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Lawndale Elementary School District Recognized For Innovative Attendance



On April 5, State Superintendent of Public Instruction announced Lawndale Elementary School District will be one of this year's honorees for the prestigious recognition. School Attendance Review Boards (SARB) from throughout the state apply annually for the Model SARB Recognition Program, which awards SARBs that use superior strategies to promote attendance improvement and dropout prevention. Photo by Enrique Pivaral

Winners, Losers and Myths of the Minimum-Wage Law

By Rob McCarthy

California's \$15 minimum-wage law is being watched closely by business owners and labor economists who expect the slow annual increases beginning next year to eliminate some jobs and possibly have unintended consequences.

Gov. Jerry Brown signed the law on April 4, and set in motion annual increases in the state's minimum wage for five consecutive years beginning on Jan. 1, 2017. Business groups, including the California Chamber of Commerce, lined up against making California's minimum wage the highest in the nation, along with New York's base wage.

"This is too much too fast," said CalChamber President and CEO Allan Zaremberg. "It is unfortunate the Legislature didn't take advantage of the opportunity to address the issue in a more balanced manner."

California's minimum wage is \$10 per hour, and will move to \$10.50 in January for employers with 25 or more employees. Smaller businesses are exempt from the raise until 2018. After a second 50-cent increase in 2018, the state minimum wage will jump by \$1 per year until it reaches \$15.

The law calls for that to happen in 2022, though there is a provision in the law that allows the governor to delay implementation of the annual wage increases in the event the economy tanks.

An unintended consequence could be higher prices and expenses for workers' compensation, uniform and tool reimbursements, and overtime, according to the California Chamber. "These additional costs will significantly burden those companies that may not ordinarily pay minimum wage," it warned.

The winners of a higher base wage are minimum-wage employees, of which there are 1.9 million in Los Angeles County, according to the UC Berkeley Labor Center. Orange County ranked second at 605,000 people working for the state's minimum hourly rate. The majority of those are employed in the restaurant and hospitality industries, both of which are huge in the South Bay.

University of California economists - one at Berkeley, the other at the Irvine campus - are divided over whether the law will reduce jobs because of higher employment costs for businesses.

Michael Reich, a UC Berkeley economist, believes a \$15 minimum hourly wage will barely affect employment or the economy. Low-income workers will have more income, which should offset the higher labor costs for some, but not all businesses. Almost everyone agrees small business in rural communities could suffer more than those in larger, urban areas like L.A. County.

"Minimum wages stimulate increased worker productivity, reduce employee turnover and are paid for primarily by very small price increases that are spread among all consumers," said Reich, who has studied the effects of a \$15 minimum hourly wage.

David Neumark at UC Irvine foresees a workforce reduction of 10 percent or more in the lower-skilled segment of the job economy statewide. "While some gain, others lose," he told The Orange County Register.

Other winners include:

- Big businesses that can automate some labor will have an advantage over their competitors who cannot.
- Some union contracts are tied to the minimum wage and will see automatic increases.

The losers of a higher minimum wage seem to be the employers, including smaller businesses and local governments whose labor costs will rise annually through 2020. Local governments don't have the ability to raise taxes, and it's possible that city and county services could be affected if local governments can't afford to hire additional staff or fill vacant positions.

Other projected losers seniors whose Social Security benefits didn't increase this year and might not again in 2017. Prices may only increase 1 percent or 2 percent, but Social Security checks aren't expected to grow because of low inflation. If you are a senior, you could be paying a larger portion for food, housing, and medical expenses out of your Social Security check.

Middle class workers could be squeezed, too if employers choose to tighten their business costs and charge more for food, goods and services, including rents.

High school students looking for a summer job next year could find it more difficult to land a minimum-wage job if employers reduce hiring. That could be true for college students who need to earn money for school or young adults entering the workforce.

The U.S. Department of Labor refutes the dire predictions about an increase in the minimum wage. The labor department lists among its myth busters that small-business owners oppose paying their workers more and don't support raises in the minimum-wage level.

"A July 2015 survey found that 3 out of 5 small business owners with employees support a gradual increase in the minimum wage to \$12," according to the labor department. "The survey reports that small business owners say an increase would immediately put more money in the pocket of low-wage workers who will then spend the money on things like housing, food, and gas.

"This boost in demand for goods and services will help stimulate the economy and help create opportunities," the labor department reports.

Another belief about minimum wage is that an increase is bad business, which the Labor Department says is flat untrue.

"Academic research has shown that higher wages sharply reduce employee turnover which can reduce employment and training costs," it countered.

Nor is increasing the minimum wage bad for the economy, based on historical data dating back to the post-Depression era.

"Since 1938, the federal minimum wage has been increased 22 times. For more than 75 years, real GDP per capita has steadily increased, even when the minimum wage has been raised," the labor department says.

It's a common misperception that the current minimum wage is higher than it was decades ago, when Ronald Reagan stepped into the Oval Office. Again, the Labor Department refutes the common notion, noting that buying power doesn't keep pace with the federal \$7.25 minimum wage rate. President Obama is asking Congress to raise the federal rate.

"While the federal minimum wage was only \$3.35 per hour in 1981 and is currently \$7.25 per hour in real dollars, when adjusted for inflation, the current federal minimum wage would need to be more than \$8 per hour to equal its buying power of the early 1980s and more nearly \$11 per hour to equal its buying power of the late 1960s," the labor department explains on its web site.

California raised the state minimum wage to \$10 on Jan. 1, and the city of Los Angeles will bump the rate to \$10.50 in July. •

Weekend Forecast

Friday
Sunny
73°/59°



Saturday
Sunny
75°/57°



Sunday
Sunny
75°/57°



Environmental Charter Schools Receives a \$60,000 Grant from Chevron for STEM Education

Environmental Charter Schools, a leading charter school network in the fields of environmental and sustainability education for South Bay youth, received a \$60,000 grant from the Chevron El Segundo Refinery. The grant was endowed by Chevron for the purpose of enriching Environmental Charter School's Science, Technology, Engineering and Math education programs.


Environmental Charter Schools and Chevron announce their continuing partnership as Chevron awards \$60,000 in grant funding to support STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) programs which are integrated into the ECS curriculum at the schools' 6-12 grade levels, as well as through a rich variety of after-school programs.

Environmental Charter Schools' Executive Director, Alison Diaz, shares the tremendous impact that the Chevron grant will have on ECS programs, saying, "Chevron's commitment to and investment in STEM education is unrivaled. Over the years, Chevron has helped ECS to deliver high quality STEM instructional materials to ensure that our students graduate as

critical thinkers and creative problem solvers."

The Chevron grant will specifically support STEM achievement and access to technology. At Environmental Charter Schools, STEM programming is delivered through a variety of programs including the MESA (Math, Engineering, and Science Achievement) Program, the Solar Boat program, the Sustain-a-Store, the Bike Shop and the Green Ambassadors program. ECS has also launched a new STEM Tiny Homes (sustainable living) after-school program, in which students learn computer-aided design technology, programming skills, and architectural and engineering techniques.

"Chevron has long made K-12 STEM education a priority because STEM programs are essential to prepare our students to become leaders, productive members of the workforce, and professionals in our global economy," says Lily Craig, Chevron's External Affairs Manager. "We are proud that our programs support local youth so that they can contribute to society and develop fruitful careers and enriched lives." •



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 Mon 3/28/16 16:49
 VEHICLE: STN - CA 2003 TOYT CAR 4D SIL
BURGLARY – RESIDENTIAL 13700 S LEMOLI AV APARTMENT/CONDO
 Mon 3/28/16 14:16
 Property Taken: \$3000.00 CASH (US CURRENCY)
 Method of Entry: OPENED UNLOC
BURGLARY – COMMERCIAL 12400 S HAWTHORNE BL WAREHOUSE
 Mon 3/28/16 13:58
 Property Taken: 15" SAMSUNG LCD TELEVISIONS, 20" COMPUTER MONITORS, DEFENDER UP-LIGHTS (YELLOW), ALUMINUM PIPING 62"
 Method of Entry: BODY FORCE
ROBBERY 11900 S MANOR DR STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY
 Tue 3/29/16 11:59
 Property Taken: GOLD IPHONE 6, RED AND BROWN IPHONE 6 CELL PHONE CASE
ROBBERY W 131ST ST/S RAMONA AV STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY
 Tue 3/29/16 17:28
 Property Taken: silver w/black case
ROBBERY 11100 S HAWTHORNE BL STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY
 Wed 3/30/16 02:00
 Property Taken: WHITE SAMSUNG GALAXY S4
BURGLARY W 111TH ST/S HAWTHORNE

BL
 Wed 3/30/16 12:03
ROBBERY 4700 W IMPERIAL HY STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY
 Thu 3/31/16 03:03
 Property Taken: black wallet containing his ID, \$400 (1-\$100 and misc \$20's and \$10's), six keys
ROBBERY 14000 S CRENSHAW BL PARKING LOT
 Fri 4/1/16 11:45
 Property Taken: CURRENCY JEWELRY/PRECIOUS METAL MISC
 Property Taken: \$2,600.00 ~IN US CURRENCY, WALLET, APPLE WATCH
 Weapon: BRASS KNUCKLES
 VEHICLE: SUS - NV 0000 FORD FUS 4D GRV
BURGLARY – COMMERCIAL 12800 S ROSELLE AV STORAGE SHED
 Fri 4/1/16 10:39 Property Taken: \$10,100 IN 100 DOLLAR BILLS, HARD DRIVE
 Method of Entry: CUT PADLOCK
BURGLARY – RESIDENTIAL 11500 S MENLO AV APARTMENT/CONDO
 Sat 4/2/16 11:12
 Property Taken: GRAY HP LAPTOP, BLK ION TAILGATER SPEAKER
 Method of Entry: BROKE GLASS
ROBBERY 13400 BLK HAWTHORNE BL STREET, HIGHWAY, ALLEY
 Sun 4/3/16 04:34
 Property Taken: BLK IPHONE 5, SET OF KEYS, \$515 US CURRENCY, BLACK BLAZER W/WHITE PIN STRIPES
BURGLARY 11400 S HAWTHORNE BL
 Sun 4/3/16 10:36 •



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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: FERRIS HOLLINGQUEST CASE NO. BP172130

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of FERRIS HOLLINGQUEST.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by RHODA JEAN HOLLINGQUEST in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that RHODA JEAN HOLLINGQUEST be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The WILL and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 05/09/16 at 8:30AM in Dept. 11 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.


IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

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Storage Lien Sale
 Notice is hereby given that the following delinquent storage lots held at Ace World Wide of Nevada Inc. No Las Vegas, NV, which consist of personal property will be sold at public auction on: SATURDAY APRIL 23, 2016 @ 10:00 AM at the below location and also to be held thereafter on such subsequent dates as may be announced orally or at said time and place:
 Clark County Public Auction
 2512 Abels Lane
 Las Vegas, NV 89115
 Lot # 11STG265 Robert Smith
 Purchases must be paid for at the time of purchase. All purchased items sold as is and must be removed at the time of the sale. Advertiser reserves the right to bid
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One way to get the most out of life is to look upon it as an adventure.

- William Feather

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: SHIRLEY ANN WEBB FRETWELL CASE NO. BP171731

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate or both of SHIRLEY ANN WEBB FRETWELL.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by COLIN O. WEBB in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles. THE PETITION OF PROBATE request that COLIN O. WEBB be appointed personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION request that decedents WILL and codicils if any be admitted to probate. The WILL and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed

action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 4/14/2016 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 5 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012 IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledge-

able in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

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CITY OF INGLEWOOD INVITATION TO SUBMIT BID

(Specifications and Conditions Governing Bid Award)

Project Subject to Bid: **CB-16-07: EMERGENCY WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

The City of Inglewood invites and will receive bids duly filed as provided herein for the furnishing of labor and materials and/or completing the above-designated project.

A Pre-bid conference for interested bidders will be conducted on **Tuesday, April 19, 2016** at 3PM at Public Works Department, Inglewood City Hall, 3rd floor, One Manchester Boulevard, CA, 90301. Contact Boytrese Osias (Senior Engineer) at (310)412-5333, should you require further information.

Each bid to be considered must be delivered to and received by the City Clerk no later than **11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 4, 2016** at the Office of the City Clerk, Inglewood City Hall, One Manchester Boulevard, Inglewood, CA 90301.

Each bid shall be submitted and completed in all particulars using the form entitled, "Bidder's Proposal and Statement" attached hereto. The submitted bid must be enclosed, together with the requisite bid security, in a sealed envelope addressed to the City Clerk with the designation of the project: **EMERGENCY WATER MAIN**

REPLACEMENT PROJECT, CB-16-07 appearing thereon.

Each bid shall state the unit price of each item if called for on the Bidder's Proposal and Statement form. In the event alternative bids are called for in said form, each alternative bid shall be completed.

Bids will be opened in public in the City Clerk's Office and will be announced to all persons present.

Specifications and other bid documents for the project are on file in the Public Works Department, and may be obtained upon request.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of cash, a cashier's or certified check made payable to the City of Inglewood, or a bid bond, for an amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the aggregate of the bid. This is a guarantee that the successful bidder will, within the time specified, enter into an agreement as provided in the bid document. Bidder shall furnish bonds when required in the Special Provisions: One for faithful performance in the amount of the contract sum, and another for contractor's labor and materials in the amount of the contract sum.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in any bid, and to take bids under advisement for a period not to exceed sixty (60) calendar days from and after the date bids are opened and announced.

Attention is directed to the provisions of Labor

Code § 1725.5: No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations (with limited exceptions for this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code Section 1777.1a). No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. All contractors and subcontractors must furnish electronic certified payroll records to the Labor Commissioner for all new projects awarded on or after April 1, 2015. The Labor Commissioner may excuse contractors and subcontractors on a project that is under the jurisdiction of one of the four legacy DIR-approved labor compliance programs (Caltrans, City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Unified School District and County of Sacramento) or that is covered by a qualified project labor agreement. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Attention is directed to the provisions of Sections 1777.5 and 1777.6 of the Labor Code concerning the employment of apprentices by the Contractor or any subcontractor under them. The Contractor or any subcontractor shall comply with the requirements of said sections in the employment of apprentices. Information relative to apprenticeship standards and administration of the apprenticeship program

may be obtained from the Director of Industrial Relations, San Francisco, California, or the Division of Apprenticeship Standards and its branch offices.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council has ascertained the prevailing rates of per diem wages in the locality in which the work is to be performed for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the contract in accordance with the provisions of Section 1770, et. seq. of the Labor Code. Said prevailing rates are on file in the Office of the City Clerk and are incorporated herein by reference. Copies shall be made available to any interested party on request.

Attention is directed to the provisions of California Public Contract Code Section 10164 concerning Contractor's licensing laws. This contract requires at least a valid California State Contractors License with a classification of "A" or "C34" at the time of the bid.

The successful bidder must obtain and maintain a current Inglewood City Business License until completion of the project.

This notice is given by order of the City Manager of the City of Inglewood, California, and is dated this 14th day of April, 2016

Artie Fields, City Manager
 City of Inglewood, California
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Hawthorne School District Purchasing Department 13021 S. Yukon Ave. Hawthorne, CA 90250 (310) 676-2276 (310) 675-3159 - fax

April 7, 2016
NOTICE INVITING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
PEST CONTROL SERVICES - RFP NUMBER R15-16-15

The Hawthorne School District is seeking proposals from qualified and experienced pest management businesses who are duly certified, registered and licensed in the State of California to render quality pest control services in order to provide a prevention, management strategies, routine maintenance for a pest free environment.

The Hawthorne School District, located in Los Angeles County, in the State of California serves a student population numbering approximately 10,300 students in grades Kindergarten through Twelfth grade. Currently the School District has 11 sites which most include a cafeteria: Three Middle Schools, Seven Elementary Schools, and one Charter high school. In addition, there are administrative sites, which include the District Office, Warehouse and Maintenance Department.

There will be a mandatory **Pre-Bid Conference and Job Walk** located at the Hawthorne School District Warehouse, 13021 S. Yukon

Ave, Hawthorne, CA 90250, on **Tuesday, May 4, 2016 at 10:00 AM.** Any Contractor bidding on the Project who fails to attend the entire mandatory job walk and conference will be deemed a non-responsive bidder and will have its RFP returned unopened. **Allocate extra time due to parking restrictions in the area. RFP due by Friday, May 11, 2016 at 2:00 PM Sharp!**

If you would like to submit a response to this Request for Proposals please send one (1) original and four (4) copies of requested materials to:
 Hawthorne School District
 Attention: Aneska I. Kekula
 13021 S. Yukon Ave.
 Hawthorne, CA 90250
 Questions regarding this RFP may be directed to Aneska I. Kekula, Purchasing Director, in writing via email at ikeskula@hawthorne.k12.ca.us.
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 Purchasing Director
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Film Review

Louder Than Bombs is a Surreal, Intimate Portrayal of Love and Loss

By Morgan Rojas for Cinemacy.com

In 2007, Joachim Trier was named one of Variety's "10 Directors to Watch" with the release of his film *Reprise* and now, fans of the Norwegian-born director are being greeted with his first English-language feature film, *Louder Than Bombs*. A melancholic drama that includes multi-layered narratives, *Louder Than Bombs* tells the story of one family's struggle to process and then move on from the death of their loved one. I had the opportunity to

two sons is affected by his own flaws. This humanistic condition for connection is at the forefront of the film and engages the audience into contemplating how and why we act the way we do, focusing on the relationships within our own family.

What sets *Louder Than Bombs* apart from other films of recent memory are the surreal moments Trier infuses within the story. Disregarding the traditional method of linear storytelling by shifting between the past and



Jesse Eisenberg in *Louder Than Bombs*. Courtesy of The Orchard

sit down with Trier last week, and we talked skateboarding, being in the moment, and the hardest part about pitching his film, you can find our interview at www.cinemacy.com.

Isabelle Reed (Isabelle Huppert) a famed photographer who felt most comfortable in war and conflict-ridden areas, was the center of her husband Gene (Gabriel Byrne) and two sons', Jonah (Jesse Eisenberg) and teenager Conrad (Devin Druid), world. No one could have predicted that she would leave behind a familial conflict of her own doing after her untimely and suspicious death. Three years after the accident, Isabelle's works are being thrust into the spotlight when a museum in New York City asks to use her photographs for a retrospective gallery installation. Her husband accepts, as he is slowly moving on with his life and sees this as a great opportunity to honor her. However, he discovers that an accompanying New York Times article speculating Isabelle's actual cause of death is set to run simultaneously with the gallery opening, and threatens to expose the devastating truth that Gene was intent on hiding from his youngest son in order to protect him. He has no choice but to enlist his oldest son Jonah to help him get through another painful confrontation.

Louder Than Bombs is an unwavering, head-on look at the human desire for connection and the need to be understood. It's obvious in Conrad's behavior by acting out and alienating himself from his father's attempt to reconnect, as well as in his brother Jonah's promiscuity, even when he has a wife and newborn baby at home. Gene's attempt to bond with his

the present, these added moments put visuals to feelings that have a hard time being expressed otherwise. They are not the character's dreams, rather, they are daydreams- or what one wonders about without limitations. These moments are hauntingly beautiful and stand out as works of art on their own.

On the acting front, the assembled cast could not have been better. Jesse Eisenberg is fantastic in the role of Jonah, his trademark quick-witted clamor is controlled and even understated, serving as the voice of reason in the film. Gabriel Byrne plays the widowed Gene with sensitivity as a conflicted father trying to navigate his own direction in life, who is not without his own flaws. Devin Druid embodies the angsty, brooding teenager Conrad to such a believable degree while still holding onto the innocence of being a misunderstood child. These, plus the stellar performances from Isabella Huppert, David Strathairn, and Amy Ryan, truly give the film its footing.

The title- *Louder Than Bombs*- suggests an epic, grandiose drama, but instead, what Trier creates is a meditative and restrained film that is not at all loud or brash. It is a psychological trip that leads back to the celebration of one's own uniqueness coming together to fulfill the family dynamic. There is no doubt that Joachim Trier took a risk with *Louder Than Bombs*, but I believe his creative vision has the potential to pay off tenfold.

Rated R for language, some sexual content, nudity and violent images, 109 minutes. Now playing at Laemmle's Royal Theatre and Sundance Sunset Cinema. •

Classifieds

The deadline for Classified Ad submission and payment is Noon on Tuesday to appear in Thursday's paper. Advertisements must be submitted in writing by mail, fax or email. You may pay by cash, check, or credit card (Visa or M/C over the phone).

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Prime Office/Retail space available for Lease. 319 Richmond. 900 sq ft. Avail. May 1st. Call Bill Ruane's office 310-647-1635

RUMMAGE SALE

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APARTMENT FOR RENT

El Segundo 3 bd/2 ba plus family room, dishwasher, stove, tiled and

carpeted floors, fireplace, ceiling fans, vertical blinds, two balconies, laundry on premises, secured parking. 1618 sq ft, 1 year lease, \$2650.00 per month. 512 W. Imperial Ave. Contact John @ 310-322-1552

EMPLOYMENT

Computer Velocity, Inc. has an opportunity in El Segundo, CA for a Program Mgr. Exp must incl exp in Scrum Proj Mgmt. Mail resume to Attn: HR, 222 N. Sepulveda Blvd., Ste. 1800, El Segundo, CA 90245, Ref #ESKDE. Must be legally auth to work in the U.S. w/out sponsorship. EOE

EMPLOYMENT

Photographer wanted for Inglewood, Hawthorne, and Lawndale areas: We need photos each week plus coverage of some events. \$10/per published photo. Must provide names and captions with all photos. Interested parties email management@heraldpublications.com. No calls please.

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Garage Sale Saturday April 16, 524 West Sycamore Ave 8am - 1pm *no early birds please! Household items, clothes, and much more

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Hawthorne Happenings

News for the 'City of Good Neighbors'

From City Clerk Norb Huber SERVICE PROVIDER FAIR / EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Event this Saturday, April 16th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Memorial Park. A lot of information will be made available to our Hawthorne neighbors. Prizes and food are also on the agenda. Our local trash company, Republic Services, is providing free compost material for you to use in your garden and free shredding of documents that you wish to dispose of safely. If you take advantage of the free stuff, it could save you some green stuff.

TEST DRIVE A LINCOLN RAISE MONEY FOR PARKS

This Sunday, April 17th, you can help to raise funds for the Hawthorne Parks Foundation by simply going down to South Bay Ford on Rosecrans and the 405 freeway and test driving a Lincoln. The times are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and there is room for 300 people to drive a new Lincoln. The foundation will receive \$20 for every test drive. The money raised from the event will go to support our Hawthorne parks.

SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION SEMINAR

Many women are assaulted every day in our country. Preventing such attacks is the goal of a seminar to be held this Saturday, April 16th from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Hawthorne Police Department. "Resolve to Rise" is the name of the seminar. Topics include prevention, safety tips, grooming signs, the fear of aggression, and much more. For more information please contact Yolanda Dunn at 310-973-1091.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DAY

Every year the Hawthorne Presidents Council does a nice thing for the community. It hosts a volunteer appreciation day at the Memorial Center. This year's event will be held on Sunday April 24 beginning at 2 p.m. Volunteerism is good for the body and soul. It makes you feel good helping others. We look forward to saying thank you to all of those who have worked hard this past year, not



for money or benefits, but for the sear joy of giving back to the community.

SECOND PLACE AGAIN

The Hawthorne Parks and Recreation Foundation Golf Tournament was held this past Monday, with my foursome finishing second once again. We just can't quite get over the hump and win. The neat thing about golf is there is always

another day, another course, or another hole to play. You get a fresh, new start each time you tee it up. Life is like that. Some days we try but we still come in second place. But, the key to winning is to keep on trying. A favorite scripture of mine relates to this: "forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 3:14 ESV)

RELIGION AND BEER DAY

I really missed it last week. I missed telling you all about National Beer Day. It is celebrated on April 7th each year and is an official holiday in the USA marking the first day in 1933 that people could legally buy, sell, and drink beer following 13 years of prohibition. National Beer Day is a celebration of the Cullen-Harrison Act being signed into law by President Franklin D. Roosevelt on March 22, 1933. Upon signing the legislation, Roosevelt made his famous remark, «I think this would be a good time for a beer». On that first day, 1.5 million barrels of beer were consumed. Wow! That's a lot of cold ones! So, I'm not the only one that likes to celebrate with a cold one. We have freedom to drink beer here in our country. My Baptist friends will disagree, but my freedom in Christ allows me to drink a cold one in "moderation". Drinking beer is not a sin. Getting drunk is. Like the commercial says, "please drink responsibly". I would extend this biblically to say, "please live responsibly". Something to ponder on while sipping your next cold one. •

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Sports

Leuzinger Picks Up First Win Over Dominguez

Article and photos by Joe Snyder

Leuzinger High's baseball team has been struggling over the past several seasons but it finally pulled through with an 8-4 non-league win over Dominguez High from Compton on April 6 at Leuzinger. Last Thursday at home, the Olympians were edged by Inglewood Morningside 12-11.

Against the Dons, the Olympians, who are 1-7, started by scoring twice in the bottom of the first inning. Leuzinger was ahead 5-4 before putting the game away with three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning. The Olympians were led by David Oliver who went two-for-two with two triples and three runs batted in. Jose Rodriguez had four hits and drove in two runs. Rodriguez was also the winning pitcher with a complete game four-hitter. He allowed only one earned run.

Rodriguez and Oliver also each had three hits and drove in three runs in Leuzinger's loss to the Monarchs. It was the Olympians' second loss to Morningside this season. On March 8 at Morningside, the Monarchs rolled over Leuzinger 11-1. Last Thursday, Morningside (4-7) was led by Gerardo Carrillo who had three hits and drove in four runs.

It is now league time for both squads. Leuzinger opens the Pioneer League against West Torrance this week. After visiting the Warriors (8-6) on Wednesday, the Olympians host West Friday at 3:15 p.m. With 13 players back from last season's CIF-Southern Section Division IV quarterfinalist squad, West is one of the favorites in league and is currently ranked fifth in the Division IV. One of West's wins was its season opener against Manhattan Beach Mira Costa, which two weeks ago won the prestigious Southern California Boras Classic with a 2-1 win over nationally ranked San Juan Capistrano Junipero Serra, also top rated in the Southern Section Division I. That put the Mustangs (13-2) into number-one in the nation for middle sized schools but they could drop after seeing their 13-game winning streak snapped with a 3-1 loss to Westlake in the Chatsworth Tournament last Saturday. Leuzinger is at home against an always tough Torrance squad next Wednesday at 3:15 p.m. Morningside is in the rigid Bay League, led by nationally ranked Mira Costa and Redondo. The Monarchs have two games against Rolling



Leuzinger High pitcher Jose Rodriguez prepares to throw to a Dominguez batter during last week's non-league baseball action. The Olympians won their first game over the Dons 8-4.

Hills Estates Peninsula this week. After visiting the Panthers Wednesday, Morningside is at home against Peninsula Friday at 3:15 p.m. Then, it's on to visiting unbeaten Redondo (15-0 and third in the country for middle size schools) next Wednesday at the same time.

LAWDALE EASILY SWEEPS HMSA

It was spring break and Lawndale High's baseball team enjoyed it quite a bit with an easy sweep of a smaller Hawthorne Math and Science Academy squad last week. After shutting out the Aviators 15-0 on April 5, the Cardinals played HMSA at Holly Park in Hawthorne last Thursday and came home with an 11-1 victory.

In both games, Lawndale head coach Steven Washington was able to move several players up from his junior varsity team and they were played a lot in both contests, especially the second one. In the first contest, Jorge Campos went five innings, allowing three hits, striking out five batters and walking none. First baseman Tyler Bonsky had two hits and drove in four runs. Junior Jesus Sanchez added an inside-the-park grand slam. He had two hits and six RBI's.

In the second game, Washington went to playing his JV's that dominated the Aviators. "I didn't want to drive up the staff and the score," Washington said.

With two games where the Cardinals were able to relax, especially their starters, it's on to a much more competitive Ocean League, starting with Culver City. The Centaurs, who are 8-5, are expected to be one of the top contenders, along with Santa Monica and El Segundo, for the league crown. Culver is led by pro and NCAA Division I college prospect pitcher Nolan Martinez. Martinez already committed to playing baseball at UCLA if he is not drafted high enough to where he signs. After visiting the Centaurs last Tuesday, Lawndale hosts Culver City today at 3:15

p.m. Coming up next is another top squad in Santa Monica in which the Cardinals visit next Tuesday at the same time.

HAWTHORNE SOFTBALLERS EDGE TEMPLE CITY

Hawthorne High's softball team edged Temple City 4-3 in a Sonora Tournament game on March 26 in La Habra. The Cougars started well, scoring three runs in the top of the second inning. The Rams tied the game

with two runs in the bottom of the fourth and one in the sixth, but Hawthorne pushed across a run in the top of the seventh, then held on for the win.

Earlier on March 26, the Cougars lost to Bishop Montgomery of Torrance 4-1. The Knights scored four runs in the first three innings and Hawthorne mustered just one in the top of the fourth. •



Leuzinger shortstop Christian Villegas throws ball to first base to put out a Dominguez High baserunner during last week's non-league baseball game. The Olympians host West Torrance in a Pioneer League game Friday at 3:15 p.m.



Leuzinger batter Robert Hurtado swings against Dominguez.

Chopped Bacon Chicken Burger

Ingredients

- 2 pounds chopped skinless boneless chicken thigh meat
- ¼ cup chopped onions
- 10 pieces of bacon chopped
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There's No Free Lunch And Most Workers Don't Want One Anyway

(BPT) - You've probably heard the popular adage that "there's no such thing as a free lunch," underscoring the idea that it is impossible to get something for nothing. Yet most Americans wouldn't want a free lunch anyway, recent research shows.

Only one in five (18 percent) American workers prefer free lunches as one of their top three employee benefits of choice, according to the 2015 MassMutual Generations@Work Study. Instead, 47 percent of workers age 18 and older prefer more vacation time, 44 percent opt for better 401(k) matches, and 40 percent like free health care coverage, according to the study.

What benefits workers prefer largely depends upon their gender and generation, the study finds, complicating benefit decisions for employers.

"Given the varied preferences for employee benefits, the takeaway for employers is to offer as broad a menu of benefits as possible. They should also consider offering new or expanded benefits on a voluntary or employee-paid basis," says Elaine Sarsynski, executive vice president of MassMutual Retirement Services and Worksite Insurance.

Half of all baby boomers surveyed and 48 percent of millennials say their benefit of choice is more vacation days, according to the study. Nearly half of Gen Xers (47 percent) prefer better 401(k) matches, the survey found, with more vacation days coming in a close second (44 percent).



After more time off, boomers express preferences for financial benefits. Forty-three percent of boomers want better 401(k) matches, 38 percent appreciate free health care coverage, and 24 percent want more investment choices for their retirement savings, according to the study. Four in 10 (43 percent) prefer expanded health care benefits.

Breaking with boomers, millennials like flexible work schedules (43 percent) and reimbursements for education and tuition (30 percent). But many Xers join their boomer

colleagues in wanting better 401(k) matches, most likely a reflection that few Xers have access to pensions and that many boomers have not saved enough for retirement, according to Sarsynski.

Men's benefits of choice are more vacation time (50 percent), better 401(k) matches (43 percent) and flexible work schedules (39 percent), MassMutual's study finds. Women's preferences are spread between more vacation (44 percent), better 401(k) matches and flexible work schedules (40

percent), expanded health care choices (37 percent) and free gym memberships (31 percent).

Workers should make the most of the benefits their employer currently provides and suggest other benefits that companies might make available on a voluntary basis, Sarsynski said. She recommends workers take inventory of their benefits and prioritize their importance based on personal financial needs:

- Make sure you have health care coverage unless you are already protected by a spouse's medical plan.

- Protection benefits such as life insurance and disability insurance rank next in importance, especially if you are married, have children or other people depend upon your ability to earn a living.

- Defer as much of your income as you can afford for retirement as early as possible. The sooner you start saving, the longer the power of compound earnings will have to work and boost your savings power. Make sure you contribute enough to your employer's 401(k) or other retirement plan to qualify for any matching contributions.

- Use your vacation time as it's important to get a meaningful break from your job.

The research was conducted on MassMutual's behalf by KRC Research as part of an employee benefits education initiative. The study focused on 1,517 working Americans who were at least age 18 in a wide variety of jobs and industries. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

DISTRICT	HAWTHORNE SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROJECT IDENTIFICATION	Upgrade of Basic Phone System
PROJECT NO	Service Bid Number T15-16-16
BIDS DUE BY	April 27, 2016; 10:00 PM Sharp!
SUBMIT BIDS TO	Hawthorne School District 13021 S. Yukon Ave. Hawthorne, California 90250
BID AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE	http://www.hawthorne.k12.ca.us/bids
DEADLINE FOR RFIs	April 19, 2016; 4:00 PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Hawthorne School District of Los Angeles County, California, acting by and through its Governing Board, hereinafter referred to as the "Owner" or "District", will receive prior to the above stated time and date sealed bids for the award of a Contract for the following: **SERVICE BID NO. T15-16-16 UPGRADE OF BASIC PHONE SYSTEM.**

All bids shall be made and presented only on the forms presented by the Owner. Bids shall be received in the Office of the Hawthorne School District at 13021 S. Yukon Ave, Hawthorne, California 90250 and shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above state time and place. Any bids received after the time specified above or after any extensions due to material changes shall be returned unopened.

Minimum contract term is one (1) year. Quoted prices must stay in effect for one (1) year after award of bid and may be extended upon mutual consent of District and Contractor for an additional four (4) years in accordance with provisions contained in Education Code Section 117596 and the bid documents. CONTRACTOR should consult the General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, and General Requirements regarding Milestones and Liquidated Damages.

Bids shall be received in the place identified above, and shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above-stated time and place. Please allocate additional time due to parking restrictions in the area. Each bidder shall be a licensed contractor pursuant to the California Business and Professions Code, and be licensed to perform the work called for in the Contract Documents. The successful bidder must possess a valid and active **Class C7 and/or C10** License at the time of bid and throughout the duration of this Contract. The Contractor's California State License number shall be clearly stated on the bidder's proposal.

Subcontractors shall be licensed pursuant to California law for the trades necessary to perform the Work called for in the Contract Documents. Each bid must strictly conform with and be responsive to the Contract Documents as defined in the General Conditions.

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Section 22300, the Owner will permit the substitution of securities for any monies

withheld by the Owner to ensure performance under the Contract. Each bidder's bid must be accompanied by one of the following forms of bidder's security: (1) cash; (2) a cashier's check made payable to the District; (3) a certified check made payable to the District; or (4) a bidder's bond executed by a California admitted surety as defined in Code of Civil Procedure section 995.120, made payable to the District in the form set forth in the Contract Documents. Such bidder's security must be in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the maximum amount of bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the proposed Contract, if the same is awarded to such bidder, and will provide the required Performance and Payment Bonds, insurance certificates and any other required documents. In the event of failure to enter into said Contract or provide the necessary documents, said security will be forfeited.

Prevailing wages are applicable to the Project. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with the requirements set forth in Division 2, Part 7, Chapter 1 of the Labor Code. The District has obtained from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work in the locality in which this work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to execute the Contract. These per diem rates, including holiday and overtime work, as well as employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, and similar purposes, are on file at the District and are also available from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations. Pursuant to California Labor Code Sections 1720 et seq., it shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractor under such Contractor, to pay not less than the said specified rates to all workers employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in the Labor Code, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code section

1725.5. It is not a violation of this section for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded.

The Contractor and all subcontractors shall furnish certified payroll records as required pursuant Labor Code section 1776 directly to the Labor Commissioner in accordance with Labor Code section 1771.4 on at least on a monthly basis (or more frequently if required by the District or the Labor Commissioner) and in a format prescribed by the Labor Commissioner. Monitoring and enforcement of the prevailing wage laws and related requirements will be performed by the Labor Commissioner/Department of Labor Standards Enforcement (DLSE). All bonds (Bid, Performance, and Payment) must be issued by a California admitted surety as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure section 995.120.

Where applicable, bidders must meet the requirements set forth in Public Contract Code section 10115 et seq., Military and Veterans Code section 999 et seq., and California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Section 1896.60 et seq., regarding Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise ("DVBE") Programs.

Any request for substitutions pursuant to Public Contract Code section 3400 must be made at the time of Bid on the Substitution Request Form set forth in the Contract Documents and included with the bid.

No telephone or facsimile machine will be available to bidders on the District premises at any time.

Separate payment and performance bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the total Contract amount issued by a California admitted surety as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120, are required, and shall be provided to the Owner prior to execution of the Contract and shall be in the form set forth in the Contract Documents.

It is each bidder's sole responsibility to ensure its bid is timely delivered and received at the location designated as specified above. Any bid received at the designated location after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids shall be returned to the bidder unopened.

Bid Security. Each Bid Proposal shall be accompanied by Bid Security in an amount Ten Percent (10%) of Maximum amount of Bid. Failure of any Bid Proposal to be accompanied by Bid Security in the form and in the amount required shall render such Bid Proposal to be non-responsive and rejected by the District. No Withdrawal of Bid Proposals. No Bidder shall withdraw its Bid Proposal for a period of ninety (90) days after the award of the Contract by the District's Board of Education. During this time, all Bidders shall guarantee prices quoted in their respective Bid Proposals.

Substitute Security. In accordance with the provisions of California Public Contract Code §22300, substitution of eligible and equivalent securities for any monies withheld by the District to ensure the Contractor's performance under the Contract will be permitted at the request and expense of the Contractor. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Bidder to whom the Contract is awarded shall have thirty (30) days following action by the District's Board of Education to award the Contract to such Bidder to submit its written request to the District to permit the

substitution of securities for retention. The failure of the Bidder to make such written request to the District within said thirty (30) day period shall be deemed a waiver of the Bidder's rights under California Public Contract Code §22300. If the Contractor submits a valid request, securities equivalent to the amount withheld shall be deposited with the District, or with a state or federally chartered bank as the escrow agent, who shall then pay such moneys to the Contractor at the expense of the Contractor. Upon satisfactory completion of the Contract, the securities shall be returned to the Contractor.

Waiver of Irregularities. The District reserves the right to reject any or all Bid Proposals, make multiple awards, or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any Bid Proposal or in the bidding. Award of Contract. In accordance with the California Public Contract Code section 20118.1,

the District may contract with one of the three lowest responsible bidders who best meet the needs of the District as set forth in the Bid Documents. The Contract for the Work, if awarded, will be by action of the District's Board of Education to the responsible Bidder submitting one of the three lowest responsive Bid Proposals. If the Bid Proposal requires Bidders to propose prices for Alternate Bid Items, the District's selection of Alternate Bid Items, if any, for determination of the lowest priced Bid Proposal and for inclusion in the scope of the Contract to be awarded shall be in accordance with this Notice and the Instructions for Bidders.

Inquiries and Clarifications. The Bidder is advised that all inquiries and clarifications about the Bid Documents, Drawings, Specifications, etc., shall be submitted to the District in writing at least Eight (8) days before the bid opening date. The District will respond at its earliest possible opportunity. Verbal communication by either party with regard to this matter is invalid. Inquiries shall be sent in writing to Aneska Ines Kekula at ikekula@hawthorne.k12.ca.us or mailed to Ms. Kekula at Hawthorne School District, 13021 S. Yukon Ave. Hawthorne, CA 90250. All inquiries must be received by **April 19, 2016, at 4:00 PM.** The District will not respond to any inquiries after this time.

Bidders are solely responsible for ensuring their written inquiry is received prior to this deadline and the District is not responsible for any delays or errors in delivery. The District will issue responses to all inquiries through its website at <http://www.hawthorne.k12.ca.us/>. Bidders are responsible for reviewing the District's website and incorporating any and all clarifications provided therein into their Bid. It is each bidder's sole responsibility to ensure its bid is timely delivered and received at the location designated as specified above. Any bid received at the designated location after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids shall be returned to the bidder unopened.

Aneska Ines Kekula
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CITY OF INGLEWOOD, CALIFORNIA REQUEST FOR BIDS PURCHASE OF GAS MASKS AND RELATED SUPPLIES

RFB-0085
BIDS DUE:
THURSDAY APRIL 21, 2016, by 11:00 A.M.

AT THE OFFICE OF
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Contact Person During Bid Period:
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RFB-0085

CITY OF INGLEWOOD INVITATION TO SUBMIT BIDS (Specifications and Conditions Governing Award)

The City of Inglewood invites and will receive bids duly filed as provided herein for the furnishing of qualified "PURCHASE OF GAS MASKS AND RELATED SUPPLIES" as specified in this document.

Each bid shall be submitted and completed in all particulars and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the City of Inglewood, Office of the City Clerk, Inglewood City Hall 1st Floor, with the designation of the project: "PURCHASE OF GAS MASKS AND RELATED SUPPLIES" appearing thereon.

Bids will be opened in public, on **Thursday, April 21, 2016, at 11:00 A.M.** in the Office of the City Clerk and will be announced then and there to all persons present. Specifications and other bid documents for the above service are

on file in the Purchasing Division, and may be obtained upon request.

The City Council reserves the right to waive any irregularities in any bids, and to take bids under advisement for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from and after the date bids are opened and announced.

The following conditions and terms apply: The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Attached are detailed specifications and conditions for bid submission.

You must execute your contract within ten (10) days after the City mails it. If the contract is not executed within ten (10) days, the City reserves the unilateral right to cancel it.

If any provisions of the contract are violated, the City, after suitable notice, may cancel the contract and make arrangements to have the products and/or services supplied by others. Any extra cost to the City will be paid by the vendor. Bids may be obtained from the Purchasing Division located on the 8th floor of City Hall, or call (310) 412-5266.

All bids must be for specific amounts. Any attempt to qualify prices with an "escalation clause" or any other method of making a price variable, is unacceptable. Bid shall be valid for sixty (60) calendar days after the date bids are opened and announced.

The City reserves the right to add or subtract quantities and/or services based on the unit prices/unit lump sums so indicated as its budgetary needs may require.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1)O&C SUPPLIES, 2) BRUSSELS, 3)LAQUEX; 4620 W 134TH ST, HAWTHORNE, CA, 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): OSCAR FERNANDO CUBILLAS, 4620 W 134TH ST, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. 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: OSCAR FERNANDO CUBILLAS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 7, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 7, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 7, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **HH-1409**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016058841

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as US COMMISSARY SOLUTIONS, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/24/2011. Signed: UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, SCOTT SCHALDENBRAND, CFO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 10, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 10, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 10, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **H-1410**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016058843

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as U-TECHNOLOGY, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/24/2011. Signed: UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, SCOTT SCHALDENBRAND, CFO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 10, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **H-1411**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016058847

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BARGAIN SANDDEALS, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/24/2011. Signed: UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, SCOTT SCHALDENBRAND, CFO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 10, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **H-1412**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016058845

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as US JAIL PAY, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. This business is being conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/24/2011. Signed: UNION SUPPLY GROUP INC, SCOTT SCHALDENBRAND, CFO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 10, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **H-1413**

2016058840 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Current File #2011036279

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: U-TUNES, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in the County of Los Angeles ON MAY 24, 2011. Registrants: UNION SUPPLY COMPANY INC, 2301 E. PACIFICA PLACE, RANCHO DOMINGUEZ, CA, 90220. This business was conducted by a Corporation. Signed: UNION SUPPLY COMPANY, INC, CFO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on MARCH 10, 2016.

EL SEGUNDO HERALD: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **H-1414**



Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016056010

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KC MEDICAL, 11949 HAWTHORNE BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CARLA COOPER, 5533 W. 140TH ST, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. 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: CARLA COOPER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 08, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 08, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 08, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

Hawthorne Press Tribune: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **HH-1415**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016067361

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as VISIONSFLUX², 11311 S. FIRMONA AVE APT 22, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90304, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MARTIN HAYES, 11311 S. FIRMONA AVE APT 22, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90304. 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: MARTIN HAYES, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 18, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 18, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 18, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

Inglewood News: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **HI-1416**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016068173

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RA:DOM, 21029 WOOD AVE SUITE A, TORRANCE, CA, 90503, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ADRIAN RAKOWICZ, 21029 WOOD AVE SUITE A, TORRANCE, CA, 90503. 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: ADRIAN RAKOWICZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 21, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 21, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 21, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

Torrance Tribune: Pub. 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14/2016 **HT-1417**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016067687

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FAMILY FOCUSED COACHING, 8919 FLEETWING AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90045, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): MELINDA DALENE MESHAD, 8919 FLEETWING AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, 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: 05/28/1958. Signed: MELINDA DALENE MESHAD, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 21, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21/2016 **H-1418**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016071027

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HANSEN SCREEN & GLASS, 1527 CENTINELA AVE, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90302, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): CHRISTIAN E FOSTER II, 525 E FRANKLIN AVE#4, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 05/01/2004. Signed: CHRISTIAN E FOSTER, II, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 23, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 23, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 23, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

Inglewood News: Pub. 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21/2016 **HI-1419**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016065902

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as R & R PARTNERS, INC., 1) 1700 E. WALNUT AVE, EL SEGUNDO, CA, 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 2) 615 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, RENO, NV. Registered Owner(s): R & R PARTNERS, CALIFORNIA, INC., 900 SOUTH PAVILION CENTER DRIVE, LAS VEGAS, NV. This business is being conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/20/2010. Signed: MORGAN BAUMGARTNER, SECRETARY. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 17, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 17, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 17, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21/2016 **H-1420**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016072185

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HELEN & RENES KITCHEN, 1324 W PALMER ST, COMPTON, CA, 90220, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) CARMEN ELENA RODRIGUEZ ROBLES 2) RENE ARNOLDO ROBLES RODRIGUEZ; 1324 W PALMER ST, COMPTON, CA, 90220. This business is being conducted by Copartners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 03/29/2011. Signed: RENE ARNOLDO ROBLES RODRIGUEZ, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 24, 2016.

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Inglewood News : Pub. 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21 **HI-1421**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016072475

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MARTINEZ ENTERTAINMENT, 549 W 89TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90044, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): KATHY MARTINEZ, W 540 89TH ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90044. 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: KATHY MARTINEZ, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 24, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on March 24, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to March 24, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21/2016 **H-1422**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016071810

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A GR8T BEGINNING ACADEMY, 321 E CARSON STREET, CARSON, CA, 90745, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): LINDA JOHNSON, 321 E CARSON STREET, CARSON, CA, 90745. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 3/08/2011. Signed: LINDA JOHNSON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 24, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28/2016 **H-1423**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016068157

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KONA POOLS, 1633 WEST VERNON AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90062, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ANDREW B MATA, 1633 WEST VERNON AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90062. 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: ANDREW B MATA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on March 21, 2016.

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El Segundo Herald: Pub. 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28/2016 **H-1424**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016079870

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JORDAN SHIELDS DESIGN, 414 2ND #351, HERMOSA BEACH, CA 90254, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JORDAN SHIFRIN, 414 2ND ST #351, HERMOSA BEACH, CA, 90254. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/01/2014. Signed: JORDAN SHIFRIN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 1, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 1, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 1, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

El Segundo Herald: Pub. 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28/2016 **H-1425**

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2016082380

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MOMS' REMEDY PRO, 3525 W 82ND ST, INGLEWOOD, CA, 90305, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): PROGRESSIVE MEDICAL INDUSTRIES, INC, 6705 S. GARTH AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90056. 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: JANICE M. KNIGHT-COOPER, President. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on April 5, 2016.

NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement expires on April 5, 2021. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to April 5, 2021. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or Common Law (See Section 14400 ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code).

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Snuggles got her name for being especially enthusiastic about napping. However, when she is awake, she is almost constantly purring. A extremely sweet and gentle kitten, Snuggles enjoys being with people. And she will definitely let you know she is happy to see you by purring loudly and rubbing her head against your hand. With her innocent round eyes, sweet voice, and beautiful smoky coat, Snuggles is ready to capture your heart.

Stumper is a fun cat, full of personality and funny poses. He is affectionate and likes to follow you around and be right in the middle of the action. He was born with a small stump of a tail, which makes him sit in some funny position at times. Stumper goes crazy for treats and has learned to sit on command. He also likes to play, both with toys and with his brother Shorty. He is closely bonded with Shorty and would enjoy finding a home together with him. Stumper loves the cozy indoor life and all the comforts it provides. He gets a little shy at first when meeting new people, but once he knows he’s safe he becomes very bonded with you.

This sweet girl showed up on our porch one day and just would not leave. **Zuma** was so sweet and needy. She can be independent, but also likes to sleep with her humans every night and typically wants to be in the same room with you all the time. Zuma has lots of energy and wants to play, and that means it’s not always possible to keep her held down



Stumper

in one place. She would be very happy and more relaxed as the only cat in the house, but she can get along with other cats with a gradual introduction and with time. Zuma is such a sweetheart and will make an amazing friend to anyone!

Lucretia’s golden eyes are beautiful, but also expressive, like she is. **Lucretia (or Lulu)** is a lovely little girl, who loves to play with toys and with her siblings and other playmates in the house. She’s full of energy, but also sweet-natured and snuggly, and loves to be pet and loved on by people. She’s pretty perfect. Lucretia is very social, so she needs to be adopted either along with another kitten (ideally a sibling, although that is not a requirement) or to a home where there is already another animal (kitten, adult cat, or cat-loving puppy or adult dog) that would be her full-time playmate. Her beautiful, sweet siblings and playmates are available as well; please look for their postings on our website: Augustus, Maximus, Valeria, Tullia, Festus, Valerius, and Bitsy.

Eloise was a friendly, young, neighborhood cat in Pasadena looking for a home of her own. All the neighbors loved Eloise, but no one would offer her a permanent home. She loves the indoor life and now prefers to view the outside world from the safety of a window. She has the loveliest face and beautiful markings, as you can see. She is a sweet, friendly girl and is good with other cats and dogs. Her Beagle friend does not come with her, but she would ideally like a companion in her new home.

Pippen is a little tuxedo boy with white toes and long white whiskers. He is too adorable for words and looks like a cross between a monkey and a hamster. Pippen was found stuffed into a bird cage on a patio in the hot sun with 20 other kittens. It was not a great beginning, but then Kitten Rescue



Lucretia



Zuma



Eloise

saved them and life got better! Pippen loves to play with the other kittens in his foster home, including the bigger cats. He’s not even scared of the two dogs in my foster home. When Pippen is not playing, he loves to cuddle and be kissed, and can purr up a storm. He promises if you adopt him, he’ll love you forever and ever.

These cats and kittens are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest cat rescue groups in Southern California. All of our kitties are spayed/neutered, microchipped, tested for FeLV and FIV, dewormed and current on their vaccinations. For additional information and to see our other kitties, please check our website www.kittenrescue.org or email us at mail@kittenrescue.org. Your tax deductible donations for the rescue and care of our cats and kittens can be made through our

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Pippen

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