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Man killed in 4th shooting since Dec.

VERONICA JACUINDE

Wasco Tribune

A 23-year-old Wasco man was killed during a shooting on Feb. 20. The shooting occurred in the 500 block of

D Street at around 9:30 p.m. The Kern Counby Sheriff's Office was called to the scene for multiple reports of shots fired in the area.

Guillermo Leon was found suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. He was

pronounced dead by emergency responders. A postmortem examination will be conducted to confirm the cause and manner of death, deputies said.

There are no details regarding what led up to the shooting, and no suspect information was immediately available.

This homicide marks the fourth shoot-

ing in Wasco since December.

The most recent occurred on Feb. 16 in the 2400 block of Sharon Court. They found Christopher Aaron Regalado, 31, deceased due to a gunshot wound when law enforcement arrived.

On Feb. 9, a man was shot in the face during a failed robbery attempt near 8th and E Street. He was airlifted by helicopter to Kern Medical Center, but was later discharged from the hospital.

Two men were shot in the 1500 block of G Street on Dec. 4. Guadalupe Chavez, 46, was pronounced dead at the scene and the other victim was treated and later released from Kern Medical Center.

The Kern County Sheriff's Office asks anyone with information to call 661-861-3110 or the Kern Secret Witness hotline at 661-322-4040.

Director Chad Givens said that the majority of the cast are not dancers and have learned the steps on the job.

is coming to Shafter

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

The Shafter Young Adult Theater is putting on a production of the Broadway hit "Newsies", which will be held at the Shafter Ford Theater from March 3-6, and March 11

The curtain will go up on March 3-5 at 7 p.m. On Sunday March 6, the show will be starting at 4 p.m.

There will also be performances

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on March 11 and 13, beginning at 7 p.m. on March 11 and 4 p.m. on March 13.

Led by Director Chad Givens, the production is based on the original production by Disney, which went on to be nominated for five Tony awards.

The story is based on a real event, a newspaper strike put on by a group

of young delivery boys, who stand up to one of the newspaper powerhouses of the time, Joseph Pulitzer. Demanding fair treatment, rights, and a say in how their newspaper world is ran, the story follows Jack Kelly, Davey, Les, and a group of boys who dance and sing their way through an entertaining night. There is humor, dancing, singing, and a great message that results in you not

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Seafood

Public hearing to be held for proposed trash rate

VERONICA JACUINDE Wasco Tribune

The City Council has set guidelines for residents to provide input on the proposed trash rate increase.

A public hearing regarding the city's proposed trash rate adjustments will occur on April 19. The council held

a special meeting and approved a resolution to provide guidelines for submitting and tabulating protests in anticipation of this.

"The resolution was created specifically to avoid confusion with the council or the public as we navigate the protest process. The council is eager to follow the process to ensure the public has the maximum opportunity to have its views heard and considered. We also feel it is important that the public understands this action [to raise rates] is largely driven by State of Cali-



City Manager Scott Hurlbert

fornia mandates, not the City of Wasco," said City Manager Scott Hurlbert.

With the resolution, guidelines were set to ensure that the public protest hearing is conducted in a way that permits every affected person to speak, submit testimony, and, if desired, a protest of the proposed rate adjustment. A process for receiving and counting the number of protests was

also agreed upon. Any person who wishes to protest or provide any information regarding the proposed rate increase must do so before the public hearing or during the public hearing, but

Any customer of record who is subject to the proposed utility change may submit a written protest by mailing or delivering it in person to the City Clerk's office located at 746 8th St. Written protests can also be submitted during the

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Mask mandate returns to pre-surge

VERONICA JACUINDE

Wasco Tribune

As of Feb. 16, the state's masking mandate reverted back to pre-surge requirements and fully vaccinated people do not need to wear masks indoors. Unvaccinated people are required to mask in all indoor

vaccinated people continue masking indoors if the risk may be high. Masks are required for all individuals

in the following indoor public settings,

The state also recommended that fully

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regardless of vaccination status: on public transit, indoors in K-12 schools, emergency shelters, health care settings, State and local correctional/detention centers, homeless shelters, and adult/senior care facilities. 'COVID is likely to be in Kern County

for the near future, if not permanently," said Brynn Carrigan, Director of Kern County Public Health Services. "We need to learn to safely live with the presence of this dis-

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Community Calendar

As activities restart and businesses reopen, we will try to update readers on the status of events and activities throughout the area. Please contact Erica Soriano with additions and changes at esoriano@TheShafterPress.com or call 661-292-5100 by Monday at 4 p.m. for that week's paper.

ONGOING

Healthy minds, healthy bodies — The Shafter Youth Center is having a Healthy Minds, Healthy Bodies event on Thursday, Feb. 24 from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at 455 E. Euclid Ave., Shafter. This is a walk-up event. While supplies last, 200 pantry food boxes, 200 hygiene dental kits, 400 books for grades PreK to sixth and resource information will be given out. Social distancing and masks are required.

Wasco Elks Golf Tournament — The 2022 Wasco Elks Golf Tournament is on April 23. Registration starts at 7 a.m. and it is four-man teams. The tournament will be at the North Kern Golf Course, 17412 Quality Road, Bakersfield. Call Sergio at 661-747-9044 or email him at skiny24@

Wasco Branch Library is in partnership with NO Kid Hungry and the Kern County Superintendent of Schools is offering FREE meals and space to do homework.

Bookkeeping Free Training Program at MAOF, "Mexican American Opportunity Foundation. 2130 Chester Ave., Suite 200, Bakersfield, CA 93301 (661) 336-6821. Related Occupations* Accountable Payable/Accounts Receivable Clerks & Payroll Clerks. Entry Requirements: At least 18 years of Age, must complete a reading and math assessment, High School Diploma or GED required.

Free covid-19 tests — All residential households are able to order four free athome covid-19 tests. These tests will ship for free starting in late January. Visit www. covidtests.gov to order.

Scholarship deadline — The Wasco Community Scholarship Association application deadline is March 7. Students need to obtain their transcripts and recommendation letters and turn in the documents no later than 5 p.m. on March 7. The association is a nonprofit and the money goes directly to scholarships.

TUESDAY

Wasco City Council — The council meetings are held at Council Chambers at

746 8th St. on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. For more questions, call the city at 661-758-7214.

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Shafter City Council — Council meetings are held at Shafter Council on the first and third Tuesday of each month.

Richland School Board of Education - Meetings are held the second Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Golden Oak cafeteria at 195 S. Wall St.

Wasco Woman's Club — Club meetings are at the Clubhouse at 1601 7th St. on the second Tuesday of each month. There is a \$15 fee for lunch meetings.

Senior lunch program — The senior sack program gives out lunches to seniors every first and third Tuesday of the month at 11 a.m., sponsored by the Golden Gleaners. Griffith Avenue Baptist Church, 408 Griffith St., Wasco.

WEDNESDAY

Shafter Rotary — The Shafter Rotary meeting is every Wednesday at a.m. at the Shafter Veteran's Hall.

Shafter Kiwanis - The Shafter Kiwanis meet every Wednesday at noon at the Shafter Veteran's Hall.

THURSDAY

Wasco Recreation & Park Board Meetings are on every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. at the Hall at Barker Park,

Wasco High School Board Meeting -The board will be meeting at 1900 7th St. in room 202. The meetings are on the second Thursday of every month and are sometimes held in the library room 1101. The agenda is on the WHS website.

FRIDAY

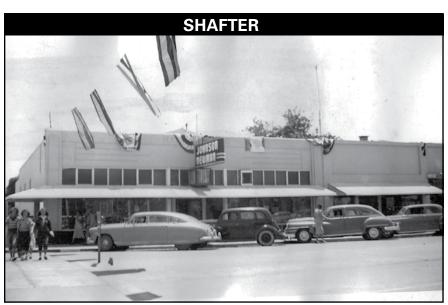
Food giveaway — The Impact Program is a weekly food giveaway provided to anyone in need, Fridays beginning at 7 a.m., first come, first serve. Griffith Avenue Baptist Church, 408 Griffith St., Wasco.

SATURDAY

Depot museum — The Shafter Depot Museum will be open every Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Depot is located at 150 Central Valley Highway.

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Mystery history



Here's this week's challenge, courtesy of the Shafter Historical Society. If you know the location, circumstances, exact or rough date and/or people in the photo, send your educated (or semieducated) guess to The Press, 455 Kern St., Suite E, Shafter, CA 93263, or e-mail it to mysteryphoto@The Shafter-Press.com. Winners will be revealed here next week. LAST WEEK: The photo, taken in the 1980s, shows Fred Starrh's 14 row cultivator by Nikkel Iron Works.





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ARREST REPORT

As reported by the Shafter Police Department FEB. 16

Edward William Robertson, 38, of Shafter, was arrested on the 100 Block of S. Central Valley Highway on a misdemeanor bench

Manuel De Jesus Castanon Jr., 38, of Shafter, was arrested on Central Valley Highway and E. Los Ange-

les for DUI alcohol. FEB. 17

Kenneth Leroy Kay, 67, of Shafter, was arrested on the 600 Block of Lopez Avenue for disorderly con-

duct: alcohol. Jose Reyes Soto, 39, of Shafter, was arrested on

800 Block of Central Val-

ley Highway for disorderly conduct: drug w/alcohol and on a misdemeanor bench warrant.

FEB. 19

Rosendo Tellez Jr, 25, of Shafter, was arrested on N. Valley Street and Golden West Ave. for disorderly conduct: under the influence of a drug and on a misdemeanor bench warrant.

FEB. 21

Leobardo Gomez Marquez, 49, of Shafter, was arrested on 200 Block of Olson Ave for disorderly conduct: alcohol.

BUTTONWILLOW

FEB. 1

Charles Daniel Moore, 35, of Maricopa, was arrested in the 20600 block of Tracy Avenue in Buttonwillow for disorderly conduct, possession of a controlled substance and on a misde-

ty Jail. FEB. 2

Serafin Maldonado, 30, of Bakersfield, was arrested in the 300 block of Central Valley Highway in Shafter on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

FEB. 7

Ruben Iribe, 23, of Bakersfield, was arrested in the 400 block of Cotton Avenue in Buttonwillow for possession of methamphetamine. He was cited and released at the scene.

FEB. 8

David Salgado Valdivia,

34, of McFarland, was arrested at the intersection of Highway 99 and Highway meanor warrant. He was 46 in Wasco for tinted winbooked into the Kern Coundows and driving on a suspended license. He was cited and released at the scene.

FEB. 13

Aaron Olivas, 40, of Lost Hills, was arrested in the 14000 block of Warren Street in Lost Hills for driving without a license, having a loaded gun in vehicle, and having false plates. He was cited and released at the scene

WASCO

As reported by the Kern County Sheriff's Office, Wasco Substation

FEB. 14

Karla Evangelista, 35, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of F Steet on a misdemeanor bench warrant. She was cited and released at the scene.

FEB. 16

Jaime Lucas Cortez, 36, of Wasco, was arrested in the 800 block of 7th Street on his misdemeanor bench warrants and disorderly conduct: drunk in public. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Ademar Ruiz, 26, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1900 block of Palm Avenue for felony inflict corporal injury on spouse. He was booked into the Kern Coun-

FEB. 19

Jeffrey Morales, 27, of Wasco, was arrested in the 500 block of D Street for felony false imprisonment with violence, misdemeanor battery on spouse, and obstruct officer: resist arrest. He was booked into the

Kern County Jail. Jose Juan Rosas, 40, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1900 block of 7th Street for felony possession of a stolen vehicle, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance, and possession

of unlawful paraphernalia. Bethany Ann Stidham, 37, of Shafter, was arrested near the intersection of Maple Avenue and 7th Street for misdemeanor possession of controlled substance, and possession of unlawful paraphernalia. She was cited and released at the scene.

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LaCarne Meat Market, a cut above the rest

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

Even as you enter the LaCarne Meat Market, grabbing the handles made from meat cleavers, you know you are in for a different experience.

The meat market opened this past Au-

Owner Hugo Garcia said one difference in his market is the high quality of meat that they provide to customers. "Our meat is graded, and we use only

Choice and Prime cuts of meat," said Gar-Garcia also said this place is something

that Shafter has needed for a long time, letting the residents experience a high quality cut of meat on their table. "Some things you can cut corners on, or

go the cheap route to save a little money, but when it comes to quality meat, it is worth the extra dollar a pound to be able to enjoy a great steak, or other piece of meat," he said.

Garcia is no stranger to the food business, starting the La Imperial Taco business

with his mother and sister just a few years ago. LaCarne supplies the meat to La Imperial Taco.

Garcia said that their ribeye steaks are very popular, as well as their Wagyu beef. Wagyu beef is set apart by its high grade and the fat in Wagyu melts in your mouth because of its lower melting temperature of its fat, resulting in a buttery, ultra rich LaCarne also has a selection of sea food,

with an array of shrimp and other fish. The attention to detail is another thing

that sets them apart from the rest, with the marbling of their meats, as well as the way the meat is butchered. Frank Duarte and Joe Navarro, who work at the market, have plenty of experience cutting meat. "You usually have to go to a bigger city

to get this grade of meat, usually settling for a cheaper, lower quality piece of meat," said Garcia. "We pride ourselves in giving the community a chance to enjoy a big city meat experience in a small town setting."





other appetizers.



The LaCarne Meat Market

Community shows their support for mobile blood bank

VERONICA JACUINDE

Wasco Tribune

On Feb. 18, the Houchin Community Blood Bank, in partnership with the Knights of Columbus, brought their donor bus to Wasco.

"When I first donated, I found out I was O positive, which I learned was the most



Tim Holtermann and Joe Acevedo, of the Knights of **Columbus**

needed blood type. I am young and healthy, and there is no reason I can't do my part to help," donor Jose Castro said.

"The process is simple," he said. "It doesn't hurt, and afterward, you get a snack. I feel terrific knowing that I am making a big difference for something that takes less than an hour. I encourage others to learn more about the procedure and change their misconceptions that donating is danger-

"We have partnered with the Houchin Community Blood Bank for more than 11

years," Danny Espitia, a 20-year member of the Knights of Columbus, said. "For me, it's about saving lives and being a good Christian, honoring my God, my family, and my friends. Also, when I give blood, it is beneficial because as a male, donating has been

linked to preventing prostate cancer."

Many Wasco residents have been donating for years. Martiniano Sandoval has given 14 gallons of blood and is working on his

"It's a piece of cake, and it makes me happy knowing that with each donation, I am impacting three lives," Sandoval said. "I know that every two seconds, someone in the U.S. needs

"All one needs to donate is a form of identification. When they arrive, donors are provided with general information and asked to fill out a basic questionnaire on a tablet. All of our educational materials and documents are translated into Spanish, so there is no

language barrier," said Houchin Community Blood Bank Account Manager Stephanie Pimentel.

We try to make the event special and fun. The Knights of Columbus, as always, were generous and hosted a barbeque with hot dogs and drinks. It was festive, and I believe everyone that donated had a good time. We try to not only make it easy for the donors to give, but it is also our goal to make the experience as enjoyable as possible," said Pimentel. "Right now, there is a nationwide short-



Donor Vivianna Zamora

age of blood, and Kern County has been highly affected by this, especially with covid," Pimentel explained. "When one gives in Wasco, the majority of the donations stay local, and so that is good for the commu-

"When I learned that the bus was back, I was excited and thought, let's do it again.



Katherine Deford, mobile supervisor, and Nicole Sanchez, phlebotomist

It was so convenient, and I literally walked here from my home," donor Leo Armendariz said. Armendariz said he has donated over 100 times.

"I know people need blood, and I have a lot of it. I love knowing that my blood is going to help someone that really needs it," said donor Vivianna Zamora.

The Houchin Community Blood Bank has been serving the city of Wasco for more than 30 years. Visit hcbb.com to learn more about the importance of donating and when the bus will return.



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WIHS recognized as model school

VERONICA JACUINDE

Wasco Tribune

Wasco Independence High School beat out over 400 alternative schools in California to win the 2022 Model School Award.

Founded in the mid-1970s, WIHS has since played an essential role in the community for those students needing extra



ABOVE: Principal Rusvel Prado and Former Principal



"I feel ecstatic, and especially for the staff, students, and parents as they all worked so hard for the award. It was a team effort," said Principal Rusvel Prado, a former teacher at the school with over 18 years

> of experience in alternative education. "This award is important because it proves that what we are doing here is working and that we are giving the best education to our students."

> The California Department of Education and the California Continuation Education Association made the selection. Recognition was based on student attendance, behavior, parent involvement, and commitment to the community. Only 36 schools in California received the award, with WIHS one of three from Kern County.

"I believe we received this award because we have some of the best teachers and staff in the state of California when it comes to teaching at an alternative site. All of them want to be here; they love our students and have a passion for the community of Wasco," said Prado. "Our school is small with only 140 students, and that allows us to create a warm environment for kids to thrive and realize their full potential."

'We help youth that has fallen behind in credits, had disciplinary issues, suffered a family crisis, a life change like teen pregnancy, or just didn't fit in at a traditional high school. We offer a traditional high school diploma and also provide an independent study program after school for those that are parenting minors, have a medical condition, or have a job," added Prado.

"It starts from the top district office for supporting our small school and providing us with the resources to be that special school," said Prado.

"The community support is huge, and so is their perception that we are not a school for bad kids; we are a school for kids to move forward," said former principal of 20 years Martin Lonza.



Students, from left, Ciara Garcia and Noel Abugan.

"Each student is unique, and everyone has a story behind it. For whatever reason, the traditional high school was not a good fit; we offer an education that is accommodating to all."

The school regularly brings new opportunities to their students like motivational speakers and colleges to help prepare them for their next step in higher education or other post-graduation options. Students can also earn college credits towards their associate's degree through a partnership with Bakersfield College.

"Here, one can grow from past errors. That instead of failing and giving up, you can learn from your mistakes and keep growing towards your goals and dreams,' said senior Noel Abugan.

After graduating, Abugan plans to go to the Army and believes the school has prepared him for the next chapter in his life.

"They helped me in a lot of ways. My communication skills have grown, and so has my confidence. Through the encouragement of my teachers and staff, I believe I can achieve anything," he said.

school, with it being so small, is that ev-

"The most important thing about the

eryone knows each other and there is mutual respect for one another," Abugan said. "The staff is energetic, they are interested in your success and really enjoy their work. We form bonds that help with the anxiety or stress one might feel at a traditional larger high school." Student Ciara Garcia originally came in

for credit recovery, but loved it so much that she stayed. Through the early college credit program, she said, "I am super excited to still be in high school and already start working on my future goals."

In May, WIHS will be recognized at the California Continuation Education Association Conference in Long Beach and will be taking a delegation of students to celebrate.



Students with certificates of recognition.

Richland schools celebrating kindness

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

The Richland School District celebrated Kindness Week, with students and staff

displaying SHAFTER their ability to show kindness to one another, as well as showing that they care for each other.

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At Redwood Elementary School, Kindness Week began by passing out Kindness Matters cards and a Kick Off Lunch with food and music. Staff and students danced in the playground area and also took a pledge to be kind to one another. They had Dress Up Days to promote kindness. The Kindness Squad spent lunch recesses with TK and Kindergarten students and completed kindness activities with the students.



Students created robots, complete with essays on what their robots' jobs were.

positivity that was promoted at the school. Sequoia Elementary School also had their Kindness Week, celebrating with spe-

cial activities and Dress Up Days. They gave a special thank you to their Student Council Officers for all of their hard work with organizing students' contributions to the Kindness Bulletin Board display and

their video messages. The staff said it is important that their students learn the meaning of true kindness and what that looks like in their treatment

of others. While Kindness Week was held

nationally on Feb. 14-18, the message of



Sequoia students had Dress Up Days during Kindness Week.

kindness, compassion, empathy, and understanding of others are skills and messages that will be shared all year long.

In addition to being kind, Richland also had a group of second graders take creativity to a whole new level as Mrs. Arellano's second grade Dual Language students were learning about inventors.

The class took a turn at inventing as they created their own robots. After deciding what the different robots' jobs would be, the students used a variety of materials to creatively construct a number of robots. They also made essays of what their respective robots did, such as the one made named Kassandra, who was made to help people with cancer. The essay said, "My robot Kassandra knows that people hate cancer, and need help when they are feeling sad. My robot makes them feel happy."

Students from other classes were asked to choose their favorite robot. Winners went home with prizes thanks to the Janet Stock-

ton Memorial Grant awarded by the Shafter

Kiwanis Club.



Redwood students had fun doing special activities, such as art projects, during Kindness Week.

Wasco Woman's Club welcomes new members

VERONICA JACUINDE

Wasco Tribune

The Wasco Woman's Club held an orientation event for new members last week, sharing how the organization is making an impact and contributing to the well-being of those living in the city.



Members, from left, Judy Myers, Janet Grundt and Judy Proffitt.

The new members were introduced to the group's mission and goals, including hearing about the club's rich history of service. The club, founded in 1923, has flourished as one of Wasco's most active and vi-

tal civic organizations.

The club is also proud to own the oldest adobe building in Wasco, which it rents for private functions and special events. Money generated is used to maintain the clubhouse and fund many community projects. Next year the club will

celebrate its 100th anniversary, and a big event is

planned to commemorate the occasion. In preparation for that, the clubhouse is undergoing renovation. Over the years, the club has directed time, money and interest to the needs of the Wasco community. They have strongly supported local schools and

libraries, encouraged con-

structive activities for chil-

dren and youth, promoted

conservation and assisted

with political functions. "I am excited to join the organization," said new club member Sukie Martinez. "Many of their initiatives are important to me,



and I look forward to helping the club realize its objectives to empower the residents of Wasco. I believe that the club is improving their quality of life." "I have stayed with the club for so many

years because of how special my fellow members are," Easter Smothers, a 60-year veteran of the club, said. "They truly care about Wasco, and I am proud to support and play a role in the club's success. I also enjoy the friendships and bonds I have formed as a club member over the years. It truly is a wonderful organization that makes a big difference in the local community."

"We hosted the new member orientation to introduce our mission to them," Vice President Jill Drescher said. "We hope that new members will have a fulfilling and fun experience knowing that their support is crucial to the club realizing our efforts. "Through the fresh ideas and creative

imagination that our new members bring to the organization, we can thrive and better adapt to the needs of Wasco. We are always looking to serve the community, and if something is missing that no one else is addressing, we strive to feel that gap," she

The club encourages women of all ages to join. Meetings are held every second Tuesday of the month at noon at the clubhouse, 1601 7th St. Membership fees are \$45. The club encourages those interested to call (661) 303-3770 to sign up.

Author Barry Bongberg visits Kiwanis Club

JAMIE STEWART The Shafter Press

The Shafter Kiwanis Club hosted local author Barry Bongberg recently, as he told the attendees of his experience writing his book, "Letters to Mom and Dad from Viet-Bongberg also told of his experiences

when he returned home from Vietnam after serving bravely for his country. "Dear Mom and Dad- Letters from Viet-

nam" is the end result of a series of letters that Bongberg wrote to his parents while he was overseas in Vietnam between 1967 and

"I didn't even want to think about Viet-

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nam once I got back home," said Bongberg, who also said that it wasn't very popular to let people know that you had served in Vietnam, with him and his fellow soldiers being spit on and screamed at. "I didn't even acknowledge that I had been over there for a long time when people I didn't know were taking about the war. I didn't volunteer any information about my experiences over Bongberg told the members of his chal-

lenges he faced as a scared, young man who was sent to a foreign land to fight in a war that was not popular back here in the states. helped ease the fright and the loneliness that engulfed him most days while overseas. "I was just a young, 17-year-old kid

Writing letters to his parents back home

who was scared out of his mind," he said. "I had to grow up really quick and these letters are almost a timeline of my growing up in that 13 months." Bongberg had written a total of 268 let-

ters in the 13 months he had been stationed in Vietnam. To his surprise, when he was cleaning out his parents' house a couple of years ago, he found a stack of letters that he had written that his mother had saved, even in chronological order.

Bongberg's daughter, Erica, started reading the letters and Bongberg then read a few of the letters. Erica told her dad that she thought that this would be a project that would be worth the time of him typing up all of the letters, having a record of them for him and Erica.

"It started as a project that would end once I typed up a copy of the letters for me and Erica, something that we could save those memories in. It just grew from there," he said.

Once Bongberg was finished typing up a copy of the letters for his daughter, he delivered them to her up in Northern California. While at her house, a friend of his daughter's, a publisher named Sara Olsher, read a few of the letters. Finding out what they were, Olsher thought this would be something that a lot of people would be interested in reading, suggesting to Erica that her dad think about putting them in a book.

Bongberg's Sadly,

daughter Erica passed away from breast cancer before the dream became a reality, with Bongberg and Olsher working hard on completing the project. After about a year of hard work, the

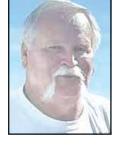
project was finished and the book was published. It is now available on Amazon.

You can also purchase a copy from Bongberg himself.

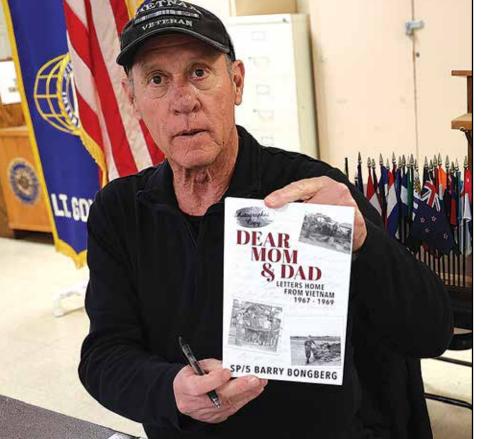
All of the proceeds of the sales of the book go directly to Metavivor, a nonprofit organization dedicated to increasing awareness of advanced breast cancer and equity in research and patient support.

It's been a year since you left this world to be with your heavenly father. Our time together

was too short and not a day goes by that I don't miss you.



Until we meet again, I'm sending my Love and Kisses. - Chris



Barry Bongberg signed copies of his book for attendees.

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Event will help clean up Kern County

JAMIE STEWART

The Shafter Press

Keep Kern Beautiful is hosting an event on April 23 for all Kern County residents to help clean up the area.

The event is to recognize the Great American Clean up on April 30. The national event is the country's largest community improvement program and takes place annually in over 15,000 communities nationwide.

Lynnda Martin, from American Refuse in Wasco, said there are a couple of big events coming up in the near future that can help the county keep its environment looking beautiful.

"I will be helping with some supplies for the events, as well as helping facilitate promotion in areas with Keep Kern Beauti-

ful to hopefully get some more volunteers," Martin said.

Martin said she will have plenty of trash bags for residents to use and she is trying to get free paint for graffiti clean ups as well.

Trash bags and safety vests will be provided. They also are asking that you dress appropriately for weather, wear closed-toe shoes, and all participants must fill out a li-

Keep Kern Beautiful is a committee whose mission is to protect and beautify our natural environment by means of community engagement, education, and empowerment.

It was created for the purpose of educating the community about littering behavior, control and prevention, waste handling, and beautification projects. They also promote a healthy, safe and enhanced community environment for all residents to enjoy.

Council approves guidelines for protests

public hearing by placing them in the city's mailbox located in City Hall at 746 8th St.

A written protest must contain: 1) a statement that the protest is against the proposed charge, 2) the name of the customer of record who is submitting the protest, 3) identification of the assessor's parcel number, street address, or utility account number to which the protest is made, and 4) an original signature and legibly printed name of the record owner of record who is submitting the protest. Protests that do not fulfill these elements will not be counted.

Based on the suggestion from a resident

during the special meeting to streamline the process and comply with the guidelines mentioned above, the council is creating a protest form that will be sent out along with the public hearing notice.

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the city clerk will tabulate all protests received, including those received during the public hearing.

If the number of protests received is insufficient to constitute a majority protest, the clerk may announce the absence of a majority protest, in which case the protest process ends.

A majority protest exists if written protests are timely submitted and not withdrawn with respect to a majority (50% plus one) of the parcels subject to the proposed increase. 'Achieving a majority protest is dif-

by the record owner or customers of record

ficult," Hurlbert said. "Even if a majority protest is not met, the protest letters, along with all public comment, is taken seriously by the council and city staff. The questions asked at meetings are appreciated and help staff plan for all scenarios. The city is working very hard to provide as much accurate information to the public as pos-

If the city clerk determines that an apparent majority protest is received, it will require additional time to validate the protests. The council may adjourn the meeting to allow the validation to be completed on another day.

If a majority is reached, the council is still in the review process regarding next steps. It is expected to have this in place by the time of the public hearing.

The council is working on the list of where the public hearing notices will be sent to ensure that all property owners or account holders (anyone who has an open account with the city that pays for sanitation service) receive the informa-

Pizza Factory under new ownership

VERONICA JACUINDE

The Pizza Factory has been remodeled and is under new ownership.

"I am grateful for the opportunity to take over, and I am excited to see how I can work with the city of Wasco to bring the community together during these times. I hope to create a special place where one can enjoy great food and a great atmosphere," said new owner Chai Lee. "The city is growing. The generation is

changing, and I want to adapt to this while supporting Wasco in any way I can," added

Lee chose Wasco because she wanted the feel of a small mom-and-pop pizza parlor. Her goal is to provide Wasco with a fun, family-friendly restaurant with outstanding service and a high-quality product.

"We take pride in the smile that first bite of pizza gives our guests. We strive to make everyone feel as if this is their hometown pizzeria. Our hand-tossed pizzas are simply the best. Each bubbly, cheesy pie is made with the 100% real mozzarella cheese and our signature sauce," said Lee.

Although there are other pizza restaurants in town, the Pizza Factory stands out for its chicken wings, sandwiches, salads, calzones, soft drinks, and cold beer. They pride themselves on making delicious dough, an incredible sauce, and using fresh ingredients sourced locally, Lee said.

Pizza Factory recently added music with a jukebox that customers can enjoy while eating. They also host karaoke nights on Saturdays twice a month.



Staff Joshua Maino, cook, and Diana Guerrero, assistant manager.

"People love music, watching people sing and enjoy just having an overall great time," said Lee.

Other special events planned for the future include bingo and arts and crafts nights. In addition, Lee is working on bringing live entertainment to the restaurant and encourages interested local musicians to reach out

Pizza Factory plans to continue aiding local schools and churches by helping them raise funds for their programs. They offer fundraising cards to sell for \$10, and the money they raise they keep. One can use hours of operation are Mon-

the cards to redeem free breadsticks, mini pizzas, and discounts on purchases.

Weekly specials like their Monday discounted one large pizza with one topping for \$12.99 help make dining out afford-

able. There is a lunch buffet deal from Monday thru Friday, 11 a.m. - 2-p.m., all-you-can-eat pizza, salad, and soft drinks for

Pizza Factory is located at 2325 Highway 46. Their day thru Thursday and Sunday from 11 a.m. - 9 p.m., and Fridays and Saturdays from 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. Call them at 661-240-5262 or find them on Facebook and Instagram at PizzaFactoryWasco.



New owner Chai Lee.

The restaurant's interior.

Extra, Extra – Newsies is coming to Shafter

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helping but rooting for the little guy.

"This story is about never selling yourself short and not allowing others to look down on you because of your age, and what can be accomplished when a group unites as one," Givens said.

Jack Kelly is played by Jaime Jesus, with the roles of Davey and Les, played by David Bloemhof and Micah Neufeld, respectively.

Also included in the newsies gang is Lauren Givens as Romeo, and Megan Bloemhof as Finch. Lauren Givens and Bloemhof are no strangers to the group, with them delivering amazing performances in past productions, including in the Wizard of Oz, where Bleomhof entertained as the Scarecrow and Givens was in the title role of Dorothy.





Don't miss a chance to see the show.

DEATH NOTICES

Wasco passed away Feb. 18, in Bakersfield. Peters Funeral Home Wasco. **Kathy Wegman** 96, of 40, of Wasco passed away

Teodoro Nunez 92, of

in Wasco. Peters Funeral Home Wasco. Santa Teresa Hernandez in Culver City. Basham-

Wasco passed away Feb. 18,

am-Lara Funeral Care Shafter. Robert Sanchez 74, of Wasco passed away Feb.3,

Feb.3, in Bakersfield. Bash-

Lara Funeral Care Shafter. Pedro Rivera Lopez 68, of Wasco passed away Feb.6,

Funeral Care Shafter.

in Bakersfield. Basham-Lara

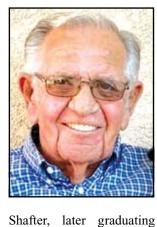
Gilbert Alegria 55, of Shafter passed away Feb.8, in Bakersfield. Basham-Lara Funeral Care Shafter.

Francisco ``Franky' Zendejas 30, of Shafterpassed away Feb.13, in Bakersfield. Basham-Lara Funeral Care Shafter.

OBITUARIES

Kenneth Gene Kroeker March 12, 1938 -Feb. 3, 2022

Kenneth Gene Kroeker, 83, passed away on Feb. 3, 2022, while at his home in Bakersfield. Ken was born on March 12, 1938, in the notorineighborhood Smith's Corner in the town of Shafter. Ken was the youngest of five children, all born to Jake and Annie Kroeker, both of Shafter. Ken attended school in



from Shafter High School

in 1956. Ken loved playing sports, specifically basketball, showing steers in the FFA, and was also the class president. Shortly after graduation, Ken attended Taber College in Kansas before being drafted into the United States Army. After he served our nation, Ken returned to Shafter and continued his father's legacy by being part of Jake Kroeker & Son's Farming.

In 1972, Ken met the love of his life, Betty, and after a short four months they were married; they remained so until her passing in 2016. Ken continued to farm and also ventured out and purchased the Shafter Motel in 1975, where he and Betty managed the day-to-day operations. With his two sons, Brian, 63, and Bruce, 60, they started Kenneth Kroeker and Sons Farming; the three worked side by side for many years. Ken later left the farming business and, for the last 25 years, worked for ATI Machinery renting tractors to many farmers in the agricultural industry.

Ken was known to keep himself busy by enjoying time at he and Betty's beach house in Pismo, managing his racehorses, or anything that gave him the chance to be with family. His commitment and loyalty to his family were paramount, and he was never inconvenienced or too busy for those he loved. Ken is survived by his

and friends. He had many

close friends and made ev-

eryone feel like family. He

was quite a jokester and

enjoyed making everyone

laugh by being silly. Steve

had the biggest heart and

even took care of those he

didn't know. He was very generous with everyone

and enjoyed giving gifts to

family and friends. He was

especially generous when

donating to his churches,

various other ministries,

charities and those in need.

death by his father, Noel,

and brother, Jay. When Jay

passed away he assumed the

responsibility of operating

Inland Crop Dusters, and

when his father Noel passed

away he became involved in

Steve was preceded in

sons Brian (Michelle) and Bruce. Grandchildren: Dustin (Hannah), Ryan (Dana), Kris (Shelby), Travis (Amy), Haley, and Hannah (Luc). Great-grandchildren: Alec, Kendall, Rylin, Ashlyn, Bella, Lane, Kennedy, Jase, Liam, and Gino.

Ken will be missed by many, forgotten by none, and is reunited with the Lord. His service will be held on Saturday, Feb. 26 at 1 p.m. at Peters Funeral Home in Shafter.

the families' Ocuya Creek operation. He is survived by his wife Sheri, sons Ryan and Logan, daughters Caitlin and Cheyenn, grandchildren Remë and Hunter McClure, stepchildren Francois, Solange, Adrian, and Lina, brother Sam (Jill), mother Janice, nieces Jaymie and Taylor, and many beloved aunts, uncles and cousins.

tions in his honor may be sent to Calvary Chapel Rosarito at 17451 Bastanchary Rd. Suite 203, Yorba Linda, CA 92886, Valley Bible Church in Shafter, or Minter Field Air Museum. A celebration of life will

In lieu of flowers, dona-

be held at the Inland Crop Dusters hanger at the Shafter Airport on March 4 at 12 p.m.

Allen (Marie).

Steven Noel Wilson July 5, 1968 -Feb. 15, 2022

Steven Noel Wilson was born July 5,1968 in Bakersfield, to Noel Wilson and Janice (Putnam) Wilson. He moved from his earthly home to his heavenly home with his Lord and Savior Feb. 15, 2022.

He was raised two miles south of Shafter with his two younger brothers, Sam and Jay. Steve attended Richland Schools and graduated from Shafter High School in 1986. He mastered the trumpet during high school and enjoyed playing guitar, keyboard, piano and drums. After high school, he spent a short time in junior college and some time with



Steve accepted Jesus

as his savior at the age of seven. After straying away from his Savior for a few short years, he returned and remained close to the Lord until his passing. Nikol True stepped into his life and they married in 1991. Their first son, Ryan Noel, was welcomed into the family Aug. 25 of that year. During the next nine years they had three more children – Caitlin Julianne, Cheyenn Nikol, and Logan Izquierdo. Their four children brought him his greatest joy in life. He spent most of his spare time surfing, water and snow skiing, skateboarding, hiking and traveling with them. When he returned to

Shafter, he DJ'd for 10 years which helped him hone his skills at the microphone. He also began learning to spray crops at his father and grandfather's company, Inland Crop Dusters as well as followed in his father and grandfather's footsteps by

tor. He then started his own flight school at Meadows Field Airport in Bakersfield. He learned to fly helicopters and found full-time employment with American West where he spent his next twenty years. He loved flying the big yellow Huey and perfecting the art of crop dusting. (You can watch a video of him flying the Huey by going to https:// youtu.be/iE9LrL-IkNI) In 2009, Steve married

becoming a flight instruc-

Sheri Warfield and took her and her children under his wings. He loved her and her children and they enjoyed many happy years together.

Steve was the most dedicated, hardest working man known by his family

> bered for her kindness and cheerfulness.

Barbara went home to Heaven on Feb. 20, 2022, and is preceded in death by her parents, Ben and Jane Allen. She is survived by her husband, Lyle Mack; her children, George Gardner (Shannon), Stephen Gardner (Karen), Kathryn Bouwkamp (Nico), and David Mack (Angie); grandchildren Mia Louise Gardner, Mateo, Elliott, and Carsten Bouwkamp, and Sandy and Janie Mack; and siblings Sylvia Henry, Ben-

A viewing will take place at Peter's Funeral Home in Shafter on Friday, Feb. 25, from 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26, 2022, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Bakersfield, 4500 Buena Vista Road, with a luncheon following. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Saint John's Lutheran Church, Saint John's Lutheran-sponsored school Anganza Lutheran in Tanza-

nia, or Shafter Community

Aug. 17, 1945 -Feb. 20, 2022 Barbara Louise Mack

Barbara Louise Mack

was born on Aug. 17, 1945, to Ben and Jane Allen in Pomona, California. Growing up, she worked on the family ranch and was actively involved in 4-H and raising replacement heifers. She graduated salutatorian at Montclair High School in 1963 and went on to attend California Lutheran University. Barbara spent a semester in Mexico and became fluent in Spanish. She

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION ON March 14, 2022 to

March 16, 2022 OF TAX DEFAULTED PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

County Treasurer-Tax Collector, Jordan Kaufman, was directed by Kern County Board of Supervisors' Resolution #2021-325 to conduct a

public auction sale in accordance

public auction sale in accordance with the provisions of Division 1, Part 6, Chapter 7 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code. The tax-defaulted properties listed below

This is a public notice that I will sell

the properties beginning at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on March 14, 2022 at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us.

The sale will be conducted as a public auction to the highest bidder

for cash in lawful money of the

United States or negotiable paper, for not less than the minimum bid as shown in this notice. Bidders must

submit a refundable deposit of \$5,000.00 electronically to www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us no later than 5:00 P.M. P.S.T. on Friday March 04, 2022. The deposit will be

applied to the successful bidder's

purchase price. Any parcel remaining unsold at the conclusion

of the auction may be resold within a 90-day period. If necessary, the subsequent sale will begin at 8:00 A.M. P.S.T. on May 23, 2022 at

Properties that are redeemed (paid) in full by 5:00 P.M. P.S.T., Friday March 11, 2022, will not be sold. The right of redemption will cease at that

time. Properties not redeemed will

If the properties are sold, parties of

interest (as defined in California Revenue and Taxation Code Section

4675) have a right to file a claim with the county for any excess proceeds from the sale. Excess proceeds are the amount of the highest bid in

excess of the liens and costs of the sale that are paid from the sale price. Notice will be given to parties

of interest, pursuant to law, if excess proceeds result from the sale.

The following is a partial list; a complete list may be obtained by calling our internet advertiser, Grant Street Group toll-free at 1-877-274-9320 or by viewing the list at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us. You may access public computers at all Kern

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The Assessor's parcel number, when used to describe the property in this list, refers to the Assessor's

map book, the map page, the block on the map (if applicable) and the individual parcel on the map page or in the block. The Assessor's maps

and further explanation of the parcel numbering system are available in

I declare under penalty of perjury,

that the foregoing is true and correct.

Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector

The properties that are the subject

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County Libraries.

the Assessor's office.

as follows:

www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us.

subject to the

Collector's power of sale.



began her 40-year teaching career in Ventura, California but taught most of her years in Shafter for the Richland

School District, teaching 6th grade to generations of Shafter students. As a teacher, she organized annual field trips to SCICON camp as well as the tide pools of Montana de Oro. Barbara met her husband

of 39 years, Lyle Mack while teaching at Richland School District. Together, they enjoyed traveling and spending time with their family. For many years, Barbara sang in the church choir at St. John's Lutheran Church and was actively involved in the Shafter Women's

Club and local bible studies. She enjoyed God's creation through birding trips with her sister and camping with her family. She opened her home to youth in the community, organized swim parties for her students, and hosted foreign exchange students and Junior Miss contestants. Barbara was a beloved grandmother, adoring her six grandchildren. As a lifelong Dodger fan, she attended Dodger games as often as possible. Barbara was selfless, practical, and caring. She will be remem-

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME **CASE NUMBER:** MCV-22000011 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: Gina Judkins Irvine and

Dirk Judkins filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as Present Name

Kiera Gina Judkins **Proposed Name** Kiera Gina Judkins Irvine

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

a. Date: April 04, 2022 Time: 8:30 am Dept: BM b. The address of the court is: SUPERI-

NOTICE OF HEARING

OR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF KERN, 1773 State Highway 58, Mojave, California 93501 Mojave Branch 3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause

shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Wasco Tribune Date: Feb 04, 2022 /s/Anthony S. Khoury

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT Publish Wasco Tribune February 17, 24, **PUBLIC NOTICE**

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR **CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER:** MCV-22000010 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present Name Mikailey Gina Judkins Proposed Name

1. Petitioner: Mikailey Gina Judkins filed

Mikailey Gina Judkins Irvine 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons

interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written

grant the petition without a hearing.

030-391-12-00-5 \$34,500.00 VALLEY CAPITAL INV INC 965 E ST WASCO

030-221-02-00-6 \$64,200.00 WAGSTAFF PROPERTIES LLC 1043 HIGHWAY 46 WASCC

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of this notice are situated in Kern County, California and are described 069-072-27-00-5 \$43,000.00 **BRAVO JOSE S & CHRISTINA** objection is timely filed, the court may

> NOTICE OF HEARING a. Date: April 04, 2022 Time: 8:30 am b. The address of the court is: SUPERI-

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eral circulation, printed in this county: Wasco Tribune Date: Feb 02, 2022 /s/Anthony S. Khoury JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Publish *Wasco* Tribune February 17, 24 March 3, 10, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF THE WASCO UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT AP-PROVING TO INCREASE STATUTORY SCHOOL FACILITY FEES IMPOSED ON NEW RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL/ INDUSTRIAL CONSTRUCTION PURSU-ANT TO EDUCATION CODE SECTION 17620 AND GOVERNMENT CODE SEC-TION 65995

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees ("Board") of the Wasco Union School District ("School District") will hold a Public Hearing at its Regular Meeting to be held on March 8, 2022 to allow for public comment prior to consideration of its reports titled "Residential Development School Fee Justification Study for Wasco Union School District" and "Commercial/Industrial Development School Fee Justification Study for Wasco Union School District" ("Fee Studies"), and consider adopting a resolution of the Board of the School District to increase Statutory School Facility Fees Imposed on New Residential and Commercial/Industrial Construction Pursuant to Education Code Section 17620 and Government Code Section 65995. The Fee Studies justifying such increases, which are incorporated herein by this reference, are on file at the School District's offices, located at 1102 5th Street, Wasco, CA 93280, and are available for public review from February 25, 2022 through March 8, 2022. The Public Hearing of the School Dis-

trict, to be held March 8, 2022 will begin at 6:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as practicable, at the District Board Room, located at 440 Griffith Avenue, Wasco. CA 93280. These matters will be considered at such time as this agenda item is considered by the Board of the School District. Any questions regarding the Fee Studies or the public hearing should be

directed to Karen Evans, at (661) 758-Publish Wasco Tribune February 24, March 3, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement

S&G Hotshot Trans. LLC 2022-B0430 650 N Maple Ave Apt. 38 Wasco, CA 93280 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 650 N Maple Ave Apt. 38

Wasco, CA 93280

650 N Maple Ave Apt. 38 Wasco, CA 93280

State of Incorporation or Organization: The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company

Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)

/s/Savanna G Ochoa, CEO Date Statement Filed: 01/18/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/18/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: T Flsher Publish Wasco Tribune February 3, 10,

17, 24, 2022 **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Fictitious Business Name Statement **Protect Your Nuts** 2022-B0499 **Good Steward Pest Management** 2022-B0500

552 Arkelian Ave Shafter, CA 93263 County: Kern Mailing address of business: PO Box 616 Shafter, CA 93263 **Ernest Michael Navarrete**

552 Arkelian Ave Shafter, CA 93263 The business is conducted by: Indi-Date the business commenced: N/A

A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Ernest Michael Navarrete Date Statement Filed: 01/20/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/20/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA

Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: P Del Villar Publish Wasco Tribune February 10, 17, 24. March 3, 2022 PUBLIC NOTICE

Fictitious Business

Collective Belief 2022-B0503 1540 Primrose Court Wasco, CA 93280

County: Kern Mailing address of business: 1540 Primrose Court Wasco, CA 93280 Martha Beatriz Villa 1540 Primrose Court Wasco, CA 93280 The business is conducted by: Indi-Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name State-

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nie Allen (Mary), and George tion. The filing of this statement does

not of itself authorize the use in this

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federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Martha Beatriz Villa Date Statement Filed: 01/20/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/20/2027

Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: M Hernandez Publish *Wasco* Tribune February 17, 24, March 3, 10, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement 2022-B1283 16649 Leonard Ave

Wasco, CA 93280 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 480 Maple St Shafter, CA 93263 F & M Harvesters 16649 Leonard Ave Wasco, CA 93280 State of Incorporation or Organization: The business is conducted by: Corpo-

Date the business commenced: 11/22/2018 A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expira-

tion. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Eli Espericueta, President Date Statement Filed: 02/17/2022

Date Statement Expires: 02/17/2027 Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: M Hernandez Publish Wasco Tribune February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 2022 **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Fictitious Business Name Statement Air King Heating & Cooling Inc 2022-B1305 314 Front St Delano, CA 93215 County: Kern

Mailing address of business: P.O. Box 696 Delano, CA 93216 Air King Heating & Cooling Inc Delano, CA 93215 State of Incorporation or Organization: The business is conducted by: Corpo-

Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this

state of a Fictitious Business Name in

violation of the rights of another under

federal, state or common law (see Sec-

tion 14411 et seq., business and pro-

10/06/2020

/s/Luis Reves. CEO Date Statement Filed: 02/17/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/17/2027 Auditor-Controller-County Clerk Publish Wasco Tribune February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE Statement of Abandonment Of **Use Of Fictitious Business Name**

Air King 1224 High St #A Delano, CA 93215 County: KERN

Mailing address of business: P.O. Box 696 Delano, CA 93215 I declare that all information in this Statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information,

which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) Business was conducted by: Individual /s/Luis Reyes, Owner Original FBN Statement File Number: 2021-B2025

Original FBN Statement Filed on: 04/12/2021 This statement of Abandonment filed on: 02/17/2022

Mary B. Bedard, CPA Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: /s/P Del Villar, Deputy Publish Wasco Tribune February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 2022

> PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement **Cypress Gardens** 2022-B1096 **Cypress Gardens MHP** 2022-B1097 **Cypress Gardens Mobile Home Community** 2022-B1098

Cypress Gardens Mobile Home Park 2022-B1102 2042 Girard St (Office) Delano, CA 93215 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 221 Main Street Suite 2039 Los Altos, CA 94023 Cypress Gardens MHC, LLC 201 Silvia Court Los Altos, CA 94024 Liability Company*

State of Incorporation or Organization: The business is conducted by: Limited Date the business commenced: A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does

not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and pro-

fessions code.)

/s/Efrat Weisfield, Member Date Statement Filed: 02/10/2022

Date Statement Expires: 02/10/2027 Auditor-Controller-County Clerk Publish Wasco Tribune February 24,

Mask mandate returns to pre-surge

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ease, but also remain ready to respond to potential future surges."

In Wasco, as of Feb. 22, the number of infected people since the pandemic in March 2020 is now 10,475. Also, over this same time frame, the total number of infected in Shafter is 6,553 cases.

Kern County Public Health reported to date there were 1,630 newly confirmed cases of covid-19 in the county, bringing the total confirmed cases to 233,501. According to the KCPH, there have been a total of 2,107 covid-19 deaths since the start of the

Last week, Gov. Gavin Newsom released the SMARTER Plan as the next phase of California's response to the pandemic. The plan continues the preparation, flexibility, and systems that have been developed during the pandemic to make the community smarter and better prepared for future emergencies.

Secretary Mark Ghaly held a press conference on Feb.14, saying on Feb. 28, the state would be reassessing case rates, test positivity, hospitalizations, pediatric hospitalizations, and vaccine rates for a future

February 15, 2022, the Shafter City

Council adopted Ordinance No. 731.

The following is the official summary

Summary of Ordinance No. 731: An

Ordinance of the City Council of the

City of Shafter, California granting an

exclusive Solid Waste Franchise to

American Refuse, Inc. to provide Res-

idential Solid Waste Services within

A printed certified copy of Ordinance

No. 731 is available for inspection

by any person at the office of the

Shafter City Clerk, City Hall, 336 Pa-

cific Avenue, Shafter, California. The

ordinance was passed by the City

Council on February 15, 2022, with

AYES: Alvarado, Espinoza, Givens, Lo-

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF SHAFTER

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE SUMMARY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on

February 15, 2022, the Shafter City

Council adopted Ordinance No. 732.

Summary of Ordinance No. 732: An

Ordinance of the City Council of the

City of Shafter, California Making

Findings and Adopting Specific Plan

Amendment No. 21-04, an Amend-

ment to the Gossamer Grove Specific

Plan for minor changes to the Circu-

lation Plan, Land Use Configuration,

and Associated Text Corrections, as

described and illustrated in Exhibit

A printed certified copy of Ordinance

No. 732 is available for inspection

by any person at the office of the

Shafter City Clerk, City Hall, 336 Pa-

cific Avenue, Shafter, California. The

ordinance was passed by the City

Council on February 15, 2022, with

Alvarado, Espinoza, Giv-

the following vote:

ens, Lopez, and Prout.

Dated: February 17, 2022

Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Fictitious Business

Name Statement

2022-B1346

Toro Mortgage

2022-B1347

4600 American Avenue W Suite 102

4600 American Avenue W Suite 102

State of Incorporation or Organiza-

The business is conducted by: Unin-

Date the business commenced: N/A

A new Fictitious Business Name

Statement must be filed before the

expiration. The filing of this state-

ment does not of itself authorize

the use in this state of a Fictitious

Business Name in violation of the

rights of another under federal, state

or common law (see Section 14411

et seq., business and professions

/s/Donald U. Paulino, President

Auditor-Controller-County Clerk

Mary B. Bedard, CPA,

March 3, 10, 17, 2022

By: M Hernandez

Date Statement Filed: 02/18/2022

Date Statement Expires: 02/18/2027

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Bakersfield, CA 93309

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Bakersfield, CA 93309

1700 Greenhaven St

Bakersfield, A 93312

corporated Association

Aileen Lapuz

Mailing address of business:

Uhler Mortgage Solutions Inc.

1731 Hasti Acres Dr Ste 208 #9

AYES:

2022

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINING: None

of the adopted ordinance.

of the adopted ordinance.

the Core City Area.

the following vote:

pez, and Prout.

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINING: None

Dated: February 17, 2022

Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk

NOES: None

potential change to the statewide school masking mandate.

Covid-19 cases and hospitalizations are declining across the State, according to the California Department of Public Health. This is primarily due to the collective efforts of Californians to wear masks, get vaccinated, and get boosted, the agency reported.

In Kern County, 1,138,455 doses of the covid-19 vaccine have been administered to residents. Fifty-five percent of Kern's eligible population and 51% of Kern's total population have been fully vaccinated against COVID-19. The CDPH said the current hospital

census is still overcapacity, but the surge in cases and hospitalizations due to the highly infectious Omicron variant over the last two months had declined significantly. At present, Kern County has 120 co-

vid-19 related hospitalizations, with 26 in In addition to the KCPH's countywide in-

frastructure of partner testing sites, they also coordinate mobile COVID-19 testing and vaccination sites throughout the county, and a map with this information can be found on their website www.kernpublichealth.com.



PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE **CITY OF SHAFTER Fictitious Business** NOTICE OF ORDINANCE SUMMARY Name Statement NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Nonlethalanswer.com

12213 Lamberton Street Bakersfield, CA 93312 Mailing address of business: 12213 Lamberton Street Bakersfield, CA 93312 **David Roger Bass** 12213 Lamberton Street Bakersfield, CA 93312 The business is conducted by: Indi-

2022-B1135

Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/David Roger Bass Date Statement Filed: 02/11/2022

Date Statement Expires: 02/11/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: M Hernandez

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> **PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business** Name Statement **Remedial Transportation** Services, Inc.

2022-B0592 RTS, Inc. 2022-B0593 Solutions, Inc.

Remedial Transportation 2022-B0594 31194 Shelby Lane Shafter, CA 93263

County: Kern Mailing address of business: PO Box 81856 Bakersfield, CA 93880 Remedial Transportation Services,

31194 Shelby Lane Shafter, CA 93263 State of Incorporation or Organiza-

The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company* Date the business commenced:

9/12/2002 A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the

expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seg., business and professions code.) /s/Tim Smith, Vice President Date Statement Filed: 01/24/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/24/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement **Ruth's Relient Mobile Notary** 2022-B1004

1185 Rose Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 1185 Rose Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 Yevonna Ruth Brewer 1185 Rose Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 The business is conducted by: Indi-Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name

Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Yevonna Ruth Brewer

Date Statement Filed: 02/08/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/08/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement **Atkinson Enterprises** 2022-B1074 364 Mannel Avenue

Shafter, CA 93263

County: Kern Mailing address of business: 364 Mannel Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 Dennis Jay Atkinson 364 Mannel Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 Marlene Joyce Atkinson 364 Mannel Avenue Shafter, CA 93263 The business is conducted by: Mar-Date the business commenced: 06/15/1974 A new Fictitious Business Name

Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Dennis Atkinson

Date Statement Filed: 02/09/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/09/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: M Hernandez

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PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement **Advanced Home Services** 2022-B0979

5112 Chamomile Way Bakersfield, CA 93306 County: Kern Mailing address of business: PO Box Box 20971 Bakersfield, CA 93390-0971 Michael Arthur Collins 5112 Chamomile Way Bakersfield, CA 93306 The business is conducted by: Indi-Date the business commenced: 02/04/2022 A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Michael Arthur Collins Date Statement Filed: 02/07/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/07/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA,

PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Klean Up Krew

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2022-B0255 15029 Pinion Court Bakersfield, CA 93314 Mailing address of business: 136 Allen Rd Ste 100 #1029 Bakersfield, CA 93314 Henderson Services LLC 15029 Pinion Court Bakersfield, CA 93314 State of Incorporation or Organiza-The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company* Date the business commenced: 11/10/21 A new Fictitious Business Name

Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Cecilia Henderson, Owner Presi-Date Statement Filed: 01/11/2022

Date Statement Expires: 01/11/2027

Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: R Roberts-Martin Publish Shafter Press February 3, 10, 17, 24, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

Fictitious Business Name Statement Candelarias Bakery 2022-B0300 250 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263

Mailing address of business:

County: Kern

1860 Greenbrier Ct

Wasco, CA 93280

La Nortena Bakery Corp 1860 Greenbrier Ct Wasco, CA 93280 State of Incorporation or Organization: CA The business is conducted by: Cor-Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Busi-

ness Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Candelaria Ceja, President Date Statement Filed: 01/12/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/12/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: M Hernandez Publish Shafter Press February 3, 10, 17, 24, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE Statement of Abandonment Of Use Of Fictitious Business Name Candelarias Bakery

252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 County: KERN Mailing address of business: 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 La Nortena Bakery Corp 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 I declare that all information in this

Statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information, which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) Business was conducted by: Corpo-/s/Candelaria Ceja, President

Original FBN Statement File Number: 2021-B0455 Original FBN Statement Filed on: 02/01/2021 This statement of Abandonment filed

on: 01/12/2022 Mary B. Bedard, CPA Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: /s/M Hernandez, Deputy Publish Shafter Press February 3, 10,

PUBLIC NOTICE Statement of Abandonment Of **Use Of Fictitious Business Name**

252 Central Ave

Shafter, CA 93263 County: KERN Mailing address of business: 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 La Nortena Bakery Corp 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 I declare that all information in this Statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information, which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) Business was conducted by: Corporation /s/Candelaria Ceja, President Original FBN Statement File Number: 2021-B0456 Original FBN Statement Filed on: 02/01/2021 This statement of Abandonment filed

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on: 01/12/2022

Statement of Abandonment Of **Use Of Fictitious Business Name Carnitas El Pariente**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Shafter, CA 93263 County: KERN Mailing address of business: 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 La Nortena Bakery Corp 252 Central Ave Shafter, CA 93263 I declare that all information in this Statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information, which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) Business was conducted by: Corpo-/s/Candelaria Ceja, President Original FBN Statement File Number: 2021-B0457 Original FBN Statement Filed on:

02/01/2021 This statement of Abandonment filed on: 01/12/2022 Mary B. Bedard, CPA

Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: /s/M Hernandez, Deputy Publish Shafter Press February 3, 10, 17, 24, 2022

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement **Top Choice Registration** 2022-B0653 5620 District Blvd Suite 102

Bakersfield, CA 93313 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 6608 Sky View Dr Bakersfield, CA 93307 Kirian Coria Castro 6608 Sky View Dr Bakersfield, CA 93307 The business is conducted by: Indi-

Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or com mon law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Kirian Coria Castro Date Statement Filed: 01/25/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/25/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: P Del Villar Publish Shafter Press February 3, 10,

PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement **Shattered Promise Ranch and** Cattle Co. 2022-B0403

17, 24, 2022

18282 Hwy. 155

Woody, CA 93287 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 15921 Joseph Phelps Ave. Bakersfield, CA 93314 **Robert Michael Piercy** 18282 Hwy. 155 Woody, CA 93287 **Duane Thomas Piercy** 18282 Hwy. 155 Woody, CA 93287 The business is conducted by: General Partnership Date the business commenced:

01/01/2022 A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this state-

ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions /s/Duane Piercy Date Statement Filed: 01/18/2022 Date Statement Expires: 01/18/2027

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Fictitious Business Name Statement JD Fleet Repair LLC 2022-B0861 17403 Beech Ave Shafter, CA 93263

15521 Joseph Phelps Ave Bakersfield, CA 93314 JD Fleet Repair LLC 17403 Beech Ave Shafter, CA 93263 State of Incorporation or Organiza-The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this state-

Mailing address of business:

ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.) /s/Jessica Whittington, Managing Member Date Statement Filed: 02/01/2022

Date Statement Expires: 02/01/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: R Roberts-Martin

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PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement JS Ag Repair Services 2022-B0889

County: Kern Mailing address of business: 922 Jeffries St Shafter, CA 93263 Jose Jesus Samano Sanchez 922 Jeffries St Shafter, CA 93263

922 Jeffries St

Shafter, CA 93263

The business is conducted by: Indi-

Date the business commenced: N/A A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions

/s/Jose Jesus Samano Sanchez Date Statement Filed: 02/02/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/02/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA Auditor-Controller-County Clerk By: P Del Villar Publish Shafter Press February 10,

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5760 E Lerdo Hwy

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** Name Statement 2022-B0894

Shafter, CA 93263 County: Kern Mailing address of business: 5760 E Lerdo Hwy Shafter, CA 93263 Dan Corriea 12402 Harrington St Bakersfield, CA 93311 Anthony Wilson Corriea 5760 E Lerdo Hwy Shafter, CA 93263 Lou Feliz 2539 W Tyler Ave Visalia, CA 93291 Matt Melnyk

5760 E Lerdo Hwy Shafter, CA 93263 The business is conducted by: Gen-

eral Partnership

Date the business commenced:

02/28/2012 A new Fictitious Business Name

Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this state-

ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions

/s/Dan Corriea Date Statement Filed: 02/02/2022 Date Statement Expires: 02/02/2027 Mary B. Bedard, CPA, Auditor-Controller-County Clerk Publish Shafter Press February 10, 17, 24, March 3, 2022

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Consider why you argue

STEVE DOBBS, PASTOR Community Circle Church, Shafter

Have you ever had an argument? Most of us have. It may have been with your kids, a co-worker or your spouse. It is unfortunate that arguments have become a way of life. There are actually people living around us who can't communicate unless they elevate the volume of their voice. They have to be heard no matter what, so they talk over everybody.

If we are to be honest with ourselves, is anything really ever solved or accomplished by arguing, except maybe in a courtroom. I have come to believe when we are in

the heat of battle we lose focus of the things that really matter. We are not really listening to the other person, we are just waiting for them to stop talking for a second so we can respond with our argument. This goes on back and forth and sometimes it does irreparable damage to the relationship. Is

this really what we want? Is it worth it to win the argument and lose the relationship?

I don't think it is. I was given some really good advice many years ago. This is what I was told; "You can be right or you can be happy. You can't be both." I have learned through the years that most arguments start off with something petty and escalate. I think we should all decide together that we would much rather be happy than right. I know this is not always easy. However,

when you decide that you want to be happy instead of right you will find your relationships are much healthier. Think about this. If we decide as a com-

munity to be happy with one another instead of arguing with each other, we could change our neighborhoods, communities and cities for God. I can't wait to see how God uses each and every one of us to do The best is yet to come.



PET OF THE WEEK

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Meet Sally, an approximately 5-monthold female German Shepard mix. Visit the Wasco Animal Shelter to learn more about her. She is great with staff and other dogs and has only been tested with medium/large breeds. It is not known if Sally is house / crate trained. Dogs are not tested with children and cats. Sally is available for adoption on March

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ter right away. Adopters can be from out of town and/or

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conveyed to and now held by it un-

der said Deed of Trust in the property

situated in said County and state, and

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& Time: 04/11/2022 at 10:00 AM

Sale Location: City Hall, 1501 Truxtun

Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301 The

street address and other common

designation, if any, of the real prop-

erty described above is purported to

be: 442 LOEWEN STREET, SHAFTER

CA 93263-3537 The undersigned

Trustee disclaims any liability for any

shown herein. Said sale will be made

in an "AS IS" condition, but without

implied, regarding title, possession,

or encumbrances, to pay the remain-

ing principal sum of the note(s) se-

cured by said Deed of Trust, with

note(s), advances, if any, under the

terms of the Deed of Trust, esti-

created by said Deed of Trust, to-

wit: \$249,589.25 (Estimated) as of

additional advances, if any, will in-

crease this figure prior to sale. It is

opening bid may be less than the

POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are con-

sidering bidding on this property lien

auction. You will be bidding on a lien,

not on the property itself. Placing the

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 respon-

sible for paying off all liens senior to

erty. You are encouraged to investi-

gate the existence, priority, and size

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

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TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date

shown on this notice of sale may be

mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a

court, pursuant to Section 2924g of

the California Civil Code. The law re-

sale postponements be made avail-

able 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, 1-800-280-2832 for infor-

mation regarding the trustee's sale

or visit this internet website. www.

auction.com, for information regard-

ing the sale of this property, using

the file number assigned to this case,

T.S.# 9987-7206. Information about

postponements that are very short in

the scheduled sale may not immedi-

ately be reflected in the telephone in-

formation or on the internet website.

The best way to verify postponement

information is to attend the scheduled

sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may

have a right to purchase this property

after the trustee auction pursuant to

Section 2924m of the California Civil

Code. If you are an "eligible tenant

buyer," you can purchase the prop-

erty if you match the last and highest

bid placed at the trustee auction. If

you are an "eligible bidder," you may

be able to purchase the property if

you exceed the last and highest bid

placed at the trustee auction. There

of purchase. First, 48 hours after the

date of the trustee sale, you can call

855-976-3916, or visit this internet

website https://tracker.auction.com/

sb1079 using the file number as-

signed to this case, 9987-7206, to

find the date on which the trustee's

sale was held, the amount of the last

and highest bid, and the address of

the trustee. Second, you must send

a written notice of intent to place a

bid so that the trustee receives it no

more than 15 days after the trustee's

sale. Third, you must submit a bid so

that the trustee receives it no more

than 45 days after the trustee's sale.

If you think you may qualify as an

"eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible

bidder," you should consider contact-

ing an attorney or appropriate real

estate professional immediately for

02/18/2022.

advice regarding this potential right T.S. No.: 9987-7206 TSG Order No.: to purchase. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, 42-00 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE the successful bidder's sole and You are in Default under a Deed exclusive remedy shall be the return OF TRUST DATED 11/01/2007. UNof monies paid to the Trustee and LESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT the successful bidder shall have no YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD further recourse. Affinia Default Ser-At a public sale. If you need an vices, LLC 301 E. Ocean Blvd. Suite EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF 1720 Long Beach, CA 90802 833-THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU 290-7452 For Trustee Sale Informa-YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. tion Log On To: www.auction.com or Call: 1-800-280-2832. Affinia De-Affinia Default Services, LLC, as the duly appointed Trustee, under and fault Services, LLC, Samantha Snyder, Foreclosure Associate This communitained in that certain Deed of Trust cation is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be Recorded 11/12/2007 as Document No.: 0207227049, of Official used for that purpose. However, if you have received a discharge of the debt corder of Kern County, California, referenced herein in a bankruptcy executed by: PEDRO JIMENEZ, JR. proceeding, this is not an attempt and edna i. Muy, Husband and to impose personal liability upon WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS, as Trusyou for payment of that debt. In the tor, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION event you have received a bankruptcy TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH discharge, any action to enforce the (payable in full at time of sale by debt will be taken against the property only. NPP0398884 To: SHAFTER state or national bank, a check drawn PRESS 02/10/2022, 02/17/2022, a check drawn by a state or federal association, or savings bank specified NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

on March 1, 2022 at 6:00 p.m., in the

Council Chambers of Shafter City Hall,

336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, Califor-

nia, the Shafter City Council will con-

duct a public hearing to consider the Planning Commission's recommendation for approval of the following residential project: Tentative Tract No. 7388: A proposal to subdivide approximately 95 acres (gross) into 345 single-family residential lots, 1 park lot, 16 landscape lots, 2 drilling island lots, and 1 detention basin lot. The residential lot sizes range from 4,000 square feet to 18,613 square feet and are consistent with the land use designations within the adopted Gossamer Grove Specific Plan. The project is zoned and designated SP (Specific Plan) within the Gossamer Grove Specific Plan and is located on the north side of Seventh Standard Road between Gossamer Grove Boulevard and the Friant-Kern Canal. The tentative tract map is proposing residential development consistent with the Gossamer Grove Specific Plan and, therefore, is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act, i.e., exempt from the requirements of Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code, pursuant to California Government Code §65457. The project is within the scope of the Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) that was certified for the 2005 City of Shafter General Plan Update and related actions (SCH No. 2004101029) for the adopted Gossamer Grove Specific Plan. The certified Program EIR adequately describes the residential development proposed in Tentative Tract No. 7388. Said hearing is open to the public and all persons interested are invited to attend and be heard. Copies of the project are on file in the office of the Planning Department at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California, and are available for public review. Any person wishing to be heard, or wishing to present evidence either for or against the approval of said project, is hereby notified and directed to either appear at the time and place aforesaid or send written comments to the Suzanne Forrest, Senior Planner ((661) 746-5002) at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California 93263 or by e-mail at sforrest@shafter.com. Should anyone challenge any proposed action which is the subject of a public hearing listed in this notice or otherwise, that person may be limited to raising those issues addressed at the public hearing, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at or prior to this public hearing.

Consistent with Executive Order N-29-20, in person participation by the public is permitted. You are strongly encouraged to observe the Planning Commission meetings live via You-Tube https://www.youtube.com/user/ CityofShafter/. If you wish to make a comment on a specific agenda item or public comment, please submit your comment via email by 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, March 1, 2022 to the City Clerk at CityClerk@shafter. com or by mail to the City Clerk at 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, CA 93263. If you wish to make a comment during the live meeting, callers must first register with the City Clerk at 661-746-5012 before the meeting begins to receive instructions and the call-in number and code. Please call by 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the Planning Commission meeting to allow ample time for sign up. You will need to provide your name, phone number and the item number you wish to address. All public comments are provided to the Planning Commission and applicable Staff, for review and consideration by the Commission prior to taking action on any matters listed on the agenda and are incorporated into the official record of the Planning Commission meeting. Dated: February 11, 2022

Publish Shafter Press February 24, PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Petition to Administer Estate of: Shirley J. O'Dell a.k.a. Shirley J. ODell Case Number: BPB-21-002509 1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors,

contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Shirley J. O'Dell a.k.a. Shirley J. ODell 2. A Petition for Probate has been filed

by: Craig A. Walker in the Superior Court of California, County of: Kern 3. The Petition for Probate requests that: Craig A. Walker be appointed as personal representative to administer

1. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination n the file kept by the court. 5. 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. 6. A hearing on the petition will be

held in this court as follows: a. Date: 03/17/2022 Time: 8:30a.m.

b. Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Kern, 2100 College Avenue, 1215 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301, Juvenile Jus-

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. 8. 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 Califor-9. 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. 10. Attorney for petitioner: Brandon

1707 Eye Street, #213

Bakersfield, CA 93301 Publish Shafter Press February 17,

24, March 3, 2022 **PUBLIC NOTICE**

March 8, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of Shafter City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California, the Shafter Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing to consider the project described below: Notice of Nonrenewal No. 22-30: The City of Shafter is proposing to not renew a Williamson Act land use contract for Assessor's Parcel Number 026-010-26 (19.55 acres) generally located at the southwest corner of the West Fresno Avenue/North Central Valley Highway intersection and within the City limits. The subject acreage is owned by the City and the site is designated by the Shafter General Plan as future single-family residential. If approved and once the Notice of Nonrenewal is recorded, the contract will not be renewed, and in 10 years from the recording date, the contract will lapse.

Said hearing is open to the public and all persons interested are invited to attend and be heard. Copies of the above documents are on file in the office of the Planning Department at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California, and are available for public review. Any person wishing to be heard, or wishing to present evidence either for or against the approval of said project, is hereby notified and directed to either appear at the time and place aforesaid or send written comments to the Steve Esselman, Planning Director (661-746-5002) at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California 93263 or by e-mail at sesselman@shafter.com. Anyone challenging any proposed development entitlement listed in this notice in court may be limited to raising those issues addressed at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City Clerk at, or prior to, the public

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matters listed on the agenda and are

incorporated into the official record of

Dated: February 17, 2022 Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk Publish Shafter Press February 24,

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March 8, 2022, at 7:00 p.m., in the

Council Chambers of Shafter City Hall,

336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, Califor-

nia, the Shafter Planning Commission

will conduct a public hearing to con-

sider the following: Development Agreement No. 21-20 for Tentative Tract No. 6490: Development Agreement No. 21-20 is being proposed for the completion of Tentative Tract No. 6490 located on the west side of S. Mannel Avenue, between E. Ash Avenue and E. Los Angeles Avenue. The City Council of the City of Shafter adopted a Mitigated Negative Declaration and approved Tentative Tract No. 6490, with conditions of approval, on May 3, 2005, under Resolution No.05-1727. The tentative tract map subdivides approximately 29 gross acres into 107 single-family residential lots ranging in size from 7,194 to 18,562 net square feet. Condition No. 10 of Resolution 05-1727 requires the developer of Tentative Tract No. 6490 to enter into a development agreement with the City of Shafter prior to recordation of the final map. The purpose of the development agreement is to address minimum dwelling unit size, park fees, traffic fees, and other fees and requirements established by the

all persons interested are invited to attend and be heard. Copies of the above project are on file in the office of the Planning Department at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California, and are available for public review. Any person wishing to be heard, or wishing to present evidence either for or against the approval of said project, is hereby notified and directed to either appear at the time and place aforesaid or send written comments to the Planning Director at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California 93263. Anyone challenging any proposed development entitlement listed in this notice in court may be limited to raising those issues addressed at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at or prior to this public hearing. Consistent with Executive Order

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336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California,

the Shafter Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing to consider the projects described below; and Tentative Tract 6467: A request for a two-year extension of time to record a final map for Phase 2 of Tentative Tract No. 6467 proposing to subdivide approximately 27 acres into 90 single-family residential lots and a drainage basin lot. The site is zoned R-1 (Low Density Residential) and is generally located on the south side of E. Fresno Ave. between Mannel Avenue and N. Beech Avenue and E. Tulare Ave., within the City of Shafter. The City of Shafter adopted a Negative Declaration for Tentative Tract No. 6467 on February 15, 2005 (Resolution No. 1717). Said hearing is open to the public and all persons interested are invited to

attend and be heard. Copies of the above documents are on file in the office of the Planning Department at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California, and are available for public review. Any person wishing to be heard, or wishing to present evidence either for or against the approval of said project, is hereby notified and directed to either appear at the time and place aforesaid or send written comments to Suzanne Forrest, Senior Planner (sforrest@shafter.com) at City Hall, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, California 93263. Anyone challenging any proposed development entitlement listed in this notice in court may be limited to raising those issues addressed at the

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observe the Planning Commission

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City Clerk

(CITACION JUDICIAL) NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: (AVISO AL DEMANDADO): Anthony Del Toro, an individual; and YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMAN-DNF Associates, LLC

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers

are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www. lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www. courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civi case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. ¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación. Tiene 30 DIAS DE CALENDARIO

ación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia. Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado

después de que le entreguen esta cit-

inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVI-SO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el

CASE NUMBER: SCL-21-000163 (Número el Caso)

KERN COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States or negotiable paper, for not less than the minimum bid as shown in this notice. Bidders must submit a refundable deposit of electronically \$5.000.00 www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us no later than 5:00 P.M. P.S.T. on Friday March 04, 2022. The deposit will be applied to the successful bidder's purchase price. Any parcel remaining unsold at the conclusion

The name, addresses, and telephone

number of plaintiff's attorney, or

(El nombre, la dirección y el número

de teléfono del abogado del deman-

dante, o del demandante que no

Persolve Legal Group, LLP 818-534-

Clerk by Tamarah Harber-Pickens

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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION ON

March 14, 2022 to

March 16, 2022 OF TAX

DEFAULTED PROPERTY FOR

County Treasurer-Tax Collector,

Jordan Kaufman, was directed by

Kern County Board of Supervisors'

Resolution #2021-325 to conduct a

public auction sale in accordance

with the provisions of Division 1, Part

6, Chapter 7 of the California

Revenue and Taxation Code. The

tax-defaulted properties listed below

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This is a public notice that I will sell

the properties beginning at 8:00 A.M.

P.S.T. on March 14, 2022 at

The sale will be conducted as a

Collector's power of sale.

DELINQUENT TAXES

On November 09, 2021,

Erica Bravo, Deputy (Adjunto)

plaintiff without an attorney is:

Kevin W. Yeam/SBN 126519;

9301 Corbin Ave Ste 1600

Northridge, CA 91324 DATE: 5/20/2021

March 3, 10, 17, 2022

(Fecha)

(Secretario)

Martin Weingarten/SBN 201906

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A.M. P.S.T. on May 23, 2022 at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us. Properties that are redeemed (paid) in full by 5:00 P.M. P.S.T., Friday March 11, 2022, will not be sold. The right of redemption will cease at that time. Properties not redeemed will

of the auction may be resold within a

90-day period. If necessary, the

subsequent sale will begin at 8:00

If the properties are sold, parties of nterest (as defined in California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 4675) have a right to file a claim with the county for any excess proceeds from the sale. Excess proceeds are the amount of the highest bid in excess of the liens and costs of the sale that are paid from the sale price. Notice will be given to parties of interest, pursuant to law, if excess proceeds result from the sale.

The following is a partial list; a complete list may be obtained by calling our internet advertiser, Grant Street Group toll-free at 1-877-274-9320 or by viewing the list at www.kcttc.co.kern.ca.us. You may access public computers at all Kern County Libraries.

The Assessor's parcel number, when used to describe the property in this list, refers to the Assessor's map book, the map page, the block on the map (if applicable) and the individual parcel on the map page or in the block. The Assessor's maps and further explanation of the parcel numbering system are available in the Assessor's office.

I declare under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct. Jordan Kaufman Kern County Treasurer-Tax Collector

Executed at Bakersfield, Kern County on February 15, 2022.

The properties that are the subject of this notice are situated in Kern County, California and are described

086-280-30-00-5 \$2,100.00 FELDER ACQUISITION & SALES

as follows:

086-311-22-00-7 \$1,000.00 FAMILY NURSERY CO INC

099-082-18-00-1 \$1,100.00 RICKS ROSALIND R 099-130-20-00-6 \$1,300.00 SHIELDS SCOTT M 099-140-10-00-0 \$900.00 **QUINN DOROTHY**

099-140-18-00-4 \$800.00 BARNGROVER CASH & ALMA 099-240-06-00-8 \$1,100.00 CORY OLIVER 099-200-27-00-7 \$1,000.00

FAMILY NURSERY CO INC 102-240-15-00-7 \$1,000.00 MC ILROY RUFUS B TEST TR

102-020-40-00-5 \$2.300.00 HACH KURT HERMANN 101-122-13-00-3 \$15.500.00 BUTTONWILLOW LLC 256 E 1ST ST BUTTONWILLOW 100-140-18-00-3 \$11,100.00

ARTERBERRY BESSIE L TRUST 25959 WILLIAMS RD BUTTONWILLOW 026-252-12-00-0 \$11.200.00

MUNSEY JULIUS & SUSIE 30332 RIVERSIDE ST SHAFTER

521 SUNNY ST SHAFTER

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es):

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101-043-11-00-1 \$18,700.00 JUAREZ FELIPE H REV LIV TR 380 FRONT ST BUTTONWILLOW 026-040-16-00-7 \$47,000.00 PHELPS JUSTON & MEREDITH D

24, March 3, 2022