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Celebrating Dedicated Workers at Bradley International Terminal



A beam signing and ceremony was held for workers of the Tom Bradley International Terminal Core. The Core is a three-level structure that will provide direct connectivity to the People Mover's West Central Terminal Area (CTA) station and is oriented for easy travel, with elevators and escalators connecting departures, arrivals, the People Mover and office spaces. In the future at this location, passengers will exit the People Mover train's pathway and be greeted by a recently restored 10-foot-tall bronze and granite sculpture memorializing the terminal's namesake, former Mayor Tom Bradley. The Tom Bradley International Terminal Core is one of seven new cores that make up the \$490 million dollar Terminal Cores project at LAX, which is scheduled to complete in 2024. Photo courtesy LAX.

A Mayor's Motto: Climb High

By Ron Sokol

Public service, specifically being a public official, specifically an *elected* public official, is challenging. You are scrutinized by constituents, criticized by anyone who may choose to run against you, and watched carefully by the media and those on the other side of the aisle.

You are subject to a variety of rules and regulations, from how you raise money for a campaign and how you spend it, to disclosures about yourself, your view on issues at hand, and even where you are located at any given moment. Against this backdrop, who would make a determined effort to be an elected public official?

Let's go back to 2010:

You have run to become the Mayor of Inglewood before, more than once, and come in second. Why would you run yet again? At the time, the economy in Inglewood was hurting, and unemployment was quite high. The city seemed to be teetering on the verge of running out of money altogether. The crime was notable.

What would possess you to seek out the mayor's office?

James T. Butts has been Inglewood's Mayor since 2011. I think we can agree that Inglewood has come forward since then. Some would say well forward. Yes, there is ongoing work to do and issues and concerns to address. Still, there are significant events that have occurred during his tenure: SoFi Stadium was built, is thriving, and includes, among other facilities, the 6,000 square foot YouTube Theater; the Los Angeles Philharmonic moved its Youth Orchestra headquarters to Inglewood; the Girl Scouts of America opened a Center in

Inglewood that is serving some 15,000 girls from Inglewood and surrounding communities, and not only features a girl scout shop but is one of the local council's flagship Innovation Center; the NBA Los Angeles Clippers are building a new 18,000 square foot basketball arena which will become their home; FIFA is coming to SoFi in 2026; the Olympics will arrive in 2028. In recent memory, the NFL Super Bowl was at SoFi, and Wrestlemania is coming this April 1 and 2.

In sum, Inglewood has markedly changed in several respects since Mr. Butts took the Mayoralty reigns.

Unemployment is lower, the economy is moving along, and property values have generally increased. As such, the image of Inglewood has changed. After all, it is now a destination for many events. And I should have mentioned above the notable housing units being built as part of the SoFi development. For that matter, I did not include the good Mayor's role in bringing the Inglewood Forum back to life.

James Butts himself has come a long way. His dad was one of 11 brothers and sisters and a sharecropper in North Carolina. His father took a statewide test, finished first, became the only member of his family to get a scholarship to college, finished college, and then left the south because he did not want his kids raised in an environment where opportunities were not abundant. His son James inherited his father's tenacity.

James Butts has a Cal State Los Angeles college degree and an MBA from Cal Poly Pomona. At the ripe old age of 19, he became an Inglewood community service officer. He was a police officer in Inglewood, then Chief



Mayor James T. Butts

of Police for the City of Santa Monica (note when he was appointed, he was the youngest ever). After that, he was selected to be the Assistant General Manager of Los Angeles International Airport.

With all that experience, over a number of years and all the very hard work that comes with it, why run for Mayor of Inglewood? Why push yourself even more? Why subject yourself to the toils and difficulties of being a public elected official, let alone in a city that was so clearly struggling? Why take on a role where criticism about you is to be expected?

This is what Mayor James T. Butts told me: "We all have aspirations and dreams of what we will be when we grow up and what we will do with our lives. But that does not always work out. What you have to do is develop habits of excellence from when you are a child.

Your first chance is in school, learning, and so you dedicate and educate yourself.

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Weekend Forecast

Friday
Mostly Cloudy
61°/49°



Saturday
Partly Cloudy
63°/50°



Sunday
Sunny
64°/53°



Entertainment

Film Review

In Rodeo, A Young Motorbiker Revs Into a Life of Crime

By Ryan Rojas for Cinemacy

From writer-director Lola Quivoron comes *Rodeo*, the story of a tough young woman whose passion for riding motorbikes leads her into a world of criminality and danger. Bringing an authentically-captured French motorbiking subculture to the big screen, *Rodeo* is both a gritty character study and crime movie that plays like *Emily the*



Rodeo, courtesy of Music Box Films.

Criminal, *The Place Beyond the Pines*, and *Fast & Furious*.

If life is a rodeo, then Julia (Julie Ledru) is a wild bronco, unable to be tamed. The movie opens with her shooting out of her home as if a starting gun has just been fired. She's intent on doing just one thing: testing out a new motorbike. After inspecting it from an unsuspecting male seller, she asks for a test drive. Which, she subsequently races off with, her middle finger blazing behind.

This says exactly what we need to know about her. That she's unstoppable, and only lives life in one direction: forward, and fast. With her oversized shirts and unkempt hair, Julia's clearly not interested in the typical girly world. We soon enough see where she feels most at home: on a motorbike speeding down an open road.

Julia takes her new possession to the local dragstrip, where young bikers fly past her, popping wheelies and tricks that amaze and wrack the nerves. Noticeably, she's the only woman in this mostly male world. However,

the insults that the aggressive crowd of bros hurls her way bounce off of her like a steel engine. When the cops come to bust it up, she scatters away with a new group, taken in by one boy Kais (Yannis Lafki). Without a place to sleep, she asks Kais and his crew if she can sleep in their garage (like a bike herself).

She soon learns that the crew steals and flips bikes. And it's under the direction of the ringleader, Domino (Sébastien Schrodeder). Fearless and looking for refuge and the opportunity to ride, Julia offers to lend her services of stealing bikes. And so, she does what she does best: tries out bikes, then speeds off leaving unsuspecting men in the dust. The closer she gets to the crew and begins to establish trust, the more she feels like family. It all leads up to a heist, the climax of the movie, that has deadly results.

Rodeo throttles in and out of exhilarating moments, as well as narrative consistency. Particularly the riding sequences, when bikers rev engines that roar and pop wheelies, feel exhilarating. The film also downshifts, into a slower more emotional story. We see that Julia gets closer to her new makeshift criminal family, making for strong emotional moments.

Writer-director Lola Quivoron creates a world that feels real, raw, beautiful, and dangerous. Julia's world is most compelling when it juxtaposes the dualities mirroring "throttling" and "braking" of riding itself: balancing the fast with the slow; the loud with the quiet; the male with the female; and the peace and danger.

Her relationship with Kais has a hint of romance, but it's the bond that Julia develops

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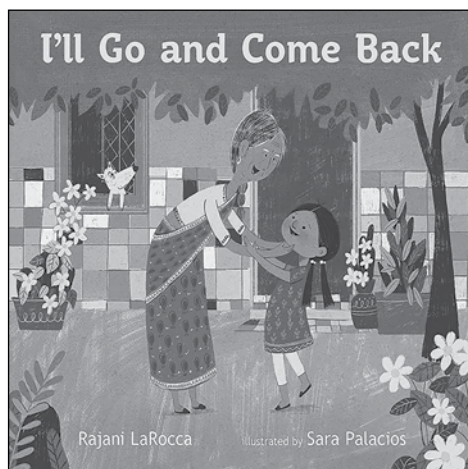
Ryan Rojas

Check It Out

I'll Go and Come Back by Rajani LaRocca

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

Recently, I read a lovely intergenerational story, *I'll Go and Come Back* by Rajani LaRocca. When American-Indian Jyoti first visits her family in far away India, she's overcome by the different sights, sounds, smells and routines. Feeling left out and out of place, she soon warms to life in India



I'll Go and Come Back by Rajani LaRocca

when bonding with her grandmother, Sita Pati. Together they read, create, shop, eat and drink, sharing unique aspects of Indian culture. Despite a language barrier, they become fast friends and when it's time to return home, Jyoti doesn't want to leave. But she remembers in Sita Pati's native language, Tamil, instead of saying goodbye, they say "I'll go and come back."

Next, we see Sita Pati has done just that, only this time, she's flown to America to visit

Jyoti. When Sita Pati struggles to acclimate with her new environment, Jyoti welcomes her with reading, creating, shopping, eating and drinking in an American style.

I loved the beautiful illustrations, lyrical back and forth of culture sharing, and the tender bonding between generations. Circumstances may change but the love and closeness is constant.

For more intergenerational stories, stop by the youth desk, we'd love to help you find your next favorite read.

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Kristina Kora-Beckman

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Happy Birthday to Our Favorite Canine



Join us in saying a Big Happy Birthday to K9 Scottie who always brings joy to the department. Photo courtesy Hawthorne Police Department.

Seniors

Springing into Your Health

(BPT) - Of all the things to love about spring - coming out of winter blues, seeing trees start to bud and flowers begin to bloom - another one is how it can help us re-focus on our health.

Between the ability to spend stretches of time outside again, and a renewed sense of purpose as the days start to get longer,

65 or older, or 19 or older with certain underlying medical conditions, like asthma, diabetes or chronic heart disease, you're at increased risk and vaccination is one of the ways to help protect your health.

People often think that pneumococcal pneumonia can only be caught in the winter or during flu season, but it can strike any time



spring is the perfect time to reassess our health goals and take stock of how we've been doing since the start of the new year.

One of the ways you can reprioritize your health is getting vaccinated against pneumococcal pneumonia. To help you understand your risk, Pfizer is sharing important information about pneumococcal pneumonia and the importance of vaccination.

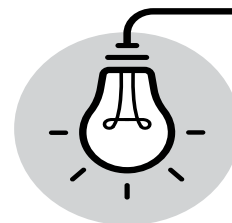
Pneumococcal pneumonia is a potentially serious bacterial lung disease that can disrupt your life for weeks and can even put you in the hospital or be life-threatening. If you're

of year. However, vaccination is available all year round, so spring is the perfect time to get vaccinated as you refocus on your health.

Even if you've already been vaccinated against pneumococcal pneumonia previously, your healthcare provider may recommend another pneumococcal vaccine for additional protection.

Pneumococcal pneumonia can strike at any time of year, so don't wait to ask your doctor or pharmacist about pneumococcal pneumonia vaccination and visit knowpneumonia.com to learn more.

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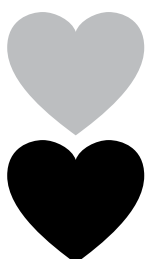


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In Memory of Kenneth A. Brown



Following the sudden loss of El Camino Community College District Board of Trustees President Kenneth A. Brown who passed away Thursday, March 23, the campus community has entered a collective mourning period. The devastating loss of an esteemed, committed, and tireless advocate for student success has left a deep void across campus. He was 54 years old. Photo courtesy El Camino College.

Film Review

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with Domino's wife, Ophélie (Antonia Buresi), and her young son, that is the more compelling, heartfelt relationship. We see how Ophélie is similarly trapped in a world of oppressive males, which Julia notices and bonds over (in a familial, but also suggestively intimate way).

There's also the storyline of Julia being haunted by a tragic death that takes place earlier on in the film, as well. Nightmares

begin to plague her (though to the film's detriment, not much adds beyond that). With no exposition, Julia's backstory is a mystery (she literally asks to be called "Unknown" in her heists). It's as if she herself is a bike without any identifying plates, made of different parts she replaces along her hard-lived journey of life.

As Julia, Julie Ledru is perfect for the role. She's tough and unafraid to get physical

when needed. But she also plays the slower, quieter, emotionally affected moments that the film demands of her as well. It's here where her face betrays how haunted she is. She can more than hold her own in a world where everyone's edging her out, but it will soon take its toll.

Raphaël Vandebussche's cinematography is beautiful and evocative. Gritty handheld cinematography, composed in ultra-wide

format captures the wide frames that the motorbike sequences and film need.

While *Rodeo* falls into a familiar crime story that didn't leave me particularly thrilled or roused, the riding sequences themselves are quite exciting. Blazing fast shots take on an ethereal, transcendent feeling. At its fiery end, we understand that for some, riding fast is the only speed that people can live.

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Mayor

from front page

Read voraciously. It develops your mind faster and 'practice excellence' so when the opportunity reveals itself, you are prepared... I had a mentor who helped me, listened to me, and gave me guidance. He said one thing that I did not simply take to heart, but which influences me to this day: "Jimmy, you need to climb high while your legs are

young and strong."

James T. Butts now has over 50 years of public safety and municipal government experience. His legs may no longer be quite so young or even quite so strong, but he remains on a mission: If he can make it better, if he can improve the place, if he can help to enhance the community he serves, that is

what he is going to do. Detractors exist, and critics are energetic, but Inglewood's Mayor Butts has a notable record of accomplishment.

I wonder, is he done? Or will he seek a higher office yet? Put another way, will James T. Butts seek to climb even higher and thereby test his legs even more? Either way, this son of a sharecropper has put not

just his legs to the road, but his shoulders, arms, hands, head, and heart to the wheel. Perhaps this explains what it takes to have the genuine interest and desire to be an elected public official.

Inglewood is nicknamed "The City of Champions." Climb high. That is what Mayor Butts was told and has taken so seriously. •



SoFi Stadium



LA Phil Youth Orchestra

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Keeping Us Safe in the Event of an Emergency



Thank you to everyone who came out to our first annual Emergency Preparedness Fair. We spent the day with local experts learning about disaster readiness and making plans to keep ourselves and our loved ones safe. Let's continue to prioritize safety and preparedness in our community. Photo courtesy City of Inglewood.

Finance

Top Reasons to File Your Tax Return Early

(BPT) - Tax season can be a stressful time of year. However, if you qualify for a tax refund, it can be used to pay off bills and debt or add to your savings for a rainy day.

"For the past 40 years, Jackson Hewitt has advocated for hardworking Americans, and we know the current economy has impacted many. We understand people are worried about money and rising costs, along with the potential of receiving a lower tax refund this year, since all the pandemic government benefits have ended," said Kim Hudson, SVP and Chief Marketing Officer at Jackson Hewitt Tax Services. "Now more than ever, every dollar matters, so don't wait to file."

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) is now accepting and processing 2022 tax returns. While you can wait until the April 18 deadline, here are five reasons you should file your tax return early.

1. Get Your Refund Early

Some people put off filing because they don't believe they'll get a refund. However, according to the IRS, over two-thirds of American taxpayers are typically entitled to a refund. That means the earlier you file, the earlier you'll get your money and avoid processing delays.

2. More Time to Pay

A popular myth about filing taxes is that you must pay what you owe when you file. In fact, if you file early, you do not have to pay until the return due date of April 18 this year.

The benefit of filing early when you owe money to the IRS is that you will know what you owe in advance of the payment due date, giving you more time until April 18 to set aside those funds or spread the cost over the next few months, which means less financial stress.

3. Protect Your Personal Information

Tax season is a busy time for fraudsters. With just a few pieces of your personal information (your name, birthday and Social

Security number), they can submit a fraudulent tax return to get your refund and steal your identity.

Many taxpayers won't realize their personal information has been compromised until they attempt to e-file their taxes and find that someone has beaten them to it. By filing early, you're locking your personal data and preventing scammers from stealing your refund and identity.

4. Reduce Stress

If you're rushing to get your taxes filed

before the deadline, chances are you'll forget to include essential information and documents.

By preparing to file early, you'll have more time to gather your documents, review your tax return, and speak with your Tax Pro - helping you feel more confident and less stressed. If you wait until too close to the April deadline, you could make a mistake requiring the filing of an amended income tax return or subject yourself to paying penalties and interest.

5. You Could Double Your Refund

Do you want to double your tax refund? In honor of its 40th anniversary, Jackson Hewitt is hosting a Double Your Refund Sweepstakes this tax season. By submitting your taxes with the tax preparer before April 2, you'll be entered for a chance to win the equivalent of your federal tax refund.

During the sweepstakes, 40 winners will win a minimum of \$1,500 and up to a \$15,000 maximum match of their tax return refund, plus an additional 40 weekly runners-up will receive \$400. You can mail in your entry, file online or find an office near you to prepare your taxes for the chance to win big this tax season. To learn more, visit [JacksonHewitt.com/Promotions-Coupons/Double-Your-Refund-Sweepstakes](https://www.JacksonHewitt.com/Promotions-Coupons/Double-Your-Refund-Sweepstakes).

There's no reason to wait until April 18 to file your taxes. Submit your tax return early and reap the financial rewards and peace of mind. •



PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: EDNA ROSE KROHNE CASE NO. 23STPB03065

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the lost WILL or estate, or both of EDNA ROSE KROHNE. APETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by FRANCES JOANNE HARVEY in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that FRANCES JOANNE HARVEY be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's lost WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The lost 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: 04/25/23 at 8:30AM in Dept. 11 located at 111 N. HILL ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90012

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CITY OF INGLEWOOD SPECIFICATIONS FOR Vincent Park Pavilions Replacement Project BID NO. CB-23-11 Public Works Department One West Manchester Boulevard, 3rd floor Inglewood, California 90301 (310) 412-5333 April 2023 Due on April 26, 2023 at 11:30 AM Bid Proposers are requested to submit bid proposal to: City Clerk's Office, 1st floor City of Inglewood One West Manchester Blvd. Inglewood, CA 90301 For any questions or inquiries, please contact Boytrese Osias, Senior Engineer - Public Works Department at (310) 412-5333.

CITY OF INGLEWOOD INVITATION TO SUBMIT BID (Specifications and Conditions Governing Bid Award) Project Subject to Bid: Vincent Park Pavilions Replacement Project, CB-23-11 The City of Inglewood, California hereby extends an invitation to submit a proposal in accordance with this bid, to provide labor and materials and/or completing the above designated project. The City makes no representation that any agreement will be awarded to any firm/company responding to this request. A non-mandatory pre-bid conference and walk thru for interested bidders will be conducted on **April 10, 2023 at 3:15 PM** at Vincent Park. Vincent Park is located at, 700 Warren Lane, Inglewood CA, 90301. Pavilions are southeast of the swimming pool building. Call Boytrese Osias (City Capital Improvement Manager) or Kenrick Sanderlin (Associate 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 11:30 AM on April 26, 2023 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, "Bidders' Proposal and Statement" attached hereto. The

submittal 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: Vincent Park Pavilions Replacement Project: CB-23-11 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 1771.1a). 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 "B" 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 day of , 2023. Artie Fields, City Manager City of Inglewood, California Inglewood Daily News Pub. 3/30, 4/6, 4/13, 4/20/23 HI-27969



The City of Inglewood Request for Proposal (RFP) for Purchase of Anti-Vehicle Barriers and Accessories

Solicitation Number: RFP-0197 Solicitation Issue Date: March 16, 2023 Questions and Comments Due: March 28, 2023 at Noon Proposal Due Date and Time (Closing Date): April 6, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. in Purchasing and Contract Services Division Submissions: The proposer is required to provide one (1) original, one (1) copy and one (1) electronic copy (e.g., USB drive) City Contact: Jorge Ochoa, Procurement and Contracts Coordinator, jchoa@cityofinglewood.org, (310) 412-5266 The completed and signed RFP signature page is required, with the most recent addendum listed as an acknowledgment of all addenda issued. Note: Emailed submissions will not be accepted. Inglewood Daily News Pub. 3/16, 3/23, 3/30/23 HI-27943



PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, StorQuest Self Storage will sell at public sale by competitive bidding the personal property of: Donovan Kilgore Zeronica Wright Shauna Lee Barstowmoreno Latrice Rivers Betty Illbegi Jessica Bell Alejandrina Gonzalez Candace Bell Property to be sold: misc. household goods, furniture, tools, clothes, boxes, toys, electronics, sporting goods, and personal content. Auction Company: www.StorageTreasures.com. The sale ends at 10:00am April 14, 2023 at the property where said property has been stored and which is located at StorQuest Self Storage 4959 W 147th St, Hawthorne, CA 90250. Goods must be paid in cash and removed at the time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. 3/30, 4/6/23 CNS-3683538# Hawthorne Press Tribune Pub. 3/30, 4/6/23 HH-27964



CITY OF INGLEWOOD PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC NOTICE

The Inglewood Planning Commission hereby gives notice that it will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 1, 2023, at 7:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers, Ninth Floor, Inglewood City Hall, One Manchester Boulevard, to consider the following matters: 1. A public hearing to consider an application by Carina Perez for Special Use Permit No. 2022-010 (SP-2022-010) to allow the location of a 75-foot high, wireless telecommunications facility (mono-palm) on a site developed with an existing shopping center on a, C-2 (General Commercial) zoned property at 3111 West Century Boulevard. A Notice of Exemption (EA-CE-2022-139) has been prepared stating that the proposed project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), a copy of which is available for public review in the first-floor lobby of City Hall and via email at al-martell@cityofinglewood.org. 2. A public hearing to consider an application by Judy Lee for Special Use Permit No. 2022-011 (SP-2022-011) to allow: 1) The construction of a new self-storage facility; and 2) A reduced parking requirement through alternate modes of transportation on a, M-1L (Limited Manufacturing) zoned property at 3846 West Century Boulevard. A Notice of Exemption (EA-CE-2022-146) has been prepared stating that the proposed project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act, a copy of which is available for public review in the first floor lobby of City Hall and via email request to al-martell@cityofinglewood.org. If you will require special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Planning Division at (310) 412-5230, One Manchester Boulevard, 4th Floor, Inglewood, California 90301. All requests for accommodations must be received 48 hours prior to the day of the hearing. If you challenge the aforementioned public hearing in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. Si no entiende esta noticia o si necesita mas informacion, favor de llamar onu este numero (310) 412-5280. In the event that this Planning Commission meeting is not held, or is concluded prior to a public hearing item being considered, the public hearing will automatically be continued to the next regularly scheduled Planning Commission meeting. Publication: February 16, 2023. Inglewood Daily News Pub. 3/30/23 HI-27970

CITY OF HAWTHORNE SEISMIC RETROFIT (PROJECT #23-05) Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, CA, until 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 11th, 2023. An original and two copies of each proposal must be submitted in a sealed envelope and clearly marked: **Proposal for CITY OF HAWTHORNE SEISMIC RETROFIT.** Please send any questions regarding this RFP to the attention of Selena Acuna, Assistant Engineer, at sacuna@cityofhawthorne.org before April 4th, 2023. We will no longer be able to answer any questions after April 4th, 2023. All questions must be emailed. No response will be given to verbal questions. Responses to written questions will be emailed to all consultants receiving the RFP after April 4th, 2023. **Description of Work:** The City of Hawthorne is requesting proposals from qualified structural/civil engineer/engineering firm registered in the State of California with experience and technical qualifications to respond to a Request for Proposal (RFP) to conduct a geotechnical study, plan, design, prepare specifications and technical provisions, cost estimate, and construction inspection as well as obtain all necessary design permits to seismically retrofit four City-owned structures: Hawthorne Memorial Center, Hawthorne

Water Tower, Hawthorne City Yard, and Hawthorne City Hall. The City is looking for a Consultant that specializes in seismic evaluation and retrofits as well as experience working with municipalities. **Scope of Work:** The City of Hawthorne will seismically retrofit four City-owned structures including the Hawthorne Memorial Center, Hawthorne Water Tower, Hawthorne City Yard, and Hawthorne City Hall. The City will update and strengthen the lateral force resisting system of each structure to meet current seismic safety standards. Phase 1 will include project planning, design permitting, and geotechnical studies and Phase 2 will focus on project construction. The Engineer/Engineering Firm will assist in conducting geotechnical studies; include the excavation of eight bores, plan, and design, prepare specifications, technical provisions, cost estimate, construction inspection as well as obtain all necessary permits for this project. No additional ground disturbance or other physical project construction activities are proposed as part of Phase 1. (Please refer to Section II: Technical Requirements for more detail) *All dates and times are subject to change at the City's sole discretion. ** The Consultant will be notified on close of business on April 11th, 2023, if they will participate in the oral interviews.

Schedule:

Project Schedule (all times are in PDT)*	
March 20 th , 2023	Request for Proposals (RFP) Issued
April 4 th , 2023	Written Questions Due
April 11 th , 2023	Proposals Due
April 14 th , 2023	Virtual Oral Interviews (shortlisted Consultants only)**
April 17 th , 2023	Selection of most qualified firm
April 19 th , 2023	Pre-Award audit
April 25 th , 2023	Agreement signed and approved
May 9 th , 2023	Award
May 15 th , 2023	Notice to Proceed

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Mr. Business

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.

Mr. Business is a sweet, playful, and enterprising orange tuxedo boy who loves sleeping on a sunny windowsill. He purrs a lot and likes to lie in a puddle with his brother, Dog, and other siblings. Mr. Business loves playing with string toys and is very proud of his "hunting" ability. His favorite sleeping spot is on top of the duvet between your ankles. He is also a big fan of under-chin scratches and Churu treats.

Dog is a big, handsome orange tabby with beautiful amber eyes. He is curious and playful, but also a sweetie who will start purring the minute he sees your hand descending

to pat him. Dog loves to be snuzzled, is extremely chill and adaptable. Purring in the crook of your arm while you're reading in bed is one of his favorite spots. Dog also enjoys getting under the blankets with you sometimes yet is not extremely clingy. He



Dog

is great with other kitties and would enjoy living with his brother Mr. Business!

Austin and Elvis are a bonded pair of brothers who must be adopted together. A good Samaritan took their very pregnant stray mama into her home so mama could safely have her kittens. These lucky boys were born into a loving home and have been handled by humans from the first day of their lives, so they *love* their humans! This lucky pair hopes their luck continues and they find their fur-ever home together! Austin and Elvis are an incredible combination of all the things we love so much about kitties. They love to play and are full of that wonderful young kitty energy. These cuddle bugs are also happy to just lie in your arms like a baby or sit in your lap. Such super sweet, affectionate kitties would be hard to find in a better pair of fur babies. Both boys get along with all other kitties and they have been around

a cat-friendly dog too. They would also do well in a home with gentle, loving children. Austin and Elvis will brighten any home with lots of love and their silly kitty antics.

Cashmere is an adorable teddy bear who likes attention, affection, and lots of pets. He is a confident boy that loves to meet new people. Cashmere likes to be cuddled and is not shy about climbing into your arms for snuggle time. Aside from getting love from humans, his favorite things are naps and wet food. The best way to describe him is a snuggly, chill guy with a playful side. Cashmere is a very social cat and must be adopted into a home with an existing friendly cat or adopted together with his buddy Royal. He would be okay in a home with children. Schedule a meet and greet with this handsome young boy and see for yourself what an amazingly friendly cat he is.

If you are in search of a sweet, affectionate cuddle bug, look no further than **Royal**. He is a loving boy who is so happy and content to simply snuggle up on your lap and get pets. Royal is a little shy when he meets new people and is easily won over with pets and head scratches. This handsome boy enjoys long naps, wet food, cuddle time, playing with his cat toys and playing with the resident cat. He can be adopted into a single pet household or into a home with another friendly cat. If you are looking to adopt two cats, Royal has developed a special bond with Cashmere and they have become great buddies. Come meet this sleek panther and his buddy Cashmere and see for yourself what special boys they are.

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 and to see these or our other kittens and cats, please check our website www.kittenrescue.org.

Please check our website for the schedule of weekly adoption events or to make an appointment at the Kitten Rescue Adoption Center. To virtually browse our adoptable cats, please visit our Adoption Gallery where you

can find photos and profiles of all the cats and kittens we have up for adoption from our network of foster homes and from the Sanctuary. At the end of each cat's profile is a link to the email address of the foster parent or adoption counselor, and you may



Cashmere

reach out directly with questions or to arrange a virtual meeting.

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Royal



Austin and Elvis