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Dogged By The FBI, Wapner Makes A Last-Minute Political Switcheroo

With the FBI scrutinizing virtually every element of his political existence, Ontario Councilman Alan Wapner has abandoned his challenge of Mayor Paul Leon and will instead run for reelection to the city council for the eighth consecutive time in the upcoming November 3 election.

Leon and Wapner are two of San Bernardino County's longest-serving local elected offi-

cials. Wapner was first elected to the city council in 1994. Leon was appointed to the council in 1998.

Wapner, who has stated on numerous occasions, in numerous contexts and to numerous individuals privately and publicly that he considers himself to be comprehensively superior to Leon with regard to every consideration the voters should make in selecting a mayor,

ties were summoned to the scene, they came across two 9mm bullet casings believed to have been ejected from the gun used in the shooting attempt, were found on the ground near where the two murder attempts occurred.

29 Palms Council Unable To Meet Emergency Center Grant Deadline

The Twentynine Palms City Council on July 28 failed to reach a consensus on pursuing a grant to work with the Sanctuary Church to establish a comprehensive emergency services/disaster response center, resulting in the city now being unable to meet the filing deadline for the grant.

Since 2011, the Sanctuary Church, has run the Hope Center out of an Adobe Road building, receiving food from the FIND See P 2

Lucero Pleads To The Whole Bill In Murder Of His Girlfriend & Her Kids 6 Years Ago

More than six years after Louis Lucero killed his girlfriend and her two children, he has entered guilty pleas to all three murders, one day short of a month after his

seriously contemplated running for mayor in the special election that took place in June 2005 after former Mayor Gary Ovitt was elected to the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors in November 2004 with two years remaining on his term. Leon, however, beat Wapner in filing to compete in that race, and Wapner opted against making it into a race between two incumbent council members. Leon

trial in the matter began.

Lucero was accused of, and has now acknowledged killing his 42-year-old girlfriend, Erlinda Villareal and her two sons, ages 9 and 12, on April 29, 2020.

Lucero, then 35, Villareal, then 42, and the children lived at a home in the 15400 block of Ferndale Road. The morning of Wednesday, April 29, 2020, a call came into the San Ber-

In A Ploy To Split Ontario's Hispanic Vote, Wapner Runs Macias For Mayor

In a bid to assist Alan Wapner in his mayoral effort, Ontario Councilwoman Daisy Macias is jumping into the November 3 race.

At the behest of Wapner, who has offered her assistance in funding what both have agreed will be a token campaign not intended to succeed in getting her elected but rather to divide the city's Hispanic vote, Macias took out mayoral candidacy papers, Ontario Assistant City Clerk Claudia Isbell confirmed on August 4.

Wapner was first elected to the Ontario City Council in 1994, and had contemplated running for mayor in the 2005 special election to replace former Mayor

prevailed in the special election against former Ontario City Attorney Sam Crowe, who had also served on the city council in the 1960s. Wapner contemplated running against Leon in 2010, but again deferred to the reality that Leon, given his Spanish surname, had an electoral advantage over him in a city in which upwards of 60 percent of the population is Hispanic. Privately, Wapner lamented

Garry Ovitt after Ovitt left the mayoral position to serve as Fourth District San Bernardino County supervisor following his election to that post in 2004, but did not do so when Paul Leon, who had been on the city council since 1998 beat him to the punch by declaring he was going to seek the office. Leon prevailed in that contest over Sam Crowe, Ontario's former city attorney and former city councilman.

Wapner and Leon thereafter found themselves on the same electoral cycle, such that each was up for reelection, Leon for mayor and Wapner for councilman, in 2006, 2010, 2014, 2018 and 2022. At each juncture, Wapner See P 2

Morongo Valley Unified Teaching Assistant Jailed Over Molestation Accusations

Isaac Elias Carrillo, a 28-year-old instructional assistant at Condor Elementary School in Twentynine Palms has been charged with two counts related to sexual abuse of a child.

Carrillo, who lives in Twentynine Palms, will not be returning to resume his work assignment with the district when the new school

that Ontario was being poorly and inadequately represented by Leon who was doing a disservice to the city's residents by monopolizing the mayor's position. Nevertheless, he chose, again in 2024, 2028 and 2022 to run for city council rather than mayor, and even arranged to run as a troika with Mayor Leon and Councilman Jim Bowman, who together shared the same election cycle in which See P 2

year begins later this month.

Carrillo has been charged with sexually abusing a developmentally disabled student under age 14 at Condor Elementary School.

The five foot-eight inch 200 pound Carrillo was taken into custody on July 1 at the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department's See P 4

Fed Ex Shuttering Victorville Center In September 28

Federal Express is going to going to shutter its shipping center in Victorville, in September, which will entail laying off 54 employees.

The current operation at 12212 Industrial Boulevard is the 16th largest employer in Victorville, offering a range of FedEx shipping services, including express and ground drop-off, package pickup, packaging supplies, and international shipping. It also provides in-store services such as getting shipping labels, holding packages for pickup, and offering Saturday service.

Federal Express will maintain a presence at the location, rebranded as a FedEx Office, after September 27, but it will be reduced to customer interface with a skeleton crew.

Audit Calls For SB School District Ditching 10 Contracts

With the deadline for elected public office candidacies for most of the municipal positions to be contested in the November 3 general election eclipsing at 5 p.m. today, a clearer picture of who is vying for mayoral and council positions in San Bernardino County's cities and towns has emerged.

In Barstow Sonia Compton, Valerie Lee, Kelly M. Parker are vying to represent the city's District 1, which is currently filled by Councilwoman Carmen Hernandez. Hernandez is not seeking reelection. Barstow District Two Councilman James Noble is seeking reelection and is being challenged by Lathon Lester.

In Needles, incumbent Mayor Janet Jernigan is being challenged by former Mayor Jeff Williams

and incumbent council members Henry Longbrake and Jamie McCorkle are seeking reelection with Wayne Colburn, Sandra Queen Noble and Charles Dressler competing against them.

In Apple Valley, incumbent Mayor Scott Nassif is running this year and David Dencker, and Robert Lucero and Angelita Valles are running against him. In District 4, incumbent Curt Emick is seeking reelection, with Brian Cochrane and Matthew Rutledge vying against him. In District 3, incumbent Kari Leon is facing challengers Ted Bohanon and Evaggelia Markov.

In Adelanto, incumbent Mayor Gabriel Reyes is seeking to remain in office while facing a challenge See P 3

29 Palms Could Use An Emergency Center But Uncertainty About Whether A Grant To Establish One Caused The Council To Balk At Following Through On Making An Application *from front page*

Food Bank in Indio and the US Department of Agriculture in San Bernardino and providing it free Twentynine Palms residents in need weekly through the Feed the Need program. It has traditionally held giveaways at 5 p.m. every Tuesday. At least since 2025, the City of Twentynine Palms has participated in that program by augmenting its operations with \$10,000 per year. Those heavily involved in the Hope Center include Bishop Perry Ford of the Sanctuary Church, the Hope Center's community outreach director, Shances Risper and Sylvester Cullum, the business administrator at The Hope Center.

In recent years, the Red Cross has had a presence in Twentynine Palms as a consequence of summer monsoons and resultant flooding that left residents in low-lying areas homeless, at least temporarily. Dialogues between the

community volunteers led to a suggestion that the shuttered Rite Aid building acquired by the city could be converted into a so-called community resilience center.

A community resilience center is a local hub that supports everyday community needs and transforms into a resource center during emergencies to enhance what is termed "neighborhood resilience." Such centers normally involve indoor space intended as a forum for to give local residents daily or weekly access to available social services and the serve as a shelter during disasters such as fires, extreme heat, earthquakes, or floods.

In normal or typical circumstances, a community resource center functions as a neighborhood gathering point offering services such as job training and workforce development, food and clean water distribution, public health programs, the hosting of community meetings and civic engagement activities and serving as a base for local nonprofits and grassroots organizations.

The centers also serve as a base from which emergency operations can be run.

The discussion evolved into how the city might obtain some order

of funding to make the desired conversion of the Rite Aid building.

Councilwoman April Ramirez suggest the city look into obtaining a Community Resilience Center Grant offered by the California Strategic Growth Council.

In March 2025, then-Twentynine Palms City Manager Stone James executed an as needed agreement with California Consulting to assist the city in identifying and pursuing grant funding opportunities. City officials proposed that the community resilience center would serve as a staffed heating and cooling center during periods of extreme weather, providing residents with a safe and accessible location during hazardous temperature conditions and that it could also function as an emergency shelter and resource hub during disasters or other emergency events, such as flooding.

In order to meet the criteria to obtain the the California Strategic Growth Council, the shelter operator would need to ensure that the facility would be active-year-round to be utilized and accessible to the public.

The California Strategic Growth Council Community Resilience Center Grant provides

funding ranging from \$1 million to \$10 million for the development of a resilience center. The grant does not require a local funding match, making it a highly competitive funding opportunity. Grant funds may only be used for the construction of a new facility or the renovation of an existing building. The contemplated proposal application was to have the Hope Center partner with the city and utilize the former Rite Aid building as the proposed Resilience Center. The California Strategic Growth Council looks favorably upon local governmental partnerships with non-profit organizations, and it was believed that this would likely augur well for the city's application. The deadline for the submittal of the application is September 25, 2026. California Consulting's grant writer, Sharri Edgehill, earlier this summer told the city that the recent suggestion of the Hope Center/City plan created a rush situation in which to meet the application deadline the city would be responsible for completing a substantial amount of preparatory work, including conducting community outreach and stakeholder engagement, evaluating site and land use considerations, completing the necessary environmental

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review, and negotiation of a long-term agreement with the Hope Center. This would entail, Edgehill said, having to pay California Consulting an estimated \$15,000 and \$18,000 for its grant-writing assistance due to the size and complexity of the proposed grant. There would be no assurance the city would get the California Strategic Growth Council grant and the city would also need to accrue some pre-award costs in making the application, such as up to \$30,000 in legal services.

While Councilwoman Ramirez, Councilman McArthur Wright and Councilman Steven Bildrain were enthusiastic about the proposal, the costs of the application and the potential that it would not succeed were

off-putting to Mayor Dan Mintz and Mayor Pro Tem Octavious Scott. At the July 28 council meeting where the council took up moving forward with committing to making the application by the September deadline, which would entail signing off on a commitment to pay California Consulting at least \$15,000 and City Attorney Anthony Patrick Munoz and his law firm Rutan & Tucker at least \$25,000, Mintz and Scott balked. Because he is a congregant at the Sanctuary Church, Wright felt he could not participated in the vote. Thus, the 2-to-2 deadlock on proceeding with the application failed.

-Mark Gutglueck



Wapner's Hostility, Building For Two Decades, Manifested With His Declaration Of His 2026 Mayoral Run, Now Being Boosted By Macias's Assistance *from front page*

deferred his ambition to become mayor to some future point. Wapner was hampered from achieving the city's highest elective post by the consideration that Leon held the upper hand of being the incumbent and the even more important advantage of his Spanish surname, which redounded to Leon's benefit in a city which at that time had a population that was then 63 percent Latino and which in the last 21 years has transitioned into being 68.8 percent Hispanic.

At various times during their combined tenure as city leaders, the

relationship between Leon and Wapner has broken down and broken into open hostility. In 2009, their enmity reached what was previously a nadir, when Wapner joined with two other members of the council to reduce the mayor's stipend by \$30,000 to match what was paid council members and he hired attorney/private investigator Loerena Nesci to dig up dirt on Leon, and then had Nexci trumpet to the community that Leon was carrying on with Diana Huizar, an executive secretary working at the Ontario Conven-

tion Center. Wapner had hoped the matter involving Huizar would damage Leon's reputation sufficiently to dim the mayor's prospects for reelection in 2010 or convince him to discontinue in office entirely. When a pollster who took the pulse of the community reported back to Wapner that the Huizar affair had not made sufficient inroads on Leon's popularity with the city's electorate and that polls showed Wapner losing to Leon in an head-to-head contest, Wapner opted out of running for mayor in 2010. Instead, he engineered a rapprochement with Leon, and Leon, Wapner and Jim Bowman, another incumbent councilman who shared the same re-election cycle,

represented themselves as "Team Ontario," the trio of dedicated and competent city fathers who were responsible for Ontario being the most economically successful of San Bernardino County's 24 municipalities. All three were reelected, and in the election years since, Leon and Wapner remained in their respective mayoral and council lanes, endorsing one another for reelection, along with Jim Bowman.

In 2024, the veneer of civility that had existed between Leon and Wapner began to crack when Wapner poached Daisy Macias from Leon as one of his allies. Leon had long been grooming Macias as a potential member of the city council, having hired her

to work as a secretary at the church where he is pastor, then assisting her in getting positions in the real estate industry, including most recently a high-profile and lucrative position with Community Renaissance, an affordable housing developer founded by Jeff Burum, who has proven over the years to be one of the deepest-pocketed donors to San Bernardino County politicians, including Leon and Wapner. In a move to begin a redraft of Ontario's political landscape, Wapner transferred \$40,000 out of his political war chest to Macias to assist her in what was to Leon a surprise run for the city council in Ontario's recently-formed Fourth Council District. Wap-

ner then arranged for a host of donors he had come to rely on to fill out his own campaign coffers to make donations to Macias. In this way, Macias proved successful and was elected Fourth District councilwoman. Once in office, she aligned herself with Wapner.

Last year, when Leon downplayed the concerns expressed by some of the city's residents about the aggressive tactics of federal law enforcement officers with the onset of Donald Trump's second term as president, in particular Border Patrol and Department of Immigration and Customs rounding up undocumented aliens, Wapner perceived that

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Its Marijuana Graft Now Passé, Adelanto Council Preparing Data Center Grift

By Mark Gutglueck

A decade after the marijuana meltdown in Adelanto which resulted in Adelanto's mayor and one of its councilmen going into federal prison and a third councilman narrowly ducking the same fate, at least three of Adelanto's current city leaders have latched onto a different political grift, but one which they will put into their own pockets untold millions of dollars, again believing they can sidestep the regulatory regime that is



Rich Kerr

supposed to be applied to the controversial business they are now promoting.

In this go-round, it appears that the city's current mayor and possibly

three and more likely four of the council's members believe that instead of devoting square miles of land within the city limits to growing, processing, refining and distributing marijuana and cannabis products, the city can allow dozens or maybe even scores of data centers to set up operation and flourish.

The sense of déjà vu is palpable to those who witnessed the Kerr-and-Wright-led debacle, which includes the recognition that the practi-

cal issues that felled the effort to turn Adelanto in the marijuana capital of the world – the lack of adequate electrical utility output and an insufficient supply of water – are equally applicable to the current pipedream. And just like a trio of former councilmen thought they could outsmart a team of FBI agents and a quarter dozen assistant U.S. Attorneys who were monitoring their moves, the current council comes across as believing they can take



Jermaine Wright

money from some deep-pocketed entrepreneurs and promise them shelter from federal, state and local regulations.

With the clean sweep

that was effectuated in the 2014 election when Rich Kerr ousted Mayor Cari Thomas and John Woodard and Charles Glasper defeated Steve Baisden Charles Valvo, Kerr joined forces with incumbent Councilman Jermaine Wright and Woodard to embrace the long-in-coming liberalization of California's marijuana laws that were fully effectuated with the passage of Proposition 64 in 2016. Presciently anticipating Proposition

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Within 24 Hours Of The Killings, Lucero Was Three States Away *from front page*

San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department's dispatch center around 10:47 a.m. reporting a disturbance. When one deputy arrived at the location about 15 minutes later, followed by other deputies, there was no one on the premises. A welfare/safety check of the home was made, at which point the officers observed "signs of a struggle," the department reported.

About 5:30 p.m. the same day, an off-roader called 911 to report discovering three bodies in a desert area near Waalew and Corwin roads in Apple Valley, roughly eight miles from the home.

Shortly after determining the three deceased parties to be Villareal and her children, sheriff's investigators identified Lucero as a

suspect in the killings, learning from neighbors on Ferndale Road that Lucero and the victims were seen leaving their Ferndale Road residence together.

The sheriff's department at the time did not disclose where the three were killed or by what means.

"Detectives determined that the victims left the Ferndale Road home with Lucero and were murdered at an unknown location, then left

in the desert area where they were found," the sheriff's department announced at the time.

An all points bulletin stating Lucero was a suspect in the killings and was wanted for questioning went out.

Within 24 hours of the killings, Lucero had driven across California's Mojave Desert, the west-to-east width of Nevada and the west-to-east width of Utah and more than a third of the way across Colorado.

At 12:28 p.m. Thursday, April 30, 2020, Lucero, then was arrested in Eagle County, Colorado, not on the basis of the all points bulletin but as a result of his having stolen a vehicle. Colorado law enforcement officers spotted the stolen car and gave chase. When Lucero did not yield, a pursuit ensued, which ended in Lucero crashing the vehicle in the town of Red Cliff, Colorado. After his arrest, Lucero was matched up with the alert

from California and was held in the Centennial State until he was extradited to California. He has remained in custody ever since his arrest.

On July 6, 2026, Lucero's trial began before Judge Cheryl Kersey in Department S19 at the San Bernardino Justice Center with jury selection and screenings. He was represented by Alan Spears and was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Justin Crocker.

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Political Ambition Displayed In The Current Filings For Local Elected Offices *from front page*

from incumbent Councilwoman Stevevonna Evans and Ronald Beard. Incumbent Councilman Angelo Meza and incumbent Councilwoman Amanda Uptergrove are vying for reelection and Edward C. Reyes and Taisha Brown are running against them.

In Victorville, incum-

bent District 2 Councilwoman Corrine Mora is running this year and is being opposed by Ken Lutz and Rafael Angel Porras. In Victorville's District 4, incumbent Councilman Bob Harriman is running for reelection, and has drawn Derek Marshall and Kassandra Shamsrouf as opponents.

In Hesperia, incumbent District 3 Councilman Cameron Gregg is seeking to remain in office as is incumbent District 2 Councilwoman

Allison Lee. Opposing Gregg is Jacqueline Maheata Tahauri and Felisnanda Monarrez. Jessica Navarro, Glem Tzi David Ellis is opposing Lee. District 4 Councilwoman Brigit Bennington, who is currently the city's appointed mayor, is not running for reelection. Running to replace her are Erin Baum, Leticia Cisneros and Darrel Saucedo.

In Big Bear Lake, incumbents Rick Herrick in District 2, Randall Putz in District 3 and

Perri Melnick in District 4 are not running for reelection. In District 2, Sonia Ibarra and Kara Flietstra are vying to replace Herrick. Ernie Mendoza and Michael Beveridge are looking to take over from Putz in District 3 and Suzy Gileon and Cody Lewis are seeking voter approval to move into Melnick's District 4 position.

In Twentynine Palms, incumbent District 3 Councilman Dan Mintz, who is now the city's appointed mayor, is fac-

ing no opposition in his reelection effort. Incumbent District 4 Councilman Octavious Scott is being challenged by

Karmollette O'Gilvie, whom he defeated in a narrow 311 votes or 50.65 percent to 303 votes or 49.35 percent polling victory in 2022. Also running in the city's District 4 contest is Carlos Blandon. Incumbent District 5 Councilman McArthur Wright is being challenged by Shanese Risper.

In Yucca Valley, in-

cumbent District 1 councilman Jim Schooler, incumbent District 3 Councilman Merl Abel and incumbent District 5 Councilman Rick Denison are all seeking reelection. No opponent for Schooler has surfaced, but Leilani Clancy is running against Abel and Dion Antic is vying against Denison.

In the City of Highland, the terms of incumbents Jesse Saldana and John Timmer in districts 2 and 4 end in Decem-

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Wapner Increased His Political Stock By Wresting Ontario Airport From Los Angeles *from front page*

they were due for reelection in California's gubernatorial election years. The three ran as members of the so-called Team Ontario, claiming in mutually-funded election material that they were responsible for the

economic development in their city that had rendered Ontario into the most lavishly funded municipality in San Bernardino County. Despite this public show of comity, Leon and Wapner in actuality loathed one another.

Beginning in 2011, Wapner had championed Ontario pursuing the return of Ontario Airport to local control. In 1967, as part of an effort to in-

crease the number of airlines using that facility, the number of passengers flying into and out of Ontario and modernize the aviation facilities there, the Ontario City Council entered into a joint powers arrangement with the City of Los Angeles. Los Angeles then utilized its ownership and control over Los Angeles International Airport and gate positions there to induce airlines to set up

operations at Ontario Airport. Los Angeles also used its bonding capability to obtain financing for improvements at Ontario Airport, including extending its runway into the longest one among civilian airports in Southern California, modernizing its concourse and constructing two ultramodern terminals. In 1985, after all of the criteria specified in the 1967 joint powers au-

thority agreement were met, Ontario deeded the airport to Los Angeles. Los Angeles, through its Department of Airports and the corporate entity – Los Angeles World Airports – that operated Los Angeles International Airport, Ontario Airport and Van Nuys Airport, worked toward intensifying the use of Ontario International Airport. By 2007, ridership at Ontario Air-

port had increased from 200,000 passengers per year to 7.2 million. The downturn in the national economy that occurred in 2007 and lasted until 2013 resulted in diminishing air travel all around the country. Wapner capitalized on that, claiming that Los Angeles was intentionally mismanaging Ontario Airport to increase passenger traffic at Los

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21 Cities And Two Towns Holding Council Elections In November *from front page*

ber. Saldana is seeking reelection unopposed, and Timmer is not seeking reelection. In District Jason Isaacs and Christy Marin are vying to replace Timmer.

San Bernardino's council and mayoral elections were held in June. The mayoral contest was decided. In Wards 1 and 2, respectively, Virginia Marquez is vying against Ron Alvarado and Benito Barrios is competing with Christian Shaughnessy in November. In the Ward 4 race, incumbent Fred Shorett will face Joseph Salas in the November run-off.

In Rancho Cucamonga, Councilwoman Lynne Kennedy is running for mayor, as are Jaskirat Sondh and Marjorie Hamada Oliver King Michael Perez

In District 2, incumbent Kristine Scott is being challenged by David VanGorden and DeJonae Shaw In District 3, incumbent Ryan Hutchison, who was elected San Bernardino County treasurer in June, is apparently not seeking reelection. Stacy Henry has pulled papers to run to succeed him. Vikki Shine Jonathan Schmid

In Fontana, Mayor Acquanetta Warren is running once more and is being challenged by Mylinda Carrillo and Jocelyn Sida Salvador Casillas Lourdes Goni Garcia Jaqueline Heredia and Nicholas Orte. Fontana's District 1 incumbent Phil is running against challenger Nubia Diaz. Incumbent John Roberts, currently the longest consistently serving elected local official in San Bernardino County, is seeking reelection, with Luz Perez and Ben Vasquez, Rayman Martinez and Karen Contreras hoping to best him.

Upland City Clerk Keri Johnson is refusing to disclose whether the three incumbents up for reelection this year – Second District Councilman James Breitling, Third District Councilman Carlos Garcia and Fourth District Councilman Rudy Zuniga – are seeking reelection and whether any opponents to them have emerged or who they are.

That filing period is to end on August 7 in most cases, but will be extended to August 12 for those contests in which the incumbent does not file for reelection.

In Montclair, Mayor John Dutrey and council members Bill Ruh and Coryssa Martinez are up for reelection. All three are running and a

challenger for city council, Alice Garcia Victor Mendez, has emerged. It also appears, based on signage around the city, that there is an effort to recall incumbent Councilman Ben Lopez, who is not due to stand for reelection until 2028, ongoing.

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Rialto City Clerk Barbar McGee has consistently had a policy going back several years of withholding information relating to applicants for political office in her city until the end of the candidate filing period.

In Colton, the city clerk's office is withholding the list of those who are vying in this year's election until the filing period closes. The Sentinel has learned that incumbent Mayor Frank

Navarro is being challenged by Councilman John Echevarria. District 4 Joseph Paulino Adriana Escarcega Lawrence "Larry" Rivas

District 3 Luis S. González Eugene Valdez

In Grand Terrace, incumbent Mayor Bill Hussey is running for reelection and incumbent Councilman Doug Wilson is seeking reelection while Jeremy Briggs has pulled papers to run for city council.

In Redlands, incumbent District 1 Councilwoman Denise Davis is vying for reelection, and is being opposed by Andrew Hoder and Douglas Gonzales. In District 3, incumbent Mario Sauce-do, who at present is the city's appointed mayor, is running for reelection. No opponent had emerged by press time this week. In District 5, incumbent Paul Barich is likewise running for reelection with no opposition.

In Yucaipa, the District 1 and District 2 council positions, held by Bob Miller and Chris Venable, respectively, are up for election this year. Venable, who is currently the city's elected mayor, has pulled papers to run in November. Miller has not. Greg Franklin and Chelsea Brammer-Ramirez are running in District 1.

Loma Linda's munici-

pal election was held and concluded on June 2.

Chino Hills Ray Marquez district 1

District 2 Peter Rogers Shanita Ayala

District 4 Brian Johsz Thomas Davila Josue Estrada

In Chino, incumbent Councilman Marc Lucio has taken out candidate application papers in District, as has an individual with the last name of Alam and the initials M and S for his or her first name. Curtis Burton, the incumbent in District 2 Katrina Johnson Jimmy Alexandris

In the City of Chino Hills, where Ray Marquez, Peter Rogers and Brian Johsz, respectively are due to stand for reelection this year in Districts 1, 2, and 4, the city is not making information relating to who has

taken papers out to run for those positions available at this time.

In a break from its past practice, the Ontario City Clerk's Office is withholding identification of who has taken out papers to run for mayor and city council in this year's race. The Sentinel has nevertheless learned that incumbent Mayor Paul Leon is being opposed in his reelection effort by incumbent Councilman Alan Wapner and Kevin Kizee. Wapner, who lives in the city's Third District, will not run to represent the Third District. Running in the Third District are D'Andre Lampkin and Jonathan Hagman. No incumbent on the council lives in the Second District. Running there are former City Councilman Ruben Valencia and Stephanie Martinez.

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Lucero Acknowledges Killing Woman And Her Two Children Six Years Ago *from page 3*

During a jury screening

process on July 6 and over the next three days, at least 71 prospective jurors were dismissed because of their having declared hardship in serving the length of the trial or by stipulation of

Crocker and Spears. On July 20, Judge Kersey hear pre-trial motions and on July 22, the voir dire process, jury interviews and selection took place. On August 3 the trial began with open-

ing statements and the testimony of prosecution witness David Garcia. The trial continued on August 4. On August 5, upon a motion brought by Spears, Lucero, now 42, pleaded guilty to

three counts of murder, along with acknowledging three special circumstances pertaining to committing of multiple murders and a fourth special circumstance relating to having prior fel-

ony convictions when he engaged in the acts for which he was convicted.

-Mark Gutglueck

After Child Told Mother & Mother Told Cops, Carrillo Apparently Said Enough During Interview-Turned-Interrogation About His Contact With The Child To Get Himslef Booked *from page 2*

headquarters in San Bernardino, where he had apparently consented to speak with investigators, a interview which turned into an interrogation.

In court July 8, he pleaded not guilty to sexual intercourse with a child 10 or younger and sexual penetration

or oral copulation with a child 10 or younger.

According to information available to the *Sentinel*, in May, a mother of a child who had attended Condor Elementary School approached the police department in Oceanside in San Diego County and told a



Isaac Carrillo

detective there that her child had been sexually abused at the Twenty-nine Palms School. The child told the mother the

abuse had taken place during school hours. She related what the child said to the Oceanside police investigator, who relayed that information to the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department personnel in Twentynine Palms.

On May 13, Oceanside police notified the Morongo Basin sheriff's station about what the mother had said and forwarded a report of the interview with her.

The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department probe into what occurred was handled by Deputy A. Stumbo, who works as a resource officer with the Morongo Basin Union School District, and Detective Wendy Winegar, a member of the sheriff's Crimes Against Children Detail. They identified Carrillo as a suspect.

Carrillo has been employed by the Morongo Unified School

District since 2018 and has worked at multiple schools throughout the Morongo Basin, according to the Sheriff's Department.

His most recent assignment involved serving as a one-on-one instructional assistant for developmentally disabled students.

Thereafter, Judge Sarah Oliver set his bail at \$500,000. He is in custody at the West Valley Detention Center

Three Adelanto Politicians’ Exploitation Of California’s Marijuana Changeover Involved Graft, Payoffs & Kickbacks, A Legacy They Handed Off To Their Successors from front page

64’s passage, the three spent 2015 acclimating the city’s populace to the concept of simply allowing a limited number of



John Woodard

warehouses in the city industrial park zone to operate as indoor marijuana farms where medical marijuana was to be cultivated.

Glasper, a no-nonsense former Air Force chief master sergeant, who had progressed to become the first African American mayor of Adelanto before losing his place on the council and then making a political comeback in 2014, was adamantly opposed to permitting any kind of commercial activity in the city that involved marijuana, Kerr, Wright and Woodard rushed to assure him that 1) the marijuana to be produced in Adelanto would be for medicinal purposes only and that 2) there would be no marijuana sold in the city. Glasper, who was at that point in the early stage of dementia, was assuaged by the assurances he was given. That left Ed Camargo as the only member of the city council who was not on board with having Adelanto make the first step toward adopting a marijuana-based economy. One by one, Kerr and Wright primarily, but with the assistance of Woodard, pushed the lion’s share of city staff who were resistant to the concept of making Adelanto the first name in marijuana availability – City Manager Jim Hart and his interim replacement, Tom Thornton, City Manager Gabriel Elliott, City Manager Brad Letner, City Manager

Cindy Herrera, City Attorney Todd Litfin, City Attorney Curtis Wright, Public Works Supervisor Nan Moore, Senior Management Analyst Mike Borja, Conservation Specialist Belen Cordero, Public Works Employee Jose Figueroa, information technology division employees Ben Pina, Ibriham Abudluld and Adam Watkins, contract City Engineer Wilson So, Assistant City Engineer Aaron Mower, and Senior Planner Mark De Manincor – out the door. On the day in December 2015, when the city cleared the way and officially opened the application period for prospective marijuana entrepreneurs to file for a limited number of available cultivation permits, a line of people, many of them bearing briefcases stuffed full of cash to hand over to the city’s land use/planning division personnel to convince them to facilitate their applications before those of the other applicants. With Glasper sliding further and further into the dementia and Councilman Camargo entirely politically outmuscled on the council, Kerr, Wright and Woodard switched gears, and began openly planning for an expansion of the marijuana-related activity in the city from indoor cultivation operations to open-air farms, what were at first referred to as clinics and dispensaries and then called marijuana shops, followed by laboratories where marijuana was to be refined and concentrated along with what were essentially industrial production operations that manufactured cannabis-based products including liniments, oils and edibles.

While Kerr and Wright publicly asserted that what was taking place was something that was calculated to benefit the city and its residents by creating economic opportunity and generat-

ing tax revenue in a city in which the municipal government had long been teetering on the brink of bankruptcy, the reality was that graft was running rampant. Those who were getting in on the marijuana bonanza in Adelanto by securing permits and project



Gabriel Reyes

approval were paying Kerr and Wright off directly in cash. In Kerr’s case, he set up a bribe-acceptance system that consisted of his wife being the head of a 503 1C charity so that people, in front of God, man and everyone else, could show up at the city council meetings and hand

her envelopes stuffed full of cash. Wright was a bit more subtle about it, having people come into the restaurant he owned to hand over paper bags with money while no one was looking. Woodard had the most sophisticated way of operating. A real estate broker, he would inform potential investors and speculators far enough in advance to the city’s changing of zoning on property that would make it possible to grow marijuana on it or refine/derive or manufacture marijuana-based products or which could serve as a retail outlet selling marijuana for them to make a purchase of the property before the new zoning went into effect. He would then serve as the broker on those land sales, getting a commission on the sales transaction. Thereafter, with zoning on the property changed to allow for lucrative marijuana-related activ-

ity to take place there, the value of the property would escalate.

Kerr, Wright and Woodard were sitting on the top of the world when California’s voters in November 2016 passed Proposition 64, the Adult Use of Marijuana Act, which legalized the use of marijuana for recreational purposes, i.e., its intoxicative effect. Adelanto had gotten in on the ground floor of the commercial marijuana frenzy, as it and Needles had been the only two of San Bernardino County’s 24 municipalities and one of 47 cities or incorporated towns around the state that explicitly allowed legalized marijuana to be sold over-the-counter. The payoffs escalated.

Everything came crashing down in 2017, when Wright took \$10,000 in marked \$50 bills from an FBI agent masquerading as an applicant for a marijuana distribution operation

permit, promising to protect his benefactor from city regulatory enforcement once the operation was in full swing. Thereafter, the FBI accumulated enough damning information about Kerr to send him up the river. Wright incarcerated, awaiting trial, at which



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point in early 2018 he was removed from the city council for missing four straight council meetings. Kerr was voted out of office in 2018, but not before he installed into elective office by appointment Joy Jeannette, who worked with him to hire into key

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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

CORONER

SEEKING THE PUBLIC'S HELP TO IDENTIFY
JOHN DOE #47-26

The San Bernardino County Sheriff-Coroner Division is requesting the public's assistance in identifying an unknown deceased male: JOHN DOE #47-26.



DATE OF DEATH: MONDAY, MARCH 30TH 2026

LOCATION: SAN BERNARDINO

AGE: POSSIBLY 34-35 YEARS OLD

HEIGHT: 5' 6"

WEIGHT: 183 LBS

EYE COLOR: BROWN

HAIR COLOR: BLACK (RECENTLY CUT AND TRIMMED)

FACIAL HAIR: GOATEE (RECENTLY CUT AND TRIMMED)

TATTOO: NO TATTOOS

CORONER CASE NUMBER: 702602297

On Monday, March 26, 2026, at 6:38 P.M., this unidentified individual, known as John Doe 47-26, was taken to the Emergency Room at St. Bernardine Medical Center after being found unresponsive near a residence on Mountain View in San Bernardino. He was admitted to the hospital and was declared deceased on March 30, 2026, due to natural causes. The reporting party, who had occasional conversations with John Doe 47-26, mentioned that he was homeless and believed to be from Michoacán, Mexico. He spoke Spanish fluently and never disclosed his name or date of birth during their conversations.

Anyone with information about the identity of this deceased male is asked to contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff- Coroner Division and reference case #702602297 at (909) 387-2978.

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to be a major stumble on the mayor's part, one that would alienate him from a portion of his natural constituency. He seized the day, making statement to the effect that he was horrified by the Leon's insensitivity to the Latino community. He then reformulated his campaign committee, which was formerly intended to raise money for his 2026 council reelection campaign, instead declaring that he was seeking the mayoralty. Wapner then moved to secure the backing of all of Ontario's municipal employee unions, including AFSCME, SEIU, the Firefighters Association, the Ontario Police Officers Association and the Ontario Police Management Association. In addition, Wapner, who over the three decades

he had been in office had already established himself as the most prolific fundraiser among local elected officials in San Bernardino County history, outhustled Leon in preparing for the 2026 election. From January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025, Wapner took in \$326,100 in political donations. In the same timeframe, Mayor Leon collected \$48,600 in contributions. In the first six months of this year, Wapner brought in another 323,199.08 in donations. Leon was able to touch his supporters for \$47,849 from January 1 until June 30, 2026. In this way, Wapner was able to obtain \$652,248.08 in political donations to fuel his effort in the 2026 mayoral contest, which was 676 percent of the \$96,449 in political contributions Leon put together. With his endorsements and monetary lead, Wapner was confident that he would be able to overcome the two

advantages Leon possessed, namely being the incumbent and the readiness of Ontario's predominantly Hispanic population to embrace a Latino as mayor rather than a Caucasian. Wapner, however, encountered a major speed bump in the race to become mayor on July 28, when the FBI served search warrants at his home and business office, as well as at the headquarters of the Ontario International Airport Authority, where he is the president of the airports board of directors, as well as at the homes and offices of two of his closest associates, San Bernardino County Supervisor Curt Hagman, who is a member with Wapner of the airport authority board, and Wapner's personal attorney, Frank Lizarraga. Word on the street was that the FBI already had strong indication that Wapner and Hagman were taking bribes and receiving kickbacks,

and that in serving the search warrants the federal agents were looking for even more damning evidence in that regard. Seeing what had occurred as a major setback to to his mayoral elective effort, Wapner called upon Macias to enter the mayor's race. Though some saw having another challenger run against Mayor Leon as a questionable strategy, Wapner's logic is that Macias will siphon off something close to 20 percent of the city's Latino vote and only a negligible number of the voters that will be vot-

ing for Wapner. In this way, Wapner believes, Macias's presence on the November 3 ballot, will redound to his benefit and likely result in his being able to outpoll Leon, thereby allowing him to take possession of the mayor's gavel.



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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2620226

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner ROBYN PORTER filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

ROBYN JODI PORTER to ROBYN JODI ABRAMS 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: AUGUST 24, 2026 Time: 9:00 a.m. Department: S24 Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz Judge of the Superior Court. Aryanna Sheeche, Deputy Clerk of the Court Dated: July 10, 2026 Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 17, 24 & 31 and August 7, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIV SB 2620549

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner DANIEL JAMES MILES filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

DANIEL JAMES MILES to DANIEL JAMES WAGNER 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: September 3, 2026 Time: 8:30 a.m. Department: S28 Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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

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hearing of the petition.

Joseph T. Ortiz Judge of the Superior Court. Adilene Gutierrez, Deputy Clerk of the Court Dated: July 15, 2026 Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 17, 24 & 31 and August 7, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2620687

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner KENDALL DARIAN RAND filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

KENDALL DARIAN RAND to KENDALL DARIAN TILLMAN 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: SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

Time: 8:30 a.m. Department: S35

Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz Judge of the Superior Court.

Erika Hernandez, Deputy Clerk of the Court

Dated: July 10, 2026

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FBN20260005784 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as JOVERA PROCLEANING SOLUTIONS 11791 LARINO DRIVE RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701: MARIA S LESMANA

Business Mailing Address: 11791 LARINO DRIVE RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701 The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: June 22, 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/ MARIA S LESMANA, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/22/2026

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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NORTH STAR SERVICES 4020 NEW HAVEN DR ONTARIO, CA 91761: ASHLEY N EVANS

Business Mailing Address: 4020 NEW HAVEN DR 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: JULY 15, 2026.

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/s/ ASHLY N EVANS, Owner Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/15/2026

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 K7325

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KARVANLY 1101 S MILLIKEN AVE STE E #115 ONTARIO, CA 91761: IGNACIO TORRES GONZALEZ

Business Mailing Address: 1101 S MILLIKEN AVE STE E #115 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: JUNE 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 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ IGNACIO TORRES GONZALEZ, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/08/2026

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FBN20260006686 The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

COMFORT INN & SUITES 3333 SHELBY ST ONTARIO, CA 91764: SHELBY HOSPITALITY, LLC 640 W LAMBERT RD BREA, CA 92821

Business Mailing Address: 640 W LAMBERT RD BREA, CA 92821

The business is conducted by:

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The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: January 1, 2020.

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/s/ NISH KHAROD, Managing Member

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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

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Business Mailing Address: PO BOX 665 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91729

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/ ARTHUR L BONNER, JR, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/23/2026

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

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FBN 20260002185 The following person is doing business as: E & G LANDSCAPING SERVICES. 1876 GOULD STREET LOMA LINDA, CA 92354; MAILING ADDRESS 1876 GOULD STREET LOMA LINDA, CA 92354; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO EVERARDO MANZO SANCHEZ The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APR 13, 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 179130. I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

s/ EVERARDO MANZO SANCHEZ, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: MARCH 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 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

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TS NO. 2026-1167 APN NO. 0201-741-53-0-000 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER A NOTICE OF A DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT AND CLAIM OF LIEN

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A NOTICE OF DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT DATED 11/18/2025. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

Notice is hereby given that on 8/17/2026 at 1:00 PM, S.B.S. Lien Services As the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Notice of Delinquent Assessment, recorded on 12/4/2025 as Document No. 2025-0297870 Book Page of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of San Bernardino County, California, The original owner: CHU-JAN CHENG The purported current owner: CHU-JAN CHENG WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by a cashier's check drawn by a State or national bank, a check drawn by a state of federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state.: NEAR THE FRONT STEPS LEADING UP TO THE CITY OF CHINO CIVIC CENTER, 13220 CENTRAL AVENUE, CHINO, CALIFORNIA 91710 All right, title and interest under said Notice of Delinquent Assessment in the property situated in said County, as more fully described on the above referenced assessment lien. The street address and other common designation, if any of the real property described above is purported to be: 10460 ALTA LOMA DR RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91737 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum due under said Notice of Delinquent Assessment, with interest thereon, as provided in said notice, advances, if any, estimated fees, charges, and expenses of the Trustee, to-wit: \$15,905.02 accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The claimant, THE ALTA LOMA GARDENS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION under said Notice of Delinquent Assessment heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and

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more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (855) 986-9342 or visit this internet web-site www.superiordefault.com, using the file number assigned to this case 2026-1167. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet web-site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction if conducted after January 1, 2021, pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (855) 986-9342, or visit this internet website www.superiordefault.com, using the file number assigned to this case 2026-1167 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid, by remitting the funds and affidavit described in Section 2924m(c) of the Civil Code, so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. THE

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PROPERTY IS BEING SOLD SUBJECT TO THE NINETY DAY RIGHT OF REDEMPTION CONTAINED IN CIVIL CODE SECTION 5715(b).

Date: 7/14/2026 S.B.S. Lien Services 31194 La Baya Drive, Suite 106 Westlake Village, California 91362 Jennifer Kennlck, Executive Vice President Cucamonga on: 07/24/2026, 07/31/2026, 08/07/2026,

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE

NUMBER CIV SB 2609610,

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner: ,Lori Christine Beard, filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Lori Christine Beard to Lori Christine Chronis, 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: 08/31/2026, Time: 08:30 AM, Department: Civil 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 SBSCS ? Upland in San Bernardino County California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing of the petition.

Dated: 04/14/2026 Judge of the Superior Court: Joseph Ortiz Published in the SBSCS Upland on 7/24/2026, 7/31/2026, 8/7/2026, 8/14/2026

SUMMONS – (CITACION JUDICIAL)

CASE NUMBER (NUMERO DEL CASO) CIVRS2602139

NOTICE TO ANIL ANIL aka ANIL KUMAR, JEEVAN DASS and DOES 1 to 10

(AVISO DEMANDA-DO):

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF:

(LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):

SAMANTHA MARQUEZ and ADDISON SAENZ

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

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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.lawhelp-california.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 version. Lea la informacion a continuacion

Tiene 30 DIAS DE CAL- ENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una repuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefonica no le protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar on formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulano que usted puede usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y mas información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.su-corte.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 corta que le de un formulario de exencion de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corta 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 a un abogado, es posible que cumpia con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratu 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 poniendoso 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 vaior 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 desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y la direccion de la corte es): San Bernardino Superior Court

8303 Haven Ave., Rancho Cucamonga California 91730 Rancho Cucamonga Court- house

The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de tele-

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fono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):

Robert A. Zermenio
500 N. State College Bl., Ste. 1100
Orange CA 92868
Telephone: 855-952-9477
DATE (Fecha): 03/05/2026
Clerk (Secretario), by Sabrina Jamison, Deputy
Published in the SBCS Rancho Cucamonga on: 07/24/2026, 07/31/2026, 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2621051

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner SIH WIDI ROMADHONA filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

SIH WIDI ROMADHONA to DONNA SIHWIDI ROMADHONA 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: AUGUST 31, 2026
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S28
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division
The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Raymond Rojas, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: July 20, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIV SB 2621048

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner RUBI ESMERALDA CHAIDEZ filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

MIGUEL ANGEL GONZALEZ to MIGUEL ANGEL CHAIDEZ 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 objec-

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tion is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:
Date: AUGUST 31, 2026
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S28
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Raymond Rojas, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: July 20, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIV SB 2621047

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner RUBI ESMERALDA CHAIDEZ filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

MIA ESMERALDA GONZALEZ to MIA ESMERALDA CHAIDEZ 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: AUGUST 31, 2026
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S28
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Raymond Rojas, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: July 20, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2620687

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner KENDALL DARIAN RAND filed with this

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court for a decree changing names as follows:

KENDALL DARIAN RAND to KENDALL DARIAN TILLMAN 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: SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S35
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Erika Hernandez, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: July 10, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 17, 24 & 31 and August 7, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2621414

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner JOSEMIGUEL GONZALEZ GAMINO filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

JOSEMIGUEL GONZALEZ GAMINO to JOSEMIGUEL GAMINO 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: SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S23
7th Floor
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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

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date set for hearing of the petition.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Janai Piedra, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: July 10, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 17, 24 & 31 and August 7, 2026.

Once trust collapses, power decides the outcome.

FBN20260006379
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

THE BAGEL LAB 4863 S MONARCH PL ONTARIO, CA 91762: FOODIEWORKS LLC 4863 S MONARCH PL ONTARIO, CA 91762

Business Mailing Address: 4863 S MONARCH PL ONTARIO, CA 91762

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: 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/ MARIANO CHANG, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/08/2026

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 14100

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 July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260006137
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

KAR COMPANY 17334 FOOTHILL BLVD FONTANA, CA 92335: KUNAL VERMA

Business Mailing Address: 17334 FOOTHILL BLVD FONTANA, CA 92335

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: January 1, 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/ KUNAL VERMA, Owner
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/30/2026

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 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 July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260006527
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Ber-

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nardino County as
VANGUARD PARTITION SPECIALTIES 9431 HAVEN AVE SUITE 100 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730: JUAN E LOPEZ SR

Business Mailing Address: 9431 HAVEN AVE SUITE 100 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: JUNE 15, 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/ JUAN E LOPEZ SR, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/13/2026

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 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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FBN20260006387
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

CALIFORNIA ADU PROFESSIONAL 7912 CYPRESS AVE FONTANA, CA 92336: RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ

Business Mailing Address: 7912 CYPRESS AVE FONTANA, CA 92336: RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: JULY 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 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/08/2026

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 J3256

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 July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260006387
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

CALIFORNIA ADU PROFESSIONAL 7912 CYPRESS AVE FONTANA, CA 92336: RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ

Business Mailing Address: 7912 CYPRESS AVE FONTANA, CA 92336: RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: JULY 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 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Re-

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cord upon filing.

/s/ RENE SILVA-GONZALEZ, Owner
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/08/2026

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 J3256

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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FBN20260006208
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

TRUSTWORTHY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES 1748 W SUMMIT AVE RIALTO, CA 92377: CLAUDE O NUGENT

Business Mailing Address: 1748 W SUMMIT AVE RIALTO, CA 92377

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on: JUNE 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/ CLAUDE O NUGENT, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/30/2026

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 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).

Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260005290
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

CONVERSATIONS WITH THEA, LLC 13062 LOIRE VALLEY DRIVE RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739: CONVERSATIONS WITH THEA, LLC 13062 LOIRE VALLEY DRIVE RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739

Business Mailing Address: 13062 LOIRE VALLEY DRIVE RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered with the State of California under the number B20260230557.

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/ LA-THEA SONYA DAVIS, Managing Member

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/04/2026

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 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 Profes-

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sions Code).
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on June 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2026. Corrected on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260005652
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as
CH-BRIDGE FUTURE FUND 9229 UTICA AVE STE 140 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730: EXPRESS WORK-FORCE FOUNDATION 9229 UTICA AVE, SUITE 140 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730
Business Mailing Address: 9229 UTICA AVE STE 140 RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730

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 name listed above on: MAY 10, 2020.
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/ THERESA JONES ZAROUR, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/15/2026

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 on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN20260004636
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as
MY HEART WERXS 1752 E. LUGONIA AVE. 117 #228 REDLANDS, CA 92374: CHARLEY J DUNCAN
Business Mailing Address: 1752 E. LUGONIA AVE. 117 #228 REDLANDS, CA 92374
The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on: May 13, 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/ CHARLEY J DUNCAN, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 05/18/2026

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 K3379

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 June 26 and July 3, 10 & 17, 2026

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIVSB2621051

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner

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SIH WIDI ROMADHONA filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

SIH WIDI ROMADHONA to DONNA SIHWIDI ROMADHONA 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: AUGUST 31, 2026
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S28
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.

Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Raymond Rojas, Deputy Clerk of the Court

Dated: July 20, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CASE NUMBER CIV SB 2621048

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner RUBI ESMERALDA CHAIDEZ filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

MIGUEL ANGEL GONZALEZ to MIGUEL ANGEL CHAIDEZ

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.

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Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S28
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division

The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 247 West Third Street, San Bernardino, CA 92415

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Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.

Raymond Rojas, Deputy Clerk of the Court

Dated: July 20, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on July 24 & 31 and August 7 & 14, 2026.

FBN 20260005958
The following person is doing business as: WRIGHT MOUNTAIN METAL WORKS 8079 MIRA MAR RD PHELAN CA 92371;[MAILING ADDRESS 8079 MIRA MAR RD PHELAN CA 92371]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO TIMOTHY M MACDONALD The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: NOV 03, 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/ TIMOTHY M MACDONALD, OWNER
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/25/2026 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 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 07/03/2026, 07/10/2026, 07/17/2026, 07/24/2026 CNBB27202601MT

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

Estate of Patricia Ann Duchay Case NO. PRO-VA2600518

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of Estate of Patricia Ann Duchay A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Cherie D. Evans in the Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that 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., Cherie D. Evans 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

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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 08/19/2026 at Superior Court of California, County of Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino Fontana Division, , 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.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

HENRY MARQUES JR Case NO. PRO-VA2600542

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of HENRY MARQUES JR A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Ricky Marques in the Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that 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., Ricky Marques 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

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taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in Dept. F2 at 09:00 AM on 08/31/2026 at Superior Court of California, County of Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino Fontana Division, , 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.

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FBN20260006208
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

T R U S T W O R T H Y TRANSPORTATION SERVICES 1748 W SUMMIT AVE RIALTO, CA 92377: CLAUDE O NUGENT

Business Mailing Address: 1748 W SUMMIT AVE RIALTO, CA 92377

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on: JUNE 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/ CLAUDE O NUGENT, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/30/2026

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 K9236

Notice-This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk.

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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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FBN20260006907
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

RIZO TECH REFRIGERATION 6327 OPAL ST RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701: SALVADOR RIZO

Business Mailing Address: 6327 OPAL ST RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91701

The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: January 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/ SALVADOR RIZO, Owner

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/24/2026

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 K7325

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 July 31 and August 7, 14 & 21, 2026.

FBN20260006419
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

INFERNAL COFFEE 13495 QUAIL CT FONTANA, CA 92336: ANTHONY D HERNANDEZ [and] ADRIAN R HERNANDEZ

Business Mailing Address: 13495 QUAIL CT FONTANA, CA 92336

The business is conducted by: COPARTNERS.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: August 31, 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 17913). I am also aware that all information on this statement becomes Public Record upon filing.

/s/ ANTHONY D HERNANDEZ, General Partner
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/09/2026

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 F3010

Notice-This fictitious name

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FBN20260005152
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

DJ MOTORS LLC 12520 RECHE CANYON COLTON, CA 92324: DJ MOTORS LLC 12520 RECHE CANYON COLTON, CA 92324

Business Mailing Address: 2097 E WASHINGTON ST STE 1E PMB 309

The business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY registered under the number B20260247559.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: May 26, 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/ DIEGO A MACEDO CAMACHO, CEO

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/03/2026

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 K3379

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 July 17, 24, 31 and August 7, 2026.

FBN20260005255
The following entity is doing business primarily in San Bernardino County as

RC PIANO LESSONS 8006 HENBANE STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739: LINO LEVERAGE GROUP INC. 8006 HENBANE ST. RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739

Business Mailing Address: 8006 HENBANE STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739

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 name listed above on: June 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/ KIMBERLY LINO, Secretary

Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/04/2026

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 J9676

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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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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: JUANITA BLANCO GOODSON aka JUANITA B. GOODSON
CASE NO. PRO-VA2600596
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of JUANITA BLANCO GOODSON aka JUANITA B. GOODSON: a petition for probate has been filed by MICHAEL GOODSON in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that MICHAEL GOODSON be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
The PETITION requests the decedents will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A hearing on the petition will be held September 10, 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 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.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: WILLIAM BLANCO GOODSON aka WILLIAM GOODSON, JR.
CASE NO. PRO-VA2600574
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of WILLIAM BLANCO GOODSON aka WILLIAM GOODSON, JR.: a petition for probate has been filed by YVONNE CORINE SANCHEZ in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN BERNARDINO.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that YVONNE CORINE SANCHEZ 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 September 22, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. at
San Bernardino County Superior Court Fontana District
Department F2 - 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.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: SHARON LOVEJOY AKA SHARON LYNN WARFORD Case NO. PROVA2600586
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of SHARON LOVEJOY AKA SHARON LYNN WARFORD A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by AARON LEIMANN in the Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that 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., AARON LEIMANN 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. F3 at 09:00 AM on 09/09/2026 at Superior Court of California, County of Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino Fontana Division, , 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.

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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.
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SUMMONS
CASE NO. CASE NO.: D-26-731629-D
NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: FEI XIAO
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: YUXIA PENG, Plaintiff
EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA
DEPT.: T
A Complaint for Divorce has been filed by Plaintiff YUXIA PENG against you. The object of this action is divorce. Plaintiff seeks a decree dissolving the marriage and the other relief requested in the Complaint for Divorce filed in this case.
If you intend to defend this lawsuit, within 21 days after this summons is served on you (not counting the day of service), you must:
1. File with the Clerk of Court a formal written answer to the Complaint for Divorce.
2. Pay the required filing fee to the court, or file an Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis and request a waiver of the filing fee.
3. Serve a copy of your answer upon Plaintiff YUXIA PENG at the address shown below.
If you fail to respond, Plaintiff can request your default. The Court can then enter a judgment against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint for Divorce.
EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT DEPT.: T
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA
CASE NO.: D-26-731629-D
YUXIA PENG, Plaintiff, vs.
FEI XIAO, Defendant.
STEVEN D. GRIERSON
CLERK OF COURT By: Cecilia Dixon Date issued: 06/24/2026 Eighth Judicial District Court Family Courts and Services Center 601 North Pecos Road Las Vegas, Nevada 89101
ISSUED ON BEHALF OF PLAINTIFF: YUXIA PENG, Self-Represented 4110 SANDERLING CIRCLE #432 LAS VEGAS, NV 89103
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel August 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2026.

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CIA to STACY GARCIA
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: September 18, 2026
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Department: S27
Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino
San Bernardino District-Civil Division
The address of the court is Superior Court of California, County of San Bernardino, 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.
Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court.
Janai Piedra, Deputy Clerk of the Court
Dated: August 4, 2026
Published in the San Bernardino County Sentinel on August 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2026.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE
N U M B E R CIVSVB2621360
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioners CHRISTINA and BRIAN TAYLOR filed with this court for a decree changing names as follows: SOPHIA ROSE COLLINS-TAYLOR to SOPHIA ROSE TAYLOR.
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes 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: 09/08/2026, Time: 08:30 AM, Department: S30
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.
Dated: 07/24/2026
Indian Cuen, Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court
Judge of the Superior Court: Joseph T Ortiz
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FBN 20260005077
The following person is doing business as: WILD SPACE OVERLAND 13851 ROSWELL AVE STE D CHINO CA 91710;[MAILING ADDRESS 13851 ROSWELL AVE STE D CHINO CA 91710]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO MINGSHENG ZHOU
The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: APR 05, 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/ MINGSHENG ZHOU, OWNER
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/01/2026
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 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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CORRECTION DATES 07/17/2026, 07/24/2026, 07/31/2026, 08/07/2026

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FBN 20260006313
The following person is doing business as: A&A RESTORATION 15828 DEL OBISBO RD FONTANA CA 92337;[MAILING ADDRESS 15828 DEL OBISBO RD FONTANA CA 92337]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO A&A RESTORATION 15828 DEL OBISBO RD FONTANA CA 92337 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION B20260264258
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/ ABEL LOPEZ, MANAGING MEMBER
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/06/2026
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 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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FBN 20260006597
The following person is doing business as: NEW MOON ENERGY SOLUTIONS 7051 ROCKSPRING LANE HIGHLAND CA 92346;[MAILING ADDRESS 7051 ROCKSPRING LANE HIGHLAND CA 92346]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

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FBN 20260006149
The following person is doing business as: SHARPLINE PEST CONTROL 822 S BIRCHLEAF DR ANAHEIM CA 92804;[MAILING ADDRESS 822 S BIRCHLEAF DR ANAHEIM CA 92804]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JOHN SHARP
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/ JOHN SHARP, OWNER
Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 06/30/2026
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The following person is doing business as: WRIGHT MOUNTAIN METAL WORKS 4334 SNOWLINE DR PHELAN CA 92371;[MAILING ADDRESS 4334 SNOWLINE DR PHELAN CA 92371]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JAMES W MARSHALL
The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.
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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/JAMESW MARSHALL, OWNER
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FBN 20260003727 The following person is doing business as: EMPIRE RESTORATION & EMERGENCY RESPONSE 7950 ETIWANDA AVE #22201 RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91739;[MAILING ADDRESS 7252 ARCHIBALD AVE #113 RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91739]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO D. LEE PROPERTY SOLUTIONS, INC 7950 ETIWANDA AVE 22201 RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA 91739 STATE OF INCORPORATION CA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 6566999 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/ VICTOR M. GAMEZ, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: APRIL 20, 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 04/24/2026, 05/01/2026, 05/08/2026, 05/15/2026 CNBB17202601MT CORRECTION DATES 06/05/2026, 06/12/2026, 06/19, 2026, 06/26/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/03/2026, 07/10/2026, 07/17/2026, 07/24/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/31/2026, 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026

FBN 20260001735 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT The following person is doing business as: EXCLUSIVE DESIGNS SMOG CHECK 1015 W 5TH ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92411;[MAILING ADDRESS 1015 W 5TH ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92411]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO BRANDON G BAZAN, DANIEL BAZAN The business is conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 03/07/2022. Original File #20220001975. 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/ BRANDON G BAZAN, GENERAL PARTNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 03/05/2026 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 03/13/2026, 03/20/2026, 03/27/2026, 04/03/2026 CNBB11202601MT CORRECTION DATES 04/24/2026, 05/01/2026, 05/08/2026, 05/15/2026 CORRECTION DATES 06/05/2026, 06/12/2026, 06/19, 2026, 06/26/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/03/2026, 07/10/2026, 07/17/2026, 07/24/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/31/2026,

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FBN 20260002788 FICTICIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT The following person is doing business as: SAFETYLINE TRAINING & CONSULTATION 36195 GOLDEN GATE DR YUCAIPA CA 92399;[MAILING ADDRESS 36195 GOLDEN GATE DR YUCAIPA CA 92399]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO SAFETYLINE TRAINING & CONSULTATION, LLC. 36195 GOLDEN GATE DR YUCAIPA CA 92399 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION B20260065318 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 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/ VICTOR M. GAMEZ, 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 CNBB15202603MT CORRECTION DATES 05/08/2026, 05/15/2026, 05/22/2026, 05/29/2026 CORRECTION DATES 06/05/2026, 06/12/2026, 06/19, 2026, 06/26/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/03/2026, 07/10/2026, 07/17/2026, 07/24/2026 CORRECTION DATES 07/31/2026, 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026

FBN 20260007177 The following person is doing business as: SIGNS FONTANA 9368 SIERRA AVENUE FOINTANA CA 92335;[MAILING ADDRESS 9368 SIERRA AVENUE FOINTANA CA 92335]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JOSE R ESTRADA RIVERA The business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: JAN 01, 2017 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 R ESTRADA RIVERA, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 08/03/2026 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 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 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026, 08/28/2026 CNBB32202607MT

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The following person is doing business as: STRAIGHT TAPERZ 1241 W BASELINE ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92411;[MAILING ADDRESS 1241 W BASELINE ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92411]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO STRAIGHT TAPERZ, LLC. 1241 W BASELINE ST SAN BERNARDINO CA 92411 STATE OF ORGANIZATION XA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION B20260340120 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 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 I. DELGADO ORTIZ, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/30/2026 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 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 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026, 08/28/2026 CNBB32202606MT

FBN 20260007180 The following person is doing business as: J & M INCOME TAX 108 ORANGE ST STE #12A REDLANDS CA 92373;[MAILING ADDRESS 108 ORANGE ST STE #12A REDLANDS, CA 92373]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JAIME FUENTES 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 FUENTES, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 08/03/2026 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 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

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FBN 20260007049 The following person is doing business as: ANGELWING-SUAS 25590 PROSPECT AVE #42D LOMA LINDA CA 92354;[MAILING ADDRESS 25590 PROSPECT AVE #42D LOMA LINDA CA 92354]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JEVITA R WEBSTER 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/ JEVITA R WEBSTER, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/28/2026 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 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026, 08/28/2026 CNBB32202603MT

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The following person is doing business as: JUST CURVES 1 428 W B ST ONTARIO CA 91762;[MAILING ADDRESS 428 W B ST ONTARIO CA 91762]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO SHARON C SANDOVAL 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/ SHARON C SANDOVAL, OWNER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/28/2026 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 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026, 08/28/2026 CN-BB32202602MT

FBN 20260007181 The following person is doing business as: AMY & JESSE CLEANING SERVICES 17668 PINEDALE AVE FONTANA CA 92335;[MAILING ADDRESS 17668 PINEDALE AVE FONTANA CA 92335]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO AMY & JESSE CLEANING SERVICES, LLC 17668 PINEDALE AVE FONTANA CA 92335 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION B20260288300 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 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 DE JESUS LOPEZ LOPEZ, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 08/03/2026 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 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 Ber-

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city staff positions employees who would assist the cannabis-related businesses with their operations, including allowing them to shield the actual amount of product either being grown, refined, produced or sold to allow those operators to reduce or otherwise avoid conveying the fees and taxes owed to the city and the state.

With Kerr’s and Woodard’s departure from office in 2018, accompanied by the fully demented Glasper who was no longer compos mentis, they were replaced by a set of politicians who in some fashion touted themselves as reformists - Mayor Gabriel Reyes, Councilman Gerardo Hernandez and Stevonna Evans. The reality was that Kerr & Company had established a regime that had purged those members of the city staff who had resisted what was going on during the heyday of the Kerr administration and out in their places replacements who wer willing to go along with what their former political masters were engaged in, in at least some cases because they were being cut in on the action.

This was particularly true of the city manager Kerr had promoted and who remained after he was gone, Jessie Flores.

While a large segment of the population

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The following person is doing business as: ABELINO’S HOMEMADE STYLE MEXICAN FOOD. 652 E REDLANDS BLVD REDLANDS, CA 92374;[MAILING ADDRESS 652 E REDLANDS BLVD REDLANDS, CA 92374]; COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO ABELINO’S HOMEMADE STYLE MEXICAN FOOD LLC 652 E REDLANDS BLVD REDLANDS CA 92374 STATE OF ORGANIZATION CA ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION B20260281766 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 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/ ISAAC GOMEZ GARCIA, MANAGING MEMBER Statement filed with the County Clerk of San Bernardino on: 07/23/26 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 08/07/2026, 08/14/2026, 08/21/2026, 08/28/2026 CNBB31202604MT

Angeles International Airport. He attacked Los Angeles, its elected leadership, the Los Angeles Department of Airports, Los Angeles World Airports and its officials as part of his strategy of wresting Ontario Airport from Los Angeles. Ontario created the Ontario International Airport Authority in 2012 in anticipation of the ownership of the airport one day returning to Ontario. Wapner was made the chairman of the airport authority board of directors. Wapner advocated that the City of Ontario sue Los Angeles over the airport ownership issue, which the Ontario City Council agreed to do in 2013. In 2015, Los Angeles threw in the towel, settling the lawsuit and agreeing to return the Airport to Ontario officially as of November 1, 2016 on the condition that Ontario pay it \$650 million. With Ontario's victory over Los Angeles in the war over Ontario Airport, Wapner was hailed a conquering hero.

Wapner had always been a more prolific political fundraiser than Leon, which Wapner considered to be another manifestation of his superiority to Leon as a human being, personality and politician. In the 18 months from January 1, 2025 until June 30, 2026, Wapner made a display of that superiority by raising, in total, \$652,248.08 in donations to his political war chest. In the same timeframe, Leon collected \$96,449 from his donors. This demonstrated, Wapner asserted, that the Ontario community's movers and shakers, the business community that was dynamic and focused on advancing the city, were strongly convinced that he was the superior choice for mayor. His intention was to use that funding to purchase sufficient billboard space and as many window signs and yard

signs as was needed to get the attentions of Ontario's voters to get name recognition matching Leon and then to convince those voters with along with television spots, radio ads, newspaper advertisements, brochures, handbills, mailers and phone banks that he would make a better mayor than the incumbent. He declared his candidacy for mayor last year and convinced all of Ontario's municipal employee unions – including the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Service Employees International Union, the Ontario Firefighters Association, the Ontario Police Officers Association and the Ontario Police Management Association – to endorse him. Wapner was convinced that he could use his leadership role in having Ontario Airport returned to Ontario as a major selling point in his campaign against Leon. His belief was that by skillful use of the campaign funds at his disposal as well as utilizing a strategy that called for convincing his council ally, Daisy Macias, to jump into the race for mayor and thereby diluting/splitting the city's Latino vote, he could oust Leon and claim the mayoral gavel, which he so rightfully deserved.

On July 28, however, the FBI served search warrants at his home, at the home of San Bernardino County Fourth District Supervisor Curt Hagman and at the home and office of attorney Frank Lizarraga, and served subpoenas for documents at Ontario City Hall and the administrative office of the Ontario International Airport Authority. Hagman is a board member on the Ontario International Airport Authority and Lizarraga is Wapner's personal attorney.

Over the next several days, Wapner made a drastic recalculation of his political prospects. Whereas his assumption previously was that he stood a better than even chance of prevailing over Leon in the may-

oral race, the intensive negative publicity he as unexpectedly subjected to lengthened the odds against him dramatically.

With the deadline for filing all completed paperwork relating to candidacies being August 7, Wapner had only a limited amount of time to determine what he would do. Candidacy applications are exacting, requiring that all information be accurately provided/filled in and that nomination papers containing the valid signatures of at least 20 registered voters in the jurisdiction where the office being sought be included. Deviations in those signatures from what is on file with the registration of voters office or a signatory not being currently registered in the jurisdiction in question results in

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had anticipated that the city would close down the cannabis- and marijuana-related operations



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that had taken root in the city under Kerr, Wright and Woodard and then Kerr, Woodard and Jeannette, that did not occur. Rather, the operations persisted, while the previous pattern of the revenue the city was supposed to receive in conjunction with those businesses still did not manifest. The explanation or rationale given was that the businesses needed to mature beyond the stage where intensive investment was necessary and they were turning a profit or, in the alternative, that

those defective signatures being discounted. To be safe, most candidates gather at least 25 signature of those they believe to be voters in the appropriate jurisdiction and to be really safe, they gather 30 or more.

Ultimately, Wapner decided to drop out of the mayor's race and to run for election in the council district in which he resides, that being the city's Third District.

Whereas previously, Wapner was elected at large, this year is the second election cycle in which district elections for spots on the city council are being held and the first year in which council representatives to the city's second and third districts are being chosen. Thus, presumably the signatures Wapner had been gathering for his mayoral run came from areas

those operations were not profitable because the water and electricity necessary for them to prosper were not available. Meanwhile, issues with security and criminality were manifesting as a direct result of the presence or concentration of marijuana- and cannabis-related businesses in the city. The city council over the last several years, composed of Reyes, Hernandez, Evans, Jeannette, Daniel Ramos, Keron Jones, Angelo Meza and Amanda Uptergrove, has surfaced the same rationale for adhering to the blueprint for a cannabis-based economy as was propounded by Kerr, Wright and Woodard: It simply made economic sense for the cash-strapped city to find revenue wherever it could, and that while marijuana may not be physically addictive it may be psychologically addictive and a city can get financially addicted to it. The problem with that explication was that the revenue the city was supposed to be realizing was not coming in. During the 2022-23 fiscal year, Adelanto officials scope of the contract the city had for the sheriff's department informed

all across the city. In getting his council nomination papers signed, he had to confine himself to getting signatures of those within the city's Third District.

As of the 5 p.m. filing deadline deadline for the November 3 election on August 7, the city clerk's office received a rescission of Wapner's mayoral candidacy application, which was then substituted with paperwork intended to qualify him for candidacy in District 3.

The city clerk's office had not had time to examine the paperwork to ensure that every I was dotted and all Ts were crossed, nor had there been sufficient time for the San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters Office to determine that at least 20 of those signing the nomination affidavit match the signatures of those voters it

San Bernardino County that it was going to have to reduce the scope of the contract it had for the sheriff's department's provision of law enforcement services to the city. The city asked the county and the department to remove two deputy positions from the contract when it was to be



Angelo Meza

renewed effective July 1, 2023. That service reduction was to save the city something on the order of half of a million dollars, as the city under the contract had to defray the annual \$230,648 cost of salary and benefits for a single deputy as well as costs associated with the vehicles used by deputies in the performance of their work. In response, Sheriff Shannon Dicus, who said he understood as well as anyone the challenges not only Adelanto but the entire San Bernardino County community was dealing with in the

has on file.

At the city council meeting on Tuesday, August 4, Wapner asserted, "I don't believe I am the suspect, the subject, or target of any investigation."

It does not appear that Wapner was sufficiently confident that he can make a convincing case that he is not the subject of an investigation nor that he is not worthy of being investigated to remain in a match up against Leon, the incumbent mayor.

Rather, it seems, he believes he stands a better chance of remaining on the council in a race against D'Andre Lampkin, who is vying in District 3.

He cannot run for both mayor and in District 3 at the same time.

effort to suppress crime, worked out an agreement with the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors to have the county and the sheriff's department fund the two deputy positions for one year, running from July 2023 to the end of June 2024.

To some, including some council members in the 11 other county cities and the two incorporated towns that contract with the sheriff's department of their law enforcement service, that looked like a gift of public funds, particularly since Adelanto, which was on the cutting edge of the marijuana boon, was supposed to be flush with cash.

There are recurrent and overlapping whispers, ones that have grown into a deafening roar, that the current crop of elected officials in Adelanto and the top-ranking staff are being cut in on the marijuana profiteering in the same way that Kerr, Wright, Woodard and Jeannette had.

Common wisdom has it that this is California and there is no appetite on the part of state or local officials to involve themselves in an enforcement action relating to what can be construed

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Coroner’s Case #702604073: On Saturday, 06/13/2026, at 04:21 p.m., San Bernardino Police Department responded to the 700 block of S. E Street in San Bernardino. Roberto Diaz Jr, a 33-year-old homeless resident of San Bernardino, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/15/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702604053: On Saturday, 06/14/2026, at 3:54 a.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to the 9000 block of I Avenue in Hesperia. Juan Gonzalez, a 35-year-old resident of Hesperia was pronounced dead at the scene. For further information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/15/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702604039: On Friday, 06/12/2026, at 05:58 a.m., the Colton Police Department responded to a bike trail along the Santa Ana River in Colton. Lekisha Smith, a 49-year-old resident of Colton was pronounced dead on scene. For additional information contact the Colton Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603997: On Wednesday, 06/10/2026, at 04:04 p.m., the Colton Police Department responded to the intersection of S. Mount Vernon Avenue and Centerpointe Drive for a traffic collision. Driver Tracy Stewart, a 64-year-old resident of Colton, was pronounced dead on scene. For additional information contact the Colton Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603975: On Wednesday, 06/10/2026, at 03:38 a.m., the San Bernardino Police Department responded to W. Kendall Drive north of Wagon-wheel Road in San Bernardino. Pedestrian Creshauna Wince, a 34-year-old resident of San Bernardino, was pronounced dead on scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603962: On Tuesday, 06/09/2026, at 10:08 a.m., the San Bernardino Police Department responded to the 700 block of Gilbert Street in San Bernardino. John Sheffield, a 65-year-old resident of San Bernardino, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603957: On Tuesday, 06/09/2026, at 05:59 a.m., the California Highway Patrol responded to Zzyzx Road and the Interstate 15 Freeway. Oscar Larin, a 66-year-old resident of Pinion Hills, was pronounced dead at the scene. For further information contact the California Highway Patrol. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603956: On Tuesday, 06/09/2026, at 05:23 a.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to the 22000 block of Standing Rock Avenue in Apple Valley. Francisco Serda, a 63-year-old resident of Apple Valley, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/13/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603954: On Tuesday, 06/09/2026, at 12:15 a.m., the San Bernardino Police Department responded to N. Locust Avenue and W. Renaissance Parkway in Rialto for a traffic collision. Driver Oscar De Jesus Torres, a 74-year-old male resident of Fontana, was pronounced dead on scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/09/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603853: On Thursday, 06/04/2026, at 03:17 p.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to Chibcha Road and Wild Road. Connie McGlothin, an 89-year-old resident of Helendale, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/06/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603843: On Thursday, 06/04/2026, at 04:49 a.m., the Fontana Police Department responded to the intersection of Palmetto Avenue and Pine Avenue in Fontana for a traffic collision. Driver Luis Perez, a 24-year-old resident of Fontana, was pronounced dead at the. For additional information please contact Fontana Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/06/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603838: On Wednesday, 06/03/2026, at 09:18 p.m., San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to Main Street and Mesa Linda Street in Hesperia. Leslie Ghan, a 69-year-old resident of Hesperia, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/06/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603749: On Saturday, 05/30/2026, at 06:06 p.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to Oak Glen Road near Chapman Heights Road in Yucaipa for a traffic accident. Motorcycle driver Matthew Russell, a 41-year-old resident of Redlands, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/31/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603747: On Saturday, 05/30/2026, at 05:17 p.m., the Ontario Police Department responded to the Ontario International Airport. Terry Chen, a 74-year-old female resident of Monterey Park, name withheld pending notification to next of kin, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the Ontario Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 06/06/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603736: On Saturday, 05/30/2026, at 10:15 a.m., the California Highway Patrol responded to National Trails Highway and Pisgah Road in Ludlow for a traffic collision. Driver Raymond Jadwick, a 68-year-old resident of Kingman Arizona, was pronounced dead at the scene. For further information contact the California Highway Patrol. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/31/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603733: On Friday, April 29, 2026, at 09:20 p.m., the San Bernardino Police Department responded to the 1900 block of N. Little Zion Manor Drive in San Bernardino. Kevin Huguley, Jr., a 36-year-old resident of San Bernardino, was pronounced dead on scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/31/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603707: On Friday, 05/29/2026, at 11:08 p.m., the Fontana Police Department responded to the 9400 block of Olive Street in Fontana. Jason Moore, a 43-year-old resident of Fontana was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the Fontana Police Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/29/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603463: On Sunday, 05/17/2026, at 03:19 p.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department Deputy responded the 15000 block of Roy Rogers Drive in Victorville. Samuel Gastelum, a 50-year-old homeless resident of Victorville, was pronounced dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/18/2026)

Coroner’s Case #702603461: On Sunday, 05/17/2026, at 12:05 p.m., the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department responded to the 12000 block of Main Street in Hesperia. A 40-year-old homeless resident of Hesperia, name withheld pending notification to the next of kin, was found dead at the scene. For additional information contact the San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Department. (Supervising Deputy Coroner S. Hill, 05/18/2026)

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Adelanto Politicians Looking To Enrich Themselves, Selling Less Expensive Land Without Utilities Not To Marijuana Growers This Time But Data Center Operators *from page 14*

as legitimate commercial marijuana activity. While there are yet law enforcement officers who were employed in their profession when it was open season on marijuana uses and traffickers, times have changed. Many, indeed most, municipalities in San Bernardino County have not opened up their jurisdictions to pot shops where the drug in many forms is available for purchase and consumption in a way that is intended for its intoxicative effect. Nevertheless, the attitude of officialdom is that those other officials who are bold enough to capitalize on the marijuana culture should be left alone to do as they will. That approach does not discount the belief by a fair cross section of those who are aware of what is going on in Adelanto that something is amiss, and graft has compromised Adelanto City Hall.

Quite recently, attention with regard to how inexplicably unproductive the commercial marijuana trade in Adelanto has proven in terms of tax revenue has shifted toward what now is being touted as the next big thing: artificial intelligence and densely-layered computing power.

Adelanto officials have become convinced, they say, that the wave of the future might not be marijuana, after all, but rather artificial intelligence and the data centers that are key to them.

A move is now on to have the city tweak its city code, development code and zoning maps to better accommodate energy and utility facilities, data centers, battery energy storage, and microchip, semiconductor and drone manufacturing.

On the table for discussion and further

study are amendments to the city's general plan and land use guidelines that will redo the language relating to the elements of production and actuation relating to artificial intelligence and super-high speed data processing.

The contemplated language changes in the various codes do not pertain to any specific proposals at this point, but rather laying out standards and perhaps protocols to allow those who in the future have plans that are either modest, moderate, large or grandiose and include data centers and the like will know where the city stands and how to get started in bring a proposal to City Hall to see if it will fly.

That is where the Deja Vu comes in.

Like growing mari-



Amanda Uptergrove

juana, data centers require massive amounts of electricity and a lot of water.

Data centers house thousands of servers operating 24 hours a day seven days a week, utilizing electricity throughout literally thousands of miles of circuitry. The electricity produces heat, lots of it. High-density artificial intelligence and its necessarily accompanying computing racks can draw 30-80 kilowatts per rack, producing heat equivalent to dozens of homes per rack. Without effective cooling, processors overheat, throttle performance, and risk permanent damage, making water essential for maintaining safe operating temperatures and stable humidity levels, which typically stand at 40 percent to 60 percent relative humidity, to prevent static electricity and corrosion.

Data centers use massive quantities of water primarily to cool the thousands of servers that

generate enormous heat, with water-based cooling systems being more efficient than air alone.

As has already been demonstrated when Kerr & Company sought to make Adelanto the marijuana capital of the world, Adelanto is located in the middle of an electricity-stressed and water-stressed region. Despite that, Adelanto's elected officials, all five of them, are enthusiastically embracing the concept of clearing the way for large-scale, indeed massive, data centers being established in the city.

Those closely examining the situation see the current council members taking a somewhat more sophisticated approach to exploiting the outside world's enthusiasm for a product that is suddenly all the rage to line their pockets than Kerr and Wright did, one that is decidedly closer to the way Woodard did. Woodard made off with a tidy profit for his one term in office and managed to avoid having to vacation in the Big House. Whereas Kerr and Wright insisted on pay-offs or kickbacks, Woodard's grift was more roundabout, convoluted and more difficult to prove, if not detect. His profiteering was done by osmosis, through his connection to the real estate industry, as he collected commissions for brokering the sales of property, absorbing the a portion of the byproduct of the marijuana frenzy, that byproduct being the escalation in the value of the land where the commercial marijuana activity was to be permitted to take place. As one of the five people who voted to expand the zone where that commercial marijuana activity was permitted to take place, Woodard was privy to inside information. He used that inside information to assist his real estate clients select property for purchase that would very quickly double, triple or quadruple in value. The enforcement and regulatory agencies that were supposed to prevent that

sort of pre-informed sales activity, which one might call insider trading or insider real estate trading, weren't fast enough, or informed enough or slick enough to spot what was being done in time to stop it.

There were multiple beneficiaries as well as multiple casualties as a result of that activity.

The first round of beneficiaries were the original owners of the property, who sold it for more than it was worth. The second round of beneficiaries were the real estate brokers who realized a commission when the property sold. The third round of beneficiaries were the speculators, i.e., the informed speculators who purchased the property. Some of those speculators followed through and, while there was still electricity and water to be secured, set up what would become lucrative marijuana cultivation operations. Other speculators merely sold the property at a profit, in some cases at a fat profit, to other speculators or to entrepreneurs or would-be entrepreneurs who then sought to make a go of growing marijuana by the ton. In a few of those cases, those being the ones who got hold of the property early enough to be able to ensure they had adequate power and water, those entrepreneurs saw a benefit. In a few other cases, where those who had the money or access to the financing to purchase some land who were not intent on becoming indoor farmers but were pursuing operations that consisted of laboratories where marijuana was to be processed rather than grown and then refined and concentrated into a consumable product in many forms, they did alright for themselves.

There were just as many others, though, who missed being in place and ready to go early enough who ended up purchasing, at an exorbitant price, property that in the first round or second round or the third round had already been inflated beyond what it

was worth. When, after finally obtaining a permit to operate, they would learn, much too late, that there was no electricity to power the lights to replicate the brightness of the sun and no water with which to irrigate their plants.

By far the most numerous set of casualties were the residents and citizens of Adelanto. They lived in a city which had crippled itself by seeing to it that properties, far too many properties, that might have otherwise been put to some form of useful purpose or enterprise was now being held and in some cases monopolized by failed entrepreneurs who had paid too much for the land they were squandering and were in no way prepared to put it on the market at a reasonable price which could be purchased by someone who had some legitimate, reasonable and realistic purpose for it. The malaise that had gripped Adelanto when Kerr & Company had first arrived on the scene and which they had seized upon to initiate what became the marijuana debacle had grown even worse.

In recent weeks, the mayor and current members of the city council - Reyes, Evans, Ramos, Meza and Uptergrove - have been traveling hundreds of miles to hobnob with large-scale data center moguls. It is unclear who is seducing whom. Are the operators of the data centers misleading Adelanto's city fathers as to what their operations will entail? Or are Adelanto officials misleading the data center owners as to the actual availability of electrical power and water in Adelanto? Will the data center entrepreneurs actually make an investment, not just in purchasing real estate in Adelanto, but in creating operations that will create meaningful and enriching employment for those who live in the city? Or will they create enterprises that employ technicians from far away and which involve utility demands that will

be so great that they will threaten the viability of traditional industrial and commercial enterprises? Are Adelanto public officials, both elected and at senior municipal administrative levels, tying up property with options in the hope of interesting AWS, Microsoft Azure, Digital Reality, Equinix, NTT Global, Google Cloud Platform, GDS Holdings, Alibaba Cloud, QTS Data, Oracle Cloud or some smaller companies in paying top dollar to secure a toehold in Adelanto before they learn that there are some real limitations on the availability of electricity and water in the region?

The way it looks is Adelanto's mayor and council members are trying to court data center operators while simultaneously convincing Adelanto's residents to hold still for an influx of data centers.

Many Adelanto residents are skeptical about Adelanto's next big thing, and have expressed their opposition to the city's proposed accommodation of data centers, indicating they believe their elected leaders have been improperly influenced to embrace them as the city's economic panacea.

In a recent Instagram post, Councilman Daniel Ramos told his Adelanto constituents that they have nothing to fear from the water guzzling and energy intensive cybernetic plants.

"Don't believe all the misconceptions and misinformation about new and improved data centers," Ramos wrote. "It might be true for the old models and technology, but these are not the same."

He encouraged Adelanto residents to go to whatever lengths needed to satisfy themselves that welcoming data centers to Adelanto is in the community's best interest. "Get out, tour some and educate yourself," Ramos recommended, in so doing including a photo of himself and Councilwoman Amanda Uptergrove on the grounds of ScaleMatrix's data center in San Diego.