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Waters Receives 2018 Legacy Award for Veteran Support



Congresswoman Maxine Waters (D-43rd District that includes Inglewood) was honored last week by New Directions for Veterans during the 25th Anniversary Veterans Canteen event last week. She received the "2017 Legacy Award" as a champion for veterans and military families. In the photo, left to right: Rudy E. Grimaldo, NDVets Board Member; Mark Robeson, Treasurer of the Board; Elijah Adams, NDVets Board Member; Larry Williams, Co-Founder of NDVets; Sam Meites, NDVets Board Member. Front row from left, Jennifer Kim, Vice Chairman of the Board; Congresswoman Maxine Waters; Col. (Ret.) Yvette Kelley, CEO & President of NDVets; David Baylor, Chairman of the Board; and Parris Wells, NDVets Board Member. Photo provided by Congresswoman Maxine Waters' office

Affordable Housing Authority Stays Under City Council Control

By Rob McCarthy

The nation's high court sees no legal problem with California cities and counties requiring builders to make some houses and apartments in new developments affordable to people who've been priced out of the market. The justices rejected a Southern California developer's argument that affordable housing quotas are unconstitutional.

In a case pitting California cities and counties against developers, justices last month refused to take up a West Hollywood developer's challenge to inclusionary zoning. This type of zoning gives city councils and boards of supervisors the authority to adopt ordinances and set policies that force new developments to include some affordable homes for sale and apartments for rent. Inclusionary zoning is considered by urban planners and government agencies an effective tool for adding to the limited availability of affordable housing units. "People shouldn't have to leave the state in order to find affordable housing or achieve the American dream of home ownership," said State Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardena).

The zoning power gives local officials the dual powers to approve new developments while extending some rent relief to a small number of residents and families with low or moderate incomes. The U.S. Supreme Court gave a thumbs up to state law governing affordable housing requirements on new homes and apartments.

No one expects the court rulings--or newly signed California laws--to solve the region's housing crisis, which is growing as the median price of a home countywide hovers above a half-million dollars, according to a June real estate survey. CoreLogic said the median price in May was \$560,500 across Los Angeles County.

"Affordable housing is being addressed to some extent, but we have a huge supply constraint in Los Angeles that's driven by multiple factors," said Paul Habibi, a lecturer in finance at UCLA. "But the long and short of it is we have more demand than we have housing supply. It's driven up the cost of housing and it's created a pretty

dramatic affordability crunch."

No more than 30 percent of a household or individual's monthly income should go for housing, according to Habibi. Yet, almost one-third of renters in the state spend half of their take-home pay on rent, according to findings from California Department of Housing and Community Development.

Local households would need to receive a 50 percent raise to \$96,000 per year to reach the 30 percent requirement for a median-priced home, Habibi said. A 14 percent raise would cover a median-priced apartment.

South Bay's median home prices sold in August ranged between \$470,000 in Carson to \$2.23 million in Manhattan Beach, according to a pricing listed at Torrance Real Estate.com. The most affordable communities continue to be Gardena, Hawthorne, Harbor City, Lawndale, Playa del Rey and San Pedro--with homes priced under \$500,000, based on the August sales report.

Fully aware of the looming housing crisis facing the state's workforce, Governor Jerry Brown and the Legislature passed into law this year 15 bills, including one that restored the authority of South Bay cities and the county to demand that developers do their part. State and L.A. leaders also say that homelessness must be addressed, and they link the high homeless population to a lack of affordable apartments for displaced individuals and families.

One of the new laws, authored by Assemblyman Richard Bloom, D-Santa Monica, allows cities and counties to require that 15 percent of units in market-rate housing be set aside as affordable to low- or moderate-income people. In an op-ed piece published on the website BisNow.com, Habibi suggests that South Bay city leaders and the L.A. Board of Supervisors green-light more types of workforce-specific affordable housing. Rents and home prices are linked to the limited supply of new construction, the UCLA lecturer said.

The state needs 180,000 additional price-

reduced housing units each year, according to the Housing and Community Development Department. The need far outpaces the 80,000 new units per year that local governments have approved over the past decade, according to Habibi.

Los Angeles County needs nearly 500,000 more units that are affordable to lower-income households. However, current new construction meets just three percent of that need, according to the California Housing Partnership Corp.

Governor Brown on September 29 signed into law 15 legislative bills to help increase the supply and affordability of housing statewide. The measures provide funding for affordable housing, reduce regulations, boost construction and strengthen existing housing laws, according to the Governor's office. Several are targeted at slow-moving cities that tie up affordable housing projects in red tape and refuse to approve the badly needed projects.

SB 166 ensures that cities maintain an ongoing supply of housing construction sites for residents of various income levels. SB 167 and AB 678 raise the standard of proof required for a local government to justify a denial of low- and moderate-income housing development projects.

AB 72 strengthens the state's ability to enforce laws that require local governments to achieve housing goals. SB 540 streamlines the environmental review process for certain local affordable housing projects. AB 73 gives local governments incentives to create housing on infill sites near public transportation. AB 879 authorizes a study of local fees charged to new residential developments that will also include a proposal to substantially reduce such fees.

Senator Bradford co-authored AB 1505, also signed by the Governor, which empowers local city councils and L.A. County supervisors to deny new homes and apartment projects if the developer refuses to keep a portion of the new units affordable for low- to moderate-income residents of South Bay cities and unincorporated areas. •

Weekend Forecast

Friday
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Saturday
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Cloudy
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Sunday
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Finance

5 Essential Soft Skills for a Job Interview



(BPT) - Picture this: After months of networking and polishing your resume, you managed to make the necessary connections, get in front of the right people and land an interview.

You deserve to be here. After all, you have an impressive background, great experience, fantastic references and are confident you can exceed the requirements of the job. The interview is really just a formality.

For many, the hardest part of the job hunt is simply getting an interview. However, many top candidates get passed over and are surprised when they are not offered a job. The reason for this is they often spend a lot of time practicing how to answer questions and explaining their qualifications, but forget about the soft skills.

A successful interview is about making the right impression, and these five soft skills are essential to making the impression that leads to a job offer.

1. A memorable appearance. We all know you need to dress your best before going into an interview, but you should go the extra mile to ensure the person you meet with remembers you. In addition to looking clean, tidy and professional, dress in a way that makes you feel confident and will make others notice.

2. Be ready to floss on the go. If someone notices something in your teeth, a piece of spinach or fleck of cereal, they won't be able to see anything else. Before any interview, be

sure to have a pack of Plackers Flossers with you. Made with strong floss that can quickly remove any gunk stuck in your teeth, these convenient one-handed flossers also double as a toothpick. Don't leave home without them!

3. Exude confidence. Beyond just making you look good, the big reason behind dressing well and double checking that your teeth are clean and free of gunk is because this will give you confidence. Hiring managers can tell the difference between someone who is confident and someone who is not. Needless to say, they're more impressed by confidence! So even if you're nervous, dress up, keep clean, give a firm handshake and-if you have to fake it until you make it!

4. Keep it positive. How you answer questions is often just as important as the answers you give. Always frame what you say in a positive note. In describing difficult managers or poor work conditions at other companies, frame it as a challenge you were happy to take on, an opportunity to learn and grow. Most importantly, remember to smile!

5. Eat well. You might be nervous and lose your appetite, but be sure you eat well the night before and the morning of the interview. Whole grains and foods loaded with fatty acids, such as salmon, eggs and kale, can help you feel great and relaxed for the interview. Just remember to have a few Plackers Flossers on hand so that energizing meal doesn't become an unsightly mess in your mouth! •

Seniors

Health and Wellness Benefits of Volunteering

(BPT) - In the business world, we hear a lot about the bottom line and quarterly reports. For those in the nonprofit sector, it's often a matter of reaching fundraising goals and achieving their mission statement. No matter what kind of organization you work for, there are big-picture goals, but of course there are more.

Increasingly, companies are realizing that part of this big picture is giving their employees the opportunity to volunteer for worthy causes, even paying them to do so. These efforts can lead to some serious collective gains. For example, according to The Health of America - Community Investment Report, employees from the 36 independent Blue Cross and Blue Shield (BCBS) companies volunteered more than 400,000 hours and donated over \$11 million in 2016 alone.

Individual efforts really do add up. Whatever program your employer has in place, here are some of the enormous personal benefits that come with volunteering.

Productivity. Many would like to volunteer but just don't have the time. Who doesn't want to take a little time off and get away from their busy lifestyle and just relax? In a way, volunteering can help you do just that. According to a study in the Harvard Business Review, helping or giving your time to others can make you feel like you have more time, and in turn, make you a more productive worker.

Health. Many studies have found that

people who regularly volunteer tend to lead healthier lives and have a reduced risk of heart disease. The jury is still out as to why exactly this is, but giving back to others seems to reduce stress, build confidence and increase a person's sense of satisfaction. These psychological factors play an enormous role in our physical health.

While they help create connections and build community, volunteers also get a huge amount of personal benefits from their work. Better health, a sense of satisfaction and joy that comes with helping others are only a few of the reasons why more people are deciding to give their time to others.

Community. In our digital age when everyone is engrossed in their smartphones and seem to be locked in their own world, connecting with others - whether it's those in need or other volunteers - is more important than ever. This is what happened when BCBS companies spearheaded efforts to improve health care access for the uninsured and under-insured. Volunteers helped at mobile clinics and food banks and with educational programs, making invaluable contributions and connections in their communities.

Family. When their employer gives them the opportunity to take a day or two off to volunteer, many people bring their family along. The reason is simple: coming together to do something for others is an incredible bonding experience and can really strengthen relationships. •



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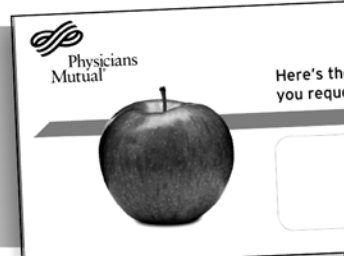
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Hawthorne Happenings Classifieds

News for the City of Good Neighbors from an Old Guy named Norb Huber

VOTERS SAY YES ON HH

A landslide took place in Hawthorne this past Tuesday. Where in the heck is there a hill in Hawthorne for it to slide, you might ask? The landslide took place at the polling booths and through the absentee ballots that were cast in favor of Measure HH. Close to 70% of the voters gave Hawthorne the YES that was needed to keep the City headed in the right direction. Less than a penny for every dollar spent in sales taxes is a small price to pay to keep our Police, Fire and our City services operating at full force. The morale of our city employees has been lifted. The City Council can now move ahead with plans to make Hawthorne a viable city to compete for jobs and businesses to come to our fine city. The Measure will give everyone something to be happy about. Unlike the 12 cent gas tax that recently went into effect, you and me will probably not even notice what HH tacks onto our purchases. Just know that the City is better for it and let's move on to making a better City of Good Neighbors. Thank you Hawthorne for making the right choice.

CELEBRATE VETERANS AND THEIR HOLIDAY

The public is being invited to attend a party, a Veterans Day party over at Dana Middle School this Saturday night beginning at 7 p.m. The Veterans Commission of the City is sponsoring a ceremony to honor our vets, but following the formalities, they are planning to have live music, dancing, food and a real fun celebration to make thing lively for us citizens who want to celebrate and enjoy a good time with those who have served our country and given us the freedoms that we take for granted. If you can't make the party, be sure to thank any vets that you know.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

KRTH will begin playing Christmas music this Friday. Costco has had Christmas decorations for sale for the past month. The big one is coming. We haven't had the big Turkey Day yet, but the holiday of all holiday's is here. The Hawthorne Parks and Community Services Department of the City is sponsoring a "Winter Wonderland Spectacular" for kids of all ages on Thursday, December 21st from 6 to 9 p.m. at Memorial Park. There will be a snow slide, winter play area, carnival games and prizes. Santa will be there for photos with the kiddos. Hot cocoa, food and much more are all on the schedule. The cost is \$5 for ages 1-11 years and \$7 for 12 years and older. So mark your calendars. There will be a 21 day count down

(I love to hear from my readers. – email me – norbhuber@gmail.com)



for Santa to arrive, so be on the lookout for Santa sightings throughout Hawthorne.

WISEBURN HIGH SCHOOL

Congratulations to our friends at the Wiseburn School District upon the opening of a dream building. The Wiseburn High School has been a goal for decades. The District has

wanted to have a facility to offer nothing but the highest educational program around the area to their students graduating from their middle school. With the development of the Da Vince' Charter Schools, the District moved into becoming one of the most desirable for secondary students to attend in the past decade. Families from outside of the Wiseburn District has been placed in a lottery to see who would be the lucky ones to attend the free, public high schools that offer private school education. Graduates from Da Vince' Science have been accepted by some of the most competitive universities. They are producing many engineers who are coming back to area companies to work and live right here in the South Bay. The new building will also house the District offices and the Charter offices. Congrats to all who have made this great school a reality.

SAFE AT CHURCH?

Mass shootings and terrorist attacks are happening now anywhere, at any time and for any reason. You would think that you would be safe inside your house of worship. You would think that God would protect those people who have come to worship Him. That is not always the case. We live in a world of sin. Bad things happen to good people. Is God still in control? How could God allow death to come to innocent children and their family members? We search for answers. In our deepest times of distress and worry, we find the peace of God to be there. God IS in control. He sent his Son to die for the sins of the entire world. God loves us. We cannot understand the whys of earthly tragedies, but we lean on God's promises in His Word to comfort us. Jesus is our Good Shepherd. He leads to us to still waters. He restores our souls. Even though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death we will fear not, his rod and staff they comfort us. No cold one can give me that kind of peace. No gun can protect me like that. We all live in this sinful world, we all can put our trust in God and we all can have that peace. Now, since we have all the small things figured out and we are at peace with the world, God, and all of mankind, now we can enjoy that cold one. Peace and Cheers to all! •

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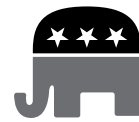
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Politically Speaking



One Man's Opinion

Brazile's DNC Allegations Indicate More Than Unethical Agreements

By Cristian Vasquez

Excerpts released from former Democratic National Committee interim chair Donna Brazile claim that an unethical agreement between the DNC and Hillary Clinton's 2016 presidential campaign was reached in an attempt to keep the DNC alive financially. While it is no surprise to hear that Clinton is being accused of something unethical, it is alarming that the DNC would resort to such actions, for any reason, and to the degree that Brazile claims. These actions are more than just a shakeup within the Democratic Party's establishment--and lifelong supporters of the party should be angered and need to either clean house or abandon ship.

In all fairness, it was announced in 2015 that a joint fundraising effort between the DNC and Clinton's campaign was in place. Furthermore, by 2016 the two had signed an agreement to fundraise together under the guise that the agreement was no different from the ones President Obama's campaign used in 2008 and 2012. Yet, Brazile's claims that Clinton's campaign pumped money into the DNC for control of its finances one year prior to Clinton becoming the official nominee shows a level of corruption that justifies the President's "Crooked Hillary" chant. The writing is on the wall is clear: Clinton dangled the carrot in front of the DNC for her power pursuit. The DNC took the carrot and at the end of the day, they both got what they deserved: a failed campaign. Unfortunately, the American people will pay for their mistake

for the next four years, if not eight.

Based on Brazile's claims, Clinton and her campaign had the blessing of the DNC and at least a one-year advantage over every Democratic Party candidate and still failed miserably. Will people now accept how horrible of a candidate she was? Her supporters probably won't, and many will likely resort to Russian interference or dirty campaigning to justify the loss. The reality is that Clinton and the DNC personify what the Democratic establishment has evolved into: a movement without structure, without leaders and without substance. We can point to Democrats who are considered the future of the party (Newsom, Harris, Castro or Kennedy III), but what kind of future can registered Democrats expect when the DNC leases its powers to one candidate to pay off massive debts? One of two things will happen: the young Democrats climbing the ranks will either cooperate with the DNC playbook, hence becoming part of the problem...or, they will simply never shake off the label of potential leaders and get stonewalled by their party.

Politics is a dirty game and learning about these accusations comes as no surprise, but Democrats need to be more than outraged--if not by the lack of ethics behind this agreement, then at least by the lack of coherent leadership from the party. At the end of the day, it was Clinton and the DNC that lost an election to a candidate who had never held public office, despite all the advantages granted to Clinton via an unethical agreement. •

Another Man's Opinion

House of Cards Continues to Crumble in Libcentric Hollyweird

By Duane Plank

Shocked to see a push-back last week against the latest Plank diatribe in the letters section. Egads!

Did you fill up your gas tank in the last week? If so, say thank you to the extra money that you forked over to the soon-to-be termed out Cali Governor Jerry Brown, whom I pretty much like, by the way. The guise is that they will take the billions that they are lifting from our wallets and fix the crappy roads and remedy other transportation issues that have plagued the great state of California for more than a few years. Sure.

Not that the extorted money will be used to help fund the Brown-backed boondoggle of a bullet train, right? A bullet train that is headed god knows where and will cost tens of billions. Or maybe the Dems and the next Governor, who undoubtedly will be a Dem, will funnel the extra gas tax and car registration fees that were rammed through by the Dems who run the sanctuary state of California into trying to lessen the incredible pension funding problem that has plagued our state as politicians have continued to kowtow to unions in their effort to win election after election.

And kowtowing to the unions has worked, if working is jamming the political positions in this state with left-leaning pols. Who were/are trying to enforce some kind of insanity that was termed the "Road Diet." Choking off the commute in our neighborhoods as we steam to and fro from work every day.

Hoping that we will bike to work, walk to work, or take the very inconvenient public transportation options to work, or to our other destinations of commerce or recreation.

That is a great thought--biking to work. Save the environment, save this, save that. Climate change and all. Do you think the corpulent Al Gore, alleged mastermind of the global warming diatribe, or the sweaty, somewhat chubby actor Leo De Caprio--another alleged protect the environment wacko--have ever biked to work? Or taken public transportation?

For me, that would mean biking to the See's Candies distribution center on Alameda Street in Carson. Yeah, that would be a great idea. At 5:30 in the morning, I will jump on my crummy bike, ride it 20 miles to Carson and feel good because I have saved the planet. I am sure that my co-workers would love to sit next to a guy who just sweated his way through a 20-mile bike ride.

No showers at See's Candies, at least that I am privy to, so I can arrive drenched in sweat...if I don't get killed on the way, riding my tricycle in the dark. And then--after putting in an incredibly tough day of working with our fundraising and business partners, cajoling them and utilizing my incredible sales talents--hop back on my crummy bike and navigate my way back to the safety and sanctity of El Segundo.

Yeah, that seems like a great option. I am starting to warm up to the option of being taxed even more and saving this planet. •



Entertainment



Film Review

Thor: Ragnarok Brings Fresh Perspective to Marvel Universe

By H. Nelson Tracey
for www.cinemacy.com

Covering the Marvel Cinematic Universe from a critical perspective is always interesting: the behemoth franchise never missteps or whiffs, but often fails to leave us with an individual film to be remembered. The most inarguably flat film of the entire franchise may be *Thor: The Dark World*. While we all have our favorites (or least favorites), this cold, heartless sequel is never brought up in conversation since its release. With the first outing of *Thor*, a compelling character arc was put in place: our hero went from being a brash, arrogant and clueless character to a more grounded hero by the end of the film. It's a great journey, but it only lasts for one film--so by the second *Thor* movie, there was no place for him to go forward and the writers didn't even bother to attempt it. This, more than any other reason, is what made the second film so stale.

So where to go from there? If there is ever proof that anything can be great under the guidance of the right person, it is *Thor: Ragnarok*. Entrusted in the hands of indie favorite Taika Waititi--whose last two films, *Hunt for the Wilderpeople* and *What We Do in the Shadows*, are some of the best

comedies of the decade--it was anyone's guess what a massive scale blockbuster would look like under his influence. To our delight, the film more closely resembles the work of Waititi than a conventional Marvel film, and we are all able to benefit from it.

From the very get-go when we see Thor in action on some brooding, otherworldly setting, there is a juxtaposition from the grandiose visuals of the *Thor* universe met with the oddball

Waititi humor that never fails to deliver. For the first time in a while, it feels like a director has taken command of the reins of a Marvel movie. Mind you, unlike most sequels to bad movies where they attempt to revise history or scrap previous entries, this film embraces all the story points from the last film but chooses to have a lot of fun with them.

The plot on its own could be a more straightforward tale: An evil villain (Cate Blanchett)

who has a history at Asgard, enters into the fray with the intention of ruling over the entire galaxy. Thor (Chris Hemsworth), meanwhile, is thrown off guard again and lands on a junk-pile planet where, in order to escape, he must serve as a gladiator. Borrowing cues from throughout the decade, I'm struck with how well employed this '80s homage is--by setting it on a specific planet, it gives the entire universe a more layered feeling where certain places have different atmospheres than others. The balance between the two planets, the regal Asgard and the synthesized '80s-inspired second planet, is a great contrast and the variety makes the whole adventure a delightful romp.

Of the Marvel movies, the only one I can actively recall re-watching is the original *Avengers*. After viewing this film, I can safely say I'd be thrilled to relish in *Thor: Ragnarok* again. With its humor, vision and sincerity, the bar has been raised for what Marvel can accomplish, and I hope its look continues to invite more brilliant directors to jump into the fray.

Thor: Ragnarok is rated PG-13 for intense sequences of sci-fi violence and action, and brief suggestive material. 130 minutes. Now playing in theaters everywhere. •



Chris Hemsworth and Tom Hiddleston in *Thor: Ragnarok*. Courtesy of Marvel Studios.

"Every great film should seem new every time you see it."

— ROGER EBERT

Sports

World Series Loss Means More Heartache for Dodgers and Fans

By Adam Serrao

The World Series championship that has eluded the Los Angeles Dodgers for so long will have to wait at least another year to find itself a home in Southern California. A series filled with amazing victories, heartbreaking losses, incredible performances and gigantic meltdowns most likely could have gone back and forth for another seven games. Eventually, however, it ended in favor of the Houston Astros, as the American League team showed up on the road in the game that mattered most. The Dodgers will have a very long offseason to look back at what went wrong in the World Series. They'll also have an even longer 162-game regular season schedule to play in order to make another run at the team's first championship victory in what will now be 30 years of heartache.

Heartache probably can't begin to describe the feeling of Dodger fans everywhere as they watched their team quickly take a 5-0 deficit in the only Game 7 of the World Series that Los Angeles has ever been a part of in the team's local history. In the biggest moment of his career, on one of the grandest stages in the entire sports world, Dodgers pitcher Yu Darvish failed. The conclusion to a series that may have been among the most dramatic ever played ended in the most anticlimactic fashion possible as Los Angeles was out of the game and championship contention from what seemed to be the opening pitch.

Word came out days later that Darvish was tipping his pitches, meaning that batters like George Springer, Jose Altuve and Carlos Correa knew what was coming before the ball even reached home plate. It certainly looked that way. Much of the blame there can easily be placed on Darvish—a pitcher the Dodgers acquired for exactly this situation. How, though, as coaches, do you leave a pitcher who clearly doesn't have it out on the mound in the most important game of the year to give up five runs—especially after his last outing against the same Astros team in Game 3 in which he looked just as bad?

As far as blame goes, it can certainly be placed on Dave Roberts and the rest of the coaching staff for trusting too much in analytics and not in their own eyes. Many different questionable moves throughout the entirety of the World Series simply culminated in leaving Darvish out on the mound for far too long. That, combined with the way that the Dodgers' best players sulked and felt sorry for themselves from the second inning on, gave the team zero chance at pulling off a come-from-behind victory in a winner-take-all game in front of their home crowd.

Ten players left on base only began to tell the story of a team that clearly did not want it as much as the Houston Astros. Cody Bellinger—who looked as if he had been out partying too late for Halloween the night before—committed a brutal error

to start the game when he inexplicably threw a fielded ground ball behind Darvish, who was covering first base, in a play that led to two runs and a massive momentum switch for Houston. Not only was the Los Angeles home crowd taken out of the game from that point forward, but Bellinger also proceeded to hurt the team at the plate. He struck out three times on the night and went 0-4, acting as the main, major hole in the lineup that led to almost zero offensive production for a team that still managed to obtain more hits than its counterparts in the final box score.

The Dodgers were 98-0 this season when having the lead after eight innings of play. Yet, in Game 2, Roberts left Jansen in for his second career six-out save attempt and the Dodgers wound up losing the game. The Dodgers were 100-1 in starts by Clayton Kershaw when he was given at least a four-run cushion. Kershaw gave up both a four-run lead and a three-run lead in Game 5 before being pulled in a loss that eventually saw the Dodgers go down 3-2 in the best of seven series. Theoretically, the Dodgers should have won five of the first six games played against the Astros, were it not for bad coaching decisions and All-Star players buckling under playoff pressure.

Putting the blame game aside, the Astros were simply the better team. They made more plays when it counted and fewer mistakes at key moments in the series.

For the Dodgers, they are now forced to once again focus on next year. How will the team get better so that it can finally take the next step forward and become champions instead of simply making it to the playoffs or the Fall Classic? Darvish, Logan Forsythe, Brandon Morrow and Chase Utley are all free agents, among others. Clayton Kershaw will be another year older, coming off of another year in which he was injured. Corey Seager may need surgery to repair his ailing elbow. Drama involving Adrian Gonzalez hovers around the team. All of those questionable situations, and more, surround a 104-win team that finished with the best record in baseball yet will be looking to improve upon a year that once again somehow ended in letdown.

The Dodger season went on for as long as it possibly could have this year, providing the team's fans with a maximum amount of entertainment value. The year may have ended with a loss and in disappointment, but the memories of joy, elation, excitement and accomplishment will remain. The only thing to do now is to focus attention toward next season. The Dodgers have been through three decades of baseball that have all ultimately ended in disappointment. Los Angeles and the team's fans will once again look forward to next year in order to finally rid the franchise of all of its surrounding regret. •

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Looking Up

Martian Ridge Brings Out Rover's Color-Distinguishing Capabilities

Based on a Press Release from JPL, Provided by Bob Eklund

Color-discerning capabilities that NASA's Curiosity rover has been using on Mars since 2012 are proving particularly helpful on a mountainside ridge the rover is now climbing.

These capabilities go beyond the thousands of full-color images Curiosity takes every year: The rover can look at Mars with special filters helpful for identifying some minerals, and also with a spectrometer that sorts light into thousands of wavelengths, extending beyond visible-light colors into infrared and ultraviolet. These observations aid decisions about where to drive and investigations of chosen targets.

One of these methods for discerning targets' colors uses the Mast Camera (Mastcam); the other uses the Chemistry and Camera instrument (ChemCam).

Each of the Mastcam's two eyes—one telephoto and one wider angle—has several science filters that can be changed from one image to the next to assess how brightly a rock reflects light of specific colors. By design, some of the filters are for diagnostic wavelengths that certain minerals absorb, rather than reflect. Hematite, one iron-oxide mineral detectable with Mastcam's science filters, is a mineral of prime interest as the rover examines Vera Rubin Ridge.

"We're in an area where this capability of Curiosity has a chance to shine," said Abigail Fraeman of NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, California, who leads planning for the mission's investigation of Vera Rubin Ridge.

This ridge on lower Mount Sharp became



This false-color image demonstrates how use of special filters available on the Mast Camera (Mastcam) of NASA's Curiosity Mars rover can reveal the presence of certain minerals in target rocks. Image Credit: NASA/JPL-Caltech/MSSS

a planned destination for Curiosity before the rover landed five years ago. Spectrometer observations from orbit revealed hematite here. Most hematite forms in the presence of water, and the mission focuses on clues about wet environments in Mars' ancient past. It found

evidence during the first year after landing that some ancient Martian environments offered conditions favorable for life. As the mission continues, it is studying how those conditions varied and changed.

Curiosity's ChemCam is best known for

zapping rocks with a laser to identify chemical elements in them, but it also can examine targets near and far without use of the laser. It does this by measuring sunlight reflected by the targets in thousands of wavelengths. Some patterns in this spectral data can identify hematite or other minerals.

"The colors of the rocks on the ridge are more interesting and more variable than what we saw earlier in Curiosity's traverse," said science team member Jeffrey Johnson of the Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory, Laurel, Maryland. He uses both Mastcam and ChemCam data for analyzing rocks.

Hematite occurs at sufficiently small grain sizes in rocks found at this part of Mars to preferentially absorb some wavelengths of green light. This gives it a purplish tint in standard color images from Curiosity, due to more reflection of redder and bluer light than reflection of the green wavelengths. The additional color-discerning capabilities of Mastcam and ChemCam show hematite even more clearly.

"As we approached the ridge and now as we're climbing it, we've been trying to tie what was detected from orbit to what we can learn on the ground," said Curiosity science team member Danika Wellington of Arizona State University, Tempe. "It's still very much a work in progress. The extent to which iron-bearing minerals here are oxidized relates to the history of interactions between water and rock."

Vera Rubin Ridge is named for astronomer Vera Rubin (1926-2016), who confirmed the existence of dark matter. •

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE (Secs. 6104-6105 U.C.C.) Escrow No. 25816-TC

Notice is hereby given to creditors of the within named seller(s) that a bulk sale is about to be made of the assets described below. The name(s) and business address(es) of the seller are: Kyung Mi Cho, 8409 S. 8th Ave., Inglewood, CA 90305. The location in California of the chief executive office of the seller is: 8409 S. 8th Ave., Inglewood, CA 90305. As listed by the seller, all other business names and addresses used by the seller within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the buyer are: NONE. The names and business address of the buyer(s) are: Belle Mode, Inc., 213 S. Gale Dr. #B, Beverly Hills, CA 90211. The assets to be sold are described in general as: Furniture, fixtures, equipment, tradename, goodwill, lease, leasehold improvements, cov-

enant not to compete and is located at: 8409 S. 8th Ave., Inglewood, CA 90305. The Business name used by the seller(s) at that location is: Louisiana Fried Chicken. The anticipated date of the bulk sale is 11/30/17 at the office of Hanmi Escrow Co. Inc. 3130 West Olympic Blvd., Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90006. This Bulk Sale is subject to California Code Section 6106.2. If so subject, the name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is Hanmi Escrow Co. Inc. 3130 West Olympic Blvd., Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90006 and the last date for filing claims shall be 11/29/17 which is the business day before the sale date specified above. Dated: November 2, 2017. Belle Mode, Inc., a California Corporation By: /s/ Seung Hoon Lee aka Ralancee Lee, President 11/9/17 CNS-3069496# Hawthorne Press Tribune Pub. 11/9/17 HH-25806



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONE AMENDMENT 2017ZA05 AND CHANGE OF ZONE 2016CZ01

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Hawthorne will hold a public hearing to consider the following matter: **ZONE AMENDMENT 2017ZA05/CHANGE OF ZONE 2016CZ01:** A proposed ordinance amending the Hawthorne Municipal Code and zoning map to incorporate the Runway Protection Zone Overlay, which will provide standards and allowable uses for the eastern approach to the Hawthorne Airport. **PROJECT LOCATION:** A trapezoidal area "off the end of runway 25" on the east side of the Hawthorne Municipal Airport - City of Hawthorne Los Angeles County, State of California. (See Map) **MEETING DETAILS:** Day: Tuesday Date: November 28, 2017 Time: 6:00 p.m. Place: City Council Chambers 4455 West 126th Street Hawthorne, CA 90250

Those interested in this item may appear at the meeting and submit oral or written comments. Written information pertaining to this item must be submitted to the Planning Department prior to 5:30 PM



November 27, 2017, at 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, California 90250 or

emailed to cpalmer@cityofhawthorne.org. For additional information, you may contact

Christopher Palmer at (310) 349-2970 or at the email noted above. **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:** Pursuant to State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15305, Zone Amendment 2017ZA05 and Change of Zone 2016CZ01 are covered by a Class 5 Project (Minor Alternations in Land Use Limitations) the CEQA Categorical Exemption for actions that do not change the land uses allowed on areas of slopes greater than 20% and do not change allowable land uses in a manner that could create a potentially significant impact on the environment. The ordinance would enact standards and allowable uses for the Runway Protection Zone Overlay on the eastern approach to the airport and is therefore exempt from the provisions of CEQA. **PLEASE NOTE** that pursuant to Government Code Section 65009: In an action or proceeding to attack, review, set aside, void, or annul a finding, determination or decision of the Planning Commission or City Council, the issues raised shall be limited to those raised at the public hearing in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or City Council at or prior to the public hearing. Hawthorne Press Tribune Pub. 11/9/17 HH-25805

NOTICE OF ANCILLARY PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: AIDA E. GARCIA AKA AIDA ELSA GARCIA AKA AIDA GARCIA CASE NO. 17STPB08730

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of AIDA E. GARCIA AKA AIDA ELSA GARCIA AKA AIDA GARCIA. AN ANCILLARY PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by ALICIA RUFIN AKA ALICIA GARCIA CEPEDA in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES. THE ANCILLARY PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that ALICIA RUFIN be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE ANCILLARY 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 ANCILLARY 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: 12/01/17 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 claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days

from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner JANET LUND - SBN 082092 LAW OFFICES OF JANET LUND 5200 WARNER AVENUE, SUITE 205 HUNTINGTON BEACH CA 92649 11/2, 11/9, 11/16/17 CNS-3065932# Hawthorne Press Tribune Pub. 11/2, 11/9, 11/16/17 HH-25799

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE (U.C.C. 6101 et seq. and B & P 24074 et seq.) Escrow No. 881835-SJ

Notice is hereby given that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The names and address of the Seller/Licensee are: RAJAI AZIZ OTHMAN, 10334 Firmona Ave., Lennox, CA 90304. The Business is known as: MERCADO LATINO MEAT MARKET. The names and addresses of the Buyer/Transferee are: DAVID YOUNG SUH, 10334 Firmona Ave., Lennox, CA 90304. As listed by the Seller/Licensee, all other business names and addresses used by the Seller/Licensee within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the Buyer/Transferee are: None. The assets to be sold are described in general as: furniture, fixtures and equipment, tradename, goodwill, lease, leasehold improvements, covenant not to compete, together with the following described alcoholic beverage license(s): 538382 and are located at: 10334 Firmona Ave., Lennox, CA 90304.

The kind of license to be transferred is: 20 - OFF-SALE BEER AND WINE now issued for the premises located at: 10334 Firmona Ave., Lennox, CA 90304. The anticipated date of the sale/transfer is 11/30/17, at the office of Unity Escrow, Inc., 3600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 900 Los Angeles, CA 90010. The amount of the purchase price or consideration in connection with the transfer of the license and business, including the estimated inventory, is the sum of \$127,000.00 which consists of the following: Description Amount *Checks deposited into escrow...\$127,000.00 It has been agreed between the Seller/Licensee and the intended Buyer/Transferee, as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions Code, that the consideration for the transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control. Dated: November 1, 2017 BUYER: S/ DAVID YOUNG SUH SELLER: S/ RAJAI AZIZ OTHMAN 11/9/17 CNS-3069281# Hawthorne Press Tribune Pub. 11/9/17 HH-25804

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ABANDONMENTS: \$125.00

ABC NOTICES: \$125.00

DBA (Fictitious Business Name): \$75.00

NAME CHANGE: \$125.00

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Milo

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Milo is the perfect cat. He is a stunning flame-point Siamese. Along with his loving and affectionate personality, Milo is intelligent and sensitive, sociable, playful, healthy and handsome as the day is long. He loves his humans and will run to the door to greet you when you come home. Milo is very dog-like and never tires of playing. This boy has got it all. Please consider adding Milo to your life. He will bring you more happiness than you knew possible. How can you resist?

Betty is a darling and affectionate kitty who was abandoned. She adapts quickly to a new home and bonds easily to her caregivers, but will retreat when strangers come to the home. However, once she sees that people are friendly (or even better, if they offer treats), Betty relaxes. She likes to snuggle in bed and take her position in the family. Betty is oblivious to other animals and prefers the company of people, as she thinks she is one of them. She would be content as a single kitty or would be fine in a home with a friendly beta pet.

Milo Miles is an irresistible brown tabby with the prettiest eye markings a boy ever had. He is not a very modest kitten and can often be found admiring himself in the mirror. He and his sister Lakshmi were born on the streets where they were picked with their mother by a Good Samaritan. Milo is a shy and sweet kitten who sleeps with his foster mom every night. He is a great climber, jumping to the tallest ledge of his cat tree. He is very attached to Lakshmi and will cry if he finds himself alone in any room until he finds her. Milo loves to play and wrestle with Lakshmi and gets along with adult cats.



Milo Miles



Lakshmi Singh

He would prefer to go to a home together with his sister, as they are very bonded, and would be fine with other kitties as well.

Lakshmi Singh (Milo's sister) is a spunky and confident little girl who will melt your heart. She never stops purring and will try anything once. She was affectionate and loving from the moment her foster mom took her in. Lakshmi is very playful and will make anything into a toy--frequently stealing her foster mom's hairbands and pieces of string, carrying them in her mouth and hiding them around the house. She has no fear of heights and will climb to the top of a 10-foot cat tree. Lakshmi loves other cats--especially her brother Milo--and will plop herself down on any cat that is around to cuddle. Lakshmi would love a home with her brother and would be fine with other cats as well.

Linus is the sweetest, most loving furry ball you'll ever meet. He loves being the center of human attention and is good with big and small humans alike. Linus loves to cuddle and purrs to the touch. With his laid-back charm, he is happy as long as he is getting love and attention from humans. He also loves to play with other kitties once they understand who is the boss....which is definitely Linus, as he is a bit of an alpha. He would enjoy having a home with his sister Lucy or would likely get along with a cat-friendly dog after an appropriate integration period.

Jody is a friendly, fun-loving guy. He is full of spunk and loves to scamper around, play with toys and his sibling, and is always looking for some fun. Jody currently lives with several dogs and cats and loves most of them. Because young cats like him do so much better with a buddy, he should be adopted with his sister Jill (a cute little black and white girl), whom he adores and has not been separated



Jody



Betty

from since they were born.

Sir Winston was found abandoned in a condo parking lot. He is a stunning, young, energetic male. Winston is a friendly, funny, feisty and curious kitty. He has super-soft, medium-length, dark gray fur with white markings, beautifully expressive gold eyes and an adorable pink nose. While Winston is not a lap kitty, he enjoys being petted and loves to interact and be close to his humans.

Oliver is a happy, friendly lap cat looking for his forever home. He likes to spend his days napping in the sunshine while sprawled across the bed or curled up on the top shelf of the cat tree. His favorite time of day is when he sits and watches TV with his foster mom. At bedtime, Oliver loves to quietly lie beside his foster mom as she sleeps. Please come meet Oliver and see what a sweet boy he truly is.

Phoenix is a very playful girl. She loves the laser pointer (she comes when she hears you pick it up), drinking from the faucet, having her chin rubbed, sleeping in high places and gazing out the window. Phoenix will follow you around the house hoping to be the center of your attention. She is petite and slender with beautiful almond-shaped eyes, a little white patch on her forehead and a full white chest. Phoenix is friendly with other cats and plays well with young cats. She would also be content to be an only cat.

Cashmere is a handsome boy with the playfulness and energy of a kitten. He is looking for a forever home that will shower him with love, attention and affection. Mealtimes are his



Oliver

favorite time of day. He loves treats, especially when his foster mom shares some juicy morsels of chicken with him or gives him a few pieces of tuna. Cashmere also loves to play with cat toys--batting toy mice in the air, tossing balls across the room and zooming across the floor to catch them. Napping in the cat tree beside the window and basking in the sun are also two of his favorite pastimes. Cashmere has never been around other cats, so he would do best in a single cat household. He did grow up around a dog and may adjust to another cat-friendly dogs.

These kitties 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 or email us at mail@kittenrescue.org.

Your tax-deductible donations for the rescue and care of our cats and kittens can be made through our website or by sending a check payable to Kitten Rescue, 914 Westwood Boulevard, #583, Los Angeles, CA 90024.

On Saturdays, we have adoptions from noon to 3:30 p.m. in Westchester at 8655 Lincoln Boulevard, just south of Manchester Avenue, and also in Mar Vista at 3860 Centinela Avenue, just south of Venice Boulevard. Our website lists additional adoption sites and directions to each location. •

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Phoenix



Cashmere