

Trump Administration Contemplating Shutting San Bernardino Mexican Consulate

By Richard Hernandez and Mark Gutglueck

The Mexican Consulate in San Bernardino is among seven of the 53 Mexican consulates throughout the United States which are being considered for forced closure by the U.S. State Department, the Sentinel has learned.

The San Bernardino consulate is contained on Secretary of State Marco Rubio's list of

facilities being considered for closure based on a multitude of factors, extending to what U.S. Government officials claim is the increase in tension and danger stemming from the Mexican government's discontinuation of cooperation and withdrawal of support relating to FBI, CIA and DEA operations in the northern Mexican state of Chihuahua last month, suspicions that personnel with the San

Bernardino Mexican consulate, along with consular officials elsewhere, are participating in a Mexican Government-sponsored program to interrupt U.S. Department of Immigration and Customs Enforcement operations to round up undocumented Mexican National aliens in California and what is said to be emerging evidence that elements of the Mexican Government and the administration

of Mexican President Claudia Sheinbaum, including consular officials assigned to Southern California, are either involved directly in or are offering shelter to Mexican nationals involved in both narcotics and illegal arms trafficking.

The U.S. State Department has made no official confirmation of any contemplated change in the status quo of what is numerically the largest contingent of a single

country's consulates in the United States. Nevertheless, the State Department acknowledges a review of both the activity at and surrounding several of the most heavily-used consulates in the country is taking place. While the provision of documentation, legal assistance, travel guidance and visitation permit application completion services is a routine function at consulates of all nations, See P 2

Convicted Chino Hills Man Implicated Arcadia Mayor In Illicit Chinese Propaganda Program

By Mark Gutglueck

Yaoning "Mike" Sun, the Chino Hills man who was arrested by the FBI in December 2024 on charges that he acted as an unregistered agent of the People's Republic of China, has implicated Arcadia Mayor Eileen Wang in his acknowledged efforts of seeking to influence governmental activity and decision-making at several levels

within the United States and in Southern California, the Sentinel is reliably informed.

As a consequence of information Sun provided to the FBI, both prior to and after entering a guilty plea in October 2025 and his sentencing to four years in prison on February 9, 2026, Mayor Wang found herself boxed in on all sides and herself provided federal

investigators with specific information with regard to how an espionage, influence and propaganda operation being carried out by agents of the Chinese government was operating, the Sentinel has learned.

While being interrogated by the FBI, Wang acknowledged she was clandestinely working with Sun, to whom she was at one time engaged

to be married, in pursuing the interests of the Chinese government which were inimical to those of the United States.

Both Sun and Wang had associations with others in the United States who were functioning at the behest of and in coordination with the People's Republic of China in disseminating propaganda placed be-

fore Americans in social media and which was published or broadcasted in the press/traditional media outlets, as well as participating in efforts to harm those dissenting from Chinese Communist rule who were residing in the United States.

Wang is the owner of the single family home in Chino Hills where Sun resided and is listed on documents. See P 3

U.S. Attorney's Office Disposed Toward Dismissing Charges Against Ontario Man Shot By ICE Agent

It appears that the U.S. Attorney's Office is going to dismiss all criminal charges it previously filed against an Ontario man, Carlos Jimenez, growing out of an encounter he had with a federal agent, Eusebio Ortiz, on October 30, 2025.

In that incident, Ortiz shot Jimenez in the

upper back after Ortiz claimed Jimenez angled his vehicle at him and attempted to run him and other federal Immigration and Customs Enforcement Officers down as they were preparing to carry out a raid on a South Ontario residence in which suspected undocumented immigrants were residing.

Jimenez, in whose shoulder a bullet is yet lodged because of medical complication, had been charged with felony assault on a federal officer. The U.S. Attorney's Office, which had reflexively filed the criminal charges against Jimenez in the immediate aftermath of the confrontation, in keeping See P 3

Child's Fentanyl Death, Sans Intent, Nets Woman 6 Year Prison Sentence

Christina Veronica Alvarez of Rancho Cucamonga last month was given a six-year prison sentence for having possessed and stored a fentanyl and xylazine pill where a 10-year-old child was able to access it and then died after swallowing it.

Nathaniel Castro Mendoza, 10, also of

Rancho Cucamonga, in December 2024 from died of acute fentanyl and xylazine toxicity according to a determination made by the San Bernardino County coroner in February 2025

At the time of young Mendoza's death, first responders had been summoned to Alvarez's residence in See P 3

College Students And Young Adults Face Myriad Ongoing Mental Health Challenges

By Dr. Nicole Brady

Mental health challenges among young people remain persistently high, and many students and families are still trying to understand how best to respond.

UnitedHealthcare's fourth annual Young Adult and College Student Behavioral Health Report found that more than 6 in 10 (62 percent

college students and young adults not enrolled in college ages 18 to 28 reported experiencing a mental or behavioral health concern in the past year — consistent with elevated levels over the past four years.

In addition, in California, approximately 14.9 percent of young adults reported their mental health was not

good for 14 or more days in the past 30 days, according to America's Health Rankings.

Among college students, concerns are rising. UnitedHealthcare's survey found nearly 70 percent said they have experienced concerns such as anxiety/stress or depression, reaching the highest levels in four years. At the same time,

many parents may not fully recognize what students are going through, pointing to an opportunity for more awareness, communication and support.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month. It's a meaningful time to focus on practical ways to support young adults and students. Whether you're a parent, caregiver, edu-

cator or navigating these challenges yourself there are ways to help support mental well-being:

One approach is open, honest conversations.

Frequency doesn't always lead to understanding. Survey findings uncover that while 39 percent of parents of college students believed their child felt understood after con- See P 3

Yucaipa Yet The Only SBC City On The Record Against Extending The Gold Line To Montclair

San Bernardino County's current crop of governmental decision-makers entrusted with overseeing transportation issues have made what appears to be an historic commitment to suspend the potential for extending the Los Angeles County light rail system eastward for what is likely to be at least two generations.

While urban planners working from the latest and most complete available data consider electric-powered dual track high-passenger-capacity light rail systems to represent the soundest bet to alleviate commuter gridlock

that has been the bane of Southern California life since the 1960s, local transit officials, oriented to passenger rail travel by means of the long-existent and sparsely used MetroRail system have become adamantly resistant to committing future county residents to the option of traveling by train. Adding to that determination is the initial expense of securing the right-of-way for and building the two-track system, previous San Bernardino County failure to get on board with Los Angeles County's more enthusiastic embrace of the light rail system and the resultant unwillingness to trust San Bernardino County officials with the funding authority to bring a light rail project to fruition in their jurisdiction.

In the 1910s, 1920s, 1930s, 1940s and into the 1950s rail trav- See P 4

Lately Revealed Is That Both Mexico And The United States Governments Are Engaged In Clandestine & What Each Defines As Illegal Activity In the Other's Country *from front page*

the Trump Administration's intensification of immigration enforcement last year triggered the creation of a bevy of internet-based and cellular-system communication device programs including real-time input and algorithm-driven programs to track or predict the location and presence of U.S. federal agents, most particularly the Department of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, as they engage in undocumented migrant roundups preparatory toward deporting or expelling those taken into custody from the country. The Trump Administration considers those programs — such as the Panic Button app or Allert Button app — along with several crowdsourcing platforms such as ICEBlock, People Over Papers and ResistMap, to be illegal, as in the words of former Attorney General Pamela Bondi “an intolerable red line that cannot be crossed” which “put ICE agents at risk just for doing their jobs” and is thereby a violation of 18 U.S. Code § 115, which prohibits threatening, harming or assisting in the harming of, federal employees and agents.

In 2025, when Operation Alta California, the Trump Administration's effort to find, detain, arrest, process, formally charge and ultimately deport as many of the more than 2.2 million illegal aliens in California, the use of the Panic Button, Alert Button, ICEBlock, People Over Papers and ResistMap apps, which to greater or lesser degrees were coordinated with personnel at the San Bernardino Mexican Consulate tremendously complicated that undertaking. The Trump Administration [cycled] through multiple strategies in seeking to deal with or otherwise handle the obstruction and resistance to the detention/deportation program, many of which resulted in ad-

verse publicity. Those included targeting businesses known to employ unskilled labor and/or foreign workers, locations where foreigners were known to congregate, stopping individuals on the basis of their conversing in a foreign language, making surprise sweeps, into area's heavily populated by Latinos, engaging in roving operations, the use of California National Guard Troops to provide operational security in and around areas of operation, and then, when California Governor Gavin Newsom objected to the use of the National Guard, vectoring over 700 Marines from the 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines stationed at the Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms to specific locations in Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Orange counties to “protect federal personnel and federal property in the greater Los Angeles area.”

The American Civil Liberties Union and Public Counsel took up the cause of immigrants being detained and arrested by the Department of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, which resulted in rulings in Federal Court in the Central District of California subsequently upheld by a panel with the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals that federal officials were engaged in a “racist deportation scheme,” by its use of those tactics.

The Trump Administration not only suffered adverse publicity as a consequence of the use of those tactics, but was forced to greatly de-intensify the effort to enforce immigration law in California for several months until the U.S. Supreme Court, essentially, signaled that federal agents working in Southern California, where 71 percent of the illegal immigrants originated in Latin America, were not engaging in discrimina-

tory behavior by considering the speaking of Spanish to be a criterion distinguishing undocumented aliens from the native population or concentrating their patrols in or around businesses which have a demonstrated prior history of employing or attracting individuals in the country illegally.

This interruption of the immigration enforcement program, a centerpiece of the second Trump Administration, left the federal officials convinced that the Mexican Government, in particular certain elements of it such as personnel functioning out of the San Bernardino Mexican Consulate were engaged in activity both illegal and contrary to the interest of the United States.

Federal law enforcement had also ascertained that there were Mexican Nationals in the United States involved in drug trafficking, human trafficking and the transit of other contraband, including firearms and armament who had been assisted by personnel working out of the San Bernardino Mexican Consulate in avoiding apprehension by both Mexican law enforcement and U.S. federal agencies.

Despite those concerns, there was resolve to avoid an international incident over relatively minor considerations and any communication regarding those issues between U.S. officials and the Mexican Government was handled quietly between the State Department and the Mexican diplomatic corps.

In April, however, events overtook both countries when what might or might not have been a traffic mishap claimed the lives of two CIA officers who were on an assignment in Mexico to not only track Mexican drug cartel activity but actively engage in stemming it.

On April 17 and April 18, a huge counternarcotic operation into Mexico's infamous Golden Triangle targeting a series of expansive and so-

phisticated methamphetamine labs in the area in and surrounding the small village of El Pinal, near Chihuahua's border with the state of Sinaloa took place. The El Pinal District is host to extensive assets currently or once controlled by the Sinaloa Cartel, formerly headed by Joaquín “El Chapo” Guzmán, which consist of marijuana and opium poppy farms, airstrips to export drugs out of the region or accommodate flights coming in from Colombia and Ecuador carrying cocaine, as well as state-of-the-art synthetic drug labs. The raids were led by the Chihuahua State Investigation Agency and reportedly involved several agencies of the Mexican federal government.

On April 19, an SUV with four passengers returning from the site of those raids veered off a tortuous dirt road in a remote corner of the Sierra Madre near the municipality of Morelos, plunging more 600 feet down into a rocky ravine. All four, who were clad in uniforms of the Chihuahua State Investigative Agency, were killed. They were Chihuahua State Investigation Agency Director Pedro Ramón Oseguera Cervantes, Chihuahua State Investigation Agency Detective Genaro Méndez Montes and Americans John Dudley Black, 44, and Richard Leiter Johnston, 36.

Black and Johnson were CIA agents functioning under diplomatic cover with the U.S. Embassy in Mexico.

The deaths of Black, Johnson, Cervantes and Montes brought what was for many unwanted attention to the raids that had taken place on April 17 and 18 and even worse, the revelation that the U.S. Government was involved. Over the next 24 to 48 hours a litany of statements, ones that were substantially true, incomplete, untrue, half-true, quarter-true and complete fabrications emanated from all involved.

President Sheinbaum in an initial statement offering condolences to

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the families of the four dead men seemed to indicate she knew about the CIA's involvement. Shortly thereafter, she reversed herself, stating that the Mexican federal government had not participated in the raids, had no prior knowledge about them or that they were to take place and therefore was kept in the dark about U.S. Government or CIA involvement in operations on Mexican soil. She asserted she had not been aware that the U.S. Government was involved in either the intelligence gathering that preceded the operations around El Pinal or their planning.

The leaders of several Mexican federal agencies or departments were reluctant or unwilling to acknowledge that they had any part in the raid. The Army was uninvolved, its command insisted when news of the raids first broke, while the Mexican Navy admitted some of its personnel had been present.

Sheinbaum indicated the raids were carried out under sole by the Chihuahua State Investigation Agency and at the discretion/direction of Chihuahua State Attorney General César Jáuregui Moreno.

There was contradictory information with regard to the roles of Black and Johnson. It was suggested rather than stated that they were there merely as observers. One story that circulated was that Black and Johnson had been on hand to offer guidance and training in the use of drones. The story continued to change, even with regard

to the terms of their presence in Mexico. It was not true that both, it was said, were functioning under diplomatic cover. According to the Mexican Ministry of Security, of the agents indeed had come to Mexico City utilizing a diplomatic passport, but the other had entered Mexico as a tourist.

Sheinbaum acknowledged after three days that that federal forces were involved after several of her underlings within the Mexican Government's executive branch made statement to the effect that they had not been informed and therefore had not told the president that Mexico's federal government was directly involved or that those agencies and departments that had taken place in the operation had cooperated with the U.S. government. It was at that point that the Mexican Army's participation in the raids was acknowledged.

Still, Sheinbaum's position was that the operation was largely an undertaking masterminded by Chihuahua State Attorney General Moreno and the Chihuahua State Investigation Agency.

All of this played out against a backdrop of fierce partisan rivalry between Sheinbaum's leftist Morena Party, which at present is the ruling bloc dominating Mexico at the national level, and the center-right National Action Party, which holds sway in Chihuahua. It was under the Morena Party that, in years past, the Sinaloa Cartel flourished. *Continued on Page 4*

Victorville First SB County City To Roll Out Gunfire Detection System *from front page*

versations, only 28 percent of students agreed, and 26 percent said they felt misunderstood.

Meanwhile, young adults not enrolled in college report speaking with parents less often, yet their perceptions of mental health challenges were more closely aligned with their parents. Together, these findings suggest that how we communi-

cate matters as much as how often. Prioritizing meaningful, two-way conversations that emphasize listening, empathy and understanding can make a meaningful difference.

While the use of artificial intelligence in recognizing the onset of mental health challenges, it is advisable to balance the use of automated reasoning in

Carelessly Stored Fentanyl Pill Found By Child Killed Him *from front page*

the 9000 block of Arrow Route regarding an unresponsive child. Efforts to revive him were unsuccessful.

The sheriff's department pushed to have its overdose response team take up the case, which determined Alvarez possessed the fentanyl and stored it in a manner and in a place at her residence where Mendoza encountered it. This led to the fatal overdose, the detectives concluded, and Alvarez was arrest-

ed on March 13, 2025.

She was charged with violating Penal Code Section PC273A(A)-F, subject to a Penal Code PC12022.95-E sentencing enhancement upon conviction.

Motions by Alvarez's attorney, Deputy Public Defender Brandon Lu, to have the criminal charges dismissed pursuant to the defendant undergoing mental health and addiction treatment did not succeed, with Judge Ingrid Uhler on January

coming to terms with psychological disorders.

Digital tools are playing a growing role in how young adults and students manage their mental health. Nearly one-third (31 percent) of respondents reported using artificial intelligence-based platforms to explore symptoms or find coping strategies, and 26 percent of those users said they've turned to these tools for companionship, reassurance or emotional

9 consigning Alvarez to trial on the felony charges against her.

Alvarez was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Reza Rownaghi and Deputy district Attorney Jade Najme.

Following two pre-preliminary hearings and during what was Alvarez's eighth scheduled preliminary hearing on March 19, 2026 before Judge Joni I Sinclair, Alvarez somewhat precipitously lodged a statement that was filed with the court and entered guilty plea to PC273A(A)-F: willfully causing or per-

of the criminal charges with prejudice means that the criminal case against Jimenez cannot be subsequently refiled or revived.

Jimenez, 24, had left the trailer in which he resides within the Country Meadows Mobile Home Park, located at 1855 East Riverside Drive, at 6:30 a.m. on Thursday October 30 to make the drive to his Baldwin Park workplace.

Country Meadows is situated on the north-dering and bribing of a public official charges, Chen pleaded guilty to two of those charges on July 24, 2024, admitting in doing so that he had acted as an illegal agent of the People's Republic of China in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 951. Chen is known to have worked for the People's Republic of China's "610 Office," a unit of the communist Chinese government engaged in espionage. According to the U.S. Attorney's Office, based on the contents of Chen's text and communications

support. While these resources can be helpful, they are most effective when used alongside guidance from qualified health care professionals.

It is also useful to make those experiencing emotional crises aware of resources that can provide them with assistance.

Many young adults are unsure where to turn for help, which can be particularly true when

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mitting a child to suffer and the accompanying PC12022.95-E: willfully harming/injuring another resulting in death.

Considerable controversy ensued with regard to the widespread perception that Alvarez 33, had not willfully caused the child's death and that because of her lack of sophistication together with her impatience and frustration with the criminal process she was being subjected to she had entered the pleas to be done with the prosecutorial phase on the district attorney's of-

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west corner of Riverside Drive and Vineyard Avenue. After exiting the residential park and while traveling on Vineyard Avenue, Jimenez observed, less than two blocks north of Riverside Drive, a Department of Immigration vehicle had stopped a Honda Accord going south on Vineyard Avenue and that a team of agents – consisting of an Immigration and Customs Enforcement offi-

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messages on his devices, he had "extensive conversations" with People's Republic of China government officials relating to influencing politicians in Southern California, including Wang, and he assembled a "team" – which included both Sun and Wang – "dedicated" to promoting the goals of the Chinese government in California and the United States. According to the FBI, Chen and the communist Chinese government were seeking to influence local govern-

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Philosophically Speaking

The Unfortunate Fall of Cesar Chavez

By Phill Courtney



"You are never strong enough that you don't need help." -Cesar Chavez

It was 1968, widely regarded now as one of the most turbulent in American history, and it was perhaps during my final year at Corona Junior High School that I'd first heard about Cesar Chavez and his United Farm Workers (UFW) movement as many others did after the organization called for a boycott of table grapes to win rights for farmworkers.

Partly inspired by Mahatma Gandhi and his non-violent resistance against British colonial rule in India, Chavez had gained more national attention after he'd employed one of Gandhi's techniques to achieve social justice: fasting, with Chavez's fast aimed at bringing attention to the need for only peaceful protest against the appalling conditions under which farm workers labored.

He'd gained even more attention when, after three weeks on liquids only, he decided he'd heed his doctors' advice to end the fast and did so on March 10th with Robert Kennedy as his guest of honor at the UFW's headquarters in Delano, California, where they "broke bread," witnessed by both the national press and a crowd of supporters that numbered in the thousands.

Soon Chavez would support Kennedy's run for president only to see him cut down shortly thereafter by an assassin's bullet that June, just two short months after Martin Luther King, Jr.'s assassination. So, yes, 1968. Talk about a "turbulent" year.

Despite all these terrible traumas, the UFW continued to gain more victories, and were then helped in no small measure by the election in 1974 of a young and truly progressive California governor, Jerry Brown, who came in like a ray of sunshine following Ronald Reagan, who, although somewhat sympathetic to unions since he'd actually headed one—the Screen Actors Guild—never made his misgivings about Chavez and UFW a secret.

That "heady" period perhaps reached its zenith in 1975 when Chavez, the UFW, and Brown moved a bill through the legislature that would empower workers with the right in secret to choose which union to represent them (or none at all) in their bargaining with employers. Signed into law in June of that year as the California Agricultural Labor Relations Act, it was widely seen as a major victory for Chavez and the UFW. Afterwards, though, it clearly exposed fears Chavez harbored that the energy would now be directed not into the over-all "struggle" of "the movement," but haggling over such secondary issues as wages and benefits.

In the early Eighties, after we'd bid a sad so long to Jerry Brown and we were then forced to face the governorship of the "corporate-friendly" Republican, George Deukmejian, the UFW seemed to lose some urgency. However, by August of 1988, Chavez had found another "cause," focusing on the massive use of deadly pesticides by agri-business and the harm they were doing in the fields, as well as the harm they were doing to the workers who labored in those fields.

Pesticide use is notoriously difficult to control, and when it's dumped and sprayed on crops, vast amounts of it is dispersed unintentionally to other areas, where it ends up being breathed and absorbed

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When ICE Agent Shot Man During October Operation, U.S. Attorney's Office Reflexively Filed Charges Against Wounded Man *from front page*

with an internal Department of Homeland Security review of the incident, has concluded that Ortiz overreacted to Jimenez's presence and exchange with the federal agents as the task force they were a part of were assembling preparatory to the morning surprise raid.

The dismissal of

Chino Hills Man Was Go-Between Connecting The Chinese Government To Arcadia's Mayor *from front page*

filed with the California Secretary of State's office's corporate licensing division as the owner of U.S. News Center, of which Sun was the director. Articles now known to have been written by Chinese government officials which contra-

the case with prejudice against Jimenez will be finalized on October 31, 2026, one year and a day following the incident in question and without any requirement that Jimenez withdraw or dismiss the \$35 million lawsuit he has filed against the federal government over his shooting. The dismissal

dicted or greatly downplayed reports of internal repression of individuals or groups in China based on their ethnicity, religion or ideology along with unfair trade practices were published by the U.S. News Center or placed with American newspapers through the U.S. News Center.

Sun and Wang were connected to Chen Jun, who was indicted by a grand jury in the Southern District of New York on June 9, 2023 on conspiracy, acting as a foreign agent, money laun-

Rail Commuting In Southern California Has Been Undone By The Destruction Of The Original Red Car Passenger Train Line In the 1950s, The Reliance On The Inferior Metrolink Model Using Cargo Track Since the 1990s And Resistance To The Modern Light Rail Modality Now EReestablished In Los Angeles County *from front page*

el in Southern California was a reality, as the Red Car Line stretched from Santa Monica next to the Pacific Ocean on the west to Redlands and Mentone in the east. The Red Car Line featured work stations with desks and typewriters for those with clerical jobs to stay abreast of their daily tasks while they were traveling to work as well as a post office to dispatch their completed assignments to their intended destinations. In the 1950s, however, the advance of the automobile culture in America knelled the demise of the Red Line in Los Ange-

les and the greater Los Angeles Area as was the case with rail commuting systems in more than a dozen major metropolitan areas throughout the country.

The first incarnation of the National Highway System, which included the Interstate 10 Freeway, was completed during the Eisenhower Administration. The 10 Freeway, which crossed into California from Arizona and ran through Riverside county into San Bernardino County and through Los Angeles County all the way to its terminus in Santa Monica became

the mainstay for those commuting westward to work through the heart of Southern California in the morning and home at the end of the workday. Within ten years of its completion, however, it became jammed during both the morning and evening rush hours on weekdays. In 1969, the completion of a second east/west freeway through the region, the State Highway 60 Freeway, relieved that congestion somewhat, but only temporarily. By the mid-1970s, the Southern California freeway system was mired in gridlock once more.

Despite the region's freeways having come to resemble, during increasingly longer stretches of the day, parking lots rather than highways, the explosive growth of Southern California and what was then its 150 cities continued unabated. In the 1970s, four new

cities incorporated in San Bernardino County, joining the eleven that already existed, and in the 1980s, five cities and one town incorporated.

In 1989, a collective of the county's politicians and both county and city staff members in a cooperative effort coordinated the placing of a half-cent county-wide tax override on that year's ballot, ultimately designated by the San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters Office as Measure I, the proceeds from which were, the measure's sponsors said, to be devoted to defraying the cost of road improvements throughout the county. Measure I passed, whereupon the county's existing joint powers planning authority – referred to as San Bernardino Associated Governments or its acronym SanBAG, headed by a board consisting of all five county

supervisors and a single representative – either a the mayor or a council member from each of the county's cities – was empowered by proclamation to serve as the county's transportation agency and oversee the spending of Measure I tax revenue.

In a fateful move, the SanBAG board opted against simply allowing the Measure I money that was coming in to accumulate over a period of three, four or five years into pools large enough to eventually fund individual transportation projects at various places around the county. Instead, in order to initiate transportation projects at multiple spots around the county immediately so as to fulfill the commitments they, as the champions of the tax measure, had made to the county's voters in promoting Measure I during the run-up to the

1989 special election, borrowed against the future revenue. By taking out loans or engaging in bond financing, the SanBAG board furthered its individual members' personal political objectives of demonstrating to their constituents their effectiveness in impacting public policy, at least in the short term, thereby boosting their electability in elections that followed. Nevertheless, by not adopting a pay-as-you-go approach to completing the projects ultimately funded by Measure I in favor of borrowing to pay for the projects up front and servicing the debt thereafter, SanBAG in the long run ended up utilizing half or more of the Measure I money that came in to pay interest on those loans, greatly decreasing the spending power of the collective transportation infrastructure deal *Continued on Page 7*

Mexican President's Political Party Has Had Criminal Associations *from page 2*

ished.

Indeed, information obtained by the U.S. Justice Department in the aftermath of the 2016 arrest of Joaquín Guzmán – El Chapo – in Los Mochis, Sinoloa and his 2017 extradition to the United States where he was convicted in 2019 and is now incarcerated at the maximum security federal prison in Fremont County, Colorado, information obtained has resulted in the indictment of ten current and former Mexican officials, including Rubén Rocha Moya, the governor of Sinoloa. Moya, like Sheinbaum and most of those indicted in the United States, are members of the Morena bloc. At the same time, Chihuahua, at least at present, is one of the few National Action Party bastions in the country.

The indictment of Moya and the nine other Mexican officials, which was sought by the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York and presented

to a down grand jury, was unsealed on April 29, 2026. Named in the indictment, in addition to Moya was a Mexican senator/former Sinaloa Secretary General Enrique Inzunza Cazarez, Former Secretary of Administration and Finance for Sinaloa Enrique Diaz Vega, Sinaloa Deputy Attorney General Damaso Castro Zaavedra, the former chief investigator for the Sinaloa State Attorney General's Office Alberto Jorge "Cholo" Contrera Nunez, the former chief investigator for the Sinaloa State Attorney General's Office Marco Antonio Almaza Aviles, Former Deputy Director of the Sinaloa State Police Jose Antonio "Tornado" Dionisio Hipolito, Former Secretary of Public Security for Sinaloa Gerardo Merida Sanchez, Culiacan Mayor Juan de Dios Gomez Mendivil and former Culiacan Municipal Police Commander Juan "Juanito" Valenzuela Millan.

While no realistic evidence exists to incriminate Sheinbaum herself in the cartel activity for which the indictments in the United States were handed down, there is in-

dications – strong indications – that cartel money has fueled the successful election campaigns of Morena Party candidates who proceeded Sheinbaum. She has resisted American suggestions that the Morena Party is riddled with corruption and she is even more adamant in maintaining that the Mexican government will oppose any efforts at extradition of Mexican government officials to the United States to stand trial. What the United States is doing by indicting those officials, Sheinbaum and her political aides have said, is interfering in Mexico's internal affairs. Sheinbaum has issued an executive order that Mexican federal authorities discontinue cooperation with FBI, CIA and DEA operatives known to be function in Mexico. It appears that Chihuahua State officials and National Action Party-affiliated politicians in

Chihuahua and elsewhere the Morena Party is not dominant do not consider themselves bound by Sheinbaum's order.

Sheinbaum's remarks to the effect that the United States is interfer-

ing in Mexico's domestic affairs mirror what the United States officials in the Trump Administration have opined about activity emanating from Mexican consulates on American soil, such as the Mexican consulate in San Bernardino, interfering with America's sovereignty.

The Trump Administration, convinced the conspiracy to import narcotics, possession of machine guns and destructive devices and conspiracy to possess

machineguns and destructive devices charges and accusation contained in the indictment against Moya, Cazarez, Vega, Zaavedra, Nunez, Aviles, Hipolito, Sanchez and Millan as enumerated by United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York Jay Clayton and assistant U.S. attorneys Jane Y. Chong, Sarah L. Kushner, and David J. Robles merit being heard in a court of law. Moya's and Sheinbaum's characterization of the indict-

ments as an attempt to subvert Mexico's sovereignty constitute, they believe, the international incident that overrides the custom of abiding by diplomatic courtesy which has heretofore prevented the State Department from acting to close the San Bernardino Mexican Consulate and the six other consulates from which the Trump Administration has grounds to believe individuals engaged in serious criminal enterprises are operating.

Woman Headed To Prison Over Negligence That Proved Fatal *from page 3*

Alvarez's terms. No one, including Sinclair, District Attorney Jason Anderson, Rownaghi, San Bernardino County Public Defender Thomas Sone and Lu publicly disputed that Alvarez did not actually intend for Mendoza to die, and those officers of the court did not seek to explain why they had nevertheless allowed the pleas to be entered anyway.

Alvarez was back in Judge Sinclair's Courtroom in Rancho Cucamonga Department 8

on April 20, 2026 where, instead of Judge Sinclair, Judge Michael Dest carried out the sentencing. Based on Alvarez's nolo contendere plea to a single county of felony child abuse likely to produce great bodily injury, which carried with it a sentencing enhancement of willful harm or injury resulting in death, Judge Dest engaged in a somewhat confusing sentencing calculation that involved consigning the defendant to prison for "the upper term of 6 years" on the felony conviction for felony child abuse likely to produce great bodily injury, while crediting her with 403 days in cus-

tody consisting of 402 actual days behind bars during which she had earned a good conduct credit qualifying her to serve half of her term, translating into a total of 805 days. As to the sentencing enhancement pertaining to engaging in willful harm or injury to another that resulted in death, Judge Dest imposed "the upper term of 4 years," which was "stayed pursuant to court order," resulting in Alvarez being "sentenced for a total determinate term of 6 years."

-Mark Gutglueck

Chavez Engaged In Dynamic And Heroic Advocacy In the 1960s, 1970s And The 1980s Against Those Who Were Exploiting The Underclass, Even As He Was Himself Engaged In Exploitation Of Those Who Were Among His Support Network *from page 3*

through the skin by workers, many of whom end up sick and even dead, but are seen by many in charge of “factory farming” (never openly, of course) as simply the price of doing business. (That our corporate, petro-chemically-based food industry should have been seen long ago as literally a “dead end,” is the subject for another day.)

Understandably, Chavez was outraged by all this, and the thoughtless and even knowingly negligent use of these deadly chemicals had resulted in a hard-hitting 17-minute video documentary from the UFW called *The Wrath of Grapes*, featuring Chavez; employees and their loved one; and parents who’d seen spikes of cancers among their children in communities near the fields.

That summer, Chavez had started another one of his fasts over the problem, and by late August he was nearing his 29th day, with word that he would break the fast that day with Jesse Jackson (who, as with RFK before, was running for president) in a public ceremony at the UFW’s Delano headquarters. At the time I was planning to return to Southern California after visiting my cousin in Mendocino County, and it occurred to me that I could make the ceremony on my way south.

So, that’s what I did, and when I learned that Chavez had decided to extend his fast for another week, decided to start my own, which I continued for five more days before ending it with a slice of organically grown, pesticide-free apple. Chavez ended his a week later, on day 36. Over a month without eating, which may have contributed to his fairly early death only some four years later at the age of 66.

Meanwhile, every year, around the time of his birthday, I would have my own “Cesar Chavez Day” for my students, using *The Wrath of Grapes* video (which a friend had obtained after writing to the UFW) as a kick-off for the lesson, which included an optional assignment of writing the United Farm Workers. (One student would later show me a letter he’d received from Chavez.)

I continued those days after Chavez died; partly because I was still steeped then in the Cesar Chavez “mythos,” and partly because the two high schools where I taught from 1987 to 2002, were in a town with a large Latino population—in fact I had several classes composed almost entirely of kids with names like Garcia and Martinez.

I thought they should know at least the basic facts about this admirable member of their ethnic community since I’d discovered that they’d encountered little or none at all, and I was particularly inspired to do so after one of my Latino students said he’d thought that the champion Mexican boxer Julio Cesar Chavez had died when he’d heard about the death of this other Latino hero who was also famous for fighting but in a totally different way.

After he passed in April of 1993, I wrote a memorial tribute for Chavez, which appeared the next month in a coffeehouse magazine running my columns back then, and, looking back on it, I’m particularly regardful now at how “star struck” I’d been, opening the piece with these sentences: “One of my heroes died last month. Cesar Chavez was a modern-day Gandhi. He carried on the tradition of [Henry David] Thoreau and Martin Luther King, outstanding Americans all not because they spouted warm, patriotic homilies about the “greatness” of the United States, but rather because they were brave enough to point out when we were falling short of ‘The American Dream.’”

I stand by that assessment, even after those charges came out last March about Chavez and his “Dark Side,” which rightfully must be referred to as “allegations” since they haven’t been adjudicated in a court of law. However, they do not change the courage displayed by Chavez and, of course, those other three men mentioned in my column when they spoke out against the injustices perpetrated by their governments; an outspokenness that resulted in all four spending some time confined by “the state” for their resistance.

As far as my “hero worship” goes: it was perpetuated in no small part by the way Cesar’s “dark side” was silenced so successfully by those around him, and one reason why I continued basking in that undiluted “glow” of his “greatness” for over 30 more years, continuing to include him among my select group of “heroes.”

In fact, here’s an interesting insight into that “worship.” During those times when I’ve carped about the Catholic Church and its many injustices (usually to my wife, who was raised Catholic), I’ve always added this “however:” although I can’t think of any famous evangelicals nor fundamentalists I admire—a list that includes such disgusting men as Jerry Falwell and Pat Robertson—I have a whole list of Catholics I do.

People like social worker Dorothy Day (who did so much to help the “hopeless”); Father Damian (who worked with the lepers in Hawaii until he was finally infected, and is one of my wife’s heroes as well); priest Oscar Romero of El Salvador (who spoke out against his corrupt government and was killed on the alter for doing so); and even the actor Martin Sheen, who’s done so much to improve this country, both on-screen and off.

I’d always included Cesar Chavez among that list of luminaries until last March when I, along with so many others, began the process of coming to grips with one of life’s depressing realities: it’s hard to lose a hero. But, before that day of reckoning arrived, the tributes and honors just kept pouring in.

In June of 1994, in the town where I was teaching, they opened a new library named in his honor, and I was there for the dedication, while another memorable day came almost ten years later when I had a chance to meet Dolores Huerta, who’d co-founded the UFW with Chavez, and came up with the phrase that would become the motto of the “movement”—“Si se puede.” (Yes, we can.)

It was June of 2013, and my former hometown in partnership with my college and other civic organizations held almost a week of activities downtown around the dedication of a Chavez statue nearby on the Main St. mall, with Wednesday night devoted to a panel of “conversations” and “reflections” about the “legacy” of Chavez. Huerta was one of the participants, and I had a chance to have a photo taken with her.

Huerta (who turned ninety-six this April 10th), was born in the New Mexican mining town of Dawson to a father who was described by the L. A. Times as a “fiery union leader,” having joined the United Mine Workers, later going on to serve in the New Mexico state legislature. Then, after her parents divorced when Dolores was five, her mother moved Dolores and her siblings to Stockton, California, where her mother became active in unions with her job in the canning industry.

So, it was probably only natural that Huerta would become an activist herself, soon joining and then running the Stockton chapter of the Community Service Organization, which focused on civil rights matters among the Latino population, but welcomed members from all ethnic backgrounds, and it was there that she met Chavez, later moving on to form the UFW with him.

Through the years, Huerta has proven a reliably progressive voice on almost all the “hot button” cul-

tural issues you can name, and even “lived in sin” with Chavez’s brother, Richard, demonstrating her commitment to feminism (and perhaps a woman’s right to “sin” as well?) in a partnership that produced four of the thirteen children she’d eventually have, including two by Cesar under those “dark” circumstances. Yes, thirteen. Rather remarkable, considering all the other “labors” she’d taken on.

So it was quite an honor to meet her in 2013, after she, like Chavez, had become an “icon” and I would think about her from time to time after that, especially in 2018 when, approaching the age of 90, she developed pneumonia (which was my mother’s cause of death), with some reports indicating that she might even be close to death. But she rallied, despite also having heart problems.

Then, in March of 2026, in the same month as California’s annual “Cesar Chavez Day” on the 31st, came those shocking, “bombshell” revelations of his transgressions, which involved not just Huerta, but at least two girls who were young teenagers at the time, followed shortly by the fall of both his reputation as a “secular saint,” and his statues as well.

To say I was blindsided by the “bombshells,” having spent so many years venerating the man; listing him among my heroes; writing that tribute; and all those lessons holding him up to my students as the kind of “hero” this country was (and still is) in desperate need of, is an understatement.

Then, too, I was also upset with Huerta after hearing those justifications for her years of silence about the two times Chavez had impregnated her (now proven), first by emotional coercion, but also through an actual rape in the 1970’s, saying she feared doing so would harm the movement and that no one would believe her, particularly the police since they always displayed a complete contempt for the UFW and all those associated with it.

And while I do try to be understanding, I’ve always opposed the enabling of offenders, even when people have “reasons” for doing so. It’s why vile behavior by both genders is dismissed; ignored; and often denied, even when known to be true; now even reaching the highest levels of government, with millions dismissing and even claiming as “fake” the contemptible sexual crimes (and many others, of course) committed by the current resident of the White House.

Of course, a number of our former presidents have had their own “secret lives” of denial too, and much of it exploded into the national conversation with the many disclosures of Bill Clinton’s “transgressions.” It was disturbing to see how many (including some friends) dismissed those as well, including his wife who’d often said we should “believe the women” when they say they’ve been violated, but made an exception when it came to politicians in the Democratic party, and one in particular: her husband.

Unfortunately, Huerta had overlooked those as well when she supported Hillary’s denials of Bill’s “sins,” and did not believe “the women” (numbering some 12 in total) who’d spoken out against him, thinking perhaps, as she had about the UFW, that if she “believed the women” it would hurt another organization: in this case the Democratic party. So, when I made that “pilgrimage” to see her, lurking in the back of my mind was her unfortunate support of both Hillary’s many lies and her 2008 presidential run.

Shortly after the March revelations I also had some unexpected “push back” from an unexpected source: my running group, which happened when, as we sat around a table having some pizza after a run, I mentioned being “down” about both the Iran war and the recent fall of Chavez, one of my heroes. A member of the group (who happens to be a criminal defense attorney) then cautioned us to not automatically believe the stories about him; that women sometimes lie, to which I always say: and, of course, vice versa

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Criminal Dismissal Against Jimenez Is Not Conditioned On His Withdrawal Of His Lawsuit Against Ice, His Attorney Says *from page 3*

cer, an Enforcement and Removal Operations Deportation officer and two U.S. Customs and Border Protection Office of Field Operations officers – was engaging with the Honda’s three occupants.

The Customs Enforcement officer was speaking with the driver of the Honda on the driver’s side of the stopped vehicle when Jimenez pulled up in his Lexus RX350.

There is a discrepancy between what Jimenez maintains was said during the ensuing exchange and what the Customs Enforcement officer says was said.

According to Jimenez, he “asked” the officers to be careful, telling them they were practically next to a school bus stop, and children would be their momentarily. At that point, according to Jimenez, one of the three officers other than Ortiz – and he was not clear on whether it was the removal operations deportation officer or one of the two U.S. Customs and Border Protection Office of Field Operations officers, unholstered his gun and approached him, prompting him to shout, or say loudly, “Are you really going to shoot an American citizen?”

At that point, Jimenez said, he pulled forward, turning his wheels in one direction was about to back up while turning his wheels in the opposite direction to then pull forward while turning his wheels in the first direction so as to complete a three point reversal to drive away when an officer, armed with a firearm and pepper spray dispenser told him, “Get the fuck out of here.”

It was as he was backing up that he was shot, Jimenez said.

Six months ago, fed-

eral agents and the U.S. Attorney’s Office, were maintaining that Jimenez’s account omitted crucial details.

While Jimenez was “engaged in a verbal altercation with the officers at the vehicle stop,” another officer approached with his firearm and told Jimenez to leave, before holstering his firearm and arming himself with his pepper spray, the U.S. Attorney’s Office formerly maintained, and Jimenez was ordered to leave the area. Though Jimenez at that point drove his Lexus northward and away from the Honda and the officers as if he was leaving, he abruptly stopped and turned the car’s wheels to “rapidly” accelerate backwards toward the officers and the stationary Honda, according to one of the documents filed with the court by federal prosecutors in October. The officer who had been verbally engaged with the occupants of the Honda’s occupants stated he believed Jimenez’s Lexus would hit him and the Honda. While Jimenez’s Lexus was yet accelerating backward in the direction of a Border Patrol agent identified in the complaint as “Officer N.J.” and the Honda Accord, one of the officers, since identified as Ortiz, fired his gun at Jimenez, hitting him in the shoulder, according to the court document.

There is a lack of clarity as to how many shots were fired. According to one document, the incident involved the firing of a single bullet. In the immediate aftermath of the shooting on October 30, 2025, Tricia McLaughlin, a spokesperson for the Department of Homeland Security, used the plural term “shots” in describing what had occurred.

Hurriedly drafted documents by prosecutors and accompanying affidavits provided by agents formed the basis of the charge filed against Jimenez on Friday, October 31 in Riverside Federal Court, specifying assault on a

federal officer.

Jimenez fled the scene after the confrontation and his shooting, according to one of the documents filed in conjunction with the charge. “Jimenez drove away from the scene and later checked himself into a hospital,” one of the affidavits stated. “After Jimenez was medically cleared and released from the hospital, Jimenez was taken into HSI [Department of Homeland Security Investigations] custody.”

It was during his hearing on October 31 that Jimenez articulated his version of events.

The court granted Jimenez a conditional release, which included wearing an ankle monitor, upon his posting of a bond. He was represented by attorneys Cynthia Santiago and Robert Simon but was later represented by Federal Public Defender Ayah Sarsour.

If convicted of the charge against him, which included a so-called sentencing enhancement of using his vehicle as a deadly weapon in the commission of the crime, he was to be subjected to a maximum sentence of 20 years in prison. The U.S. Attorney’s Office made a “diversion” offer to Jimenez based on his lack of a criminal record which was basically tantamount to a plea arrangement, in which in return for a guilty plea to the charge against him in which he would serve only one year in prison.

Sarsour declined that offer and filed motions with the court that the U.S. Attorney’s Office make a fuller showing of the purported evidence against Jimenez than it had provided through the federal criminal prosecutorial process, including records and data as to whether the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Officer who fired the shot, Eusebio Ortiz, sent or received text messages following the confrontation.

Evidence provided to the court was that two of

the officers at the scene made statements to the U.S. Attorney’s Office on October 31 that were recorded while Ortiz delayed a month in making his statement, do so only with his personal attorney present. When Sarsour made a specific request for the production of text messages sent by Ortiz to other federal agents and his superior in the immediate aftermath of the shooting, the U.S. Attorney’s Office claimed there were no such texts, a significant anomaly in the manner in which agents of the Department of Immigration and Customs Enforcement normally function.

Judge Kenly Kato, who is hearing the criminal case against Jimenez, entered an order that the U.S. Attorney’s Office provide more complete and fuller evidence against Jimenez. Prior to complying with that order, the U.S. Attorney’s Office informed Sarsour that it was altering its previous diversion offer to accept the court’s dismissal of the charges as of October 31, 2026 if Jimenez obeys the law and meets other conditions, including not getting arrested, using drugs and remaining gainfully employed.

Judge Kato agreed to facilitate the diversion arrangement by postponing, this week, the scheduled trial date to December 7, at which point the agreement to dismiss the charges will, potentially, have been effectuated. Simultaneously, Judge Kato stayed her previous order that the U.S. Attorney’s Office be more forthcoming with the evidence against Jimenez.

Greg Jackson, an attorney with the Torrance-based Simon Law Group, who has filed a \$35 million claim on Jimenez’s behalf against the federal government, told the Sentinel that neither he, Jimenez nor Sarsour were had entered into an agreement to drop Jimenez’s civil suit in exchange for the dismissal of criminal charges against Jimenez.

“There is no condition whatsoever that Mr. Jimenez stop or agree not to proceed with a civil suit,” Jackson said. “We fully intend to proceed and in fact I filed the government claims about two weeks ago.”

The agreement is limited to a circumscribed set of terms, Jackson said,

“Pursuant to the agreement, the U.S. Attorney’s Office will dismiss the criminal charges with prejudice after October 31, 2026,” Jackson said. “There are only limited conditions in which the U.S. Attorney’s Office can/will ‘revive’ the criminal case prior to that date, for example if Mr. Jimenez violates any federal/state/local law, if he is arrested, if he uses illegal drugs, things like that. Given that Mr. Jimenez has zero criminal history, this will not be a problem for him. There is no ‘practical guarantee’ that the civil suit will be paused or stopped – their agreement to dismiss with prejudice bolsters our own argument that the shooting itself was unlawful and the charges against Mr. Jimenez entirely fabricated and baseless.”

Jackson vowed, “We intend to go on with Mr. Jimenez’s lawsuit, regardless of what the U.S. Attorney’s Office

does. The charges filed against him were entirely baseless and fabricated, as demonstrated by their agreement to dismiss the charges with prejudice without requiring any sort of admission by Mr. Jimenez to any criminal conduct, or even any admission to any of the facts in the criminal complaint. Mr. Jimenez’s case is incredibly strong. The shooter, Agent Ortiz, violated department policy by firing his weapon at a moving vehicle, and Mr. Jimenez was in fact complying with Mr. Ortiz’s orders to drive away when Mr. Ortiz tried to murder him and shot him anyway. Between Mr. Jimenez and Mr. Ortiz, only one of them spoke to investigators without an attorney present – and it was Mr. Jimenez who fully complied and answered all of their questions. Mr. Ortiz refused to speak to investigators until a month after the shooting, and only with his attorney present. I personally look forward to taking the depositions of all of the agents involved and seeing how they answer my questions while under penalty of perjury.”

-Mark Gutglueck



Mental Health Maintenance Assistance *from page 3*

they or their families are navigating mental health concerns for the first time. At the local level, community organizations, nonprofits and state-based services can provide accessible, often low- or no-cost support — from crisis lines to counseling and peer programs. Raising awareness of these options can make it easier to take the first step.

Health plans can also play a role in helping individuals understand and access available mental health support. For example, some in-

surers, including UnitedHealthcare, provide digital self-care tools, coaching and 24/7 support lines for in-the-moment assistance, as well as in-person and virtual care options.

Supporting mental health is not just a one-month focus — it’s a year-round priority. By improving communication, increasing awareness and helping young adults connect to care, we can better support their mental well-being when it matters most.

For more information on mental health resources, visit uhcsr.com or uhc.com.

Dr. Nicole Brady is the chief medical officer with UnitedHealthcare Student Resources.

County Transportation Agency Was Once Committed To Extending Light Rail System Eastward Into San Bernardino county But Failed To Stay The Course *from page 4*

the county's taxpayers had bought into by approving Measure I.

Measure I money was used to augment state funding to speed up completion of the extension of the 210 Freeway from Glendora, where it previously terminated, east to the former I-215/State Route 30 interchange in San Bernardino. In 2003, a 20-mile segment east from Glendora to Fontana was completed. The remaining section east of I-15 between Fontana and I-215 was opened on July 24, 2007. With each of these improvements, there was a temporary improvement in the flow of traffic in the immediate area, though overall, traffic jams experienced by daily commuters from the Inland empire/San Bernardino county to the Los Angeles Metropolitan Area on a daily basis continued unabated.

In what had been widely heralded as a revival of the commuter rail system that had once existed in Southern California in the form of the Red Car Line, in 1992 the Metrolink San Bernardino Line began running between Los Angeles Union Station and San Bernardino. For a

time well travelled by a portion of the population in San Bernardino county anxious to bypass the gridlock on the I-10 and I-60 freeways, Metrolink ultimately failed to sustain itself as a realistic commuting option for those traveling between San Bernardino county and the megalopolis to the west because of essential conceptual and practical flaws.

Metrolink, which runs on east and west bound tracks that accommodate traditional freight-moving trains and connects Union Station and the San Bernardino Station, a distance of 57.6 miles, offering 22 trips in each direction on weekdays between the hours of 3:41 am and 4:23 pm, with limited connections to a Metrolink station at the University of Redlands. The commute between San Bernardino and Los Angeles takes between 1 hour and 44 minutes to 1 hour and 51 minutes under normal conditions. Trains depart from San Bernardino to Los Angeles during the 3:41 am to 4:23 pm daily timeframe on average once every 34 minutes and 38 seconds.

The earliest weekday departure from Los

Angeles Union Station on the Metrolink San Bernardino Line is at 6:38 am, arriving at San Bernardino-Downtown around 8:29 am. The latest weekday departure from Los Angeles Union Station on the Metrolink San Bernardino Line is at 9:38 p, arriving at San Bernardino at 11:29 pm. There are 20 departures from Los Angeles to San Bernardino per day, with the average trip duration on 16 of those being one hour and 51 minutes. On three of those trips the average duration is two hours and 36 minutes and one averages three hours and 36 minutes.

In Los Angeles County, the Gold Line light rail system was created. Consisting of a dual track utilizing light rail cars, it now involves a southern extension which connects from Union Station through Little Tokyo to Long Beach, a Downtown Los Angeles segment connecting at Union Station to the city's internal metro lines, a Central segment running through Downtown Pasadena, South Pasadena, and Northeast Los Angeles, including Highland Park and Heritage Square.

Most significantly for San Bernardino County, the Gold Line has a northern segment, which runs from Union Station to Pasadena, Arcadia, Monrovia, Duarte, Irwindale Azusa Pacific

University/Citrus College in Azusa, Glendora and now Pomona. It is being extended to Claremont.

With departures every eight to 11 minutes, the Gold Line has 928,600 weekday boardings, including 221,444 weekday riders on the portion of the system running from Union Station to Pomona.

At one point, there was mutual resolve to extend the Gold Line into San Bernardino County, a goal being to extend the line first from the Claremont rail station to the Montclair Transit Center and then to Ontario Airport, ultimately out to San Bernardino, Redlands, Yucaipa and then into Riverside county to reach Palm Springs, perhaps by the turn of the Century in 2100.

In 2015, San Bernardino Association of Governments had committed to completing the first phase of the Gold Line into San Bernardino County, obtaining a \$41 million State of California Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program grant to go toward the completion of the line extension to Montclair.

When the International Olympic Committee awarded the 2028 Summer Olympics to Los Angeles in 2017, this boosted the incentive to extend the Gold Line eastward to Ontario Air-

port, what was, at that time, believed to be a realistic deadline.

That same year, SanBAG had rebranded itself as SBCTA, the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority.

In 2019, then-San Bernardino County Transportation Authority Chief Executive Officer Raymond Wolfe had become convinced that rail lines did not represent a viable solution to the region's transportation dilemma. Wolfe believed that a combination of factors, including land acquisition costs for the rail line and the very poor train ridership figures demonstrated by the existing MetroLink commuter rail system in San Bernardino County, augered against San Bernardino County investing in the Gold Line. At the October 10, 2019 meeting of SBCTA's 12-member transit committee, Wolfe made his case for abandoning the project to complete first leg of the Gold Line's progression out of Los Angeles County to Ontario Airport, consisting of constructing the dual tracks one-and-a-quarter miles from Claremont to the Montclair Transit Station. Eight of the transit committee's members – Third District San Bernardino County Supervisor Dawn Rowe and Rancho Cucamonga Mayor Lloyd Dennis

Michael, then-Big Bear Councilman Bill Jahn, then-Yucaipa Councilman David Avila, Highland Councilman Larry McCallon, Fontana Mayor Acquanetta Warren, Colton Mayor Frank Navarro, and Rialto Mayor Deborah Robertson – voted to back Wolfe. Only Montclair Mayor John Dutrey, Ontario City Councilman Alan Wapner and Chino Hills Mayor Ray Marquez opposed his plan to scrub the county's support of the Gold Line. By the committee's vote, San Bernardino County relinquished the \$41 million State of California Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program grant. In the aftermath of that vote, the Metro Rail Construction Authority and its contractor, Kiewit-Parsons completed the 1.9 mile extension of the Gold Line from Azusa to Glendora and embarked on the \$1.5 billion effort to extend the dual-track light rail line to three stations lying further east on the Metro A Line, those being San Dimas, La Verne and Pomona. Ridership on the heavy rail transportation system, MetroLink, remained poor and declined, exacerbated by the COVID pandemic. After the end of the coronavirus crisis, the number of MetroLink passengers did not return to their already-weak *Continued on Page 13*

Chavez Among The Legion Of Individuals Of Influence Whose Reputational Status And Achievements Has Fallen Under The Shadow Of Other Less Appealing Aspects of Their Personalities And Action *from page 3*

as well, so it's best to avoid blanket statements like "I believe the women," or, yes, men. Each claim must be examined individually on its own merits—or lack of them.

So that night I pushed back at the pizza parlor and also made this point: what would Cesar's accusers' motivation be at this late date if not to tell the truth? To which the lawyer did not have an answer, but added: well, he's dead now so he can't defend himself, and besides that, another asked, what "purpose" would these revelations have now? To which I responded again by saying I could think of at least one "good" reason: we don't want to continue "honoring" a man's whose private behavior didn't warrant it.

Another one of my running partners also brought up the "sins" of Columbus and how many are now calling for "the discover of the new world" to be "dethroned," and reminded us that we all have a "dark

side." Which is true, but "all of us" have not groomed adolescent girls to abuse, and "all of us" have not committed rape; and "all of us" have not cut off the hands of Native Americans when they didn't produce the gold we've demanded.

Finally, I should mention many of the calls from commentators and those who knew Chavez, asking us to remember that this is not about just one man; to remember the good he did do; and warned us about the pitfalls of putting our energy into elevating a man, rather than the struggles for justice he stood for.

The same holds true for another American with a holiday in his honor and who was also flawed, in his case by plagiarism and repeated adultery: Martin Luther King, Jr. And while we have not taken his statues down, nor renamed the streets in his honor, on the other hand, neither have we as a nation truly honored his messages either.

He warned us about the "three sins" of America, which include racism; militarism; and materialism; but the United States as of today, and the way it's operating both among many of its people and at the highest levels of government, has, for the most part, shown a fundamental dishonoring of King's "legacy," especially seen in the disgraceful behavior of our current president who's virtually embodied all

three traits and has won millions of supporters by doing so.

And the same holds true for the "legacy" of Cesar Chavez. As of today, millions of tons of unneeded pesticides are still being used in one of the worst scams ever perpetrated by corporate "interests;" while tens of thousands of farm workers, who help put food on our tables, and therefore must obviously be included among those we called "essential workers" during the COVID pandemic, continue to be treated as if they aren't.

So, this is what I regard as the telling "take away" from the life and fall of Cesar Chavez. Not the need to put up statues, but the need to put into action his messages along with those of other leaders like King, who, despite their "sins" and flaws, have called us, as Lincoln said, first to heed the "the better angels of our nature;" then to address our "flaws" as a nation; and finally to join in the continuing fight to end them.

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Public Notices**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE****N U M B E R CIVSB2604195****TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:** Petitioner NEIL LEWIS CHASE filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: NEIL LEWIS CHASE TO NEIL LEWIS FACCHINI**THE COURT ORDERS** that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two 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: 05/29/2026, Time: 08:30 AM, Department: S37

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, San Bernardino District-Civil Division, 247 West Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be published in the SBCS Rancho Cucamonga in San Bernardino County California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of the petition.

This matter is to be heard by Judge Michael A. Dauber. Neil Lewis Chase is represented in this matter by Attorney Gary Wenkle Smith State Bar Number 87277

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The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California under the number 3144707

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: MAY 28, 2009

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ ALBERTO NAVA PEREZ, President

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/14/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K4616

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260003373
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

TAILOR TITUS REALTOR [and] TEAM TITUS HD [and] TAILOR MADE REAL ESTATE 13231 YAKIMA ROAD APPLE VALLEY, CA 92308; TAILOR TITUS

Business Mailing Address: PO BOX 187 APPLE VALLEY, CA 92307

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: March 5, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ TAILOR TITUS, Sole Proprietor

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/13/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K2885

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260003638
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as**Public Notices**

CALIFORNIA CARE REFERRAL AGENCY 11653 OXFORD CT ADELANTO, CA 92301; OLIVER J TANGUILAN ADELANTO

Business Mailing Address: 11653 OXFORD CT ADELANTO, CA 92301

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: April 1, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ OLIVER J TANGUILAN, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/16/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K1587

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260002654
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

JL INTERIORS 8181 DAISY RD HESPERIA, CA 92344; CARLOS J LARA

Business Mailing Address: 8181 DAISY RD HESPERIA, CA 92344

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: March 30, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ CARLOS J LARA, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/30/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K4866

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260002394
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

LIFE READY INSTITUTE 7940 TAPIA STREET FONTANA, CA 92336; JAMIE R ZAROUR

Business Mailing Address: 7940 TAPIA STREET FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: March 19, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JAMIE R ZAROUR, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/19/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:

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Deputy F3010

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260003693
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

MR CHICHARRON 11252 SNOWBELL PL FONTANA, CA 92337; EL CAZO FOODS LLC 11010 WELLS AVE RIVERSIDE, CA 92505

Business Mailing Address: 11010 WELLS AVE RIVERSIDE, CA 92505

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: April 16, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JUAN MOYA, Manager

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/17/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K7211

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260002393
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

EXCEL TRANSPORTATION 34755 ELMWOOD LN YUCAIPA, CA 92399; TERESA ZAROUR

Business Mailing Address: 34755 ELMWOOD LN YUCAIPA, CA 92399

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ TERESA ZAROUR, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/19/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy F3010

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FBN20260002291
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

TERRA VISTA DENTAL CARE DENTAL OFFICE 7211 HAVEN AVENUE STE D RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701;

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RAJURKAR DENTAL INC 7211 HAVEN AVE D RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701

Business Mailing Address: PO BOX 9224 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California under the number B20250426072.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ SEJAL RAJURKAR, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/18/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K9232

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260001988
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

ABUNDANCE ON CALL 2550 NORTH EUCLID AVENUE UPLAND, CA 91784; SHALINI R PETERS

Business Mailing Address: 2550 NORTH EUCLID AVENUE UPLAND, CA 91784

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ SHALINI REBECCA PETERS, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/10/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K9236

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260003489
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

RIDGE 909 6371 HAVEN AVE STE 3, #52 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91737; GABRIEL TREUHAF

Business Mailing Address: 6371 HAVEN AVE STE 3, #52 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91737

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APRIL 8, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

Public Notices/s/ GABRIEL TREUHAF, Owner
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/14/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K4616

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260002501
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

SJ CONSTRUCTION INTERIOR SYSTEMS 1540 N VISTA AVE RIALTO, CA 92376; SJC PRO HOLDINGS, INC 1540 N VISTA AVE RIALTO, CA 92376

Business Mailing Address: 1540 N VISTA AVE RIALTO, CA 92376

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ SAMMY D PEREZ, President

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/24/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K6677

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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Abandonment of a Fictitious Business Name FBN2026000376
The following entity doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

XPLORE 3D DESIGN 573 E G ST 1/2 COLTON, CA 92324; JONATHAN R GARCIA REYES is abandoning its fictitious business name.

The original FBN number was FBN20250009058. The original date of filing was 9/25/2025 Business Mailing Address: 1040 S MOUNT VERNON AVE STE G-256 COLTON, CA 92324

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JONATHAN R GARCIA REYES

Abandonment statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 1/16/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy J9676

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq.,

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Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on February 13, 20 & 27 and March 6, 2026. Corrected on March 13, 20, 27 & April 3, 2026. Corrected on April 17 & 24 and May 1 & 8, 2026.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: EDUARDO VALDEZ CASE NO. PROVA2300118

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of EDUARDO VALDEZ: A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by LESLIE VALDEZ in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that LESLIE VALDEZ be appointed as personal representative 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 Dept. F-1 at 9:00 a.m. on June 1, 2026

San Bernardino County Superior Court Fontana District Department F1 - Fontana 17780 Arrow Boulevard Fontana, CA 92335

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.

Court Hearing rescheduled to June 1, 2026 by Judge Damian Garcia on April 14, 2026.

Leslie Valdez, In Pro Per 7215 Myrtle Pl. Fontana, CA 92336

Telephone No: (909) 675-2986

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: JANE ELLEN CUSHING CASENO. PROVA2600150
 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of JANE ELLEN CUSHING: A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by PAUL D. CUSHING in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that PAUL D. CUSHING 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 Dept. F-1 at 9:00 a.m. on June 1, 2026 San Bernardino County Superior Court Fontana District Department F1 – Fontana 17780 Arrow Boulevard Fontana, CA 92335 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 Paul D. Cushing: Jeff W. LeBlanc – SBN 253200 Anderson & LeBlanc APLC 123 E. 9th Street, Suite 105 Upland, CA 91786 Telephone No: (909) 949-2226 lawoffice@andersonleblanc.com Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on April 24 and May 1 & 8, 2026.

AMENDED NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: BEATREZ JIMENEZ CASE NO. PROVA2600255

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To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of BEATREZ JIMENEZ: a petition for probate has been filed by ELIZABETH JIMENEZ in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO. THE PETITION FOR Probate requests that ELIZABETH JIMENEZ be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedents wills 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 May 28, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. at San Bernardino County Superior Court Fontana District Department F3 - Fontana 17780 Arrow Boulevard Fontana, CA 92335 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 de-liv-ery 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 Elizabeth Jimenez: Laila Bidaki (State Bar Number 357583) Bidaki Law Firm 1255 West Colton Avenue #593 Redlands, California 92374 (909) 848-5750 and (951) 313-7703 laila@bidakilawfirm.com Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on April 24 and May 1 & 8, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CIV SB

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2610536
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner NAOMI GRACE MIHALA filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: NAOMI GRACE MIHALA to NAOMI GRACE AVRAM THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two 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: 06/02/2026, Time: 08:30 AM, Department: S26 The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, San Bernardino District-Civil Division, 247 West Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel in San Bernardino County California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of the petition. Filing date: April 23, 2026 Judge Joseph T. Ortiz Eric Ituralde, Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on April 24 and May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CIV SB 2610539
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner SARAH EMMA MIHALA filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: SARAH EMMA MIHALA to SARAH EMMA AVRAM THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two 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: 06/02/2026, Time: 08:30 AM, Department: S26 The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, San Bernardino District-Civil Division, 247 West Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel in San Bernardino County California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of the petition. Filing date: April 23, 2026 Judge Joseph T. Ortiz Eric Ituralde, Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on April 24 and May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CIV SB

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER CIVSB2604252
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner TRENTON LOUIS ALLMANG filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: TRENTON LOUIS ALLMANG to TRENTON LOUIS ALLMANG-WILDER THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two 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: July 24, 2026 Time: 8:30 AM, Department: S28 The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, San Bernardino District-Civil Division, 247 West Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be published in the SAN Bernardino County Sentinel in San Bernardino County California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of the petition. Date: 2/27/2026 Judge of the Superior Court: Gilbert G. Ochoa By Alexis Camacho, Deputy Court Clerk Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on April 24 and May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

FBN20260002946
 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as KASH CLOUDS CBD & MORE 12975 OSAGE RD APPLE VALLEY, CA 92308 KASH CLOUDS CBD & MORE, LLC 12975 OSAGE RD APPLE VALLEY, CA 92308 Business Mailing Address: 12975 OSAGE RD APPLE VALLEY, CA 92308 The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California under the number B20260101685. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: MARCH 7, 2026. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ TRACY MASCORRO, President Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/06/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K4616

FBN20260003423
 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as DOMINO'S 8322 41234 BIG BEAR LAKE BOULEVARD BIG BEAR LAKE, CA 92315: VAZ RESTAURANTS, LLC 15198 DOWNEY AVENUE PARAMOUNT, CA 90723 Business Mailing Address: 15198 DOWNEY AVENUE PARAMOUNT, CA 90723 The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: NOVEMBER 14, 2022. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ ARTIN AYWAZIAN, Manager Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/14/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K4616

FBN20260003833
 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as ARROW STAFFING SERVICES 499 W STATE STREET, REDLANDS, CA 92373: REDLANDS EMPLOYMENT SERVICES 499 W STATE STREET, REDLANDS, CA 92373 Business Mailing Address: 499 W STATE STREET, REDLANDS, CA 92373 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: MAY 1, 2001. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ MATTHEW THALMAYER, President Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/24/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K7326

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FBN20260003833
 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as ARROW STAFFING SERVICES 1600 S GROVE AVENUE, SUITE B ONTARIO, CA 91761: REDLANDS EMPLOYMENT SERVICES 499 WEST STATE STREET, REDLANDS, CA 92373 Business Mailing Address: 499 WEST STATE STREET, REDLANDS, CA 92373 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: MAY 1, 2001. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ MATTHEW THALMAYER, President Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/24/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K7326

FBN20260001778
 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as CULICHI'S VIP MONTCLAIR 5461 HOLT BLVD SUITE G MONTCLAIR, CA 91763: MANAGEMENT GROUP INCORPORATED 5461 HOLT BLVD STE G MONTCLAIR, CA 91763 Business Mailing Address: 5461 HOLT BLVD SUITE G MONTCLAIR, CA 91763 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ LESLIE NAVARRO, President Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 3/05/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original

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The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: AUGUST 1, 1998. By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing. /s/ MATTHEW THALMAYER, President Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/24/2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K7326

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statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By: Deputy K6677

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on March 27 and April 3, 10 & 17, 2026. Corrected on April 24 and May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: ROSITA DORADO CASE NO. PROVA2600309
 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of ROSITA DORADO: A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by MANUEL PANIAGUA in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that MANUEL PANIAGUA be appointed as personal representatives 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 Dept. F-1 at 9:00 a.m. on May 26, 2026. San Bernardino County Superior Court Fontana District Department F1 – Fontana 17780 Arrow Boulevard Fontana, CA 92335 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 Manuel Paniagua: ANTONIETTE JAUREGUI (SBN 192624) 1894 COMMERCENTER WEST, SUITE 108 SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92408 Telephone No: (909) 890-2350 Fax No: (909) 890-0106 ajprobateclaw@gmail.com Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: TERRY LEE MARCUM

CASE NO. PROV-V2600156

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of TERRY LEE MARCUM: a petition for probate has been filed by TERRY LEE MARCUM JUNIOR in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO. THE PETITION for Probate requests that TERRY LEE MARCUM JUNIOR 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 April 28, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. at

San Bernardino County Superior Court Victorville District

Department V15 – Probate Branch Victorville
14455 Civic Drive
Victorville, CA 92392

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 Terry Lee Marcum Junior:

Mathew Alden (California Bar Number 288429)
255 North D Street Suite 200
San Bernardino, CA 92401
(909) 414-0797
mraalden123@gmail.com
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on May 1, 8 & 15, 2026.

SUMMONS – (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO) CIVRS 2505779
NOTICE TO ALEJANDRO THOMAS PEREZ; AND DOES 1 TO 10, INCLUSIVE. (AVISO DEMANDADO):

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YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): QUALITY ACCEPTANCE, LLC, a limited liability company

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below. You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons is served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court. There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. ¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación. Tienes 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no le protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted puede usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida si secretario de la corte que le de un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin mas advertencia. Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de referencia a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratis de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web

de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov), o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación da \$10,000 o mas de vaoir recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corta antes de que la corta pueda desecher el caso. The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y la dirección de la corte es): Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino 8303 Haven Avenue Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Keith Levey, Esq. SBN#262598 Law Offices of Keith Levey 23371 Mulholland Drive, PMB 392 Woodland Hills, CA 91364 (818) 876-3000 DATE (Fecha): April 23, 2026 Clerk (Secretario), by Elizabeth Valdovines, Deputy (Adjunto)

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****ARTURO ANGEL BURGA****
Bar No. **281057** *(appears likely)*
8331 Utica Ave., Suite 100
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

NOTICE TO PERSON SERVED:
You are served:
1. As an individual defendant.
2. As the person sued under the fictitious name of:
3. On behalf of:
Under:
* CCP 416.10 (corporation)
* CCP 416.60 (minor)
* CCP 416.20 (defunct corporation)
* CCP 416.70 (conservatee)
* CCP 416.40 (association or partnership)
* CCP 416.90 (authorized person)

4. By personal delivery on (date): _____

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

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SUMMONS – (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO) CIVRS2503159
NOTICE TO Michael Leigh Conley (AVISO DEMANDADO):
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):
Marlene Escobar
SUMMONS
(CITACIÓN JUDICIAL)
NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:**MICHAEL LEIGH CONLEY, DOES 1 to 50**
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF:**Marlene Escobar**
Xander Landon Escobar, by Guardian Ad Litem Dennis Alexander Escobar
Mason Manolo Escobar, by Guardian Ad Litem Dennis Alexander Escobar
NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days.
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If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.
COURT INFORMATION
Civil Division of the Rancho Cucamonga District
8303 Haven Avenue Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730
**Case Number:
** CIVRS 2503159 **
(OCR may slightly distort case number)
PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY:

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Bar No. **281057** *(appears likely)*
8331 Utica Ave., Suite 100
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

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4. By personal delivery on (date): _____

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SUMMONS – (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO) CIVRS2500608
NOTICE TO Ambeyo LLC, dba Airman Flight Training (AVISO DEMANDADO):
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):
Raul Tuckler
NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: AMBEYO LLC, a California Limited Liability Company dba AIRMAN FLIGHT TRAINING; and DOES 1-10, Inclusive.
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: RAUL TUCKLER, an Individual.
NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.
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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
Joshua I White, Esq. 808 Wilshire Blvd, Ste 200 Santa Monica CA 90401 Telephone: 323-551-9221 DATE (Fecha): 01/28/2025 Clerk (Secretario), by Gaspar Ambriz Medina
Published in the SBCS on: 05/01/2026, 05/08/2026, 05/15/2026, 05/22/2026

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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
Joshua I White, Esq. 808 Wilshire Blvd, Ste 200 Santa Monica CA 90401 Telephone: 323-551-9221 DATE (Fecha): 01/28/2025 Clerk (Secretario), by Gaspar Ambriz Medina
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SUMMONS – (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO) CIVRS2500512
NOTICE TO Ikigai Consulting Group, Inc. (AVISO DEMANDADO):
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):
The Citizens Bank
NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons is served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.
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The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y la dirección de la corte es):

Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino 8303 Haven Avenue, Rancho Cucamonga California 91730 Rancho Cucamonga

The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):

Michael J. Riddell
16885 Via Del Campo Court, Suite 320
San Diego California 92127

Telephone: (619) 758-3869
DATE (Fecha): 01/23/2025
Clerk (Secretario), by Kayla Schuebel

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

JESUS DELGADO CHACON aka JESUS CHACON aka JESUS DELGADO Case NO. PROVA2600310

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of JESUS DELGADO CHACON aka JESUS CHACON aka JESUS DELGADO A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Maria Ines Chacon Estrada in the Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that The petitioner 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 petitioner 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, Maria Ines Chacon Estrada 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.

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(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 Dept. F1 at 09:00 AM on 05/28/2026 at Superior Court of California, County of Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, San Bernardino, 17780 Arrow Boulevard, Fontana, California 92335, Fontana Division

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.

Fredrick T. Stark, Esq.:
1461 Ford St Ste 203, Redlands, CA 92373 Redlands CA 92373

Telephone No: 909-767-3890

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The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

AESTHETICSWITH LIZ 16685 SIERRA LAKES PKWY SUITE #50 FONTANA, CA 92336: LIZBETH ALVAREZ

Business Mailing Address: 16685 SIERRA LAKES PKWY SUITE #50 FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: SEPTEMBER 1, 2025.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ LIZBETH ALVAREZ, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/07/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy K9236

Notice-This fictitious name

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FBN20260003755
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

ASCEND PATH RECOVERY HOMES 8200 HAVEN AVE #5203 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730: ASCEND POINT PROPERTIES LLC 8200 HAVEN AVE 5203 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730

Business Mailing Address: 8200 HAVEN AVE #5203 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APRIL 21, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ MCKENZIE JEAN ORTIZ, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/07/2026

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The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

SAL ELECTRICAL 17137 MALAGA ST FONTANA, CA 92336: SALVADOR MARTELL 17137 MALAGA ST FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: November 25, 2015.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ SALVADOR MARTELL

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/13/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy J1808

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The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

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TIAL HOME 7142 VERDUGO PL FONTANA, CA 92336: 1004 CARE LLC 7142 VERDUGO PL FONTANA, CA 92336

Business Mailing Address: 7142 VERDUGO PL FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California under the number B20250080605.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: April 24, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ HAE JIN KIM, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/24/2026

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The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

KATZ KITCHEN 1330 OAKLAND PLACE ONTARIO, CA 91762: KATHY T TRAN 1330 OAKLAND PLACE ONTARIO, CA 91762

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ KATHY TRAN, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/29/2026

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AGGIE D CLOUGH DBA WIENERSCHNITZEL 467 9421 FOOTHILL BLVD RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730: AGGIE D DAVIS CLOUGH

Business Mailing Address: 5783 SHEA CT FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ AGGIE D DAVIS CLOUGH, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 04/29/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy K6677

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260004044

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

BELLAS BEAUTY SERVICE 13980 JOHNSON RD PHELAN, CA 92371: YAJAIRA S ARTEAGA OLIVEROS

Business Mailing Address: 13980 JOHNSON RD PHELAN, CA 92371

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: February 1, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ YAJAIRA S ARTEAGA OLIVEROS, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 05/01/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy K9236

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Business Mailing Address: 13980 JOHNSON RD PHELAN, CA 92371

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: February 1, 2026.

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/s/ YAJAIRA S ARTEAGA OLIVEROS, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 05/01/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy K9236

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FBN20260001460

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

REAL ESTATE AND LENDING SIMPLIFIED 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761: REAL ESTATE AND LENDING SIMPLIFIED 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761

Business Mailing Address: 1814 LAKEWOOD AVE UP-LAND, CA 91784

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California under the number B20260088731

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: February 20, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JOHN ABRIL, President

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 02/25/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy J6733

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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FBN20260001501

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

BIRDEYE LOANS 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761: REAL ESTATE AND LENDING, SIMPLIFIED 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761

Business Mailing Address: 1814 LAKEWOOD AVE UP-LAND, CA 91784

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered

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with the State of California under the number B20260088731

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: February 20, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JOHN ABRIL, President

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 02/26/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/ Deputy

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The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

BIRDEYE LOANS 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761: REAL ESTATE AND LENDING, SIMPLIFIED 3200 E GUASTI RD 100 ONTARIO, CA 91761

Business Mailing Address: 1814 LAKEWOOD AVE UP-LAND, CA 91784

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California under the number B20260088731

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: February 20, 2026.

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/s/ JOHN G ABR

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LADO, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 02, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel 04/10/2026, 04/17/2026, 04/24/2026, 05/01/2026 CNBB15202604MT

FBN20260004086

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

ALLIED TOWING [and] ALLIED HEAVY DUTY TOWING 1335 W RIALTO AVE SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410: ALLIED TOWING, LLC

Business Mailing Address: 1335 W RIALTO AVE SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California under the number 201917010092

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: July 19, 2024.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JOSE RODARTE, Managing Member Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 5/04/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN20260004034

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

FOUND BY CARRIE 236 E. MAIN ST BARSTOW, CA 92311: CARRIE L O'NEAL

Business Mailing Address: 34124 M ST BARSTOW, CA 92311 The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: April 30, 2026.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ CARRIE O'NEAL, Owner Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 4/30/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K1587 in Hesperia

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on May 8, 15, 22 & 29, 2026.

FBN20260004172

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

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ASIAN WOK 6331 HAVEN AVE UNIT 9 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91737: D.Z KITCHEN INC. 6331 HAVEN AVE UNIT 9 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91737 Business Mailing Address: 6331 HAVEN AVE. UNIT 9 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91737

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION registered with the State of California

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ HAI ZHANG, CEO Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 5/06/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K7326

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FBN20260004232

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

EVENT SEO 9656 PALO ALTO STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730: ELYSSA M CARLOS

Business Mailing Address: 9656 PALO ALTO STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ ELYSSA M CARLOS, Owner Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 5/07/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K7211

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on May 8, 15, 22 & 29, 2026.

FBN20260004256

The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

EAGLE SQUARE MERCHANT ENTERPRISES - WHOLESALE AUTO SERVICES 562 E. BANYAN CT. ONTARIO, CA 91761: ALOZIE D UDEOGA-RANYA

Business Mailing Address: 562 E. BANYAN CT. ONTARIO, CA 91761

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ ALOZIE D UDEOGA-RANYA, Owner Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on:

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5/07/2026

I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9236

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FBN 20260003494

The following person is doing business as: CALIFORNIA MEDICAL BILLING & CONSULTING. 6560 ENCINA ST CHINO, CA 91710; [MAILING ADDRESS 6560 ENCINA ST CHINO, CA 91710]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO CORONADO SPORT SALES 6560 ENCINA ST CHINO CA 91710 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 2048505 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JULIAN A. CORONADO, CEO Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 14, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel 04/17/2026, 04/24/2026, 05/01/2026, 05/08/2026 CNBB16202601MT

FBN 20260003445

The following person is doing business as: NEW WEST UPHOLSTERY. 8046 CENTRAL AVE HIGHLAND, CA 92346; [MAILING ADDRESS 8046 CENTRAL AVE HIGHLAND, CA 92346]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO ALBERTO VALENCIA DAMAS The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ ALBERTO VALENCIA DAMAS, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 14, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003340

The following person is doing business as: 909-AUTO REPAIR. 393 W ATHOL ST SUITE #8 SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92401; [MAILING ADDRESS

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393 W ATHOL ST SUITE #8 SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92401; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO YANUCIL CASTORENA CURIEL The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ YANUCIL CASTORENA CURIEL, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 13, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260002761

The following person is doing business as: ADY'S PROPERTY RENTAL #1. 25642 9TH ST SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410; [MAILING ADDRESS 3868 W BODEGA WAY SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92407]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO ADY'S PROPERTY RENTAL #2, LLC. 25642 9TH ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92410

STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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/s/ ALEJANDRO MANZO OYNICK, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 02, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260002844

The following person is doing business as: J.A.BO TRANSPORT. 2851 S DESERT FOREST AVE ONTARIO, CA 91761; [MAILING ADDRESS 2851 S DESERT FOREST AVE ONTARIO, CA 91761]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO JAIME GALAVIZ JR

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ JAIME GALAVIZ JR, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 03, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003140

The following person is doing business as: TK HIBACHI JAPANESE GRILL; TK HIBACHI ON FIRE 1200 E 20TH STREET STE B UPLAND, CA 91784; [MAILING ADDRESS 1200 E 20TH STREET STE B UPLAND, CA 91784]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO THE HOLY GRAIL HOSPITALITY GROUP 1308 MONTE VISTA AVENUE SUITE 9 UPLAND CA 91786 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 4845385 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ MAIRA DE LA TORRE, CEO Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 08, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003188

The following person is doing business as: CHINO WELLNESS MESSAGE CENTER. 4141 RIVERSIDE DR CHINO, CA 91710; [MAILING ADDRESS 4141 RIVERSIDE DR CHINO, CA 91710]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO MENG QI

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APR 09, 2026

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ MENG QI, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 09, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003462

The following person is doing business as: PROLINE DIESEL REPAIRS. 17736 SLOVER AVE BLOOMINGTON, CA 92316; [MAILING ADDRESS 11432 VIA MONTE FONTANA, CA 92337]; PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO PROLINE DIESEL REPAIR SERVICES LLC 11432 VIA MONTE FONTANA CA 92337 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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formation in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

FBN 20260001391

The following person is doing business as: FMR FULFILLMENT AND MARKETING. 15355 MANILA ST FONTANA, CA 92337; [MAILING ADDRESS 15355 MANILA ST FONTANA, CA 92337]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO MKP DIRECT 1111 E. CITRUS ST. SUITE 6 RIVERSIDE CA 92507 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 3972933 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ MICHAEL O PALMA, PRESIDENT Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: FEBRUARY 24, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. 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 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code). Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel 02/27/2026, 03/06/2026, 03/13/2026, 03/20/2026 CNBB9202603MT CORRECTION DATES 04/17/2026, 04/24/2026, 05/01/2026, 05/08/2026

FBN 20260001397

The following person is doing business as: ZEF LABS. 7189 ARLINGTON ST FONTANA, CA 92336; [MAILING ADDRESS 7189 ARLINGTON ST FONTANA, CA 92336]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO HJC VENTURES LLC 7189 ARLINGTON ST FONTANA CA 92336 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION B20260030461 The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: FEB 01, 2026

By signing, I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime (B&P Code 179130). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

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FBN 20260002752

The following person is doing business as: RE/MAX TIME COMMERCIAL. 10535 FOOTHILL BLVD STE #460 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730; [MAILING ADDRESS 10535 FOOTHILL BLVD STE #460 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO HOUSEKEY REAL ESTATE CORP. 10535 FOOTHILL BLVD STE 460 RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91730 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 2955814

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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/s/ ELVIS A ORTIZ-WAYLAND, CEO Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 10, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003681

The following person is doing business as: BBO ISLAND OUTLET 13785 PARK AVE UNIT A VICTORVILLE CA 92392; [MAILING ADDRESS 17843 BOXWOOD DR RIVERSIDE, CA 92503]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

BBO ISLAND OUTLET 13785 PARK AVE VICTORVILLE CA 92392 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION B20250284954 The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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/s/ MIKE KCKELLIPS, CEO Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 16, 2026 I hereby certify that this copy is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office San Bernardino County Clerk By:/Deputy K9232

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FBN 20260003480

The following person is doing business as: ECS BARBER + BEAUTY 3545 HIGHLAND AVE SUITE A HIGHLAND CA 92346; [MAILING ADDRESS 3545 HIGHLAND AVE SUITE A HIGHLAND CA 92346]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO SERGIO A HERNANDEZ CERVANTES The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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ty Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 07, 2026

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FBN 20260003086 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: PARRY'S INDIAN CUISINE, INC.. 7216 HELENA PL FONTANA, CA 92336;[MAILING ADDRESS 9654 BASELINE RD RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

PARRY'S INDIAN CUISINE, INC. 7216 HELENA PL FONTANA CA 92336 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APR07, 2026

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s/ JUSTIN SMITH, OWNER

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FBN 20260002964 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: SMITTY'S SOLUTIONS HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING. 2439 MILL CREEK RD MENTONE, CA 92359;[MAILING ADDRESS 2439 MILL CREEK RD MENTONE, CA 92359];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

JUSTIN N SMITH

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

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s/ JUSTIN SMITH, OWNER

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FBN 20260003107 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: YUCCA VALLEY FARMERS MARKET AT FOUNDERS PLAZA; YUCCA VALLEY CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKET AT FOUNDERS PLAZA; CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKET AT FOUNDERS PLAZA YUCCA VALLEY; CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKET; CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKET I; YUCCA VALLEY FARMERS MARKET I. 55762 TWENTYNINE PALMS HIGHWAY YUCCA VALLEY, CA 92284;[MAILING ADDRESS PO BOX 448 YUCCA VALLEY, CA 92286];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

LORI G HERBEL

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

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s/ LORI G HERBEL, OWNER

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FBN 20260002911 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: GENESIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICE. 10573 CHEV-

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RON CT ADELANTO, CA 92301;[MAILING ADDRESS 10573 CHEVRON CT ADELANTO, CA 92301];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

GENESIS CLEANING CORPORATION 10573 CHEVRON CT FONTANA CA 92301 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 5847385

The business is conducted by: A CORPORATION.

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s/ JESSICA BADILLO VAZQUEZ, CEO

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FBN 20260002831 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: CANNON BALL POOL SERVICE. 1736 CAPRI AVE MENTONE, CA 92359;[MAILING ADDRESS 1736 CAPRI AVE MENTONE, CA 92359];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

RICHARD AGUILAR

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

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s/ RICHARD AGUILAR, OWNER

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FBN 20260002690 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: VEGGIE MIKE'S MEAL PREP. 13480 BETSY ROSS CT FONTANA, CA 92336;[MAILINGADDRESS 13480 BETSY ROSS CT FONTANA, CA 92336];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

RICHARD L GAPKO

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

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s/ RICHARD L GAPKO, OWNER

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FBN 20260002655 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: ORMAR PRODUCE. 16992 POST OAK LN FONTANA, CA 92337;[MAILING ADDRESS 16992 POST OAK LN FONTANA, CA 92337];

PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS SAN BERNARDINO

ARTURO ORTIZ PADILLA

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FBN 20260002814 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person is doing business as: YESHUAH LOGISTICS. 219 E OLIVE ST SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410;[MAILING ADDRESS 219 E OLIVE ST SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410];

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

YESHUAH ALFA & OMEGA ENTERPRISES SERVICE LLC. 219 E OLIVE ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92410 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION 202461017787

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A

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s/ JOHANY HINOJOSA COLADO, MANAGING MEMBER

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ment in the United States through concentration on a former and a current county supervisor in Los Angeles County.

It appears that the People's Republic of China government invested heavily in promoting Wang's political career.

According to the U.S. Attorney's Office, on October 13, 2022, little more than three weeks before Wang was elected to the Arcadia City Council, an exchange took place between Chen and a People's Republic of China government official, identified as "Government Official 2." The Chinese government official conveyed an intent to engage in activity, partially consisting of a propaganda blitz and an effort to influence legislation at the

U.S. Congressional level to weaken American resolve to support an independent Taiwan. This communication stated that "the leader of our line in Beijing" and "the higher ups" were to provide "monetary support" to "execute" a plan and that "their preliminary plan is that after the election they will disrupt new congressman who will visit Taiwan just like you proposed."

According to court documents filed by the U.S. Attorney's Office, Wang was a sleeper agent for the Chinese government or at the very least was being cooperative in working to assist agents such as Chen. An affidavit relates that Sun did an extensive examination of Wang's ancestry and connection to Chinese society.

The affidavit quotes Sun as reporting that Wang, referred to as "Individual 1," was "born in the late 70s. Han ethnicity. Born in Chengdu, Sichuan, China. Great-grandfather [Relative 1] was commander during the Wuchang Uprising. Grandfather [Relative 2] was commander of Zhongshan gunboat. Father [Relative 3] was (former [occupation redacted]). [Individual 1] emigrated to the U.S. from Chengdu in 1995, studied at [redacted]. Later served as a committee member of [redacted]. Established [names of businesses redacted]."

The affidavit states that during 2022 the campaign, Sun was in communication with Chen in conjunction with the effort to get Wang elected to the Arcadia City Council. Shortly after the November 2022 election, Chen called upon Sun to put a report together on the election

which was forwarded to Chinese government officials. Those Chinese officials were positively impressed and expressed thanks, according to the affidavit. Chen directly sent a message to Wang, according to the affidavit, telling her she was "doing a good job, I hope you can continue the good work, make Chinese people proud." In February 2023, Sun and Chen drafted a report to Communist Chinese government officials requesting \$80,000 to pay for further efforts to promote the People's Republic of China and oppose "anti-China forces" in the United States.

Among the issues Sun and Chen took up in their communications related to creating problems for Falun Gong.

Falun Gong is a spiritual practice or religion founded by Li Hongzhi in China in 1992 which combines meditation, qigong exercises, and moral teachings some-

what akin to Christianity.

The Chinese government objects to the Falun Gong in virtually all of its aspect, most particularly with regard to the sect's efforts to preserve or revive Chinese culture and traditions from the time before the Chinese Communist Revolution. Accordingly, the communist regime in China has outlawed the worshiping practices of Falun Gong on Mainland China, and there is concern among Chinese leaders that the Falun Gong movement represents a long-term sedition threat to the Chinese government.

Chen Jun paid cash bribes on behalf of the People's Republic of China to a purported Internal Revenue Service agent, who was in fact an undercover law enforcement agent, in exchange for assistance in filing a complaint as part of a People's Republic of China Government-di-

rected scheme to revoke the tax-exempt status of a 501(c)(3) organization run by Falun Gong practitioners.

In an exchange with Sun on March 23, 2023, Chen suggested that Sun engage himself in causing problems for the Falun Gong community in California. According to an affidavit filed with the court by an FBI agent, a text from Chen was cited. It read, "Several questions: Does Wheel [Wheel being a Chinese term referring to Falun Gong] have locations in [a California city]? Activities? Can you create some obstacles for them? If you can eliminate one or several locations, or create some obstacles, there will be rewards."

The *Sentinel* is informed that Wang, as part of an agreement with federal authorities, will resign as mayor as early as next week.

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numbers. Simultaneously, as the residents of the San Gabriel Mountains Foothill Communities learned of the Gold Line, its use magnified.

Two members of the California legislature who left their posts upon being termed out in 2024, State Senator Anthony Portantino and Assemblyman Chris Holden, both of whose districts were primarily in Los Angeles County but which overlap into western San Bernardino County, in the last years of their tenure in office were casting about for some means to ensure a legislative legacy. Both saw the revival of the extension of the Gold Line into San Bernardino County as a move in that direction.

On July 8, 2024, largely at Portantino's and Holden's instigation, the California State Transportation Agency earmarked just under \$500 million to be used to extend the Gold Line into San Bernardino County. This brought the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority back on board for a light rail ride between Claremont and Montclair. Completion of the Gold Line to Claremont was anticipated for late 2026 to early 2027, at which point the construction of the line through to Montclair was to begin. The San Bernardino County Transportation Authority, newly enthusiastic about the prospect for a light rail system into the heart of the Inland Empire, set aside \$80 million for the project, \$37,199,643 of which was to be expended toward right-of-way acquisition and other engineering and preparatory work for the project.

In the same timeframe, the San Bernardino County Transportation Agency staff began negotiating a memorandum of understanding with their counterparts on the staff of the Gold Line Construction Authority

in Los Angeles County, seeking to find some grounds for agreement that would entrust to the Gold Line Construction Authority, with its established expertise in light rail development, the clearance to design and build the project within a jurisdiction where the SBCTA had jurisdiction over transit issues.

In September 2025, however, the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority board took up a discussion of an item listed as "Gold Line to Montclair Project Cost Increase and Funding Request." Though it had among four options three opportunities to essentially stay the course with regard to the matter, including acting to "approve keeping \$37,199,643 in funding in place until a decision is made regarding how to proceed," the board was also asked to consider "establish[ing] an ad hoc committee to work with staff to examine alternatives to the Gold Line Extension for the City of Montclair." At the September 3, 2025 meeting, however, a majority of the board appeared to be gripped by resentment toward the Gold Line Construction Authority, which during negotiations on the finalization of memorandum of understanding for the line extension had sought to reserve for itself complete autonomy over how the construction should proceed. This extended to reserving all of the positions on the authority's board to Los Angeles County officials.

At the basis of the authority's reluctance to place a representative on the board was the fashion in which the San Bernardino County Transportation Agency, seemingly overnight and at the drop of a hat, was willing to walk away from the project after tremendous preparation effort and even after having secured substantial funding to be used to-

ward proceeding. The San Bernardino County Transportation Agency's board of directors, by a 15-to-11 ratio of those participating, precipitously opted out of extending the Gold Line light rail transportation system into San Bernardino County. The September 3 vote superseded a motion presented by Montclair Mayor John Dutrey and Chino Hills Council Member Ray Marquez to continue to work on the memorandum of understanding. It called for the authority to end negotiations on a memorandum of understanding with the construction authority, to not approve the funding needed to include the Montclair extension with the design procurement currently underway, and directed SBCTA staff to study alternatives to connecting Montclair with improved transit options using the \$37 million in local funding the agency had been holding to complete the Foothill Gold Line to Montclair.

Members of the Gold Line Construction Authority were stunned by the action, which seemed to underscore the concern they had about letting a member of the San Bernardino county Transportation Authority take a position on the construction authority board, given the volatility that was being evinced. Gold Line Construction Authority board members felt the authority's proven track record in designing and building a \$3 billion project on time and on budget should have counted for something. Though in negotiations the Gold Line Construction Authority had offered assurances that San Bernardino County officials and SBCTA itself would have significant opportunities to provide input into the process, San Bernardino county Transportation Authority board members, collectively, were not willing to accept the basic terms of that agreement, which several of the San Bernardino County officials said would result in an outside agency having

authority to make decisions in their county.

This constituted, if not the death of the potential of bringing light rail to San Bernardino, prevented the preparation for the Montclair extension from moving forward simultaneously with the Claremont portion of the final project segment on the Los Angeles County side.

There are yet in place individuals who believe the Gold Line being extended into San Bernardino county would be of benefit to the county's residents.

One of those is 41st District Assemblyman John Harabedian, whose district extends from Pasadena in Los Angeles County and includes other Los Angeles County communities such as Alta Dena, Sierra Madre, La Canada/Flintridge, Bradbury, Monrovia, Duarte, San Dimas, La Verne and Claremont as well as portions of Upland, San Antonio Heights, Rancho Cucamonga, Lytle creek, Wrightwood, Pinon Hills, Phelan and Hesperia in San Bernardino County. In february, he introduced Assembly Bill 1678, legislation that would create a new "Claremontclair Authority" to construct an extension of Metro's A Line from Claremont into the City of Montclair.

Under the bill, the Claremontclair Authority would replace the existing Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension Construction Authority for the Claremont-Montclair segment and authorize the awarding and overseeing of all design and construction contracts for the extension, starting from the east side of the Claremont light rail station and continuing to the Montclair Transit Center. It would require the authority to conduct financial studies, planning, and engineering, and to make reasonable progress on design and construction. It would dissolve the authority upon completion of construction.

Governance of the Claremontclair Authority would consist of five voting members and

one nonvoting member, with appointments from the city councils of Claremont and Montclair, the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, the president of the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority board and the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors. The governor would appoint the nonvoting member.

Despite the board having three of its five voting members controlled by entities in San Bernardino County, the San Bernardino County Transportation Agency Board of Directors on April 1, 2026 voted to oppose the legislation.

"After prudent discussion and careful consideration of the long and complex history surrounding the proposed Gold Line extension to Montclair, the board determined that AB 1678 is inconsistent with SBCTA's previously adopted direction regarding the project and would significantly diminish SBCTA's authority over transportation matters within San Bernardino County," the San Bernardino County Transportation Agency put out in an official statement. "The board noted that the bill introduces substantial legal and financial risks to the agency, limits SBCTA's role in project oversight, and obligates the agency to fund operations and maintenance costs without the ability to negotiate terms in advance. Additionally, AB 1678 would remove SBCTA from a meaningful decision-making role in the delivery and long-term operation of a project within its own jurisdiction, creating concerns about governance, accountability, and responsible stewardship of local funding."

According to the statement, the boards action in September 2025 discontinuing its pursuit of the Gold Line extension to Montclair was taken "after years of cost escalation, delays, and an inability to reach an agreement with the existing [Gold Line] Construction Authority that would provide essential

protections for San Bernardino County taxpayers. Since then, the board has moved forward with advancing enhanced Metrolink service as a more reliable and cost-effective mobility option for the region."

The statement did not dwell on, and no one from the county transportation agency was willing to address the observation that, it was SBCTA's abandonment of the project in 2019 that delayed the construction timetable or that ridership on the Metrolink's San Bernardino Line has dwindled to, in some cases, fewer than five passengers on three car – one locomotive and one cab and one coach – trains and four car – one locomotive and one cab and one coach – trains.

Nevertheless, the San Bernardino County Transportation Agency stated. "The Board's action to oppose AB 1678 is consistent with the agency's 2025/2026 State Legislative Platform to oppose any mandate requiring SBCTA to build, fund, or operate specific projects. The board directed staff to continue advocating for transportation solutions that reflect the region's priorities, fiscal responsibility, and local control."

The board called upon the county's cities to likewise oppose Assembly Bill 1678.

As of this week, only one city in San Bernardino County had complied with that request. On April 27, the Yucaipa City Council voted unanimously to stand in opposition to Harbedian's proposed legislation.

Councilwoman Judy Woolsey, who serves on the SBCTA board, said, somewhat inaccurately, that preventing the creation of the Claremontclair Authority was justifiable because "Metro wants our money, but they don't want to give us any voice in what's going to be done."

-Mark Gutglueck