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Aquatics Facility Moving Along



Construction of the El Segundo Aquatics Center at the Wiseburn High School site continues to progress and is on target for a September 2018 opening. Here is a recent shot of the pools in progress. For more photos see page 4. Photo by Peter Cooper.

What a Soldier's Life Is Worth

By Rob McCarthy

The Memorial Day crowds at local cemeteries are gone, though the flags and flowers remain as symbols of the most solemn day of the year for America's families, their friends and veterans. It's an observance as old as the Civil War, yet just last week another name and family joined the nation's ranks of Gold Star survivors.

Only days before Memorial Day, the Army announced the death of a Los Angeles soldier who was on a peacekeeping mission in the Balkans -- formerly Yugoslavia. Staff Sgt. Conrad A. Robinson died May 24 at Camp Bondsteel, Kosovo from a non-combat related incident, according to the Army. The 36-year-old was assigned to a medical brigade out of North Carolina.

The sergeant's death -- which the Army says is under investigation -- raises the question so close to Memorial Day about what do the families of service members, like the Robinsons, do now. The Pentagon has a financial safety net for military families when a soldier dies while on a mission or suffers an injury that leads to death later. The reality of losing a breadwinner sets in after the military funeral and burial, especially for the spouses and children who live on base housing.

The immediate relatives of members of the U.S. Armed Forces who have been killed in combat or in support of certain military activities are called Gold Star Families. The term was coined during World War I when service flags were first flown by families during the global conflict. "The flag included a blue star for every immediate family member serving in the armed forces of the United States, during any period of war or hostilities in which the armed forces of the United States were engaged. If that loved one died, the blue star was replaced by a gold star," according to the U.S. Army's website.

The Pentagon pays a \$100,000 death benefit to the survivors, starting with spouses and children. Staff Sgt. Robinson leaves a wife and two daughters, ages 5 and 10. The one-time payment is free of federal or state taxes. If the deceased has no wife or children, the parents or siblings would receive that amount.

Men and women serving in the armed forces are covered under the death and housing benefits if they are in training for a combat mission or basic training after signing up for military service with the Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force or Coast Guard. This covers military reserves and service personnel who have been accepted for duty and are killed while traveling to their assignments.

The military also pays to the spouse, child or parent up to \$400,000 from a government life insurance policy. Every serviceman or woman is automatically enrolled to receive the maximum amount, though they may decline coverage or choose a lower payout to their survivors. Whatever the dollar amount, it also is tax-free. And that's not all.

The military has another insurance program for soldiers and service personnel who die of traumatic injury. This coverage starts at a minimum \$25,000 payout and death after seven days of survival with one's injuries triggers the payout to survivors. Like other death benefits, this one is tax-free too.

Families also are in line to receive unpaid pay and allowances. Social Security pays a

small one-time \$225 payment either to a spouse who is caring for children or to the children who are under 18.

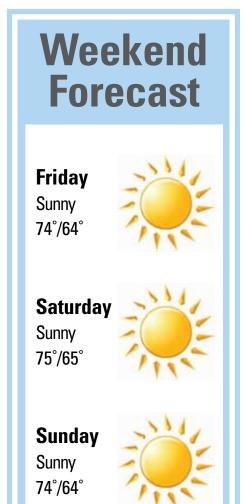
Families living on base are given 12 months' time rent-free while they grieve and adjust to the next phase of life. For off-base housing, a surviving spouse receives one year's worth of housing allowance. When the family moves, the military handles the move off base or to a new home.

Families who lose a service member also get to keep their low-cost health insurance for three years, before switching to the retired military health plan. Dental care is available, too, for the husband or wife, children or dependent parent. And some of their personal debt is forgiven automatically.

The Pentagon also sees that the children of soldiers and service members who are killed while on duty or en route to a base can attend college or a training school of their choice. The military has a tuition assistance program for students pursue and finish their studies toward degrees in four years.

Military deaths happen suddenly, yet the effects are life-changing for families, towns and communities. By one estimate, the Pentagon's safety net for survivors of active-duty servicemen and women killed in Iraq and Afghanistan has provided them with up to \$800,000 in death benefits and insurance payouts.

At least one financial institution, Chase Bank, says it will forgive the mortgage, auto loan or consumer debt of a service member killed since 2011 either in combat or while in military service. Unlike the other military and government-issued benefits, loan forgiveness is taxed by the IRS. •



<u>Film Review</u>

Han Solo's Bad Boy Origin Tale Told in Solo: A Star Wars Story

By Morgan Rojas for www.cinemacy.com

While the Star Wars saga continues to propel the story in a new direction, the Star Wars universe is committed to exploring every corner of the galaxy far, far away. Solo: A Star Wars Story, in theaters everywhere today, acts as a prequel to the original Star Wars by telling the origin story of everyone's favorite smuggler, Han Solo. As originated by Harrison Ford in the first Star Wars, he would play Han for the rest of the series and cement his status as one of pop culture's most iconic characters. In Solo, Alden Ehrenreich steps up to the plate to channel the smuggler as a 20-something-year-old street rat turned fighter pilot. While it's not terrible, Solo is uninventive and limp -- which fans may be disappointed, but not shocked to hear.

We are immediately thrust into following the titular Han, a smuggler escaping a life of "lawlessness" along with beautiful Qi'ra (Emilia Clarke). Fed up with their dreary life on the planet Corellia, Han makes a plan to escape with Qi'ra and live out his dream as a fighter pilot. Their attempt to leave ends up in chaos. Han narrowly escapes, but is forced to leave Qi'ra behind. Determined to save her from an unknowing fate, Han continues on his journey alone (or, solo), desperate to find a way to rescue her from the evil powers that be.

The quest to rescue Qi'ra is not an easy one. In fact, Han nearly gets killed multiple times (but...no spoiler here -- of course, he doesn't). He meets a cast of characters throughout his journey, including the killer Wookie turned best friend, Chewbacca (Joonas Suotamo), and fellow back-alley smugglers Tobias Beckett (Woody Harrelson) and Val (Thandie Newton). Han becomes entangled in the duo's latest mission to rob a train full of coaxium fuel for the criminal organization Crimson Dawn, which will bring everyone involved a major payday. Han sees the reward money as the opportunity he needs to buy a plane to finally rescue Qi'ra and wholeheartedly agrees to join. However, things go south before the mission is completed, which forces the group to take on an even riskier job. This new job introduces Han to Lando Calrissian (Donald Glover), L3-37 (Phoebe Waller-Bridge), and ultimately, the evil forces of Crimson Dawn leader Dryden Vos (Paul Bettany).

While it's a serviceable movie, there's no denying that we're cashing in on the currency of a character and world we already know rather than building things anew. There is only so much originality that can go into "prequel" films like this one, and unfortunately that predictability is *Solo*'s biggest downfall. While there are a few plot twists and surprises here and there, Solo as a whole comes off as flat. Action scenes aside, the story lacks the pizzazz that Star Wars fans have come to expect and deserve.

It has only been a year since the latest Star Wars movie, The Last Jedi, was released. This poses the question -- is the frequency at which Disney is pumping out these films making the movies less special? That could be one reason why Solo feels unnecessary in relation to the Star Wars canon. That's not to say that the film lacks talent, both in front of and behind the camera, including director Ron Howard (who replaced directors Phil Lord and Christopher Miller after they were let go because of bumpy behindthe-scenes drama). Ultimately, Solo's biggest disappointment is that it is forgettable -- especially among the sea of other hero movies that came out recently. Although for as much criticism as the film has received, there really is nothing like sitting in a theatre listening to John Williams' Star Wars theme song in surround sound. That alone may be worth the price of admission.

Solo: A Star Wars Story is rated PG-13 for sequences of sci-fi action/violence. 135 minutes. Now playing in theaters everywhere. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018108764

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DOGGED STRENGTH, 770 IMPERIAL AVE. UNIT 7, EL SEGUNDO, CA. 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI #ON: 825277083. Registered Owner(s): DOGGED STRENGTH LLC. 770 W. IMPERIAL AVE. UNIT 7, EL SEGUNDO, CA. 90245. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: DOGGED STRENGTH LLC., CHRISTINA NEWTON, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY

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El Segundo Herald 5/24. 5/31/2018 H-1783

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2017186802

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YOUR MINDFUL SPACE, 5126 WEST 136^{TH} STREET, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI # ON: C3363175. Registered Owner(s): JESSICA QUEVEDO. PSY. D. PSYCHOLOGY GROUP, INC. WEST 136TH STREET, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This business is being conducted The registrant by a Corporation. commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: JESSICA QUEVEDO, PSY., D. PSYCHOLOGY GROUP INC., JESSICA P. QUEVEDO, PRESIDENT. This statement was filed vith the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 1, 2018.

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Hawthorne Press Tribune 5/17, 5/24, 5/31/2018.

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018106356

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MODERN SELFIE, 2421 W. 227TH #39, TORRANCE, CA 90501, LOS ANGELES COUNTY Registered Owner(s): CRISTINA NICOLE SAUCEDA, 2421 W 227TH ST #39 TORRANCE CA 90501. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2018. CRISTINA NICOLE SAUCEDA, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY

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Pub. 5/10. 5/17. El Segundo Herald

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018106031

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as EP PLUMBING, 13525 S. VERMONT #28, GARDENA, CA 90247, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): EFRAIN PADILLA, 13525 S. VERMONT #28, GARDENA, CA 90247 This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2018 Signed: FERAIN PADILLA OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018106024

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FM MAINTENANCE, 14342 S. WILKIE AVE., GARDENA, CA 90249, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JASON R. FOX, 14342 S. WILKIE AVE., GARDENA, CA 90249 This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 04/2018. Signed: JASON R. FOX OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 1, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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H-1787

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018114744

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1) LAX STADIUM INN, 4501 WEST IMPERIAL HIGHWAY, INGLEWOOD, CA 90304, 2) 4501 WEST IMPERIAL HIGHWAY, INGLEWOOD, CA. 90304. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. 200736110095. Registered JAYDAIR2 HOSPITALITY Owner(s): LLC, 4501 WEST IMPERIAL HIGHWAY, INGLEWOOD, CA. 90304. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 12/2007. Signed: JAYDAIR2 HOSPITALITY LLC, ASHOK B. PATEL, General Partner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 10, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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Inglewood Daily News 5/31, 6/7/2018 HI-1788

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018115234 The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as MOMMY'S MIX, 1) 16702 S. DENKER AVE. APT D, GARDENA, CA 90247, 2) 1122 E. 125TH ST., LOS ANGELES, CA 90059, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): TYNEISHA THOMAS, 16702 S. DENKER AVE. D, GARDENA, CA 90247. 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: TYNEISHA THOMAS, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 10, 2018.

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El Segundo Herald 5/31, 6/7/2018 Pub. 5/17, 5/24.

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018116307

The following person(s) (are) doing business CONSULTING, as RTC FACILITIES CHANERA AVENUE, INGLEWOOD, CA. 90303 LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): RENETIA Y. CAMPBELL CHANERA **AVENUE** INGLEWOOD, CA. 90303. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2017 Signed: RENETIA Y. CAMPBELL, Owner This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018118241 The following person(s) is (are) doing

business as KENZAM EXPRESS, 3720 EMERALD ST. APT E4, TORRANCE, CA. 90503. LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): AMINE BENTAYA, 3720 EMERALD ST. E4, TORRANCE, This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 01/2018. Signed: AMINE RENTAYA Owner This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 14, 2018.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018113303

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CALO KITCHEN + TEQUILA 1) 2921 ROSECRANS AVE. STE B, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245, 2) 22342 AVENIDA MARGARITA, CA. 92688, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. AI ON# 201713810446
Registered Owner(s): CALO EL
SEGUNDO LLC, 22342 AVENIDA EMPRESA STE 220, RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA, CA. 92688. This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed a N/A. Signed: CALO EL SEGUNDO LLC JOHN PARLET, Manager. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 9, 2018.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018118599

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AYOTLAN TRUCKING, 3834 W. 111TH PLACE, INGLEWOOD, CA 90303, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, Owner(s): 3834 W. EFRAIN V. 111™ PLACE, INGLEWOOD, CA. 90303. This business is being conducted by an Individua The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious busine name or names listed above on: N/A. Signed: EFRAIN V. MARQUEZ. Owner Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018109743

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as H.O.M.M.S CONSULTING, 8039 S. SEPULVEDA BLVD. SUITE 110 # 117, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90306, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): ERICA HOLMES, 8039 S. SEPULVEDA BLVD. SUITE 110 #117, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90306. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/2011. Signed: ERICA HOLMES, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 4, 2018.

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El Segundo Herald 6/7, 6/14/18 Pub. 5/24, 5/31.

Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018109795

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FUJI DRIVING SCHOOL, 2780 SEPULVEDA BLVD. # 107, TORRANCE, CA. 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): 1) FRANKLIN KUO, 1611 ½ S. CURTIS AVE., ALHAMBRA, CA. 91803, 2) PAUL KUO, 1652 WEST 169[™] PLACE, GARDENA, CA. 90247. 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: 05/2018. Signed: FRANKLIN KUO, General Partner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 4, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018111749

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HOOPERVU INNOVATIONS, 136 WHITING ST. NO. 5, EL SEGUNDO, CA. 90245, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): GREGORY W. HOOPER, 136 WHITING ST. NO. 5, 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: N/A. Signed: GREGORY W. HOOPER, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018124987

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as L DEESTYLES, 13600 DOTY AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA. 90250, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): LACHELLE S. SMITH, 13600 DOTY AVE. APT 17, LOS ANGELES, 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: 05/2018. Signed: LACHELLE S. SMITH, Owner. This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY 21, 2018. NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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Fictitious Business Name Statement 2018129207

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOUTH BAY CPR, 2867 W. 235TH ST. APT 3, TORRANCE, CA. 90505, LOS ANGELES COUNTY. Registered Owner(s): JOHN CASTILLO, 2867 W. 235TH ST. APT 3, TORRANCE, CA. 90505. This business is being conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: Signed: JOHN CASTILLO, Owner This statement was filed with the County Recorder of Los Angeles County on MAY NOTICE: This Fictitious Name Statement

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- E.L.F. Toddler Story Time, 12:00 PM.
 12:45 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- E.L.F. Preschool Story Time, 2:30 PM. –
 3:15 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library,
 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Adult Book Club, 4:00 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Crafts for Adults, 4:00 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- E.L.F. Baby Story Time, 11:00 AM.
 11:45 AM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Family Movie, 4:00 PM. 5:30 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Makerspace for Teens, 3:00 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

- STEAM for Kids, 3:00 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Teen Club, 4:00 PM. 5:00 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

- STEAM for Kids, 2:00 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Saturday Story Time, 11:30 AM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- City of Hawthorne Low Cost Rabies Clinic & Micro-Chipping, 11:00 AM. – 2:00 PM., dogs must be on leashes, cats must be in carriers, City Hall Parking Lot, 4455 W. 126th Street, Call: 310-349-2948.

MONDAY, JUNE 4

- E.L.F. Toddler Story Time, 11:30 AM., 18 months 3 years, free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- E.L.F. Baby Story Time, 10:30 AM., 0-18 months, free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call:

310-412-5403.

• E.L.F. Preschool Story Time, 11:00 AM., free, 3-5 years, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

- Brick Building/Board Games, 3:30 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Adult Coloring, 4:00 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Family Movies, 4:00 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

- Building Bricks/Board Games, 3:30 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Digital Drop-In, 3:00 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Inglewood Visionaries Toastmasters Club #4404 Meeting, 6:00 PM., Inglewood Center for Spiritual Living, 525 No. Market St., For more info: www.ing4404. toastmastersclubs.org.
- Resume Building Workshop, 5:00 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

- Repujado Art Program, 5:00 PM. 7:30 PM., Class limited to 20, please sign up at information desk, Hawthorne Library, 12700 Grevillea Ave., Hawthorne.
- Adult Coloring/Adult Craft, 4:00 PM., free, Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
- Adult Book Club, 4:00 PM., free, Crenshaw Imperial Branch Library, 11141 Crenshaw Blvd., Call: 310-412-5403.
- Makerspace for Teens, 3:00 PM., Inglewood Public Library, 101 W. Manchester Blvd., Call: 310-412-5380.
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Hawthorne Happenings

HOLLY PARK HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Holly Park Homeowners will once again be hosting a pancake breakfast fundraiser on Saturday, June 16th at Olivet Lutheran Church. Mark your calendars for this fun event. It's the day before Fathers Day so take your dad out for breakfast a day early.

MAY GRAY - JUNE GLOOM

Whatever you call it, my ol' lady don't like it. I work in Long Beach and it was sunny in the LB the other day, but not here in Hawthorne. Linda informed me that it was just a miserable, gray, overcast, depressing day. One of the worse days in her memory. She is a SoCal native. She loves her sunshine. She doesn't drink beer so I really didn't know what to tell her. She had a cold one (day) and she didn't like it.

OVER ESTIMATED

I thought that I had 19 loyal readers out there reading this stuff each week. However, I only had 15 RSVP for my thank you party that will be held on Saturday, June 9th beginning at 5 p.m. at the Pizza Show on Hawthorne Blvd. The deadline to RSVP is Thursday June 7th. There is a \$10 charge for your food and drink which you can pay that evening. (Okay, I'm cheap. If my eight years of columns are not worth \$10 bucks, then come anyway and be a freeloader, just make sure you RSVP.) Please use the special code when reserving your spot to prove that you are one of my readers. The code words are: "Have A Cold One!" Email me at norbhuber@gmail.com.

NO REPLACEMENT NECESSARY

In an effort to save city funds and to avoid a messy appointment process, the city council pretty much decided not to appoint a replacement for me during the interim period between my departure on June 12th and the seating of a new clerk at the first meeting in December. They essentially left my responsibilities on my City Clerk staff. Monica Dicrisci, Deputy City Clerk, and Diane Cucalon, "my favorite" city clerk assistant, will fill my shoes very nicely. They are the reason that I have looked good doing whatever I do at the council meetings. They are the ones who do ALL of the work.

I have been the face and figurehead of our office, but the real work is theirs. We've always said that we are a team, "when I look good we all look good". Well, both of them are better looking than yours truly, so the council meetings will roll along just fine.

MY LIFE IN THE CITY OF GOOD NEIGHBORS

My days are numbered here in Hawthorne, so in the last few columns before my departure, I would like to reflect on my Hawthorne life with this rambling installment: As I exited the 405 at El Segundo Blvd on August 15, 1977, I really did not know what I was getting myself into. I was moving to my first job out of college, an eighth grade teaching position at Trinity Lutheran School on Inglewood Avenue in Hawthorne, CA. All of my earthly possessions were packed into the back of my brand new, dark gold, Toyota Corolla. I had never been to SoCal in my life, never south of San Francisco. For six summers during my college years, I had worked on the Olympic Peninsula of Washington State as a "logger" for Simpson Timber Company. Hawthorne seemed like worlds away from the soggy, rainy back woods of the tall timber country. My new boss, principal/Reverend Sherman Korshavn handed me a copy of the Daily Breeze and told me to look at the classified listings for an apartment. Back then my pay was \$800 per month but the studio pad that I found over on Cerise Avenue was only \$140 per month. It took a while to get acclimatized to this new exciting, sunny environ. Body surfing in the warm water and waves of the Pacific Ocean at the end of Rosecrans was great. The salt in my mouth didn't bother me. The scantily clad California girls was an eye opener to this young hick that really never had a need to use sun screen since we rarely saw the sun in the NorthWest. It was hard to believe that a 22 year old young man from small town America would be so lucky as to come to really live where the Beach Boys songs came to life. God only Knows, Surfin USA, Wouldn't it be Nice, and Wish They All Could be California Girls all made me feel proud to live in Hawthorne. (To be continued.)

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A Peek at the Pool

A large crowd turned out for a peek at the progress of the El Segundo Aquatics Center this past Tuesday. School board members from El Segundo and Wiseburn as well as City of El Segundo officials and community and business representatives attended to hear about how the project and the fundraising efforts are going.



Wiseburn School Board members Nelson Martinez, Neil Goldman and Roger Banuelos, Richard Lundquist of Continental Development Corporation, El Segundo Superintendent Melissa Moore, El Segundo School Board Vice President Nancy Cobb, Wiseburn Superintendent Tom Johnstone, El Segundo School Board President Emilee Layne, Sherry Kramer of Continental Development Corporation, El Segundo City Councilmember Scot Nicol, El Segundo School Board member Bill Watkins.



A smaller pool for warm-ups, teaching and fitness is next to the main pool.



Current Wiseburn Superintendent Tom Johnstone and incoming Wiseburn Superintendent Blake Silvers. Johnstone retires in June.



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<u>Finance</u>

5 Tips for Today's Freelance Entrepreneur

(BPT) - From millennials who have been grinding away in the workplace for a few years to Gen Xers looking to move out of their cube, many have been intrigued by the possibility of freelancing.

It means the freedom to set your own hours, to work closely with clients, to be your own boss and have greater control over your career.

According to Forbes, there are 53 million freelancers in America today, and by 2020, it's estimated that half of the workforce will be doing freelance work, whether full time, as a part-time gig or as their side hustle.

Unlike a traditional job, where you generally don't need to bring more than a packed lunch to work, freelancing requires a few essential tricks and tools to succeed. Whether you're looking to start out or refresh your personal brand, homeworking experts cite five important tips to help you succeed at the freelance game.

- 1. Manage your time. One of the best parts, and the most challenging parts, of freelancing is that you get to make your own schedule. Many find that they need some sort of structure in their day, and for this reason it's important to have the right time management software. This will notify you of calls, deadlines, track how long you work on a project and more.
- 2. Get the right laptop. A laptop is your office, your meeting room, your library, your entertainment source and so much more, making it one of the most essential freelancing tools. It's the lifeline between your business and your clients, so it's critical to be sure you have the right one. A great option is the remarkably thin and light LG gram. This computing powerhouse comes in 13-, 14- and

15-inch screen options and packs a battery that lasts over 16 hours. Each model weighs about two pounds and for small businesses looking for extra connectivity, LG's commercial-grade model comes equipped with the Windows 10 Pro operating system. It's fast, mobile and able to keep up with the daily demands and surprises of the freelancing life.

- 3. Use professional email and social media accounts. For all work-related correspondence and interactions, be sure to use a dedicated email account. This will make you appear more professional to prospective clients. You should also set up work-related social media accounts where you can post examples of work and professional insights and network.
- 4. Keep track of finances. For a lot of freelancers who are on the creative side of things, keeping track of finances can be a real challenge. Not only do you have to manage invoices, expenses and make sure you're getting paid, you also have to keep taxes in mind. That can be a lot of numbers to juggle. The right accounting software can greatly simplify this process and save you innumerable headaches.
- 5. Find the right space. While freelancing is largely a digital game, and requires the right laptop loaded up with the tools you need to manage your business, you still need to find the right place to work. Some work in a coffee shop and others require a dedicated home office. You might work best in a shared office space. The point is, it's vital to figure out where you do your best work.

The right software, running on the right computer, and a place you can work are the cornerstones of a successful freelance gig. From there, all that's needed is your talent and determination! •

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Seniors

Advice For Adult Children Of Aging Parents Who Need Help At Home

(BPT) - Helping a parent stay active and healthy at home can be achieved with careful planning. The rewards of personally caring for, or managing the care of, a loved one who needs help are innumerable. It's an opportunity to give back and to offer a return on the loving investment they once made in us.

In-home care may be provided by loved ones, family, friends, neighbors or professional caregivers. It typically includes assistance with activities of daily living - bathing, dressing, toileting, eating and walking - as well as companionship, medication reminders, laundry, light housekeeping, errands, shopping and transportation.

If your parent is under a doctor's care because of a recent illness or injury, home healthcare companies can provide skilled nursing services in their house, such as physical therapy, wound care or speech therapy.

Whether caregiving services are provided by a professional or family member, either option can impact your family's finances. An eight-hour-a-day, five-day-a-week professional caregiver costs about \$40,000 a year, while 24/7 care can be as much as \$150,000 a year. If a parent depends on family for care, it can take that caregiver away from his or her job and earnings, affect business opportunities and reduce future Social Security income.

Medicare, the federal government's health insurance program for people aged 65 and over, covers some home health care if prescribed by a doctor, but not home-delivered meals, non-medical home care, or 24/7 care. Medicaid, a joint federal and state program that helps with medical costs, has very low asset and income restrictions.

Depending on where your parent lives, they might qualify for a Medicaid waiver that can help with in-home care costs. Doug Lueder, owner of Prosper Home Care, an independent home care agency based in Atlanta, says, "The purpose of the (Medicaid) waiver program is it can help individuals stay at home in a healthy, safe environment for the same amount of money or less than it would cost for that person to be in a facility. States would rather be able to keep people at home, and in general statistics show people are happier and they have better outcomes at home."

Another possible source of funds may be your parents' home. For many Americans,

the equity they have built up in their homes is their single largest financial asset, typically comprising more than half of their net worth.

With a reverse mortgage, borrowers have the flexibility to use their loan proceeds however they wish, including to pay for in-home care or other medical expenses. As long as the terms of the loan are met, the balance doesn't need to be repaid until the last surviving borrower has passed away or permanently left the home. To learn more about this option, visit the National Reverse Mortgage Lenders Association's consumer education website reversemortgage.org/adultchildren.

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NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Hawthome, California at the office of the City Clerk, located on the first floor in City Hall, 4455 West 126th Street Hawthome, California until 4:00 P.M., Tuesday,

ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

July10, 2018. Proposals will be publicly opened and recorded on a Bid List at 4:15 P.M. of the same day in the City Clerk's Office. Bidders,

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as well as the general public, are invited to view the proceedings. Proposals will be read at a meeting of the City Council starting at 6:00 P.M., Tuesday, July ITEM DESCRIPTION UNIT **QUANTITY**

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SCOPE OF WORK

The work consists of traffic signal upgrade, trenching and installing conduits, construction of curb and gutter, sidewalks, and ADA ramps, striping and adjustment of utilities and all other work necessary to complete the improvements in accordance order to ensure the timely completion of the project, the Contractor shall submit a letter to the Engineer (within one day of the execution of the contract) stating that all Contractor furnished traffic signal materials

have been ordered. The letter shall contain and the estimated delivery dates. TIME OF COMPLETION

Time of completion for this project will be 95 working days. Project must be completed by April 26, 2019. ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

The engineer's estimate for this project is \$2 400 000 PREVAILING WAGE STATEMENT

part with federal housing and community development funds. The Federal Labor Standards Provisions, including prevailing wage requirements of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts will be enforced. A copy of the Federal Wage Decision applicable to this project is included in the

Bid Document

This is project is a public work in the State of California, funded in whole or in part with public funds. Therefore, the higher of the two applicable prevailing wage rates, federal or state, will be enforced. The Contractor's duty to pay State prevailing wages can be found under Labor Code Section 1770 et Labor Code Sections 1775 and 1777.7 outline the penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages and to employ apprentices, including forfeitures and debarment. The State Wage Decision is available online at http://www.dir.ca.gov/ dlsr/ or by contacting the Awarding Body

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MANDATORY PRE-BID JOB WALK A mandatory pre-bid meeting/job walk will be conducted at the **Hawthorne** City Hall, Department of Public Works, Engineering Division (second floor), located at: 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, CA 90250 on Thursday, June 21, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. All Bidders shall sign in on the Sign-In sheet at the All Bidders' questions will be answered at this time or by addenda. In addition, Bidders will have the opportunity to tour the proposed improvement and staff concerning any aspect of the job

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS Proposals must be submitted on the

blank forms prepared and furnished for that purpose, which may be obtained at the office of the Hawthorne City Engineer Bidders may also obtain copies of the Plans and Specifications for contemplated work. (See "NOTE" under Project Information section.)

No bid will be considered unless it conforms to the Proposal Requirements and Conditions. The City Council of the City of Hawthorne, also referred to as the City, reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, waive any irregularity, to accept any bid or portion thereof, and to take all bids under advisement for a period of ninety (90) calendar days after the bid opening Bids must be returned in the special envelopes provided, marked "SEALED BIDS", and addressed to the City Clerk. Each proposal shall be accompanied by

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as provided in Government Code Section 12940. Affirmative action to ensure against discrimination in employment practices on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex or religion will also be requi

PERFORMANCE RETENTIONS The successful bidder will be required

to provide for performance security as provided by law. Requirements for performance retentions may be satisfied by deposit or securities specified in Section 16430 of the Government Code and in accordance with Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code. CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

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. unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. An unregistered contractor may only submit a bid if 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 at the time the contract is awarded.

WAGES AND EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OP-

PORTUNITIES
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prime contractor. DBE REQUIREMENTS

defined in Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, and the State of California Department of Transportation Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Plan. The City of Hawthome established an AADPL of 8.2%. The contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR, Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of

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15	Traffic Šignal construction at the intersection of Prairie and Rosecrans Ave. including labor, potholing, and materials complete per Plan and Specification	LS	1
16	Traffic Signal construction at the intersection of Prairie and 147th St. including labor, potholing, and materials complete per Plan and Specification	LS	1
17	Plan and Specification Traffic Signal construction at the intersection of Prairie and Marine Ave. including labor, potholing, and materials complete	LS	1
18	per Plan and Specification Surveying	LS	1
19	Furnish and install 3" PVC conduit in addition to what is called for in each TS plan lump sum item	LF	1,000
20	Traffic Signal Loop Detectors Type "E'	EA	200
21	Traffic Signal Bicycle Loop Detectors Type "D"	EA	60
22	Preparation and implementation of Traffic Control, including all temporary delineation during construction, arrow boards, Message boards and necessary Signs and delineators.	LS	1
23	Remove existing concrete median and reconstruct 8" PCC Pavement over 8" CMB per detail 1 on Sheet 14.	SF	1,500
24	Asphalt concrete (PG-64-16) per detail 2 on sheet 14.	TONS	200

PUBLIC NOTICES

T.S. No.: 180209052

Notice Of Trustee's Sale Loan No.: 271528 Order No. 05935275 APN: 4017-010-018 You Are In Default Under A Deed Of Trust Dated 2/17/2017. Unless You Take Action To Protect Your Property, It May Be Sold At A Public Sale. If You Need An Explanation Of The Nature Of The Proceeding ainst You, You Should Contact A Lawye A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charge and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Mario Cisneros,

an unmarried man Duly Appointed Trustee: Aztec T.D. Service Co. Recorded 3/2/2017 as Instrument No. 20170245340 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, Date of Sale: 6/14/2018 at 11:00 AM Place of Sale: Behind the fountain located in Civic Center Plaza, 400 Civic Center Plaza, Pomona, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$53,521.06 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 726 N. Inglewood Avenue Inglewood, CA90302A.P.N.: 4017-010-018 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Notice To Potential Bidders: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may

exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. Notice To Property Owner: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (877) 440-4460 or visit this Internet Web site www.mkconsultantsinc.com, using the file number assigned to this case 180209052 Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 5/15/2018 Aztec T.D. Service Co. by Total Lender Solutions. Inc. its authorized agent 10951 Sorrento Valley Road, Suite 2F San Diego, CA 92121 Phone: (818) 848-8960 Sale Line: (877) 440-4460 By: /s/ Chelcey Romeril, Trustee Sale Officer Inglewood Daily News Pub. 5/24, 5/31, 6/7/18

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF AURELIANO VELA

CASE NO. 17STPB01349

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

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by MARIA MAGDALENA NEGRETE in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS

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

THE PETITION requests authority to administe 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: 07/25/18 at 8:30AM in Dept. 29 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 clai with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the

court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner LEONÁRD PLOTKIN LAW OFFICES OF

LEONARD PLOTKIN 301 E. COLORADO BLVD. SUITE 716 PASADENA CA 91101 5/24, 5/31, 6/7/18

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CHARLENE NAOMI PORTER Case No. 18STPB01431

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Charlene Naomi Porter. A **Petition for** Probate has been filed by Sharon Ann Boer in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, 111 North Hill Street, Los Angeles. CA 90012, Central District. The Petition for Probate requests that Sharon Ann Boer be appointed as the 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 of consented to the proposed actions.) 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

Date: 05/30/2018 Time: 8:30 a.m. Dept.: 9 Address of Court: Same as noted above.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour 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 credi tor 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 knowledg 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 any petition or account as provided in Probate Code §1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the Court Clerk. Attornevs for Petitioner:

Marilyn M. Smith, State Bar No. 72719 Erin Joyce, State Bar No. 149946 301 East Colorado Boulevard, Suite 620 (626) 683-8102 05/24, 05/31 & 06/07/2018 Hawthome Press Tribune

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER RAISING TOW & TOW STORAGE FEES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, June 12, 2018, at 6:00 P.M., a Public Hearing will be held in the City Council Chambers, 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthome, California, 90250 to consider all protests or objections to raising tow fees and tow storage fees under the U.S. Tow Contract.

If you challenge the subject matter of this 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 City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing. A written report has been prepared and filed with the City Clerk detailing the increase in the tow fees under the U.S. Tow Contract. Under the U.S. Tow Contract, tow fees may be raised pursuant to Resolution of the City Council of the City of Hawthome. This report is available for public inspection during regular office hours. Further information may be obtained by contacting the City Manager at 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthome, CA 90250 (310) 349-2904. City Hall will be closed on June 8th 2018. Hawthome Press Tribune Pub. 5/31, 6/7/18







NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: **ELEANOR JANE DESARACHO AKA** ELEANOR J. DE SARACHO CASE NO. 17STPB04458

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of ELEANOR JANE DESARACHO AKA ELEANOR J. DE SARACHO.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by ANGELA GARCIA in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that ANGELA GARCIA be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the

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: 06/15/18 at 8:30AM in Dept. 29 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 vour 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

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 any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner

STEVEN F. CARVEL, ESQ. - SBN 230422 LAW OFFICE OF STEVEN F. CARVEL 2100 N. SEPULVEDA BLVD. STE 37 MANHATTAN BEACH CA 90266 5/24, 5/31, 6/7/18 CNS-3136089#

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF THOMAS A. WETZEL No. 18STPB02175

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the estate, of THOMAS A, WET-ZEL, A Petition for Probate has been filed by PATRICIA WETZEL in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles. The Petition for Probate requests that PATRICIA WETZEL be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority 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: June 14

2018 at 8:30 a.m., Dept. 4: Probate, Room: 217. Superior Court of California. County of Los Angeles, 111 N. Hills 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 four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above. 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 asse or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for clerk. Thomas D. Mason (SBN 304902), Attorney for Petitioner, 7474 N. Figueroa St., Suite 110, Los Angeles, (

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I used to be indecisive, but now I'm not so sure. - Winston Churchill

HAWTHORNE SCHOOL DISTRICT Notice Inviting After School Program Service Provide

RFP NO.: R18-19-2 DUE DATE: June 21, 2018 2:00 PM Sharp! BY TIME:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Hawthome School District, acting by and through its Board of Trustees, hereinafter called the "District" will receive up to, but no later than the above-stated date and time, sealed Request for Proposals from qualified and experienced Service Provid-ers capable of providing after school services for the District's After School Educational and Safety Program (ASES), generally described as RFP No. R18-19-2 After School Program Service Provider.

Proposals shall be received in the office of the Hawthorne School District, Purchasing Department at 13021 S. Yukon Ave., Hawthome, California 90250, and shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above stated time and place. Any proposals received after the time specified above or after any extensions due to material changes shall be returned unopened. Service Providers are solely responsible for ensuring their proposal is received prior to this deadline and the District is not responsible for any delays or errors in delivery.

There will be a mandatory **Pre-Service**

Providers Conference on June 7, 2018, at 10:00 AM, at 13021 S. Yukon Ave, Hawthorne, CA 90250. Any Service Provider bidding on the project who fails to attend the entire mandatory Pre-Service Providers conference will be deemed a non-responsive Service Provider and will have its proposal returned unopened. *Allocate extra time due* to parking restrictions in the area. For questions regarding the Request for

Proposal, please contact the Hawthorne School District's Purchasing Department at 310-676-2276, or you may visit the District's website at http://www.hawthome.k12.ca.us/bids.

Each Service Provider shall be a licensed pursuant to State of California Regulations, California Business and Professions Code and have the necessary license to perform the work called for in this request for proposal. Copies of all licenses must be included with their proposal. No Proposal will be considered from a Service Provider who, at the time the Proposals are opened, is not licensed.

Each Service Providers proposal must be

accompanied by one of the following forms of security: (1) eash; (2) a cashier's check made payable to the District; (3) a certified check made payable to the District; or (4) a Service Providers 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 Service Providers security must be in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), as a guarantee that the Service Provider will enter into the proposed contract If the contract is awarded to such Service Provider, they shall provide the required insurance certificates and any other required documents. In the event of failure to enter into the said contract or provide the necessary documents, said security will be forfeited.

No Service Provider shall withdraw its bid Proposal for a period of ninety (90) days after the award of the contract by the District's Board of Trustees. During this time, all Service Providers shall guarantee prices quoted in their

respective proposals. The District reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, make multiple awards, or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any proposal or in the bidding. The Contract for

the work, if awarded, will be by the action of the District's Board of Trustees to the Service Provider that meets the qualifications established by the RFP documents.

The Service Provider is advised that all inquiries and clarifications about the Request for Proposal 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 via e-mail to Aneska I. Kekula, Purchasing Director, at ikekula@hawthorne. k12.ca.us. All inquiries must be received by June 13, 2018, at 4:00 PM. The District will not respond to any inquiries after this time. Service Providers 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/bids. Service Providers are responsible for reviewing the District's website and incorporating any and all clarifications provided therein into their Proposa

It is each Service Providers sole responsibility to ensure its proposal is timely delivered and received at the designated location as specified above. Any proposal received at the designated location after the scheduled closing time for receipt of proposals shall be returned to the Service Provider unopened.

Publications: HSD Website at http://www.hawthome.k12. Herald Publications: 1st Publication: May 24.

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- Henry Ford

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Precious Pooches



We are looking for volunteers to help with our pet adoption fairs which are held every Saturday at the Petco located at 537 N. Pacific Coast Hwy., Redondo Beach 90277, from noon to 3: 30 p.m. If you are interested in volunteering and can commit to at least one Saturday a month, please contact us at info@ msfr.org. You can also visit all of our Miniature Schnauzers & Friends rescues at the adoption fair or check out our website, www.msfr.org. If you have any questions about a particular dog's availability, you can email us at info@ msfr.org. Schnauzers! Bet you can't adopt just one.

"Hola! Mi nombre es Estella. Oops, sorry about that. I meant to say my name is Estella. I forgot that I'm no longer in Tijuana and that I'm now residing in Southern California. You see, another rescue group scooped me up off the streets of Tijuana and turned me over to the MSFR volunteers. Naming me wasn't a problem because I had my name when I arrived. However, determining my breed is another story. I have a long body, Schnauzer coloring and Schnauzer fur that means I'm a non-shedder. Best guess, without a DNA test, is that I'm a Schnauzer/ Lhasa/Cocker mix. I've had a pretty exciting life for a 1.5-year-old gal, but I'm ready to settle down and find my forever family. I'm super friendly and full of energy, so one of my favorite pastimes is playing with other dogs. I have a beautiful, shiny coat and -in keeping with the Schnauzer traits -- the most expressive dark eyes and an adorable face. I'm 20 pounds of love and affection just waiting to give it to the right family."



Robyn

If you're interested in **Estella**, please email info@msfr.org for more information.

"Hi there, my name is Robyn and no I'm not a bird. I'm actually a 4-year-old, female Schnauzer/Terrier mix. What started out as an afternoon adventure to get away from the pups ended up with me residing at an LA area shelter. Since I was a stray, they put me up for adoption. Even though I had several interested parties, no one ever showed up to take me home with them. That is, until the MSFR folks rescued me and are now helping me find a forever home. After I had an appointment with their vet, I'm happy to report that my days of having litters and being a mom are behind me. I'm really quite cute with my docked tail and cropped ears. Being a mere 17 pounds makes me easy to transport. I'll be your constant companion! I have a great personality and overall I'm a pretty happy gal with a big smile. I get along great with other dogs and I'm super friendly with people, but you really need to see for yourself what a great addition I would be to your family."

If you're interested in **Robyn**, please email info@msfr.org for more information.

"They call me Chloe, but maybe Lonely would have been a better name when I lived with my previous owners who dumped me at an LA County shelter. Their reason for abandoning me was that I kept leaving! Hello, I'm only 2.5 years old and it's boring and lonely being left alone in the yard all day. Who can blame me for looking for adventures and trying to make friends? Since I spent most of my time alone, I'm a bit skittish for a female Miniature Schnauzer. But with a little time, I do warm up to adults and



then... look out! I will be your shadow. Even though I do fine with adults, I'm really not comfortable with small children. So I think I'd prefer a home without youngsters. After a few days with my foster family, I started to come out of my shell. Lo and behold, I found that I really love playing with my foster siblings and squeaky toys! Who knew? So if you're looking for a tiny, 9-pound sweetie to make your life complete, I'd love to be your 'Velcro' dog."

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