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ES Rotary Hosts “Tasty” Event



Taste of 2 Town was a fun day. Local restaurants and breweries got together at WWOO last weekend. There was a live band, a golf simulator, and a chance to win a medium size big green egg. Thank you to all the vendors who participated. All proceeds went to the El Segundo Rotary Club. Photo courtesy El Segundo Rotary Club.

If I Don't Have It, I Will Build It

Story and Photos by Ron Sokol

Some people are born with a talent, a unique ability, and what may be a level of genius. This could be in mathematics, science, athletics, music, or art, among other impressive attributes. For folks like yours truly, it takes time, learning, and ongoing effort. We may well achieve what we seek, but it does not come naturally.

Omari Valentine is a web designer, digital marketing executive, and business advisor who lives in Hawthorne. His company, Off the Lip, is based in El Segundo. While Omari was not born with a paintbrush, pen, or camera in his hands, it was clear early on this fellow had (and has) notable artistic talents.

“Through high school I was pretty much a creative kid, loved art and writing. Skateboarding, sports, yes, those too, and in fact, made it all the way to Eagle Scouts and was accepted into the Art Center in Pasadena. This is a bit unusual, right out of high school. While it proved to be a bit too intense for me, this was one of the stepping stones to what I have been able to do since.”

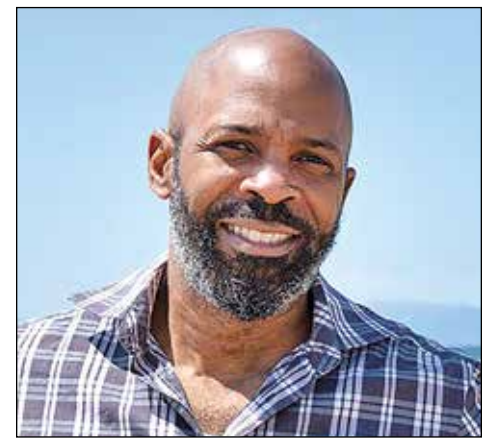
First, after graduating college, Omari worked as a teacher, but by the late 1990s studied cel animation at the American Animation Institute in Studio City. Cel animation (which is how cartoons were made through most of the Twentieth Century) is the process of hand drawing each frame at twelve frames per second to make a character move on the screen. As cel animation gave way to computer animation, a sizeable lack of industry jobs caught Omari and many animators off-guard.

Through a stroke of fate or blind luck, a friend in the video game industry invited him

to “come down and hang out with us and work with us at Blizzard Entertainment!” Omari’s eyes lit up. He didn’t know then, but this singular event would radically transform the trajectory of his life.

Have you heard of Blizzard Entertainment? It is a significant video game developer and publisher, founded in 1991 and based in Irvine. Blizzard’s most well-known games are the Diablo and StarCraft series, World of Warcraft, and Overwatch. Omari worked many, many hours at Blizzard. He describes it as “being right there in the kitchen while the meal is being made...”

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Omari Valentine

Tyler Leads Quest for New ERP System

By Liz Spear

The cost and frequency of replacing police motorcycles, a workplace violence prevention plan, and an update on the Hyperion Water Reclamation Plant were all part of the El Segundo City Council’s Tuesday night regularly scheduled meeting. City staff reported that the new law on workplace violence prevention requires all city staff to be trained by July 1. To date, 165 of the city’s 455 employees have received training. City Manager Darrell George reported that the Los Angeles City Council’s new budget did not include a new Division Manager position for Hyperion. However, it did include a new executive plant manager position. He noted that the South Coast Air Quality Management District had received 70 odor complaints in the past two weeks

and that a Notice of Violation had been issued against the plant on June 6 for failing to maintain equipment.

In a short meeting that lasted just under two hours, the council also heard an update on securing a new Enterprise Resource Planning system to replace the current one due to its company discontinuing software support on March 1, 2027. According to Information Technology Services Director Jose Calderon, the existing ERP software system was deployed in 1997. Calderon told the council that its leading contender is the Tyler Technologies ERP system and that staff had done “due diligence” and had had on-site demonstrations of the new software. He described the new ERP system as “the

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Weekend Forecast

Friday

Partly Cloudy
72°/61°



Saturday

Partly Cloudy
75°/65°



Sunday

Mostly Sunny
77°/66°



Community Briefs

Highlights a Scouts Good Work

I am one of the volunteers for the El Segundo Community Alliance to Support and Empower (CASE). I visit different sites around town to pick up donations. One site is the Joslyn Center. A Boy Scout named Tyler Kazen from Troop 267 constructed a new holding

box as an Eagle Scout project. I want to commend Tyler for doing this. It is well designed and highly functional. Thanks to the El Segundo Kiwanis Club for sponsoring Tyler's project.

- Richard Houston



Police Reports

Monday, June 10th

A petty theft report was taken at 1051 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway. Unknown suspect(s) took miscellaneous items without rendering payment.

A dead body report was taken at 0906 hours from the 100 block of East Oak Avenue. An adult male passed away from apparent natural causes.

An identity theft report was taken at 1224 hours from the 200 block of North Douglas Street. Unknown suspect(s) used the victim's credit card to make unauthorized purchases.

One male adult was arrested at 1401 hours from the 1900 block of East Mariposa Avenue for public intoxication.

A vehicle burglary report was taken at 1556 hours from the 500 block of West Imperial Avenue. Unknown suspect(s) smashed the rear window of the victim's vehicle and stole miscellaneous items.

A mail theft report was taken at 1846 hours from the 800 block of Main Street. Unknown suspect(s) stole the victim's mail from the victim's mailbox.

One male adult was detained at 2256 hours from Mariposa Avenue and Sierra Street and transported to MLK Exodus for a 72-hour psychiatric evaluation.

Tuesday, June 11th

A found property report was taken at 1152 hours from the 100 block of West Mariposa Avenue. An ID card and debit card were found and booked for safekeeping.

An identity theft report was taken at 1541 hours from the 600 block of Hillcrest Street. Unknown suspect(s) used the victim's identity to open a checking account.

One male adult was arrested at 0029 hours from the 400 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for public intoxication.

One female adult was arrested at 0029 hours from the 400 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for public intoxication.

Wednesday, June 12th

One male adult was detained at 0825 hours from 100 block of West Imperial Avenue and transported to MLK Exodus for a 72-hour psychiatric evaluation.

A vandalism report was taken at 0910 hours from the 400 block of West Imperial Avenue. Unknown suspect(s) smashed the back window of the victim's vehicle.

A found property report was taken at 1030 hours from the 400 block of West Walnut Avenue. BB guns were booked for destruction.

A petty theft report was taken at 1109 hours from the 300 block of North Pacific Coast Highway. A known suspect took cigarettes without rendering payment.

A misdemeanor hit and run report was taken at 1540 hours from the 800 block of South Pacific Coast Highway, vehicle versus vehicle.

An attempted robbery report was taken at 2049 hours from the 300 block of Main Street. Unknown suspect(s) attempted to steal the victim's electric bicycle by force.

One male adult was arrested at 0120 hours

from California Street and East Maple Avenue for driving under the influence.

A brandishing/exhibiting a firearm report was taken at 0140 hours from Mariposa Avenue and Nash Street. An unknown suspect exhibited a firearm toward the victim during a road rage incident.

Thursday, June 13th

A battery report was taken at 1131 hours from the 600 block of East Imperial Avenue. Two subjects engaged in mutual combat.

A petty theft report was taken at 1453 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway. Unknown suspect(s) stole merchandise from the business.

An identity theft report was taken at 1711 hours from the 700 block of Indiana Court. Unknown suspect(s) fraudulently accessed the victim's financial accounts.

A found property report was taken at 1612 hours from El Segundo Boulevard and Concord Street. A debit card was found.

A found property report was taken at 1613 hours from the 600 block of Main Street. Keys were found.

An attempted burglary (vehicle) report was taken at 1854 hours from the 800 block of McCarthy Court.

A courtesy burglary (vehicle) report was taken at 2047 hours from the city of Malibu. Unknown suspect(s) broke into the victim's vehicle and removed his property.

One male adult was arrested at 0158 hours from Loma Vista Street and Walnut Avenue for resisting an executive officer, possession of burglary tools, providing false information to a peace officer, and possession of a dirk or dagger.

Friday, June 14th

A property report was taken at 0755 hours from Grand Avenue and Vista Del Mar. Miscellaneous property was booked in for safekeeping.

One female adult was arrested at 1047 hours from the 1800 block of East Sycamore Avenue for possession of drug paraphernalia.

A found property report was taken at 1410 hours from Mariposa Avenue and Virginia Street. A WEX debit card was found and booked in for safekeeping.

A found property report was taken at 1410 hours from the 300 block of Main Street. A Samsung DVD/CD player was found and booked in for safekeeping.

An injury report was taken at 1359 hours from El Segundo Boulevard and Nash Street. An adult male fell off his bicycle and was transported to Harbor UCLA hospital by ESWD.

A petty theft report was taken at 1644 hours from the 500 block of North Pacific Coast Highway. An unknown suspect stole the victim's laptop that he left behind.

One male adult was arrested at 2126 hours from the 400 block of Illinois Street for shoplifting.

One male adult was detained at 2245 hours from Mariposa Avenue and Penn Street and

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Sports

El Segundo Babe Ruth League Crowns 2024 Champion

By Gregg McMullin

The El Segundo Babe Ruth League has completed its 69th season by crowning the league champion. The Stars won the first title in 1955 and are believed to have won the most titles over the sixty-nine years the league has been around. With the number of players in the league swelling to its highest level in decades, two expansion teams were added. This means the six-team league expanded to eight teams this season. This season's teams included the Aces, Beavers, Oaks, Padres, Seals, Solons, Stars and Rainiers (formerly Angels).

To crown the champion, a single-elimination eight-team playoff format was developed. Each team was seeded based on their performance during their 14-game schedule. The Padres and Oaks were the top two seeded teams, followed by the Seals, Rainiers, Stars, Solons, Aces, and Beavers. In the first round, the Padres, Oaks, Seals, and Rainiers each won their first-round games. In the round of four, the Padres faced the Rainiers, and Oaks and Seals squared off.

Padres Get by Rainiers 5-1

The Padres were the top seed and proved

why they were the team to beat with their 5-1 win over fourth-seeded Rainiers. After a first-inning run was scored by the Rainiers, the Padres shut them down the rest of the way. The Padres had their issues scoring runs in the first two innings. In the third inning, the Padres loaded the bases with two outs when Kyle Ott worked the count full. On the seventh pitch of his at bat, he drew a base on balls, forcing a run to even the score 1-1.

The Padres scored two fifth-inning runs to take a 3-1 lead highlighted by Lennon Salazar's two-run single. In the sixth inning, William Ulrich and Mathew Fizulich each singled and scored on a two-run double by Caleb Kimm to extend their lead to 5-1. In the seventh inning, the Rainiers loaded the bases with two outs, but the Padres ended the game on a strikeout. The win sent the Padres into the championship game.

Oaks Win a Thriller 2-1 over Seals

In what became a pitcher's duel between the Oaks and Seals, the Oaks advanced to the championship game with a thrilling 2-1 win over the Seals. Each team had numerous

opportunities to score but came up empty until the Oaks broke through in the sixth inning.

The Seals loaded the bases in the first inning but Oaks starting pitcher Jordan Slavens got out of the inning with a fly ball. In the third inning, the Seals loaded the bases with two outs but failed to score. In the fifth inning, the Seals had runners on first and third with no outs, but Slavens struck out two and ended the inning with a pop fly to end the threat.

The Oaks were stymied offensively by how Seals pitcher Alton DeBlanc pitched. At one point, the hard-throwing right-hander set down 12 consecutive batters before giving up his first hit in the fourth inning. In the sixth inning, Gio Blanco and Lucas Keldorf connected for back-to-back doubles, giving the Oaks a 1-0 lead. Ethan Mooney had an RBI single that scored Keldorf, giving the Oaks a 2-0 lead.

In the seventh inning, the Seals benefited from back-to-back errors to score a run to cut their deficit to 2-1. With two outs, Oaks relief pitcher Camden Quaintance got the Seals' Quinn Eisner to fly out to end the game. The Oaks advanced to the championship game against the Padres with the win.

Padres Win First Title in Ten Years 7-2 over the Oaks

The Padres won their first league title in 1957. Over the years, the Padres have had a number of managers, but current manager Charlie Haaker led the team for the past 22 years. Before being named the Padres manager, he was with the Stars for two seasons. Haaker says he believes his Padres teams have won eight or nine league titles but none in the past ten seasons until this year. The team they would be facing was the Oaks who won their first league title in 1967 and most recently won titles in 2021 and 2022.

The Oaks struck first when Jordan Slavens singled, advanced to second base, and scored on Lucas Keldorf's RBI single. The Padres countered with two runs of their own in the bottom of the first inning highlighted by Lennon Salazar's RBI single. The Padres increased their lead in the second inning when Rishi Nair drew an eight-pitch walk and scored on an RBI single by Caleb Kimm.

Trailing 3-1 in the third inning, Slavens, who was 2-for-2 with a walk, singled to lead off

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The 2024 El Segundo Babe Ruth League champions pose after defeating the Oaks 7-2.




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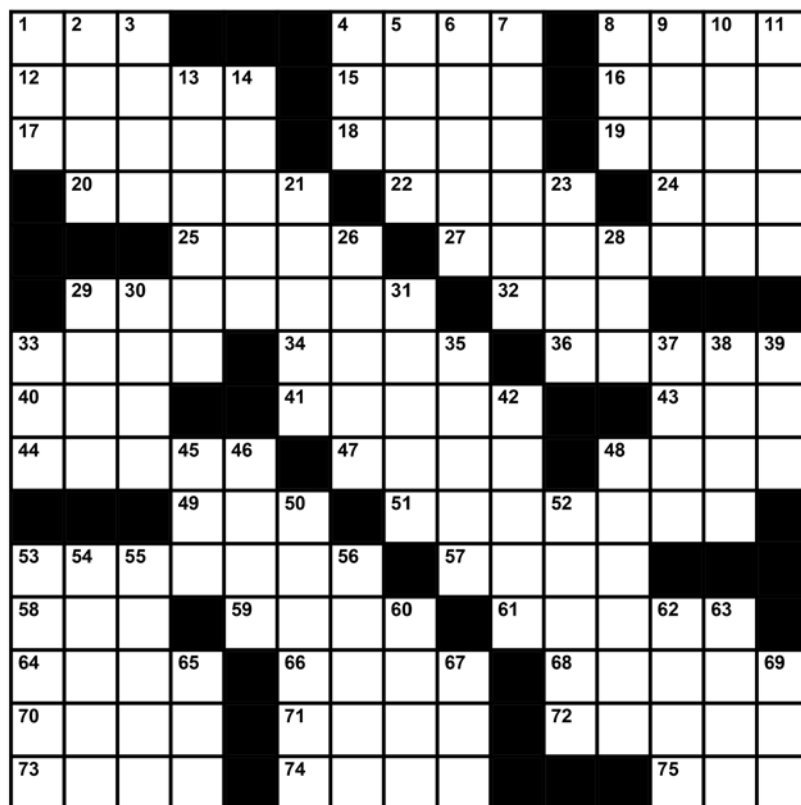
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Across

1. Prime example of stubbornness
4. Solid
8. Contract
12. Spots for soaks
15. Thought
16. Lazy
17. Built for speed
18. Like some records
19. Twelve O'clock
20. In-box contents
22. Citrus fruit
24. Daily grind
25. Calf meat
27. Floor coverings
29. Never-ending
32. Slangy negative
33. Undo
34. Leg joint
36. Sweetheart of ___ Chi
40. Metal source
41. A long time
43. Free (of)
44. In a rut
47. Run-in
48. Baton
49. Jar top
51. Rogue wave
53. J.P. Morgan and others

57. Make revisions to
58. Be indebted
59. Flavor enhancer
61. Beginnings
64. Caution
66. Bears' hands
68. Throng
70. In real time
71. Downright nasty
72. Non-fiction work
73. Mum's menu item
74. Say it ain't so
75. Knack for detail

Down

1. Sculpted body parts
2. Successful pitch
3. Plant part
4. Adam's leaf
5. Celebrity
6. Piece of history
7. Crazy guy
8. Fastener
9. Be crazy about
10. Influence
11. Canvas shelters
13. Pearly Gates place
14. Lodge resident
21. Long-limbed
23. Great times
26. Narrow country roads
28. Sorority letter
29. Major currency
30. Wedding cake feature
31. Took off
33. Deprive
35. Clear the chalkboard
37. Metric unit
38. Prefix with "skirt" or "series"
39. Put in
42. Breeding horses
45. Member of an order
46. Runs out of steam
48. Does greenhouse work
50. Adorned, in a way
52. Daughter of a sister, perhaps
53. Some championship games
54. Expect
55. Chutzpah
56. Toil
60. One of a matching pair
62. Doctor's order
63. Go to and fro
65. "What's ___?"
67. Devious
69. Salon supply

Last Week's Answers



4	9	3	2	7	5	1	8	6
6	8	1	4	3	9	2	7	5
5	2	7	1	6	8	9	3	4
7	3	5	9	1	4	6	2	8
2	6	9	5	8	3	4	1	7
8	1	4	6	2	7	5	9	3
1	5	8	3	4	2	7	6	9
3	4	6	7	9	1	8	5	2
9	7	2	8	5	6	3	4	1

SUDOKU Medium

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	3	7	2		8			6
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Entertainment

Film Review

Hit Man is a Slick and Seductive Crime Comedy

By Ryan Rojas for Cinemacy

If you're in the mood for a darkly entertaining crime comedy that can be watched at home tonight, look no further than *Hit Man* (now streaming on Netflix). Starring Glen Powell and Adria Arjona, *Hit Man* tells the story of a fake hitman who gets in too deep when he gets tangled up in a romance with an alluring woman requesting his deadly services.

Set in New Orleans, *Hit Man* is loosely based on the real-life story of Gary Johnson, a small-town psychology professor who also moonlights as a tech for the local police department. A geeky academic, Gary (Glen Powell) lives an ordinary, predictable life (with his two cats, "Id" and "Ego"). However, all of that changes one day during a routine sting operation when Gary—quietly manning the microphones—is forced to take the place of the undercover cop who is about to meet with the target who believes he is a real-life hitman.

Quickly swapping his "jorts" for "jeans," Gary instantly transforms into a tough guy and pulls off the performance, leading to a successful apprehension. Feeling the thrill of living life as a new identity, Gary continues to one-up his undercover operations with a dazzling amount of quirky characters, each more colorful and kooky than the last (one of the film's highlights). It's all going smoothly until he meets Madison (Adria Arjona), who meets Gary—or, who she believes is the hunky "Ron"—for protection from her ex. A romance is born, putting Gary in the

tricky—and dangerous—situation of continuing an affair with a would-be criminal that complicates everything.

With its quirky humor, noir style, and dark thrills (mind you, this *is* a comedy about people hiring hitmen to "off" people), *Hit Man* is a fun movie that will entertain audiences. At just under two hours long, the movie offers enough enjoyment for a night in.

Hit Man's main headline are the performances of its stars. As Gary, star-on-the-rise Glenn Powell gets any actor's dream role, being able to shape-shift into an endless amount of colorful characters (he's also credited as a co-screenwriter and producer of the movie). As Madison, Adria Arjona is hilarious, cunning, and captivating to watch onscreen. Together, the two are magnetic.

Fans may know writer-director Richard Linklater from such accomplished films as *Dazed and Confused* and *Boyhood*, but *Hit Man* is definitely more entertaining than arthouse. But the film still asks some deep questions, particularly about identity, and how we construct and invent them to live our lives. *Hit Man* asks: if you could choose to live a new life to escape your old one, would you?

Now, *Hit Man* isn't perfect. In fact, I thought that the movie's plot felt a bit confusing. There are certainly several logic holes (how does he have time to work two jobs and live two lives?). The pacing also feels a bit clunky and oddly edited, taking me out of it semi-often. Still, *Hit Man* is one of the year's more satisfactory movies you can watch at home.

1h 55m. Rated R for language throughout, sexual content, and some violence. Now playing on Netflix.



Hit Man, courtesy Netflix.



Ryan Rojas

Check It Out

New and Old Favorite Picture Books

By Kristina Kora-Beckman, Senior Librarian, El Segundo Public Library

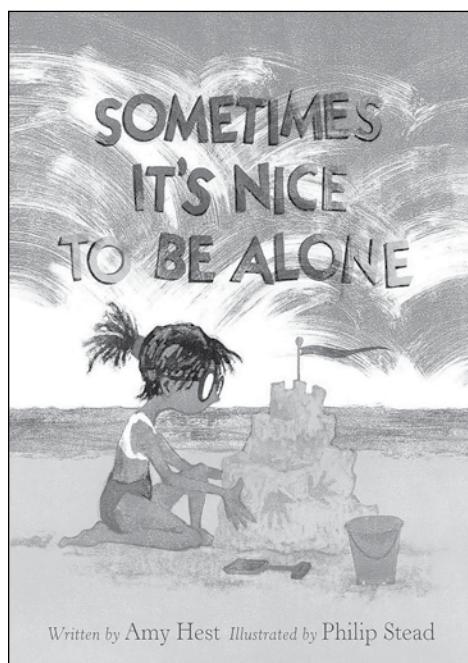
This week, I'm reviewing a lovely new picture book and newly discovered non-fiction picture book series.

Sometimes It's Nice to Be Alone written by Amy Hest, illustrated by Philip Stead, encourages readers to ponder what activities they enjoy doing alone, and what interests are best shared with others. Using a similar text structure but varying situations, friends and events lends a comforting familiarity

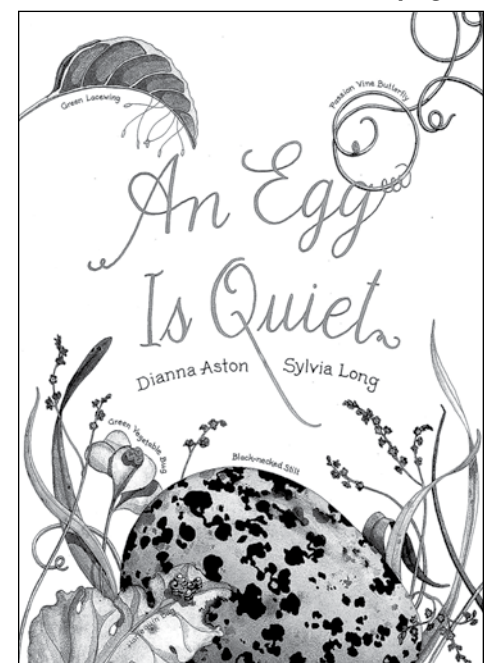
while gently encouraging readers to try new experiences. Colorful spreads and whimsical drawings lend visual interest while large text and high contrast font color is perfect for early readers to practice reading to their favorite adult.

Similarly, for gorgeous illustrations, interesting details and lyrical text, check out Dianna Hutts Aston and Sylvia Long's nature series including *An Egg is Quiet*, *A Seed is Sleepy*, and *A Rock Is Lively*. Reminiscent

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Sometimes It's Nice to Be Alone, by Amy Hest, illustrated by Philip Stead



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from front page

Blizzard led Omari to Activision, where he spent over nine years in Quality Assurance and Production. One of Activision's biggest claims to fame is the well-known Tony Hawk video game. Activision also publishes major titles like the Call of Duty franchise. Activision wound up buying Blizzard.

Omari's love of art had now fully intersected with the world of computers and technology. That said, it was the next phase of his career, which would complete his journey to become the web developer that Omari Valentine would

eventually become.

After the brutal layoffs brought about by the financial crisis of 2008, Omari needed to reset once again. He found himself in market research at Answer Financial, Inc., an insurance agency that is part of the Allstate family of companies. During his time there, he found a new sweet spot: rebranding with an eye toward marketing and development. At AFI, Omari explored the worlds of business and market research. "Little did I know this would be the next chapter."

In sum, three main elements led to where we find Omari today. He balances art, business, and technology. In 2017, Off the Lip was born. An "off the lip" is one of the most iconic, expressive moves in surfing. Omari chose it as the name of his business to exemplify creativity and expression on a web page.

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A presence online remains important, if

not essential. Artificial intelligence is now in the mix and can be helpful for Omari's work, but he makes clear that human expertise and the human touch remain keenly needed.

Omari's experience with products in the video game industry impressed upon him the importance of helping each customer reach their objectives and establish their name and identity. "At the end of the day, it's all about achieving results."

So, then, just as Omari said: "If I don't have it, I will build it." This phrase reminds me of that famous line from the movie Field of Dreams: "If you build it, he will come...". For Omari Valentine, he builds it so others indeed will come.

Patience and determination are palpable when talking with Omari Valentine. Put another way: Wait for that nice wave and then ride it well, ride it and feel it. Then, paddle out and do it again. The good wave may be awhile. It's coming. •



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Surfing Inspiration

City Council

from front page

backbone of the finance department" and said it would become "the backbone of the HR (Human Resources) department for the future." Calderon told the council that they'd been able to piggyback off of a 2023 Request For Proposal by the City of Menifee to Tyler for the ERP and intended to present the RFP to the council at a future meeting after making adjustments to Menifee's RFP. "The City of Menifee invested over a year of their time to build the RFP, issue the RFP, and boil down five companies that responded down to two. The second runner-up in their case was a company called Central Square. They did award it to Tyler. But, correct, yes, we were essentially able to compress and benefit from their work and leverage that to kind of accelerate a decision that we would bring to the city council." Council member

Ryan Baldino confirmed city staff had met with all of the top five companies from Menifee's RFP, done demos, and met with all city departments. Calderon said Finance and HR would use the ERP the most and confirmed that those two departments were on board with selecting Tyler.

Said Mayor Drew Boyles, who noted he's had experience rolling out and selecting software implementations and selection for Fortune 500 companies, "I do have significant concerns about what I think is really taking the path of least resistance. So, we used an RFP process from another city, so we're assuming that they are capable and have similar requirements. We're also using an incumbent that's the largest in municipal government that has the least incentive to innovate right now. So, what I would have

liked to have seen is an actual competitive bidding process because Menifee is not El Segundo, and Tyler is private-equity backed. They are a giant company that does really well, but they are going to be disrupted by some upstarts. There's already innovation coming out in this space. We're seeing it in Recs & Park with platforms that are coming out against Rec1 and Tyler products. So, I just think it's a matter of time. We're committing to (staff told him the agreement would be for five years), so with implementation costs, internal and external, several million-dollar endeavor, we just spent a lot of time debating a \$167,000 motorcycle purchase. We spent more time talking about that on the dais than we have an IT ERP implementation. So that's my concern. I've said it. I'm done."

Chief Financial Officer Paul Chung responded to council questions, saying using the Tyler ERP would bring "some reporting efficiencies" and "be more efficient for us." Chung noted he had used the Tyler ERP system at his previous position with the City of Santa Monica and that Santa Monica had piggybacked on a City of Pasadena RFP for its RFP process with Tyler. He said the Tyler ERP would bring greater flexibility, which would result in efficiencies, and that he didn't foresee a lessening headcount; instead, the Tyler ERP would allow staff to work on other projects that now receive less attention due to time constraints and workload/workflow. He noted he has used the Tyler "hub" and called it "straightforward" and that he likes how the user can "drag data out" to create their own reports. He said that in about two years much of the department would be digitized using the Tyler ERP, which will also bring an automated bill function to the city and the electronic transfer of funds. Said Calderon, "We are going to that next level with Tyler ERP," noting that the current system requires city staff management of a database and virtual servers (Tyler manages their data centers),

and when power is down, so is the current system. Said council member Carol Pirsztuk, who sits on the Finance Subcommittee, said the subcommittee has had many conversations about "the importance of ensuring that what we implement is pretty standard." She explained, "We're not changing the system to fit our current processes. We're actually adopting new processes that align to the function of the software so that when there are new initiatives or upgrades, we'll be able to implement those as quickly as possible." Boyles concluded the discussion, noting the item was a "Receive and file."

Earlier in the meeting, a lengthy discussion on the cost, replacement frequency, maintenance, and financial aspects of purchasing five new 2024 BMW R-1250 RT-P716 motorcycles through a competitively bid City of Sacramento contract #B22153311006 in an amount not to exceed \$167,834.57, including a \$5,000 contingency, drew comments about accountability and how to move forward with city-purchased motorcycles used by the police department. Council member Lance Giroux led the discussion, saying that the city was "taking a bath" with getting only \$8,000 per traded-in BMW bike from the dealer or having to auction the bikes off. "There's gotta be a better way to do this," he said to Police Chief Saul Rodrigues, who joined the El Segundo police department as chief on April 8 of this year. Mayor Pro Tem Chris Pimentel also asked for accountability of the miles logged when an officer is allowed by the chief to ride the bike to and from their home to work versus the miles put on the bike while riding for active police duty. Ultimately, the purchase was approved. However, the council agreed to reexamine how the disposal and purchase of police motorcycles is handled. Boyles asked to include police vehicles in the discussion now that electric vehicles are better than they were during the previous discussion. •

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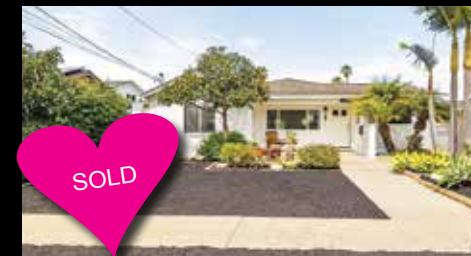
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Police Reports

transported to Harbor General Hospital for a 72-hour psychiatric evaluation.

One male adult was arrested at 2358 hours from the 500 block of North Pacific Coast Highway for drunk in public.

Saturday, June 15th

A stolen vehicle report was taken at 0716 hours from the 1400 block of East Elm Avenue. Taken was a 2024 Mazda CX50.

A shoplifting report was taken at 0811 hours from the 300 block of North Pacific Coast Highway. A known suspect took cigarettes without rendering payment.

A stolen vehicle license plate report was taken at 0852 hours from the 100 block of Whiting Street. A motorcycle plate was stolen.

One male adult was arrested at 1533 hours from El Segundo Boulevard and Pacific Coast Highway for shoplifting and one felony MBPD warrant.

A found property report was taken at 1635 hours from the 300 block of Main Street. Apple air pods were found and booked as found property.

A grand theft report was taken at 1618 hours from the 1500 block of East Walnut Avenue. Unknown suspect(s) stole the victim's catalytic

converter from his vehicle.

Two female adults were arrested at 2014 hours from the 700 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for shoplifting.

One male adult was arrested at 0030 hours from Loma Vista Street and Franklin Avenue for driving a stolen vehicle.

Sunday, June 16th

A vandalism report was taken at 1051 hours from the 200 block of Concord Street. Unknown suspect(s) damaged the victim's motorcycle.

One male adult was arrested at 1132 hours from the 500 block of Pacific Coast Highway for possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia, one felony Torrance PD felony warrant, and one Hermosa Beach misdemeanor warrant.

A grand theft report was taken at 1245 hours from the 300 block of North Pacific Coast Highway. Unknown suspect(s) stole the victim's property.

A petty theft report was taken at 1451 hours from the 2500 block of East El Segundo Boulevard. Unknown suspect(s) stole items and left the store without paying.

An injury report was taken at 1814 hours from the 600 block of California Street. A

toddler fell off a playset at Acacia Park.

One male adult was arrested at 1936 hours from the 400 block of South Pacific Coast Highway for possession of nitrous oxide.

One female adult was arrested at 0051 hours from Imperial Highway and Pacific Coast Highway for misdemeanor DUI with a BAC

of .08% or above and one Santa Monica PD misdemeanor warrant.

One male adult was arrested at 0236 hours from Hughes Way and Imperial Highway for one felony Kings County Sheriffs warrant.

A missing person was located at 0157 hours from Hughes way and Imperial Highway. •

Check It Out

of Jan Brett's detailed, realistic illustration style, the series educates and inspires nature lovers including item names and interesting facts interspersed throughout. One of my favorite features on Egg, Seed and Nest is the before/after displays on the front/back cover. For instance, in *An Egg is Quiet*, the front cover shows all of the eggs discussed in the book while the back cover shows all the creatures that hatch from the eggs.

Check out these and other great summer reads in the youth area. While you're here, don't forget to sign up for the Summer Reading Program, going on now through August 10th. Win prizes for all ages (including teens and adults) for reading and participate in fun programs! Visit www.elsegundolibrary.org for more details. •

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Hazards of Corded Window Coverings
Traditional corded window coverings may seem harmless, but they pose significant risks, especially in homes with young children. The dangling cords can become entangled, leading to accidents such as strangulation. According to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), corded window coverings are one of the top hidden hazards in the home. Find out more from the Window Covering Safety Council.

Style Benefits
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and tear and choose colors and patterns that complement your existing decor. With cordless window coverings, you can achieve a clean and clutter-free look while ensuring the safety of your loved ones.

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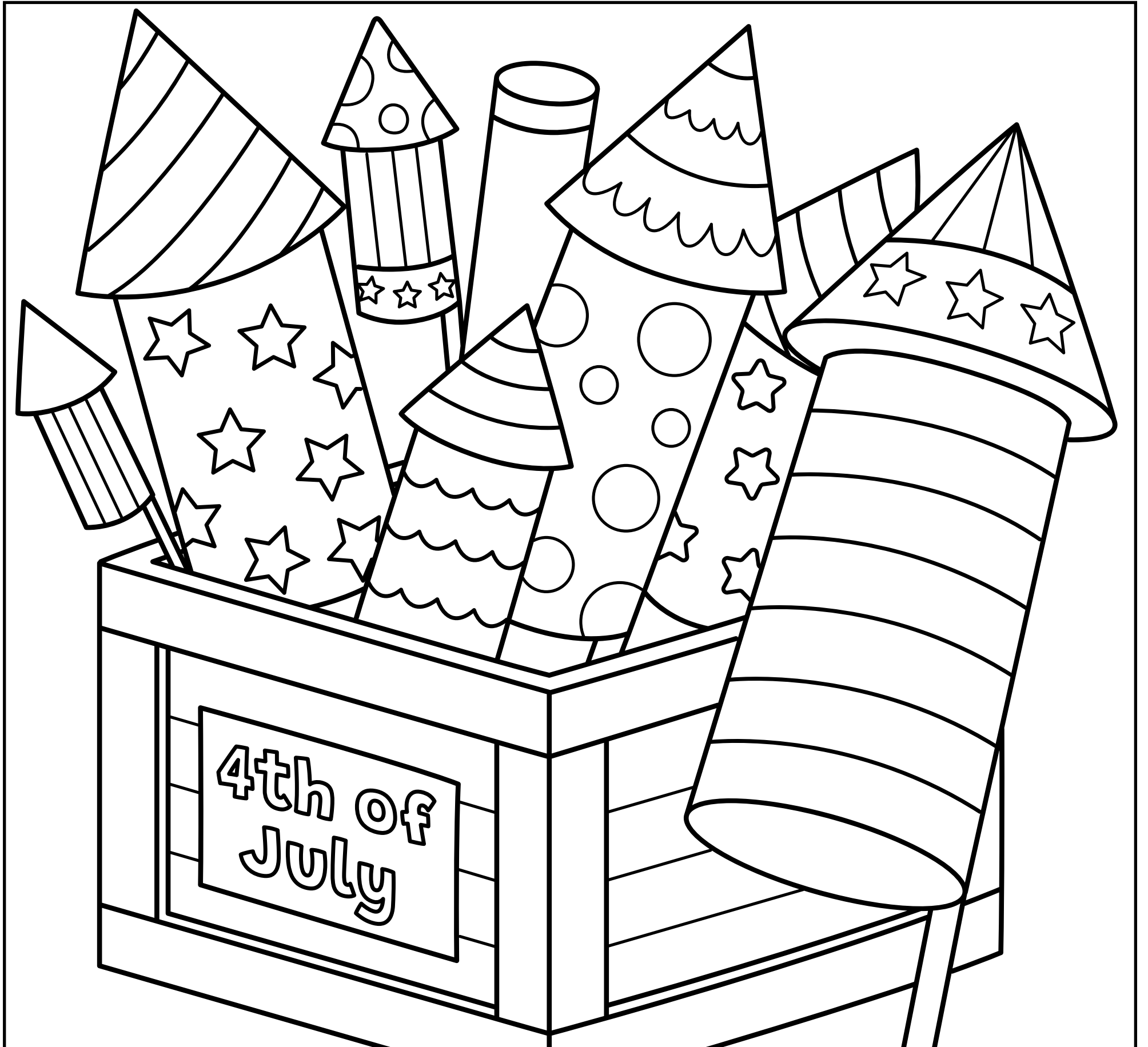


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2024113261 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Current File #2023144574 The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: ASPIRE HEALTH MEDICAL PARTNERS OF CALIFORNIA, PC, 12900 PARK PLAZA DRIVE, CERRITOS, CA 90703. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON July 3, 2023. Registrants: ALBION MEDICAL PARTNERS OF CALIFORNIA, P.C., 12900 PARK PLAZA DRIVE, CERRITOS, CA 90703. CORP: CALIFORNIA. This business was conducted by a Corporation. Signed: ALBION MEDICAL PARTNERS OF CALIFORNIA, P.C., PRESIDENT, TIMOTHY ALBION. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on May 24, 2024. EL SEGUNDO HERALD: Pub. 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/24 H-3484

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024113266

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024113263

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Current File #2023110200 The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: CAREMORE HEALTH MEDICAL PARTNERS WEST, P.C., 12900 PARK PLAZA DRIVE, STE 150, CERRITOS, CA 90703. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON May 18, 2023. Registrants: ALBION MEDICAL PARTNERS OF CALIFORNIA WEST, P.C., 12900 PARK PLAZA DRIVE, STE 150, CERRITOS, CA 90703. CORP: CALIFORNIA. This business was conducted by a Corporation. Signed: ALBION MEDICAL PARTNERS OF CALIFORNIA WEST, P.C., PRESIDENT, TIMOTHY ALBION This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on May 24, 2024. EL SEGUNDO HERALD: Pub. 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/24 H-3488

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024114523

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HYPE HACK PUBLISHING, 320 CONCORD ST APTA, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 202251613150 Registered Owner(s): NEWMAN MEDIA, LLC, 320 CONCORD ST APT A, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/2024. Signed: NEWMAN MEDIA, LLC, MANAGING MEMBER, RUSSELL NEWMAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 28, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 28, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 28, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/24 H-3489

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024117061

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SAMO WHEEL AND BRAKE SERVICE, 1310 PICO BLVD, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): HOWARD OKUMURA, 1310 PICO BLVD, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: HOWARD OKUMURA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 30, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 30, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 30, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27/24 H-3490

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024122613

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THREETWOONEGOMEDIA, 8367 STEWART AVENUE, WESTCHESTER, CA, 90045, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): SHIGEMITSU ICHINOMIYA, 8367 STEWART AVENUE, WESTCHESTER, CA, 90045 This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2024. Signed: SHIGEMITSU ICHINOMIYA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 7, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 7, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 7, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3491

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024116909

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AZUL AND VERDE NURSERY, 18901 ERMANITA AVE., TORRANCE, CA, 90504, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): AZUL & VERDE NURSERY, 18901 ERMANITA AVE., TORRANCE, CA, 90504. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2024. Signed: AZUL & VERDE INC, TREASURER, JACQUELINE PADILLA . This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 30, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 30, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 30, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3492

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024120163

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RENEWAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, 17167 VENTURA BLVD, ENCINO, CA, 91316, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201630710335 Registered Owner(s): MONTAGE RECOVERY SOLUTIONS LLC 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: MONTAGE RECOVERY SOLUTIONS LLC, MANAGER, ELLIOTT LIEBHARD . This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 4, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 4, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3493

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024120154

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RENEWAL HEALTH GROUP, 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004 , LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 3790152 Registered Owner(s): EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC., 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2019. Signed: EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC, CFO, ELLIOTT LIEBHARD . This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 4, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 4, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3494

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024120157

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SANCTUARY TREATMENT CENTER, 19233, 19241, 19249 WHITE STONE COURT, TARZANA, CA 91356, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 3790152 Registered Owner(s): EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC., 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC, CFO, ELLIOTT LIEBHARD . This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 4, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 4, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3495

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024120160

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE LAKE IOP, 156 VENTURA BLVD., ENCINO, CA, 91436, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 3790152 Registered Owner(s): EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC., 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2019. Signed: EXECUTIVE RECOVERY GROUP, INC, CFO, ELLIOTT LIEBHARD . This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 4, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 4, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3496

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024116926

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CAIRNS HEALTH, 11811 SAN VICENTE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 4062584 Registered Owner(s): KOKO HOME, INC., 11811 SAN VICENTE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2024. Signed: KOKO HOME, INC, PRESIDENT, ANDREW RITTER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 30, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 30, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 30, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3497

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024116932

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JENIUS BANK, 515 SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET 5TH FLOOR, LOS ANGELES, CA 90071 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 435117 Registered Owner(s): SMBC MANUBANK, 515 SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET SUITE 500, LOS ANGELES, CA 90071. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: SMBC MANUBANK, SECRETARY, MICHAEL DELUNE. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 30, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 30, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 30, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3498

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024117620

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ORTHOLEGAL, 13160 MINDANAO WAY, SUITE 304, MARINA DEL REY, CA 90292, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 4760481 Registered Owner(s): MEDICOLEGAL PARTNERS, 13160 MINDANAO WAY, SUITE 304, MARINA DEL REY, CA 90292. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: MEDICOLEGAL PARTNERS, CEO, ALEXIS DIXON. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 31, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 31, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 31, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3499

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024116929

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TASK FORCE FOR MEANINGFUL CHANGE, 2220 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UNIVERSAL MUSIC INVESTMENTS, INC., 2220 COLORADO AVENUE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: n/a. Signed: UNIVERSAL MUSIC INVESTMENTS, INC., SECRETARY, SHERYL L GOLD. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 30, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 30, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 30, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3500

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024123991

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) THEMIS REALTY 2) THEMIS REALTY INC 3) THEMIS REALTY, INC., 291 DEL AMO FASHION SQ 14583, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 6258163 Registered Owner(s): THEMIS REALTY INCORPORATED, 291 DEL AMO FASHION SQ 14583, TORRANCE, CA, 90503. CORP: CA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 06/2024. Signed: THEMIS REALTY INCORPORATED, PRESIDENT, MINA BISKEY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 10, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 10, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 10, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3501

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024114788

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLEAN WAVE SERVICES, 15636 SOMBRA AVE., LAWNDALE, CA, 90260, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JANET JACUQUELINE ZEPEDA NUNEZ, 15636 SOMBRA AVE., LAWNDALE, CA, 90260. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/2024. Signed: JANET JACUQUELINE ZEPEDA NUNEZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 29, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 29, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 29, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3502

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024109066

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PARK AVENUE STORE, 746 EAST HYDE PARK BOULEVARD, INGLEWOOD, CA 90302, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) ROSALINDA PRADO, 3783 S HARVARD BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90018. 2) WILLIAM PRADO, 315 92ND STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003. This business is being conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: WILLIAM PRADO, GENERAL PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 20, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 20, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 20, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3503

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024124415

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RWL ADVANCED SOLUTIONS, 16110 MANNING WAY, CERRITOS, CA 90703, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201935010510 Registered Owner(s): GENUINE CABLE GROUP, LLC, 8770 W. BRYN MAWR AVE. SUITE 1200, CHICAGO, IL, 60631. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: GENUINE CABLE GROUP, LLC, MANAGER, MICHAEL MILLIGAN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 10, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 10, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 10, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3504

PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS FOR
FY 24/25 Concrete Improvements
Project
IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
PROJECT NO.: PW 24-09**

The City of El Segundo is accepting sealed bids in the City Clerk's office, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California 90245, until 11:00 a.m. on:

TUESDAY, July 2, 2024
at which time they will be publicly opened. Bids will not be accepted after that time.

As described in the Bidding Documents, the bids are for a public works project ("Project") which consists of furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals for the Concrete Improvements Project and related work. Work shall include traffic control; concrete repairs of sidewalk, driveway approaches, curb, gutter, and local depressions; removal of existing non-standard curb ramps; installation of ADA-compliant curb ramps with yellow truncated domes; installation of hot-mix-asphalt slot paving; removal of conflicting striping; and replacement of striping as necessary.

Work on the Project must be performed in strict conformity with Specifications No. PW 24-09 as adopted by the El Segundo City Council on May 21, 2024, which is filed with the Public Works Department. Contractors bidding the project shall provide a minimum of five government agency, preferably municipal, references. The references shall be for the contractors' building similar projects (in terms of scope, size, type, magnitude, and complexity), as the prime contractor in the past five (5) years. Bidders shall include references, etc. to demonstrate qualification.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications, Contract Documents and Engineer's estimate are available from the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department, City of El Segundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California, 90245. Plans and Specifications are alternately available electronically via <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/public-works/request-public-works-bid>

A mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 25, 2024, at 11:00 AM** at the Civic Center Plaza at 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. Failure to attend the mandatory meeting will disqualify a company's bid.

Questions regarding the bid shall be submitted by **4:00 PM on Wednesday, June 26, 2024** to <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/public-works/request-public-works-bid>

The terms and conditions for bidding on the Project are described in the attached Bidding Instructions.

This project requires payment of State prevailing rates of wages for

Los Angeles County. The contractor must post copies of the prevailing schedule at each job site. Copies of these rates of wages are available from the State of California Department of Industrial Relations Prevailing Wage Unit, Telephone No. (415) 703-4774. The website for this agency is currently located at www.dir.ca.gov.

Note that the Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by California Department of Industrial Relations. Pursuant to California law, the City must find bids failing to comply with all applicable Labor Code requirements including, without limitation, Labor Code §§ 1725.5 and 1771.4 to be nonresponsive.

The contractor to whom the contract is awarded must assist in locating, qualifying, hiring, and increasing the skills of minority group employees and applicants for employment, as set forth in Executive Order 11246 and 11375.

Any contract entered into pursuant to this notice will incorporate the provisions of the State Labor Code. Compliance with the prevailing rates of wages and apprenticeship employment standards established by the State Director of Industrial Relations will be required.

Affirmative action to ensure against discrimination in employment practices on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion will also be required.

The City of El Segundo hereby affirmatively ensures that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion in any consideration leading to the award of contract.

Prevailing Wage: Federal Labor Standards Provisions, including prevailing wage requirements of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts will be enforced. In the event of a conflict between Federal and State wage rates, the higher of the two will prevail.

The Contractor's duty to pay State prevailing wages can be found under Labor Code Section 1770 et. Seq. and Labor Code Sections 1775 and 1777.7 outline the penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages and employ apprentices including forfeitures and debarment.

Five percent (5%) will be deducted from each progress payment and retained by the City. The remainder less the amount of all previous payments will be paid to the Contractor. Pursuant to Public Contracts Code ("PCC") § 22300, the Contractor may substitute securities for retention monies held by the City or request that the City place such monies into an escrow account.

The Contractor is notified, pursuant to PCC § 22300, any such election will

be at the Contractor own expense and will include costs incurred by the City to accommodate the Contractor's request.

In entering into a Public Works contract, or a subcontract, to supply goods, services, or materials pursuant to a public works contract, the Contractor, or Sub-Contractor, offers and agrees to assign to the awarding body all rights, title and interest in, and to, all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act (15 U.S.C. Section 15) or under the Cartwright Act (Chapter 2 [commencing with Section 16700] of Part 2 of Division 7 of the Business and Professions Code), arising from purchases of goods, services, or materials pursuant to the public works contract or the subcontract. This assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the awarding body tenders final payment to the Contractor, without further acknowledgment by the parties.

Bids must be prepared on the approved Proposal forms in conformance with the Instructions to Bidders and submitted to the City Clerk, 350 Main Street, City of El Segundo, in a sealed envelope plainly marked on the outside:

**FY 24/25 CONCRETE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT
"SEALED BIDS FOR PROJECT NO.: PW 24-09
IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
DO NOT OPEN WITH REGULAR MAIL"**

The bid must be accompanied by a bid bond, made payable to the City of El Segundo for an amount no less than **ten percent (10%)** of the amount bid for the base contract.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of the State Business and Professions Code. For these projects, those acceptable classes of license shall be "A" and "C-8". The successful Contractor and his Sub-Contractors will be required to possess the correct license for their project classifications, and valid City Business Licenses from the City of El Segundo.

The City of El Segundo reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularity, and to take all bids under advisement for a period of **ninety (90) calendar days**.

Any contract entered into pursuant to this notice shall become effective or enforceable against the City of El Segundo only when the formal written contract has been duly executed by the appropriate officer(s) of the City of El Segundo.

DATED this ___ day of ___, 20___, CITY OF EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA
Tracy Weaver, City Clerk
El Segundo Herald Pub. 6/13, 6/20/24
H-28665

**NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS FOR
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES
ACT (ADA)**

**Curb Ramp Installation Project
IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
PROJECT NO.: PW 24-05
CDBG PROJECT NO. 602708-23**
The City of El Segundo is accepting sealed bids in the City Clerk's office, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California 90245, until 11:00 a.m. on:

TUESDAY, July 2, 2024
at which time they will be publicly opened. Bids will not be accepted after that time.

As described in the Bidding Documents, the bids are for a public works project ("Project") which consists of furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals for the CDBG ADA CURB RAMP INSTALLATION PROJECT and related work. Work shall include traffic control, licensed-surveyor tie-out and re-establishment of intersection centerline tie monuments and benchmarks after construction is complete, removal of existing non-standard curb ramps, installation of new ADA-compliant curb ramps with yellow truncated domes, installation of hot-mix-asphalt slot paving, and replacement of damaged striping as necessary.

Work on the Project must be performed in strict conformity with Specifications No. PW 24-05 as adopted by the El Segundo City Council on **May 21, 2024**, which is filed with the Public Works Department. Contractors bidding the project shall provide a minimum of five government agency, preferably municipal, references. The references shall be for the contractors' building similar projects (in terms of scope, size, type, magnitude, and complexity), as the prime contractor in the past five (5) years. Bidders shall include references, etc. to demonstrate qualification.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications, Contract Documents and Engineer's estimate are available from the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department, City of El Segundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California, 90245. Plans and Specifications are alternately available electronically via <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/public-works/request-public-works-bid>

A mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 25, 2024, at 10:00 AM** at the Civic Center Plaza at 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. Failure to attend the mandatory meeting will disqualify a company's bid. All questions regarding the project are due to <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/public-works/request-public-works-bid> by **Tuesday, June 26, 2024, at 4:00 PM**.

The terms and conditions for bidding on the Project are described in the attached Bidding Instructions.

This project is funded in whole or in part with Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Federal Labor Standards Provisions, including prevailing wage requirements of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts will be enforced. In the event of a conflict between Federal and State wage rates, the higher of the two will prevail.

This project requires payment of State prevailing rates of wages for Los Angeles County. The contractor must post copies of the prevailing schedule at each job site. Copies of these rates of wages are available from the State of California Department of Industrial Relations Prevailing Wage Unit, Telephone No. (415) 703-4774. The website for this agency is currently located at www.dir.ca.gov.

Note that the Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by California Department of Industrial Relations. Pursuant to California law, the City must find bids failing to comply with all applicable Labor Code requirements including, without limitation, Labor Code §§ 1725.5 and 1771.4 to be nonresponsive.

The contractor to whom the contract is awarded must assist in locating, qualifying, hiring, and increasing the skills of minority group employees and applicants for employment, as set forth in Executive Order 11246 and 11375.

Any contract entered into pursuant to this notice will incorporate the provisions of the State Labor Code. Compliance with the prevailing rates of wages and apprenticeship employment standards established by the State Director of Industrial Relations will be required.

Affirmative action to ensure against discrimination in employment practices on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion will also be required.

The City of El Segundo hereby affirmatively ensures that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion in any consideration leading to the award of contract.

The Contractor's duty to pay State prevailing wages can be found under Labor Code Section 1770 et. Seq. and Labor Code Sections 1775 and 1777.7 outline the penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages and employ apprentices including forfeitures and debarment.

Prior to contract award, the contractor's status and eligibility will be checked and verified with the California Department of Industrial Relations at <http://www.cslb.ca.gov>, at: <https://efiling.dir.ca.gov>, and <http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlse/debar.html>. Contractor's status and eligibility will also be verified through the excluded parties list at the federal System for Award Management (SAM) website: <https://sam.gov>.

Five percent (5%) will be deducted from each progress payment and retained by the City. The remainder less the amount of all previous payments will be paid to the Contractor. Pursuant

to Public Contracts Code ("PCC") § 22300, the Contractor may substitute securities for retention monies held by the City or request that the City place such monies into an escrow account. The Contractor is notified, pursuant to PCC § 22300, any such election will be at the Contractor own expense and will include costs incurred by the City to accommodate the Contractor's request.

In entering into a Public Works contract, or a subcontract, to supply goods, services, or materials pursuant to a public works contract, the Contractor, or Sub-Contractor, offers and agrees to assign to the awarding body all rights, title and interest in, and to, all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act (15 U.S.C. Section 15) or under the Cartwright Act (Chapter 2 [commencing with Section 16700] of Part 2 of Division 7 of the Business and Professions Code), arising from purchases of goods, services, or materials pursuant to the public works contract or the subcontract. This assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the awarding body tenders final payment to the Contractor, without further acknowledgment by the parties.

Bids must be prepared on the approved Proposal forms in conformance with the Instructions to Bidders and submitted to the City Clerk, 350 Main Street, City of El Segundo, in a sealed envelope plainly marked on the outside:

**CDBG ADA Curb Ramp Installation Project
"SEALED BIDS FOR PROJECT NO.: PW 24-05
IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
DO NOT OPEN WITH REGULAR MAIL"**

The bid must be accompanied by a bid bond, made payable to the City of El Segundo for an amount no less than **ten percent (10%)** of the amount bid for the base contract.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of the State Business and Professions Code. For these projects, those acceptable classes of license shall be "A", "C-8", or "C-12". The successful Contractor and his Sub-Contractors will be required to possess the correct license for their project classifications, and valid City Business Licenses from the City of El Segundo.

The City of El Segundo reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularity, and to take all bids under advisement for a period of **ninety (90) calendar days**.

Any contract entered into pursuant to this notice shall become effective or enforceable against the City of El Segundo only when the formal written contract has been duly executed by the appropriate officer(s) of the City of El Segundo.

DATED this ___ day of ___, 2024.
CITY OF EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA
Tracy Weaver, City Clerk
El Segundo Herald Pub. 6/13, 6/20/24
H-28663

**NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS FOR THE
FY 24/25 PAVEMENT
REHABILITATION PROJECT
IN THE CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
PROJECT NO.: PW 24-08**

The City of El Segundo is accepting sealed bids in the City Clerk's office, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California 90245, until 11:00 a.m. on:

TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2024
at which time they will be publicly opened. Bids will not be accepted after that time.

As described in the Bidding Documents, the bids are for a public works project ("Project") which consists of traffic control, centerline-tie surveying and tie replacement if removed, tree root dig-outs, asphalt repairs, asphalt cold milling, hot mix asphalt paving, sewer and storm drain manhole-cover adjusting, water system valve-cover adjusting, clearing and grubbing for slurry seal, crack sealing, mechanically removing striping in slurry seal areas, protecting manhole, valve covers, or concrete areas from slurry seal, slurry seal Type II resurfacing, dust control, street sweeping, thermoplastic re-striping, reinstalling pavement markings, and related work.

Work on the Project must be performed in strict conformity with Specifications No. PW 24-08 as adopted by the El Segundo City Council on May 21, 2024, which is filed with the Public Works Department. Contractors bidding the project shall provide a minimum of five government agency references, preferably municipal, for building similar projects (in terms of scope, size, type, magnitude and complexity), as the prime contractor in the past five (5) years. Bidders shall include references, etc. to demonstrate qualifications.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications, Contract Documents and Engineer's estimate are available from the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department, City of El Segundo, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, California, 90245. Plans and Specifications are alternately available electronically via <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/city-clerk/bid-rfp>

[government/departments/city-clerk/bid-rfp](https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/city-clerk/bid-rfp)

A pre-bid meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 25, 2024, at 9:00 AM**, at the Civic Center Plaza, 350 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 90245. Bidders' attendance at this meeting is mandatory.

Questions regarding the bid shall be submitted by **4:00 pm on Wednesday, June 26, 2024** to <https://www.elsegundo.org/government/departments/public-works/request-public-works-bid>.

The terms and conditions for bidding on the Project are described in the attached Bidding Instructions.

This project requires payment of State prevailing rates of wages for Los Angeles County. The contractor must post copies of the prevailing schedule at each job site. Copies of these rates of wages are available from the State of California Department of Industrial Relations Prevailing Wage Unit, Telephone No. (415) 703-4774. The website for this agency is currently located at www.dir.ca.gov.

Note that the Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by California Department of Industrial Relations. Pursuant to California law, the City must find bids failing to comply with all applicable Labor Code requirements including, without limitation, Labor Code §§ 1725.5 and 1771.4 to be nonresponsive.

The contractor to whom the contract is awarded must assist in locating, qualifying, hiring and increasing the skills of minority group employees and applicants for employment, as set forth in Executive Order 11246 and 11375.

Any contract entered into pursuant to this notice will incorporate the provisions of the State Labor Code. Compliance with the prevailing rates of wages and apprenticeship employment standards established by the State Director of Industrial Relations will be required.

Affirmative action to ensure against discrimination in employment practices on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion will also be required.

The City of El Segundo hereby affirmatively ensures that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, or religion in any consideration leading to the award of contract.

Prevailing Wage: Federal Labor Standards Provisions, including prevailing wage requirements of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts will be enforced. In the event of a conflict between Federal and State wage rates, the higher of the two will prevail.

The Contractor's duty to pay State prevailing wages can be found under Labor Code Section 1770 et. Seq. and Labor Code Sections 1775 and 1777.7 outline the penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages and employ apprentices including forfeitures and debarment.

Five percent (5%) will be deducted from each progress payment and retained by the City. The remainder less the amount of all previous payments will be paid to the Contractor. Pursuant to Public Contracts Code ("PCC") § 22300, the Contractor may substitute securities for retention monies held by the City or request that the City place such monies into an escrow account. The Contractor is notified, pursuant to PCC § 22300, any such election will be at Contractor's own expense and will include costs incurred by the City to accommodate the Contractor's request.

In entering into a Public Works contract, or a subcontract, to supply goods, services, or materials pursuant to a public works contract, the Contractor, or Sub-Contractor, offers and agrees to assign to the awarding body all rights, title and interest in, and to, all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act (15 U.S.C. Section 15) or under the Cartwright Act (Chapter 2 [commencing with Section 16700] of Part 2 of Division 7 of the Business and Professions Code), arising from purchases of goods, services, or materials pursuant to the public works

contract or the subcontract. This assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the awarding body tenders final payment to the Contractor, without further acknowledgment by the parties.

Bids must be prepared on the approved Proposal forms in conformance with the Instructions to Bidders and submitted to the City Clerk, 350 Main Street, City of El Segundo, in a sealed envelope plainly marked on the outside:

**"SEALED BIDS FOR PROJECT NO.: PW 24-08
FY 24/25 PAVEMENT
REHABILITATION PROJECT
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DATED this ___ day of ___, 20___, CITY OF EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA
Tracy Weaver, City Clerk
El Segundo Herald Pub. 6/13, 6/20/24
H-28664

**Order to Show Cause
for Change of Name
Case No. 24TRCP00222**

Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES
Petition of: JAMES EDWARD ALDRIDGE JR for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner JAMES EDWARD ALDRIDGE JR filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

**JAMES EDWARD ALDRIDGE JR
to
JAMES DICKSON ALDRIDGE**

The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:
Date: July 26, 2024, Time: 9:30 AM.,
Dept.: 8

The address of the court is:

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT
INGLEWOOD COURTHOUSE
ONE REGENT STREET
INGLEWOOD, CA 90301

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county:

EL SEGUNDO HERALD
Date: JUNE 10, 2024
GARY Y. TANAKA
Judge of the Superior Court
EL SEGUNDO HERALD PUB: 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24

H-28662

**Order to Show Cause
for Change of Name
Case No. 24TRCP00232**

Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES
Petition of: MARIA BANESA MUNOZ for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner MARIA BANESA MUNOZ filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

**MARIA BANESA MUNOZ
to
VANESSA VALENCIA**

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 2, 2024, Time: 8:30 AM.,
Dept.: M

The address of the court is:

825 MAPLE AVE
TORRANCE, CA 90503

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county:

EL SEGUNDO HERALD
Date: JUNE 10, 2024
GARY Y. TANAKA
Judge of the Superior Court
EL SEGUNDO HERALD PUB: 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24

H-28670

Finance

How to Create and Implement a Strong Financial Plan

(BPT) - By Konda Pollard and Brent Suriano, Synovus Bank

According to recent research, while 74% of Americans engage in financial planning, only 15% have a written plan and 30% lack any long-term financial goals. With a well-laid and continually updated financial plan, people can feel more in control of their financial future and more confident in meeting their goals.

Over the past few decades, financial products have become more accessible to the public, which has led individuals to have more bank and investment products than ever before. Between bank accounts, credit cards, auto loans, mortgages and multiple investment accounts, it can be tough to begin organizing. Together with a financial advisor, taking a holistic look at where your money is going may help you find places to cut down on

spending and save money toward your goals.

To implement a financial plan that works for you, consider the following:

- Find the right advisor for you. Start by asking yourself, “Do I have the time and energy to be the best financial advisor for myself?” The answer may be no, which is why experts are readily available to help. A Synovus financial advisor can help you build out a goal-based plan. It is simple to aim to “save more, spend less,” but a trusted advisor can help you highlight specific goals to work toward, which will strengthen your emotional connection to achieving those goals. For example, envisioning saving up for a tropical family vacation or buying a luxury item can strengthen your commitment to a financial goal more than aiming to save a certain dollar amount.
- Work backward to arrive at a plan.

Consider where you want to be in 5 or 10 years, and then discuss what you need to start today to get yourself on track. Discuss short-term and long-term priorities with your advisor, and work toward setting realistic goals. Planning for retirement, which may be several decades away, can feel daunting, but working with the end goal in mind can provide perspective for the short-term goals.

• Consider your life stage. There is no “one size fits all” plan for achieving financial goals. Someone who is fresh out of college will have vastly different goals and cost outlays than a 50-year-old with a family. Working with trusted experts will help craft a plan that is unique to you, your life stage and your individual goals. Once you have your financial plan in place, make sure it evolves with your lifestyle, needs and family dynamics. Aim to meet annually (or more often) with

your advisor to ensure your plan is staying up to date with any lifestyle changes, such as a new job, new home, marriage or children, and is maximizing your money given the economic conditions at that time. Having regular check-ins to make small updates will be much less mentally taxing than updating a financial plan that hasn’t been reviewed in several years. And remember it is never too late to get started.

• Celebrate wins. Create milestones in your financial plan and celebrate when they are achieved. Big or small, recognizing progress will give you an emotional boost to keep striving for the next goal.

Life is full of uncertainties, but your financial future doesn’t have to be one of them. Now is a great time to take a closer look at your finances and assess your goals with a trusted advisor that can help set you up for success. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024124412
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) HAULPAY; 2) HAUL PAY; 3) COMFREIGHT, 11766 WILSHIRE BLVD, STE. 550, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90025, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): DAKOTA FINANCIAL, LLC, 11766 WILSHIRE BLVD, STE. 550, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90025. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 09/2023. Signed: DAKOTA FINANCIAL, LLC, MANAGER, MICHAEL GREEN. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 10, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 10, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 10, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4/24 H-3505

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024125854
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE BOUQS COMPANY, 475 WASHINGTON BLVD., MARINA DEL REY, CA, 90292, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): THE BOUQS OPCO, LLC, 475 WASHINGTON BLVD., MARINA DEL REY, CA, 90292. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/2024. Signed: THE BOUQS OPCO, LLC, CEO, KIMBERLY TOBMAN KVIATKOVSKY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 11, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 11, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 11, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3506

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024125863
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CAPITALEDGE FUNDING, 17337 VENTURA BLVD., STE 300, ENCINO, CA, 91316, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 202461318504 Registered Owner(s): JLD CAPITAL LLC, 17337 VENTURA BLVD., SUITE 300, ENCINO, CA, 91316. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: JLD CAPITAL LLC, MEMBER, LEE OPOLINSKY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 11, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 11, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 11, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3507

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024120151
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SANCTUARY OUTPATIENT, 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 201620710074 Registered Owner(s): RENEWAL SOBRIETY, LLC, 516 NORTH LARCHMONT BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90004. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 07/2018. Signed: RENEWAL SOBRIETY LLC, CFO, ELLIOT LIEBHARD. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 4, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 4, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 4, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3508

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024122426
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) CASTLE ROCK, 2) CASTLE ROCK CELLARS, 3) CASTLE ROCK CO., 4) CASTLE ROCK COMPANY, 5) CASTLE ROCK ESTATE, 6) CASTLE ROCK ESTATES, 7) CASTLE ROCK VINEYARD 8) CASTLE ROCK VINEYARDS 9) CASTLE ROCK WINE CELLARS, 10) CASTLE ROCK WINE CO., 11) CASTLE ROCK WINE COMPANY, 12) CASTLE ROCK WINERY 13) CASTLE ROCK WINES, 14) CHATEAU CASTLE ROCK 15) DOMAINE CASTLE ROCK, 16) DRESSAGE CELLARS, 17) DRESSAGE VINEYARD, 18) DRESSAGE VINEYARDS 19) DRESSAGE WINE, 20) DRESSAGE WINERY, 21) DRESSAGE WINES, 2501 W. 237TH STREET, SUITE E, TORRANCE, CA, 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON 199734310051 Registered Owner(s): SOUTH BAY WINE GROUP, LLC, 2501 W. 237TH STREET, SUITE E, TORRANCE, CA, 90505. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: SOUTH BAY WINE GROUP, LLC, MANAGER, GREGORY POPOVICH. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 6, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 6, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 6, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3509

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024128512
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ERA INSTITUTE, 578 WASHINGTON BLVD., #722, MARINA DEL REY, CA, 90292, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): WOMEN'S HEALTH PLATFORM, INC., 578 WASHINGTON BLVD., #722, MARINA DEL REY, CA, 90292. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: WOMEN'S HEALTH PLATFORM, INC., VICE PRESIDENT, SEEMA OTOYA. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 14, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 14, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 14, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3510

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024125857
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) LOS ANGELES GALAXY, 2) LA GALAXY 18400 AVALON BLVD., CARSON, CA, 90746. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ANSCHUTZ L.A. SOCCER, INC., 800 W. OLYMPIC BLVD, STE. 305, LOS ANGELES, CA 90015. CORP: DELAWARE This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 12/1996. Signed: ANSCHUTZ L.A. SOCCER, INC., SECRETARY, JOHN KEENAN This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on June 11, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on June 11, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to June 11, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3511

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2024114655
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INTERLINK FASTENERS, 418 S. JUANITA AVE., REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90277, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): U.S. FASTENER IMPORT & TRADING COMPANY, INC., 418 S. JUANITA AVE., REDONDO BEACH, CA, 90277. CORP: CALIFORNIA This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: U.S. FASTENER IMPORT & TRADING COMPANY, INC., PRESIDENT, YI-JU CHEN This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on May 28, 2024. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on May 28, 2029. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to May 28, 2029. 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). El Segundo Herald: Pub. 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11/24 H-3512

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Dear El Segundoans,
We love the profiles we’ve done, and we’ve learned so much about El Segundo’s residents. We want to do more, so please keep the suggestions coming. With over 16,000 residents, we’re sure there are some gems we may have overlooked or not been aware of them. Do you have a unique and interesting friend, neighbor, co-worker, colleague or student? All you have to do is ask their permission and send us their contact information. Of course, if you find yourself fascinating, you are welcome to send us your information too. 😊

– Best to you all. HM.
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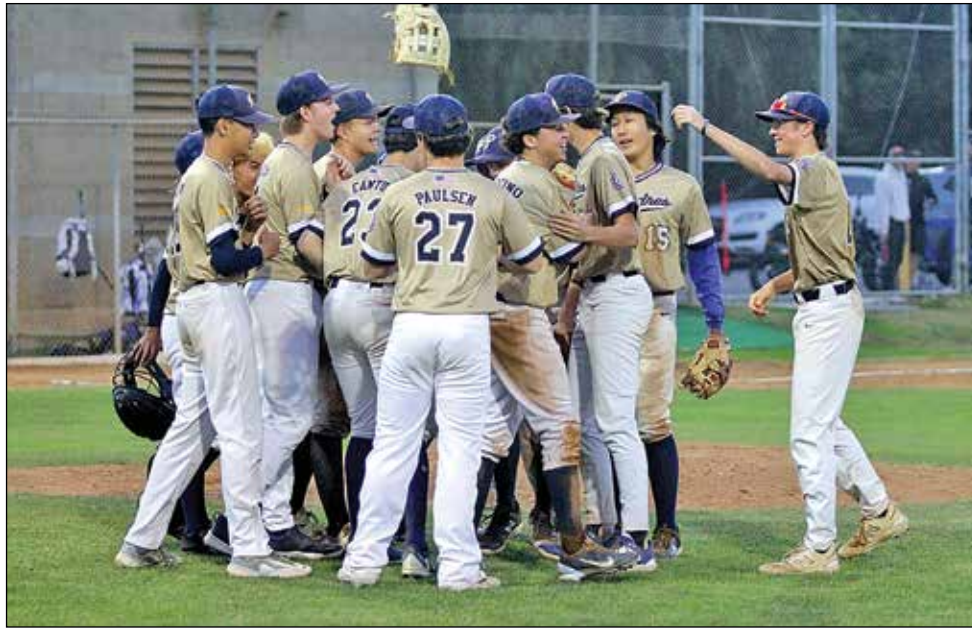
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the inning. He stole second and third base and scored on a wild pitch to narrow the Padres' lead to 3-2. The Padres took advantage of an Oaks error and timely hitting to score two runs. Colton Ksieski was aboard on an infield error and scored on Kyle Cantu's ground ball. Nair's RBI single gave the Padres a 5-2 lead.

The Padres had an opportunity to extend their lead in the fourth inning but came up empty. Andre Sugden led off the inning with a double, and Ksieski followed with a single. Oaks pitcher Ethan Mooney got out of the inning with a pop fly, a strike out, and an easy fly ball. In the fifth inning, William Ulrich singled and later scored on Caleb Kimm's RBI single. In the sixth inning, the Padres scored again when Matteo Valentino reached on an error and scored on Lennon Salazar's third hit of the game and second RBI to make it 7-2.

The Oaks had no answer for Padre relief pitcher Colton Ksieski. The hard-throwing right-hander came in relief of starter Caleb Kimm in the fourth inning. He limited the Oaks to one hit and one walk while striking out four over his four innings.

The Padres finished the season 14-2-1 and were the 2024 league champions. Their two



The Padres celebrate their 7-2 win over the Oaks in the championship game.

losses were an 8-2 loss to the Oaks, a 13-6 loss to the Solons, and a 6-6 tie with the Seals.

All-Star Tournaments Announced

The All-Star tournaments for the Babe Ruth League and the District 36 Little League were announced. Since there is no District tournament

for the Babe Ruth League All-Stars, each of the 13-year-old, 14-year-old, and 13-16-year-old star teams advance to the Southern California State tournament. The 13s play theirs at Westchester, the 14s play at Glendale, and the 13-16s play at Stevenson Field; each team

begins their tournament on Saturday. The El Segundo Babe Ruth 13s were the 2013 World Series Champions but will not field an all-star team this season.

The winners of the state tournament advance to the Pacific Southwest Tournament; each of the tournaments runs from July 21-27. The 14s will go to Murray, Utah, and the 13-16s head to Tulare, California. The World Series for the 14s will be at Eagle Pass, Texas and the 13-16s fly to Branson, Missouri. The World Series for each level runs from August 8 through August 17.

The El Segundo Little League 12U All Stars are the defending World Series champions and will host the District 36 tournament starting on Saturday. ESLL will face Redondo Little League in the first round at 4:30 p.m. The 11U All-Stars will travel to Palos Verdes Little League (3801 Via La Selva, PVE) to face Lunada Bay at 2:30 p.m. The 10U All-Stars head to Lunada Bay Little League (2020 PV Drive West, Palos Verdes) to play a 9:30 a.m. first-round game against Rolling Hills Little League.

Please visit the El Segundo Little League or the El Segundo Babe Ruth website to follow each team. •



The Oaks' Jordan Slavens singles and later scored in the third inning in the championship game.



The Padres' Colton Ksieski held the Oaks scoreless over the final four innings of relief in the championship game.



GUNDOGRAM
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Grilled Corn Salad

Provided by Campbells Soup Corp.

This is a fantastic summer salad. Buy summer's best sweet corn to mix with garden-fresh red peppers. Best of all, this can be made well ahead of time so you won't miss out on summer fun.



Ingredients

- 4 ears fresh corn on the cob, husks removed
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 3 tablespoons lime juice
- 3 tablespoons pure maple syrup
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 small red bell pepper, finely chopped (about 1/3 cup)
- 1/2 cup Pace® Salsa Verde
- 3 green onion, finely chopped
- 3 tablespoons chopped cilantro parsley

Directions

- **Step 1:** Rub the corn with 1 tablespoon oil. Beat the remaining oil, lime juice, maple syrup and black pepper in a small bowl with a fork or whisk.
- **Step 2:** Lightly oil the grill rack and heat the grill to medium. Grill the corn for five minutes or until lightly browned on all sides. Remove the corn from the grill. Cut the corn kernels from the cob with a sharp knife.
- **Step 3:** Stir the corn, red pepper, salsa, green onions and cilantro in a medium bowl. Add the dressing and toss to coat.

Tips

- The salad can be made up to two days in advance and refrigerated, tightly covered.

Send us a photo and recipe of your favorite dish. We'd love to share it with the community. Send to: web@heraldpublications.com

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Dolly

Kitten Rescue rescues cats and kittens from a variety of situations. Most live in our volunteers' homes and those volunteers foster them until we can find permanent homes for them. Young or old, tabby or Maine Coon, we care for orphaned and abandoned kittens that need to be bottle-fed around the clock, moms with litters, cats that need socialization, and sick or injured animals. When they are finally ready for their forever home, we will help match you with the purr-fect one. When you adopt, you save a life... and in turn enrich your own.

Dolly is a sweet, quiet, funny, petite girl who never quite grew to full size. She has soft, sleek fur and just the faintest tabby striping on her tail. She is a gentle and chill kitty who will do anything for treats! Dolly gets along very well with kitties of all ages and personalities and is looking for a forever home with another feline. She loves affection from humans and never gets tired of head rubs or pets.

Pete is a sturdy, handsome young adult who loves to chase toys, frolic, nap, eat, and have his large belly rubbed. He loves a box to sit in, or a bed to snuggle on -- big or small, he will make it work. He is not much of a lap cat until you break out the treats--especially

Churus. Then he is all about sitting on you and demanding more! Pete is not aloof but he will give you your space, just hanging out nearby until it is time for the belly rubs again. Although he is a big guy, he is not a boss. Therefore, this chill guy does not do well with dominant cat personalities; he ends up hiding behind the curtains. Pete's ideal home will be as a solo cat or with another chill cat who occasionally does not mind being chased around by a 13-pound ball of exuberance. And though he likes his cats to be energetic, he prefers his humans mellower, especially ones in the younger age bracket.

Cabbage is a uniquely patterned cat with a sweet disposition. He can be a timid fellow who does allow pets if you approach slowly. Some of his favorite things are cat trees and pillows. Cabbage spends most of his day hanging out with his friends Spunky and Nubbins as part of the "Top Shelf Crew". They have their own social media pages dedicated to them: @topshelfcrewatkittenrescue. It would be nice if the top shelf crew could be adopted together, but they are all socially challenged so we understand that is a long shot. Cabbage would probably do best with a friend as he is shy and needs the support of a cat friend. However, Cabbage can come out of his shell



Pete

and would do best in a calm home where he would get the special attention he needs.

If you are a homebody who prefers the company of cats over people, **Citron** is your soul cat. This guy is super handsome with a sleek black coat adorned with charming white patches. He is not that fond of people right now so he is looking for a home with someone who understands exactly what he needs - patience and understanding. Citron has the potential to blossom into a loving companion especially if given time to acclimate in a smaller space and decompress on his own terms. He is an ideal match for an experienced cat person who can provide the patience, calm environment and care he needs to flourish. Although he has reservations toward people, Citron adores the company of other cats making him a cute and playful addition to a home with another cat of similar age and energy. You will love seeing his playful and endearing nature when interacting with fellow felines which makes him a wonderful companion for a cat-savvy household. If you're looking for a handsome cat who appreciates the company of his furry friends and are willing to give him the time and space he needs to thrive, Citron is eagerly waiting for a loving home where he can be himself.

These cats and kittens are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest cat rescue groups in Southern California. All our kitties are spayed/neutered, microchipped, tested for FeLV and FIV, dewormed and current on their vaccinations. For additional information to see these or other kittens and cats and for a list of our weekend adoption events, please check our website www.kittenrescue.org.

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Saving one animal won't change the world, but the world will surely change for that animal. •



Cabbage



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