/TIP

San Leandro Police Log

SUBMITTED BY SAN LEANDRO PD

Monday, May 3

• At 1:00 a.m. officers responded to a family's request for a welfare check on a husband and wife in a residential area. After arriving, officers found a male and female suffering from fatal gunshot wounds in what appeared to be a domestic violence murder-suicide. An investigation is continuing and the identities of the deceased have not been released

Fremont Fire Department Log

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT FIRE DEPARTMENT

Tuesday, May 4

• At 4:26 p.m. firefighters responded to an 18-wheeler car carrier fire on southbound I-880, north of Thornton Avenue. The cab was well involved with extension to a passenger vehicle on the top part of the carrier. The driver sustained minor injuries, was evaluated at the scene and declined additional medical treatment; two dogs died in the fire. There were no reports of other injuries. The fire department response included Battalion 6, Engine 56, Engine 58, Water Tender 53 and Truck 51 for fuel recovery.

BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY LES MENSINGER AND BART PD

Saturday, May 1

- While aboard a train at 10:43 a.m. a man identified by police as Christopher Boyle, 38, of San Francisco was detained by officers on suspicion of narcotics activity. A search reveled narcotics and drug paraphernalia. A record check showed an outstanding \$2,500 warrant issued in Marin County for a weapons violation. Boyle was arrested at Warm Springs/South Fremont station and booked at Santa Rita Jail.
- At 2:43 p.m. a man identified by police as Andre Powell, 42, of Pittsburg was detained at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of fare evasion. A record check showed he had a no-bail felony warrant issued by the Department of Corrections. He was arrested and booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Sunday, May 2

- At 7:49 a.m. a man identified by police as Ahmad Sibley, 44, of Oakland was arrested at Fremont station on suspicion of fare evasion and probation violation at Fremont station. He was booked into
- At 5:53 p.m. a man identified by police as Alejandro Rosales, 25, of Union City was arrested at Union City station on suspicion of fare evasion and an outstanding misdemeanor warrant for possession of a controlled substance. He was booked at Fremont City Jail.

Monday, May 3

- At 5:14 a.m. a man identified by police at Robert Ross, 40, of Oakland was arrested at Fremont station on an outstanding no-bail felony warrant charging a sex offense. He was booked into Fremont
- At 11:29 a.m. a woman identified by police as Monique Lewis, 45, of Livermore was arrested at San Leandro station on suspicion of battery, battery on public transit property and battery on a peace officer. She was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Milpitas Police Log

SUBMITTED BY MILPITAS PD

Saturday, April 24

• At 9:08 a.m. an officer found a stolen Honda Accord from Vallejo near the 300 block of Ranch Dr. and arrested a 35-year-old Oakland resident associated with the vehicle. The suspect initially attempted to flee but was quickly taken into custody without incident. The suspect was booked into jail on suspicion of possessing a stolen vehicle with prior theft convictions, felony evasion, hit and run, possession of methamphetamine and destruction of evidence.

Sunday, April 25

• At 10:47 a.m. a citizen reported that multiple suspects were possibly burglarizing a vehicle near the

100-Block of Solar Ct. When officers arrived, they found a stolen Honda Accord from Milpitas and arrested a 36-year-old San Jose resident who had a loaded firearm. The suspect was booked into jail on suspicion of possessing of a stolen vehicle, possession of an illegal firearm, burglary tools, methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia.

Friday, April 30

• At 4:25 p.m. officers responded to a report of a vandalism in progress near the 440 block of W. Calaveras Blvd. When officers arrived, a 36-year-old San Jose resident attempted to flee in a vehicle but was quickly taken into custody without incident. The suspect was booked into jail on suspicion of DUI, illegal possession of a firearm, and resisting arrest.

Ohlone College Campus Police Log

SUBMITTED BY OHLONE COLLEGE PD

Wednesday, May 5

 At 5:10 p.m. campus police received a citizen report about a man possibly armed with a gun seen near a pond on campus. Police enforced a campus lockdown while they investigated, assisted by the Fremont Police Department. Ultimately, it was discovered the person had a toy/prop gun which was being used for a student film project.

Hayward Police Log

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD PD

Sunday, April 25

• At 8:35 p.m. a suspect approached a person near the 800 block of Hancock St. and robbed them at gunpoint and then fled the scene. The suspect was later located by officers and taken into custody.

Monday, April 26

- At 1:45 a.m. officers located an occupied stolen vehicle near the 300 block of W. Tennyson Road and made a traffic stop. The driver was taken into cus-
- At 2:17 a.m. firefighters and officers responded to a report of garbage cans on fire near the 23000 block of Hesperian Blvd. The fires were extinguished, and no suspects were immediately located.

Wednesday, April 28

• At 9:23 p.m. several suspects approached a person in the 900 block of Torrano Ave. A weapon was brandished and the person was robbed before the suspects fled the scene.

Saturday, May 1

- At 7:30 a.m. a male was standing outside his vehicle near the 26000 block of Tyrrell Ave. when a person approached him and carjacked the vehicle and fled the scene.
- At 3:21 p.m. a man identified by police as Craig Sickler, 56, of Oakland was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on an outstanding no-bail felony warrant charging a sex offence and trespassing. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.
- At 6:49 p.m. a person identified by police as Tajarri Williams, 28, of Sacramento was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of possessing a controlled substance and on a \$25,000 warrant held by Santa Cruz County. Williams was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Tuesday, May 4

• At 2:00 p.m. a man identified by police as Gregory Soto, 50, of Oakland was arrested at Union City station on suspicion of battery on a transit driver, public intoxication and probation violation. A prohibition order was issued and he was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Friday, May 7

• At 8:37 a.m. a man identified by police as Michael Washington, 46, was arrested at Fremont station on suspicion of violating a court order to stay away from BART. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

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Park It

By NED MACKAY

As the East Bay's parklands heat up in the summer sun, a great place to cool off is Point Pinole Regional Shoreline in Richmond Air-conditioned by breezes from San Pablo Bay, Point Pinole has lots to offer. Its 2,400-plus acres preserve and protect a fascinating cultural and natural history.

Here is how to get there. The park has three main entrances - all off Richmond Parkway. One is at the end of Atlas Road, another is on Giant Highway, and the Dotson Family Marsh entrance is at the end of Goodrick Avenue.

The point has a long and colorful history. Its original

inhabitants were the Huchiun Ohlone tribe, who lived in what is now San Pablo, but had a temporary camp at Point Pinole where they stayed while gathering shellfish and other food. With the arrival of Europeans, the land was used for ranching and farming. In the late 1800s there was a Croatian fishing village in the present Cook's Point Trail.

The most unusual use of the area was dynamite manufacture. Between 1880 and 1960, the point was home to four explosives manufacturing companies. In part this was because public outcry after major production-related explosions elsewhere prompted the dynamite companies to seek out a more remote location for their

Giant Powder, later bought by Atlas Powder Company,

constructed a company town at Point Pinole. Rail lines crisscrossed the property, transporting product to a railroad station and pier for shipping to customers. Some of the rails were wooden, to reduce the chance of sparking. Eucalyptus groves were planted as a buffer in case of explosions. In all, two billion pounds of dynamite and nitroglycerine were manufactured at the point.

Eventually the introduction of ammonium nitrate as a new explosive cheaper to produce put an end to dynamite manufacture. Atlas Powder closed its Point Pinole operation in 1960 and sold the land to Bethlehem Steel Company. Bethlehem Steel tore down most of the buildings and cleaned up the debris. But it never followed through on its plans for a steel plant. In 1971 East Bay

Regional Park District bought the first properties for today's park.

All that remains as evidence of the park's explosive past are building foundations and earthen berms where the dynamite was stored. There is also a black powder press exhibited on the

The park offers beautiful views of San Pablo Bay, East Bay shoreline, and Mt. Tamalpais in Marin County across the way. About 12 miles of trails lead along the shorelines and through the eucalyptus groves out to a 1,250-foot fishing pier. The terrain is mostly flat, for those who prefer more mild exercise. No dogs on the pier, please.

A license is required to fish along the shore, but none is needed to fish from the pier.

Possible catches include sturgeon, striped bass, bay rays, leopard sharks, perch, and flounder. Check the rules posted at the pier entrance for size and take regula-

Lots of nice picnic areas are available in the park. And it is a great locale for birding, along the shoreline or in the groves. An overnight group camp is available by reservation. For the full story, visit the park district website, www.ebparks.org.

Be sure to check the park district website for the status of facilities before your visit to any regional park. Although some visitor centers are now open on weekends, you may need to make reservations online before you go.

Milpitas City Council

May 4, 2021

Proclamations:

• The month of May was proclaimed as National Mental Health Awareness Month, Older Americans Month, Asian Pacific American Heritage Month, and Economic Development Month.

Announcements:

- There will be two mobile COVID Vaccination clinics held during this week.
- Neighborhood Beautification Day will be held on May 22.

Consent Calendar:

- Amended Milpitas Municipal Code relating to off-street parking requirements for hotels and other lodging uses.
- Adopted Project Street Resurfacing 2020-2021 and Project Street Resurfacing 2021-2022, to be Funded by SB1 The Road Repair and Accountability Act of 2017 Funding. Awarded Construction Contract to DeSilva Gates Construction, LP for Street Resurfacing Project 2021.

- Authorized the City Manager to Execute Two Agreements and related amendments with the County of Santa Clara for (1) Collection of AB939 Implementation Fees and for (2) Administration of the Countywide Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Program covering July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2024.
- Authorized the City Manager to execute an agreement with Executive Facilities Services for Daytime Custodial Services.
- Authorized the City Manager to execute McCandless Property Joint Use Agreement between the Milpitas Unified School District and the City of Milpitas.
- Adopted modifications to the City Council's Alcoholic Beverage Purchase and Consumption Policy.
- Authorized the Mayor to sign a letter of opposition to Santa Clara Valley Water District's increases to Groundwater Production Charges.

Public Hearings:

• The Planning Commission had denied an application to establish a Coin Operated Car Wash on Main Street. Following a public hearing the appeal against that denial was upheld by the Council on a 3 - 2 vote. (Aye: Tran,

Montano, Chua; Nay: Phan, Dominguez). A resolution approving the Car Wash will be brought at the next Council meeting.

• Following a public hearing approved the Fiscal Year 2021-22 Master Fee Schedule. (Dominguez – absent)

Community Services and Sustainable

• Received an Update and Presentation from Santa Clara Valley Water District Staff on Flood Protection Projects within the City of Milpitas.

Community Development:

• Received a report on the Community Identification and Brand Study (Phase II). Provided direction to staff on the Community Mark/Logo for Citywide use. Provided direction to staff on the evaluation and exploration of the City Seal/The Minuteman.

Rich Tran (Mayor) Aye Carmen Montano (Vice Mayor) Aye Anthony Phan Nay 1 Aye Karina Dominguez Nay 1 Aye Absent 1 Evelyn Chua Aye

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF FREMONT PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FREMONT WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSALS. THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD VIA A TELECONFERENCE ON THURSDAY, MAY 27, 2021, AT 7:00 P.M. THIS PUBLIC HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD IN-PERSON. A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE LOCATION WILL NOT BE PROVIDED FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING. THE CITY HAS DEEMED IT NECESSARY IN THE INTEREST OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO LIMIT THE ATTENDANCE OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLIES TO PREVENT OR MITIGATE THE EFFECTS OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19). ACCORDINGLY, SAID PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA TELECONFERENCING AND MADE ACCESSIBLE TELEPHONICALLY OR OTHERWISE ELECTRONICALLY TO IMPOSE AND PROMOTE SOCIAL DISTANCING UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER N-25-20, AS AMENDED. INFORMATION ON HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING BY TELECONFERENCE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE MEETING AGENDA POSTED ONLINE AT FREMONT.GOV/PLANNINGCOMMISSION AT LEAST THREE DAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

STRATEGIC BODYWORK SOLUTIONS - 39210 State Street, Suite 120 - PLN2021-00210 - To consider a Conditional Use Permit to offer full-body, therapeutic massage services within an 89 square foot office of an existing chiropractor practice, located in the Central Community Plan Area, and to find that the project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guideline 15301, Existing Facilities.

Project Planner - Marc Cleveland, (510) 494-4543, mcleveland@fremont.gov

PACIFIC COMMONS SOUTH DA ANNUAL REVIEWS - 5780 Bunche Drive - PLN2021-00294 and PLN2021-00351 - To consider Development Agreement (DA) Annual Reviews for the Pacific Commons South Project's East and West Parcel DAs, consisting of 2.53million square feet of industrial

buildings and 100,000 square feet of auto mall buildings on 153 acres located on both sides of Cushing Parkway south of Nobel and Bunche Drive and west of Christy Street in the Bayside Industrial Community Plan Area, and to consider a finding that no environmental review is required pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) as the annual review does not constitute a project as defined by CEQA

Project Planner - Courtney Pal, (510) 494-4532, cpal@fremont.gov

TOLL METRO WEST CONDITION OF APPROVAL AMENDMENT - 44862 South Grimmer

<u>Boulevard – PLN2021-00333</u> – To consider an amendment to a conditional of approval for construction phasing and build out of the Toll Metro West Discretionary Design Review Permit and Vesting Tentative Tract Map, on property located at the northwest corner of South Grimmer Boulevard and Old Warm Springs Boulevard in the South Fremont Community Plan Area, and to consider a finding that no further environmental review is required pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Sections 15153(a) and 15183, and Public Resources Code Section 21083.3 as a Final Environmental Impact Report (SCH#2013032062) was previously certified for the Warm Springs/South Fremont Community Plan, and a CEQA compliance checklist was prepared for the subsequent Old Warm Springs Boulevard South Master Plan, of which the proposed project is a conforming part.

Project Planner - David Wage, (510) 494-4447, dwage@fremont.gov

* NOTICE *

If you challenge the decision of the Planning Commission in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

> JOEL PULLEN, AICP, SECRETARY FREMONT PLANNING COMMISSION



CIVIL

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. HG21097143
Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA Petition of: NINA SENIARAY for Change of Name TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner NINA SENIARAY filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: NINA SENIARAY to SARABJIT KAUR
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

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 court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:

Date: 06-18-2021, Time: 11AM, Dept.: 17, Room:

The address of the court is 1221 OAK ST, OAKLAND, CA 94612
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: WHATS HAPPENING.

Date: APRIL 19, 2021 JUDGE DESAUTELS Judge of the Superior Court 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1/21

CNS-3468323#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS **NAMES**

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL OF PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME BUSINESS NAME File No. 559565

The following person(s) has/have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the Fictitious Business Name: The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the Partnership was filed on 05/23/2019 in the County

of Alameda.

NATIONAL MACHINING & ENGINEERING, 42285 OSGOOD ROAD UNIT C, FREMONT, CA 94539, County of: ALAMEDA.

Registered Owner(s):
PAT CHAN, 4911 PASEO PADRE PKWY, FREMONT, CA 94555 L declare that all information in this statement is

FREMION I, CA 94355
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section 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/ PAT CHAN This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on APRIL 12, 2021. 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/21

CNS-3467061#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 578216 Fictitious Business Name(s):

Fictitious Business Name(s): GIFT GALLERY SUSAN KATHERINE QUERNER, 4363 CORRIGAN DRIVE, FREMONT, CA 94536, County of ALAMEDA Registrant(s): SUSAN KATHERINE QUERNER, 4363

SUSAN KATHERINE QUERNER, 4505 CORRIGAN DRIVE, FREMONT, CA 94536 Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on

declare that all information in this statement

I declare that all 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/ SUSAN KATHERINE QUERNER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on APRIL 19, 2021
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in 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. 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 anothe under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/21

CNS-3466741#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 577835
Fictitious Business Name(s):
EL PATRON TRUCKING, 319 HURLEY DR.,
HAYWARD, CA 94544, County of ALAMEDA
Registrant(s):

SAR ARMANDO FUENTES ALVAREZ.319

HURLEY DR., HAYWARD, CA 94544, Count

HURLEY DR., HAYWARD, CA 94544, County of ALAMEDA Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all 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].)

Is/ CESAR ARMANDO FUENTES ALVAREZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on MAR 31, 2021

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The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 1421, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18/21

CNS-3462663#

GOVERNMENT

PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Planning Commission of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering

AT-21-002 Union City is seeking an amendment to Chapte 18.39, Union Landing Commercial, Zoning District to modify sub-area descriptions and update the list of permitted and conditional uses to provide for additional uses within the various sub-areas.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the project is categorically exempt per Section 15061(b)(3), the general exemption for projects with no potential for significant effect on the environment, of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA This item will be heard at a public hearing by the Planning Commission at the meeting listed below In Person Participation Prohibited due to Public

Health Emergency, comments may be submitted in writing prior to the hearing or at the hearing consistent with the Teleconference Guidelines The project planner, Carmela Campbell, can be reached at (510) 675-5316 or via email at carmelac@unioncity.org.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING Thursday, May 27, 2020

Said hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m. Via Teleconference

The Planning Commission meeting packet and instructions on how to virtually attend the meeting and provide your comments can be found at https://www.unioncity.org/199/City-Meetings-

Meeting packets which includes the meeting agenda and staff report are generally available on-line the Friday before the meeting.

If you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Planning Commission public hearing for this project or the City Council public hearing, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or to the City Council at, or prior to the public hearing.

Economic & Community Development Director 5/11/21 CARMELA CAMPBELL, AICP

CNS-3469680#

NOTICE is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Union City will hold a Public Hearing for the purpose of considering:
Biennial Operating Budget for FY 21/22 and FY 22/23 for the City of Union City and Establishing an Appropriations (Gann) Limit for Fiscal Year 2019-20; Five-Year Capital Improvement Projects (CIP) for the Biennial Budget, FY 2021/2022 To FY 2025/2026

Public Hearing: Submittal of Proposed Budget

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Following the Public Hearing, the City Council may take such action as it deems appropriate. The Recommended Budget and materials will be available for inspection the no later than 5:00 p.m. May 21, 2021 on the City's website at: https://www.unioncity.org/199/City-Meetings-Video. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments prior to, and may testify at, the Public Hearing. All comments will be considered by the City Council.
/S:/ Anna M. Brown, CMC
City Clerk
Published: May 11, 2021 and May 25, 2021
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CITY OF FREMONT PUBLIC NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

The City Council of the City of Fremont hereby The City Council of the City of Fremont hereby gives notice, in accordance with its Resolutions of Intention (shown below), that the City Council will conduct a public hearing to consider the restructuring and reassessment of Fremont Landscaping District 88 for the 2021/22 assessments. If the restructure and reassessment ballot fails, then City Council will conduct a public hearing to consider the levy and collection of annual assessments for the 2021/22 fiscal year for Fremont Landscaping Assessment District 88.

RESOLUTION DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO ORDER THE RESTRUCTURING AND
REASSESSMENT OF LANDSCAPE
ASSESSMENT DISTRICT 88, AND TO LEVY
AND COLLECT ASSESSMENTS FOR FISCAL
YEAR 2021/22

RESOLUTION STATING THE INTENT TO LEVY AND COLLECT ASSESSMENTS FOR LANDSCAPING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT 88 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021/22

(Pursuant to the Landscaping and Lighting Act of

The City Council of the City of Fremont Resolves

- ^1. The City Council intends to restructure and reassess Fremont Landscaping Assessment District 88 for fiscal year 2021/22. If approved by property owners the adjustment to assessments will establish new max assessments with an annual escalation factor The District is located in the City of Fremont
- ^1. If the restructuring and reassessment ballot process fails, the City Council intends to levy and collect the current assessments within Fremont Landscaping Assessment District 88 for the fiscal year 2021/22. The District is located in the City of Fremont, Alameda
- ^1. The improvements are generally described as follows: Maintenance of landscaping strips and open space areas including trees, shrubs, ground cover, and automatic irrigation systems generally extending from the curb to the property line.
- ^1. In accordance with the City Council's resolution ordering the preparation and filing of an Engineer's Report, Harris and Associates has filed with the City Clerk, an annual report and a restructure and reassessment report as required by the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 and Proposition 218 respectively All interested persons are referred to those reports for a full and detailed description of the improvements, the boundaries of the assessment district and the proposed assessments upon assessable lots and parcels of land within the assessment district.
- ^1. On Tuesday, the 6th day of July 2021, at the hour of 7:00 o'clock P.M., the City Council will conduct a public hearing and then take action regarding confirming the restructure and reassessment, as well as the annual Engineer's Report and levying assessments for Fiscal Year 2021/22. The public hearing will be held in the Fremont City Council Chambers, 3300 Capitol Avenue, Fremont, California.

^1. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to give the notice of public meeting and public hearing required by the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 and Proposition 218.

For additional information or to review the report email afreeman@fremont.gov CNS-3469373#

UNION SANITARY DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CAPACITY

5/11/21

UNION SANITARY DISTRICT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CAPACITY
FEES
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to
Section 5474 of the Health and Safety Code and
Sections 66013 et seq. of the Government Code of
the State of California and Union Sanitary District
Ordinance No. 35, the Board of Directors of the
Union Sanitary District ("Board") will consider
adopting the Capacity Fee Ordinance No. 35.23.
Ordinance No. 35.23 would set the Capacity
Fees to be charged for Fiscal Years 2022-2026.
All categories of capacity fees for connection
to the sanitary sewer system are proposed to
increase over the same 5-year period and are
outlined in the updated Capacity Fee Study, dated
April 2021. The Capacity Fee for a single-family
dwelling connection to the sanitary sewer system
is proposed to increase to approximately \$9,331
beginning in FY 2022. Copies of the proposed
Capacity Fee Study and Ordinance No. 35.23 will
be available for review at the office of the Union
Sanitary District, 5072 Benson Road, Union City.
California. The April 2021 Capacity Fee Study
can be reviewed online at unionsanitary.ca.gov/
capacity-fees can be reviewed online at unionsanitary.ca.gov

capacity-fees NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on Monday the 24th day of May 2021, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. the Board will hear and consider all oral p.m. the Board will hear and consider all oral or written presentations regarding the proposed Ordinance No. 35.23. To maximize public safety while still maintaining transparency and public access, members of the public may provide public comment by sending comments to the Board Clerk by email through the public comment portion of the meeting at assistanttogm@unionsanitary. ca.gov or via voicemail by calling 510-477-7599 before 3:00 p.m. on the date of the meeting. The agenda for this meeting, which will include remote access information, will be posted on the District Board Meetings web page 72 hours before the meeting at unionsanitary.ca.gov/meetings NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on Monday, the 24th day of May 2021, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. the Board will also consider increasing its fee for processing applicant's requests to review

fee for processing applicant's requests to review capacity charges from \$25 to \$360. Members of the public nay access the meeting and provide public comment as specified above. public comme 5/11, 5/18/21

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received in the Office of Purchasing Services at 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg. B, Fremont, California, up to the hour of 2:00 PM on May 20, 2021 Due to the extension of the Shelter in Place there will not be a public bid opening for this project. The bids will be opened by Purchasing and the initiating department representative. A preliminary bid result will be posted on the City's website the same day.

Year 3 Bikeway Improvements Project, PWC 8874-C

A PRE-BID CONFERENCE: There will be no Pre-Bid Conference scheduled for this project. Plans, special provisions and standard proposal forms to be used for bidding on this project can be obtained for a non-refundable fee at ARC Solutions located at 821 Martin Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050 or through Planwell at www.e-arc.com/location/santa-clara. Phone (408) 295-5770. No partial sets will be issued, cost is non-refundable. Call to confirm availability of copies before coming to pick up documents. For more information on this project, contact the City of Fremont Purchasing Department at jbecerra-scola@fremont.gov

Scola@fremont.gov JANICE BECERRA PURCHASING DIVISION CITY OF FREMONT 5/4, 5/11/21

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SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA RAPID TRANSIT DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE FISCAL YEAR 2022 ANNUAL BUDGET 9:00 a.m. Thursday, May 27, 2021 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT:

On Thursday, May 27, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. in the Board Room, 2040 Webster Street, Third Floor, Oakland, CA 94612, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Directors, the District will convene a hearing for the purpose of hearing comments regarding the fixing of the final Fiscal Year 2022 (FY22) budget.

(FY22) budget.

Pursuant to Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-29-20 and the California Shelter-in-Place mandate, public participation for this public hearing will be via teleconference only. Log-in instructions for a teleconferenced public hearing will be available on the BART website (www.

instructions for a teleconferenced public hearing will be available on the BART website (www.bart.gov). The FY22 Annual Budget Budget information relating to the San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District's annual budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022, will be made available beginning May 11, 2021 to persons requesting them at the Office of the District Secretary, Twenty-Third Floor, 300 Lakeside Drive, Oakland, California, or to view on the BART website (www.bart.gov). The full Board of Directors will be asked to take action at a future meeting to approve the budget. For more information about the proposed budget, contact Pamela Herhold at 510-464-6168 or pherhol@bart.gov.

We strongly encourage public comments to be submitted via email. You may submit comments via email to board.meeting@bart.gov, using "public hearing" as the subject line. Your comment will be read into the record and will become a permanent part of the file. Please submit your comments as far in advance as possible. Emailed comments must be received before 9:00 a.m. in order to be included in the record.

Comments may be made at the hearing or should be sent to:

Comments may be made at the hearing or should Jacqueline Edwards, District Secretary

San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District 300 Lakeside Drive, 23rd Floor Oakland, California 94612

board.meeting@bart.gov Dated at Oakland, California, this 28th day of April, 2021. 5/4, 5/11/21

CNS-3466710#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
2021 WEED ABATEMENT PROGRAM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council
of the City of Newark at its virtual City Council
meeting of Thursday, May 27, 2021, at or near
7:00 p.m., will hold a public hearing to consider
property owners' objections to the 2021 Weed
Abatement Program and instruction to the
Superintendent of Streets to abate the public
nuisances.

A copy of Resolution No. 11101 designation

A copy of Resolution No. 11191 declaring weeds as a nuisance is on file in the office of the

City Clerk and is available on the City website at https://www.newark.org/departments/city-manager-s-office/agendas-minutes . Individual notices were mailed to the owners of the properties listed in the resolution. This virtual City Council meeting will be conducted utilizing teleconferencing and electronic means consistent with State of California Executive Order N-29-20 dated March 17, 2020, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. In accordance with Executive Order N-29-20, the public may view the meeting via Zoom or YouTube. The City Council Chambers will not be open to the public.

Details on how to participate in the meeting will be set forth in the meeting agenda which is anticipated to be posted by 5 pm on May 21, 2021 at https://www.newark.org/departments/city-manager-s-office/agendas-minutes . If you have any questions regarding viewing or participating in the meeting, after reviewing the posted agenda, then contact the City Clerk at city.clerk@newark. org. SHEILA HARRINGTON City Clerk 5/11/21

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PUBLIC NOTICE APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN TRADE SUBZONE EXPANSION LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION, NEWARK,

CALIFORNIA SAN JOSE FOREIGN TRADE ZONE #18 SAN JOSE FUREIGN ITABLE ZONE #16
The City of San Jose, Grantee of Foreign Trade
Zone #18, has applied to the U.S. Foreign Trade
Zones Board for a Foreign Trade Subzone
expansion for Lam Research Corporation,
operator of Subzone #18F. The application was
filed on April 14, 2021 pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign-Trade Zones Act and the regulations of the Board.

of the Board.
Subzone #18F consists of sites in Fremont,
Hayward, Livermore and Tracy, California. The
proposed Subzone expansion is to establish
a new 6.2-acre site at 6753 Mowry Avenue,
Newark, California. If approved, this site would be
designated as Site 17.
Public comment is invited from interested parties.
The closing period for public comment is lune.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. The closing period for public comment is June 1, 2021. Submissions shall be addressed to the Foreign Trade Zones Board Executive Secretary and sent to ftz@trade.gov.

A copy of the application is available in the "Reading Room" section of the Board's website, www.trade.gov/ftz . A notice of the application was published in the Federal Register on April 21, 2021, FR Doc. 2021-08260.

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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

ERIC LEUNG TSO AKA ERIC L. TSO CASE NO. RP21097397 CASE NO. RP21097397

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: ERIC LEUNG TSO AKA ERIC L. TSO

A Petition for Probate has been filed by SYLVIA C. TSO in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.

The Petition for Probate requests that SYLVIA C. TSO be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The Petition requests the decedent's will

and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. 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 on JUNE 28, 2021 at 2:00 P.M. in Dept. 201 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BEPKEL BY CA 04704

BERKELEY, CA 94704. MANDATORY REMOTE APPEARANCE: The Court requires all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

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 the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 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 provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk

Attorney for Petitioner: DAPHNE C. LIN, ESQ., TRUMP, ALIOTO, TRUMP & PRESCOTT, LLP, 2201 WALNUT AVENUE, SUITE 290, FREMONT, CA 94538, Telephone: 510-790-0900 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/21

CNS-3469877#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ROSELLER G. MIRANDA AKA ROSS G. MIRANDA CASE NO. RP21096564

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: ROSELLER G. MIRANDA A Petition for Probate has been filed by EDUARDO G. MIRANDA in the Superior

Court of California, County of ALAMEDA. The Petition for Probate requests that EDUARDO G. MIRANDA 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 on JUNE 16, 2021 at 9:45 A.M. in Dept. 202 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY,

BERKELEY, CA 94704.

MANDATORY REMOTE APPEARANCE: The Court requires all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state

PUBLIC NOTICES

objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

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

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 the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 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 provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the

court clerk.
Petitioner: EDUARDO G. MIRANDA, 5534 STARFIRE CIRCLE, FREMONT, CA 94538, Telephone: 510-552-6432 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/21

CNS-3469242#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF NANCY LYNN HOPPE AKA NANCY HOPPE CASE NO. RP21097267

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: NANCY LYNN HOPPE AKA NANCY HOPPE

A Petition for Probate has been filed by MICHAEL HOPPE AND DAWN HOPPE in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.

The Petition for Probate requests that MICHAEL HOPPE AND DAWN HOPPE be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The Petition requests authority administer the estate under 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

tne authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on 6/28/2021 at 2:00 P.M. in Dept. 201 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA

ne authority.

MANDATORY REMOTE APPEARANCE: The Court requires all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

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

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 the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or persona 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.

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Petitioner: MICHAEL HOPPE AND DAWN HOPPE, 120 PORTOLA DRIVE, APT 16, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94131, Telephone: 510-387-3872 5/11, 5/18, 5/25/21

CNS-3467857#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: SARAH E. WASHINGTON CASE NO. RP21097236

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of SARAH E. WASHINGTON. A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been

filed by DARRYL WASHINGTON in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that DARRYL WASHINGTON 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

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representative to take many actions
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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: 06/23/21 at 9:45AM in Dept. 202 located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. WAY, BERKELEY, CA

MANDATORY REMOTE APPEARANCE The Court requires all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes

must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

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 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 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 section 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 to the control of the 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) request for special Notice (form DE-194) 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 THOMAS S. WROBEL - SBN 189389

T.S. WROBEL LAW GROUP, PC 870 MARKET STREET, SUITE 645 SAN FRANCISCO CA 94102 5/4, 5/11, 5/18/21

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF EDWARD BURNS AKA EDWARD LEON **BURNS AKA EDWARD L. BURNS**

CASE NO. RP21094109

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: EDWARD BURNS AKA EDWARD LEON BURNS AKA EDWARD IRLIBNS BURNS

L. BURNS
A Petition for Probate has been filed by ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.
The Petition for Probate requests that ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on JULY 22, 2021 at 1:30 P.M. in Dept. 201 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704.

2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704.

MANDATORY REMOTE APPEARANCE: The Court requires all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

If you object to the granting of the petition,

you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections our objections or file written 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 the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 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 provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Petitioner: P.O. BOX 2071, OAKLAND, CA

94604, Telephone: 510-577-1979 4/27, 5/4, 5/11/21 CNS-3463474#

PUBLIC AUCTION/SALES

NOTICE OF AUCTION SELF STORAGE LIEN SALE

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE CALIFORNIA SELF-STORAGE FACILITY ACT BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE, SECTIONS 21700°21716. THERE BEING DUE AND UNPAID RENT, STORAGE CHARGES, FEES AND COST, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE GOODS WHICH ARE STORED AR FREMONT MINI STORAGE WILL BE SOLD BY UNIT AND PUBLIC AUCTION, AT 45252 INDUSTRIAL DR., FREMONT, CA 94538. ON WWW.STORAGETREASURES.COM BY ONLY COMPETITIVE BID ENDING AFTER 12 PM MAY 18TH AND ANY DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED AT AUCTION UNTIL ALL GOODS ARE SOLD OR UNTUL THE LIEN IS SATISDIED UNLESSS THE CHARGES ARE PAID BEFORE THAT TIME. THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF ARTICLES OF HOUSEHOLD AND BUSINESS PROPERTY STORED BY THE FOLOWING PARTIES: NAME: RITU P. MEHTA DESCRIPTION OF ITEMS: PLASTIC CONTAINERS, MISC, BOXES, STEP LADDER, HAND TRUCK, KITCHEN ITEMS, CLOTHING, FLOOWING, MISC, FURNITURE ROBERTA ESGUERRA, MANAGER FREMONT MINI STORAGE TEKEPHONE (510)657-1555 AUCTIONEER: WWW.STORAGETREASURES. COM (480) 397-6503 5/4, 5/11/21

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TRUSTEE SALES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-19-871323-SH Order No.: 191155662-CA-VOI YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUSTDATED 5/22/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or rederal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-19the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): AHMED ALI AND AFROZA ALI, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS Recorded: 5/30/2007 as Instrument No. 2007/202804 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of ALAMEDA County, California; Date of Sale: 6/22/2021 at 12:00PM Place of Sale: At the Fallon Street emergency exit to the Alameda County Courthouse, located at 1225 Fallon St., Oakland, CA 94612 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$536,236.96 The purported property address is: 1084 LA BREA TERRACE UNIT 93, UNION CITY, CA 94587 Assessor's Parcel No.: 475-0061-120-00 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a

court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the If applicable, the rescrieduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 916-939-0772 for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this internet website http://www.qualityloan.com, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-19-871323-SH. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 916-939-0772. or visit this internet website http://www.qualityloan.com, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-19-871323-SH to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to labora. trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee escale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustee. Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 2763 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 916-939-0772 Or Login to: http://www.qualityloan.com Reinstatement Line: (666) 645-7711 Ext 5318 Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: CA-19-871323-SH IDSPub #0173558 5/4/2021 5/11/2021 5/18/2021 5/4, 5/11, 5/18/21

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LEGAL NOTICES

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Notice is hereby given that Bank of the West, headquartered at 180 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, 94104, has filed with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, an application to establish and operate a new branch to be located at 46691 Mission Boulevard, Fremont, California 94539.

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Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the regional director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at the FDIC office, 25 Jessie Street at Ecker Square, Suite 2300, San Francisco, California, 94105, within 15 days after the date of publication of this notice. The non-confidential portions of the application file are on file in the regional office and are available for public inspection during regular business hours. Photocopies of non-confidential portions of the application file will be made available upon request. request. Published pursuant to Section 303.7 and 303.44

Published pursuant to Section 305.7 and 305.44 of the rules and regulations of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Bank of the West By: Elizabeth Young Senior Paralegal Assistant Vice President

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Fremont AAUW Awards Scholarships

SUBMITTED BY RANDY FEWEL

Fremont AAUW Foundation Treasurer, Kathy McDonald presented a check for \$7500 to Binh Nguyen, Executive Director, and Brandon Stewart, Administrative Assistant, from the Ohlone College Foundation. The funds will be awarded to the following students, winners of the 2021 AAUW Local Scholarships.

Satareh Harsamizadeh Tehrani has won a \$4000 AAUW scholarship and will transfer to Santa Clara University to study public health in order to become a healthcare professional who advocates for public policies that will overcome health inequities in minority communities.

Dhoha Bareche has won a \$2000 AAUW scholarship and will transfer to UC Berkeley to study International Studies with a focus in History and Communications in order to eventually have a career as a journalist who reports on foreign affairs.

Hannah Brown and Mishelle Montez-Clarke will each receive a \$750 AAUW scholarship to continue their studies at Ohlone. Hannah's long-term goal is to earn a biomedical engineering degree. Mishelle's long-term goal is to become a college professor teaching communication

Advisory Redistricting Commission Accepting Applications

County of Santa Clara seeks applicants for 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission to begin the redistricting effort to redraw the county's five supervisorial district boundaries that occurs after every decennial census. Applications are due no later than June 1 and can be completed online.

Board of Supervisors has established the formation of a 15-member commission to hold virtual public hearings and mapping sessions, collect community input, and recommend to the board updated placement of the supervisorial district boundaries. Every 10 years, the County redraws district boundaries, considering population changes reflected in the census.

"Now is the time for people in our community to participate in a dynamic, exciting public process," said County of Santa Clara Board of Supervisors President Mike Wasserman. "The Advisory Commission members will serve a critical role in gathering community feedback as they develop updated district boundaries and draw mapping that ensures

fair representation."

The redistricting process framework, approved by the Board on April 6, takes into consideration unusual time constraints faced during this decennial census. The U.S. Census Bureau is expected to finish processing 2020 Census data by September 30, which is six months later than the original anticipated date of completion and significantly reduces the timeframe for district map updates.

Taking into consideration the time constraints, the county has developed a six-month redistricting process that includes appointing advisory commissioners in June and July; holding commission meetings beginning in July; scheduling public hearings and mapping sessions in August through October; and conducting Board review and approval in December. Per state law, redistricting must be completed no later than December 15, and be in place before the next election cycle, so that candidates and voters know in

which district they reside. The board approved a three-step process to ensure appointment of a diverse 15-member advisory commission that includes:

• Five commissioners, one from each supervisorial district, will be randomly selected from qualified applicants and announced on June 9.

• Five members will be nominated, one by each supervisor, from the remaining pool of qualified applications from their respective district and appointed by the board on June 22.

• Ten commissioners appointed during the first two steps of the process will select the remaining five members in July, one from each district, from a pool of applicants residing in each supervisorial district.

Individuals interested in serving as a 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commissioner must meet specific qualifications, which include:

- Must be a registered voter in Santa Clara County
- Must not be an elected official of the county, or a family member, staff member, or paid campaign staff of an elected official of the county
 - Must have the ability to serve

Help India defeat COVID-19

SUBMITTED BY INDIA COMMUNITY CENTER

India is experiencing an unimaginable catastrophe with rapidly escalating number of COVID-19 infections and casualties daily. Our hearts go out to all the people battling this invisible enemy and we yearn to help assist them during these very challenging times. To help you support India in dealing with this unprecedented situation of mega proportions, we recommend the following organizations who are all doing an amazing job helping those impacted by this pandemic all

Indiaspora: a global Indian diasporic organization https://www.indiaspora.org; Chalo Give, COVID Relief In India

Sewa International USA: an international service organization; Help India defeat COVID-19 https://sewausa.org/Covid-19-India

Indians for Collective Action (ICA): is a San Francisco Bay Area nonprofit group. https://icaonline.org/. Support their "COVID Disaster Relief Fund" to help in the Battle against COVID's second wave. https://icaonline.org/pages/payment/index.php

Ratna Global's Fundraiser: https://ratnaglobal.org/project/COVID-

American India Foundation: catalyzing social & economic change #AIFCOVID19 Response https://aif.org

American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin Northern California chapter: www.aapio.org. Donate by PayPal (AAPIO registered account - president@aapio.org). Check to AAPIO, 525 Los Coches St, Milpitas, CA 95035, USA

SaveLife Foundation (SLF): an NGO, is helping Delhi Govt. in provisioning of life saving equipment and oxygen related infrastructure. http://bit.ly/donate-lifesaving-equipment

Ketto's Mission Oxygen: Help India Breathe again https://www.ketto.org/fundraiser/mission-oxygen-helping-hospitals-tosave-lives

Give India: https://covid.giveindia.org/

from June through December and participate in all meetings of the commission.

- Must not be a candidate for an elective office of the county or serve as an appointed officer of the county (including service on another board or commission).
- Must possess experience that demonstrates the ability to comprehend and apply the applicable state and federal legal requirements.

To get more details or to complete the application online, visit www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting. To request paper application, email 2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org. Santa Clara County Advisory

Commission Application Deadline: 9 a.m.

Tuesday, Jun 1 www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting 2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org

2021 track season begins

By MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Newark Memorial Cougars hosted its first track meet of the season on May 7th in a meet with the American Eagles (Fremont) and John F. Kennedy Titans (Fremont). Following the COVID layoff, it was an exciting moment to finally watch very competitive teams on the track again.





Summer basketball camp registration opens

SUBMITTED BY DARRYL REINA

The 2021 Cougars Girls Summer Basketball Camp, designed for girls 7-15 years of age, will be held at the Silliman Activity Center Gymnasium, 6800 Mowry Avenue, Newark, July 12 – 16 (Monday - Friday), 9:00 am - 12 Noon.

Areas of focus will be placed on shooting, passing, ball-handling, footwork/agility, and individual & team defense. Each player will have "FUN" and the opportunity to improve skills, as well as develop an increased enjoyment for the game. The camper-to-coach ratio will be approximately 6:1.

Campers will be divided into groups by age and ability to ensure that each player will have the opportunity to work on skills that pertain to their level of play. Players will also have a chance to win "daily prizes." The camp will be directed by Darryl Reina, Newark Memorial Girls' Varsity Basketball Coach, Staff, & Players.

The fee is \$99 for Newark residents, and \$108 for non-residents.

Registration: https://www.newark.org/departments/recreation-and-community-services/view-activities-register-online

Ohlone Renegades





Ohlone Renegades scored first and often in May 6 doubleheader sweep over Cabrillo Seahawks (Aptos) **PHOTOS BY DON JEDLOVEC**







to find it especially difficult to recover. Sun Gallery was one non-profit that was struggling, but miraculously managed to keep on shining after the pandemic's effects, even after a fire destroyed part of their facility.

Repurposing the Hayward Recreation Department's main office in 1976, Sun Gallery provided visual art exhibitions and educational programs to Bay Area artists like Mel Ramos and Nathan Olivera.

Like many other businesses, when COVID-19 spread to the United States, Sun Gallery had to close its doors on March 15, 2020. A short time later, on April 9, local residents heard an explosion near the gallery. While the fires were extinguished before they reached the main building, half of the artwork in the



residents that reflected the diverse cultural populations of Hayward and neighboring communities. Notable events included helping abused women recover from traumas with free art sessions, and a Life to Art exhibit in 2018, with artwork from world-renowned Portuguese-American

gallery's shed was affected by fire and water damage resulting in a total of \$20,000's worth of damages. Fortunately, no casualties were reported.

Because Sun Gallery lost approximately \$50,000 of their usual revenue from



membership fees and programs like field trips, it was difficult to recover from this fire and COVID-19's impact. However, with support from the community including grants, fundraisers and donations from anonymous donors and organizations such as the Hayward Arts Council and Adobe Arts Inc., Sun Gallery was able to recover.

"My mentor used to tell me that people can get through tough times with art," gallery director Dorsi Diaz reminisces.
"The Hayward Sun Gallery is a place that constantly showed me that, and the place has really saved my life so many times.
Words cannot fully describe how very grateful I am for all the support the community has given us, since they allowed us to continue doing what we love."

While activities like birthday parties and field trips are still on hold, current efforts are directed toward polishing the 8th annual Climate Change exhibit, subtitled "A Compassionate Connection," which opened on April 23 and will

continue to run until June 5. According to the Sun Gallery website, this exhibit focuses on compassion toward all living beings. Admission to this exhibit is free.

Upcoming plans for Sun Gallery include a Pop Surrealist exhibit and an outdoor gold-panning program – "Sunny's Claim" - that focuses on the history of Northern California. Submission dates for their next show have yet to be determined but the gallery is currently inviting volunteers to apply.

Climate Change: A Compassionate Connection Until Saturday, Jun 5 Friday – Sunday; 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.

> Sun Gallery 1015 E St., Hayward (510) 581-4050 http://sungallery.org/ sungallery@comcast.net