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Big price for car hustle



Diners Jamar Demery and Aimee Reese.

Teresa’s has a makeover

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

By the appearance of the newly remodeled inside of Teresa’s Mexican Restaurant on the corner of 5th and F streets, you would never believe it’s been around since 1981.

Owner Sherrie Aguilera inherited the restaurant from her mother, Teresa Arrambide, when she died in 1991.

The restaurant recently went through some major changes and the dining area was closed for about three weeks due to a car plowing into the side and making it

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The new Teresa’s Mexican Restaurant.

City makes deal for home cleanup

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

A local property owner is in conflict with the city over cars stored in the back and front of his home – to the tune of \$24,500 in fines. He presented his case before the City Council Tuesday night.

Tony L. Romero, owner of 2242 9th, Place, has been storing a large number of vehicles and other items on his property since 2008 and has been warned about removing everything repeatedly by the city, a city report says.

It cites that there has been a long history of repeated violations and citations, which has resulted in a tense relationship between Romero and the Code Compliance department.

Romero insisted he had attended a previous council meeting and took care of some of the issues regarding vehicles several years ago.

In addition, after an inspection in 2016, Code Compliance discovered that an appliance part was being used as a fire pit in the front yard and that there were two inoperative vehicles, trailers, tarps, tools and rubbish stored on his driveway in public view.

Currently, the property has been cited for 27 code violations. The violations include not only vehicles, vehicle parts, accumulated rubbish, trash, litter, weeds and lack of a Home Occupation Permit and business license.

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Pictured is newly hired Deputy Public Works Director Charles Sololewski, Jr.

Mayor’s roundtable addresses current issues

Approximately 25 people attended Mayor Alex Garcia’s roundtable discussion to address public safety, behavioral mental health and local resource census 2020 information.

At the beginning of his term last December, Garcia stated that he wanted to get speakers together to address mental health and the census, as well as safety information, in order to come up with information that could be passed on to residents.

Public Safety was addressed at the beginning

ning of the discussion with Crime Prevention Specialist Evie Martinez of the KCSO followed by Senior Deputy Steve Vasquez from the Wasco substation talking about improving community relations within neighborhoods.

Vasquez said that deputies are continuing their efforts on improving community relations within neighborhoods. He brought up Proposition 4, “The Safe Neighborhoods Schools Act.”

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From left, Mayor Alex Garcia, 2020 Census Cristina Camacho, Kern County Committee’s Karmeena Morales, Senior Sheriff’s Deputy Steve Vasquez and Crime Prevention Specialist Elvie Martinez.

High Speed Rail path to Bakersfield

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

The California High Speed Rail Authority has recently completed the Environmental Clearance for the final 23-mile route between Shafter and Bakersfield. This clearance completes the state’s environmental review process between Fresno and Bakersfield and allows the authority to move forward with project construction into Bakersfield.

This is the first major environmental action taken under the newly granted federal National Environmental Policy Act, and emphasizes the authority’s commitment to accelerate the project under the new executive leadership.

Questions were arising under the old leadership about the commitment that the Authority had about completing the project, with delays impeding the progress of the project for the past two years.

High Speed Rail Authority CEO Brian Kelly said that he is looking forward to the next phase of the project. “I am proud of the combined efforts that went into the process and we are prepared to move forward on the project implementation into Bakersfield, together with our local partners and this collaborative effort.”

The process has not been a swift or easy one. In the process of finalizing the environmental document that clears the way for

the next phase of the project, the authority held over 100 stakeholder meetings and numerous public workshops, as well as 15 monthly regulatory agency coordination meetings.

The new document evaluates potential environmental effects of the locally generated alternative, which was developed through city and state collaboration.

The City of Shafter had taken the au-

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Community Calendar

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: Thanksgiving lunch -- New Generation Church and Grace Community Church will be sponsoring a FREE Thanksgiving lunch for the community and the homeless Saturday, Nov. 23 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Barker Park.

NEW: Christmas Village and Parade – Sponsored by the Wasco Downtown Business Association Monday, Dec. 2 from 6 to 10 p.m.

NEW: Christmas tree lighting -- The 3rd Annual Community Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony after parade on Monday, Dec. 2. FREE event for the family to enjoy.

NEW: Santa arrives at Minter Field – Santa is flying in to the Minter Field Air Museum, including a stuffed animal giveaway Courtesy of Ming Avenue PetSmart. Santa arrives at 11 a.m.; open house 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Minter Field Air Museum, 401 Vultee Ave., Shafter.

NEW: Christmas for seniors of Kern County — Help brighten a low-income, homebound senior's or Veteran's Christmas by collecting sundries and toiletries with a group of friends, or at a business, school or church group. For more information contact Sandy M. at 661-426-1200 or, 661-703-8893, 3501 Mall View Rd. #298-115, Bakersfield, or christmas4senior@yahoo.com

NEW: Libraries closed—Thanksgiving Day and the day after Thanksgiving.

NEW: Wasco Christmas Parade — The Downtown Christmas Parade Monday, Dec. 2, begins at 6 p.m. The DBA also is planning a Christmas village block party after the parade.

NEW: Toys for Tigers — Thursday, Dec. 5, 5:30-8:30 p.m. Christmas trees will be on display at the Wasco Parks and Recreation building. Anyone interested in decorating a tree should email Candy Wilson at wpaac-coach@hotmail.com

Wasco Animal Shelter — Donations are welcomed: Dog/cat beds, stainless steel buckets, dog/cat food and pet toys. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.- 4 p.m. At 5409 7th St. Wasco. Information, 661-758-7240.

Free rides for students -- Kern Transit will be offering free rides to all enrolled in Bakersfield College with valid student ID. Through finals week, Saturday, Dec. 24.

Class of 1969 —Wasco High School Class of 1969 is looking for members for its 50th reunion. The classes of 1966-1972 also are invited. Contact Earl Grizzell or email grizzell@comcast.net or 550-300-4410.

Mystery history

Here's this week's challenge, courtesy of the Wasco 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 Tribune*, 406 Central Ave., Shafter 93263, or e-mail it to mysteryphoto@WascoTrib.com. Winners will be revealed here next week. **LAST WEEK:** From Buttonwillow, a gold-plated Cecil Tracy on Captain, his horse, rode in the Wasco Rose Parade for several years.



ONGOING

Senior lunch – Senior center serving meal Monday-Friday at 11:25 a.m., 1280 Poplar St.

MONDAY

NEW: Crafternoon— Nov. 25 at 1 p.m. at the Wasco Library.

UPDATED: Movie — Nov. 25 at 3:30 p.m. at the Wasco Library.

Zumba Gold (modified Zumba) — FREE for all ages, 9:30 a.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays at 505 Sunset Ave., Shafter, at the Walker Senior Center. Call Shafter Recreation for information, 661-746-3303.

North Kern 4H -- Meetings 7 p.m. second Monday of each month at Karl Clemens Elementary School cafeteria, 523 Broadway St.

Mayor's office hours -- Mayor Alex Garcia holds office hours on the second Monday, 3-6 p.m., at 810 8th St.

Rotary Club -- Wasco Rotary Club meets every Monday

at the Wasco Recreation Center at noon.

Fishes & Loaves -- Free dinner every first Monday 5-7 p.m. at 408 Griffith Ave.

Adult education -- Enroll for classes at 1445 Poso Drive. High school diploma program, ESL, citizenship and Microsoft Office.

TUESDAY

FREE Adult Hip Hop Class -- 7 p.m. at the Shafter Recreation Walker Senior Center at 505 Sunset, Shafter. Classes are \$3 donation. Led by Brandi Root.

Woman's Club -- Meeting second Tuesday at noon until May at clubhouse, 1601 7th St.

WUESD -- Wasco Union Elementary School District meets second Tuesday in the board room at 6:30 p.m.

City Council -- Meets first and third Tuesdays at 6 p.m. on 8th Street.

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THURSDAY

ACTS Class —Alcohol and chemical treatment series meets Wednesdays at 7 p.m. at the Sounds of Pentecost, 2000 Palm Ave. Rides are available.

FRIDAY

NEW: Quilting and crafts -- At the Wasco Library Nov. 22 at 1 p.m.

Storytime and craft — At 3:30 p.m. at the Wasco Library.

Seniors exercise -- Wasco Senior Center exercise class, starting at 10 a.m. 1280 Poplar St.

Family Storytime & Crafts -- 3:30-5 p.m. at the Wasco Library.

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PET OF THE WEEK

Harper is looking for a new home

Come visit Harper at the Wasco Animal Shelter, 5409 7th St. Harper is available Nov. 25. He is a young male German shepherd mix and has a medium coat length with a mixture of yellow, tan, blond and fawn.

Harper is a large-size dog. He came in as a stray and is approximately 1 year old. He was scanned for a microchip and nothing was found. Harper is great with staff but hasn't been tested with other dogs yet. If you are interested in Harper, please stop by or call us at 758-7240.

Our intakes have a holding period for six business days not including day of impoundment, weekends or alternative Fridays. The holding period allows owners who have lost their pets satisfactory time to contact the shelter and reclaim their missing pets. If no one reclaims their pets during the holding period, they will be available for adoption.

Animals cannot be adopted or placed on "hold" during their stray hold. It is a first-come, first-serve on the day the animal is available for adoption.

—Wasco Animal Control



Harper is a German shepherd mix.

ARREST LOG

As reported by the Kern County Sheriff's Department, Wasco substation

Nov. 11
Ezequiel Kevin Cabada Barraza, 28, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of D Street and Poso Drive on a felony bench warrant and possession of a controlled substance. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Nov. 12
Jermaine Maston, 34, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Central Avenue and Beckes Avenue on a misdemeanor warrant, possession of a controlled

substance and bringing a controlled substance into a jail facility. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Vincenzo Osuna, 29, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Birch Avenue and 5th Street on a misdemeanor bench warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

Ernie Joe Regalado, 29, of Wasco, was arrested at the Wasco City Substation on a misdemeanor bench warrants. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Arturo Sanchez, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Highway 46 and Beckes Street for driving without a license and a broken vehicle headlight. He was cited and released at the scene.

Nov. 13
Joseph Castillo, 34, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1000 block of 6th Street on three misdemeanor warrants. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Fredy Feliciano, 25, of Wasco, was arrested in the

300 block of Broadway on a misdemeanor warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Jacob Joel Esquivel, 25, of Wasco, was arrested in the 800 block of Lewis Court on a misdemeanor warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Bryona Nicole Tidwell, 26, of Wasco, was arrested in the 300 block of F Street on six misdemeanor warrants. She was booked into the Kern County Jail.

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Wasco Woman's Club holds auction



Ladies circle around a table to observe items available to purchase outright.

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The Wasco Woman's Club was bustling with energy as members contributed items to be auctioned off last week.

The Nov. 12 auction at the club was a small fundraiser to help supplement the cost of the club's upcoming Christmas party for high school special education students.

Before lunch was served, the women began bidding for some of the smaller items.

Following the meal, bidding took an upturn as more people began competing for the items they wanted.

The items for sale included a gift pack of Christmas paper plates and a Campbell's Soup cookie jar filled with tomato soup cookies. "The cookies are really good," baker Jill Drescher told the attendees. "You don't really taste the soup in them."

One of the members made an large platter of empanadas that had everyone drooling. Pickled okra, cookies, banana nut bread, homemade

toffee, apricot bread and jams were also auctioned off. Member Sally Montgomery outbid on several items that she was able to take home with her.

There were laughs as the women bid on popular items. The auctioneer, President Marlene Swan, increased the last bid by a few dollars in hopes of increasing the sale.



Everyone took a seat when it was time for lunch.



Another table had cookies, jams and pumpkin rolls for sale.



One of the more holiday-inspired auction items.

Maple School's Red Ribbon



Maple Elementary School showed support for Red Ribbon Week with an all-school "Red Out" on Oct. 29. The theme was "Your Future is Key, Stay Drug Free." (Photo by Niki Espinoza)

TJ names Cougars of the Month

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Thomas Jefferson Middle School announced the October Cougars of the Month for both seventh and eighth grades.

The award spotlights students who best "Respect the PAW" -- Perseverance, Attitude and Wise Choices -- at the school.

Seventh-grader Mariana Perez Gonzalez has a 4.0 GPA for the first quarter, but confesses math is her most-challenging subject. "I like math a lot because it's difficult. I al-

ways try my best to get good grades in math because I think that if I could pass that difficult subject, I am could pass all my classes."

The perseverance Mariana demonstrates inside the classroom has earned her the right to be recognized as Cougar of the Month.

Also selected for October's seventh-grade honor was Manuel Frausto, who has shown himself to be a student inside and outside the classroom. His teachers attribute his positive attitude and dedication to

academics as qualities that help him succeed in the classroom.

"I am most proud of being Cougar of the Month," Manuel Frausto said.

In addition, eighth-grader Priscilla Raya honored. Priscilla has earned a 4.67 GPA.


When asked what a successful school year would look like, Priscilla responded, "A successful school year at the end will look like getting straight A's for all four quarters and hopefully receiving valedictorian," she said. "It will feel great because I

want to know that I made my parents proud and made it worthwhile for all the late nights of homework."

Also, eighth-grader Fernando Rodriguez Villanueva was honored.

His progress report grades weren't where we wanted them to be, so he dedicated himself to improving them.

At the end of the first quarter, he stated, "I feel good about earning Cougar of the Month because it means that I did good with my grades and behavior."



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Pitcher Nolan Withrow.



Catcher Henry Peguero-Felix



Pitcher Matthew Fountain



Infielder Billy Damon

Reserve Baseball Team signs first 2020 player

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Coach Bill Moore of the Wasco Reserve Baseball team has signed the first players for the 2020 team.

Nolan Withrow, born in 1995 from McKinney, Texas, will join the team in Wasco when spring training begins. Withrow was homeschooled and won while playing in the Home School World Series in 2013 and 2014. “I threw a ‘no-hitter’ during that time,” he said.

Withrow is a right-hand pitcher who posted a 2.95 earned-run average and recorded a team high of six saves.

“I am interested in playing for the Pecos League because I believe that it will allow me to further my baseball career,” Withrow said.

Another player signed is 23-year-old Billy Damon of Reno, Nev.

He attended Damonte Ranch High School in Reno where he was a right-hand

pitcher, catcher and third baseman. “My career highlights in high school were all-conference junior and senior years,” he said. “I held the [record for] innings pitched in a single season my senior year and made the All-State team that year.”

Damon attended Ohlone Community College in Fremont, Calif. and York College in York, Neb.

“I was All-Conference all four years in college, two catching and two pitching,” Damon said. “I also held the innings pitched [record] at York,” where he was right-hand pitcher and catcher.

Damon was also in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Player of the Week, All-Nebraska team and pre-season all-conference.

He played for the Pecos League Pacific Association, where he was a two-time league champion.

“I like playing for the Reserve because I

want to get my name back out for the next upcoming independent and professional season,” he said.

Another signed player is 23-year-old Henry Peguero-Felix, a 23-year-old catcher from Wyomissing, Penn. He is a graduate of Wyomissing Junior/Senior High School and played catcher, right field, center field and left field.

Peguero-Felix attended Northampton Community College in Bethlehem, Penn., where he played catcher, right and left field.

Peguero-Felix describes his college career highlight as hitting eight home runs with only one error in 48 games.

Following Northampton, he attended Cabrini University in Radnor, Penn., where he also played catcher.

His college career highlights included a .324 batting average, .847 OPS, .403 on base percentage, .444 slugging and .966 fielding average on 232 chances.

“Playing for the Pecos League is a great opportunity to continue to play the game I love,” he said. “I get to put my game up against other very talented guys. I have heard only good things about this league.”

Another recent addition to the roster is Matthew Fountain, 25.

Fountain arrived from Walker, La., where he attended Archbishop Shaw High School in Marrero.

He attended Grambling State University in Grambling, La., where he played catcher. “One of my college career highlights was being able to play against Louisiana State University and Dallas Baptist University,” Fountain said.

He played for the Reserve team as right-handed pitcher. It was his first year pitching. “I got my first ‘save’ opportunity,” he added.

Fountain is interested in playing for the Pecos League to make himself a better ballplayer and person at the end of the day.

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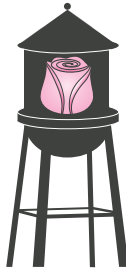
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WIHS student honor

Wasco Independence High School has announced that Robert Race has come a long way from when he first started at WIHS. He is now a very motivated student and his work is evidence of his capability. Robert has grown from a very quiet student to a one who is willing to speak out and participate in class at any time. His attendance, attitude and grades are testament to a student who has learned to SOAR.



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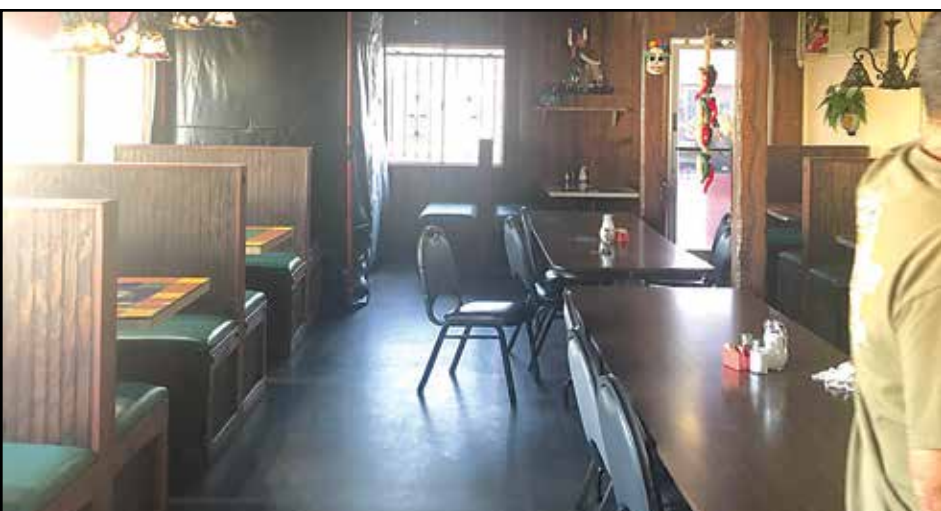
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Compare the old (dark wood interior) with the new (white, bright interior).



Mayor's roundtable

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This proposition made three changes to felony sentencing laws. First, it reclassified certain theft and drug-possession offenses from felonies to misdemeanors. Second, it allows certain defendants serving sentences for felonies that have been changed to misdemeanors to file for resentencing under the new provisions and third, it authorizes new misdemeanor provisions.

If a person is sentenced for a felony that has been changed to a misdemeanor and they have completed their sentence, they may apply to change their felony conviction to reclassify it to a misdemeanor.

The next area of discussion was behavioral health and recovery, presented by Noe Escobar.

"We have about 00 different programs serving recovery all the time," Escobar said. "We provide services to adults, adolescents and children.

Helpline numbers were offered:

■ Crisis Hotline: 800-991-5272 (available 24 hours, 7 days a week)

■ Suicide prevention Hotline: 800-273-8255.

■ Substance Use Division Access Line: 866-266-4898.

■ Alliance Against Family Violence & Sexual Assault: 800-273-7713.

■ Kern County mental Health Family Advocacy Services: 844-360-8250 and

■ The Access and Assessment Center: 661-868-8080.

■ Flood Ministries for the Homeless: contact Ray Carreon at 661-800-8696.

Flood Ministries specializes in reaching out to the most-vulnerable homeless, who are often unable to get the help they need on their own.

Flood Ministries also offers a Rural Motel Voucher Program, which makes available limited funds for emergency temporary lodging to qualified families and individuals who are currently experiencing or are at risk of experiencing homelessness.

"80% to 90% of the homeless people are Latino," Escobar said. "Most homeless people are on Medi Cal."

Escobar also mentioned that Kern Behavioral Health has 1,000 employees and they are currently trying to revamp their system by hiring more people to meet the state's requirements.

In addition to Escobar, mental health advocate Jackie Rubalcava provided an update on available mental health services in Kern County and Wasco, now and in the future.

Rubalcava provided a brochure from the support group La Clave that outlined mental illness symptoms. The organization, based at the University of Southern California, can be contacted at 213-821-5234. "We

Council makes deal with homeowner

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The council provided Romero with three options for removal of the items.

Option 1 is to declare all abandoned, wrecked, dismantled and inoperative vehicles and vehicle parts on the property (both front and rear yards) a public nuisance and authorize removal and destruction of the vehicles and parts.

Option 2 declares only the abandoned, wrecked and inoperable vehicles in the front yard/driveway area a public nuisance and authorizes removal and destruction. This option focuses on visibility of vehicles.

Option #3 declares all abandoned, wrecked, dismantled etc. vehicles and parts

on the property (both front and rear) be declared a public nuisance.

Romero told the council that his hobby is dismantling vehicles and selling the parts. He said he has been doing that for more than 20 years. The city advised Romero that the area is only zoned for residential and not for business.

According to the city, Romero's violations are in excess of \$24,500.

Romero accused the city of forcing him to leave Wasco, where he has lived since he was a child.

The council and Romero arrived at a compromise in that Romero has three months to have half of the vehicles removed from his property, and the city will

Teresa's eatery takes a crash in stride

From Page 1

pretty much a disaster area. But as they say on Broadway, "The show must go on."

And it did because Aguilera was able to utilize the outdoor covered patio with a pass-through window to get food from the kitchen to the patio.

Even though the restaurant was damaged, Aguilera was able to remodel with a complete redo of the exterior and interior, including walls, floors, ceiling, lighting and the outside.

According to Aguilera, what was originally considered a disaster ended up being a blessing in disguise. She was able to not only renovate the exterior of the restaurant, she also decided to completely change the interior, going from dark wood to a bright white, new lighting fixtures and new flooring.

This accident made it possible for me to change the things I wanted to and that my family encouraged me to," Aguilera said. "I was excited when I realized how much I could get done once construction began."

Teresa's Mexican Restaurant stands out due to the customer service offered the moment the front door is opened and a customer steps in. "I'm not rich," Aguilera says. "But I am rich in what my mother taught me about the value of customers. So many people come in and say they knew my par-

ents and how wonderful they treated everyone they ever met."

To Aguilera that is the legacy she inherited. She loves hearing old stories about her parents from customers who knew them and loved them. "That's the best thing about



The corner where the vehicle went through the wall.

owning this place."

Teresa's is open seven days a week, Sunday and Monday from 6 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and Tuesday through Saturday from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.

"We are known for our chili verde," Aguilera boasted, smiling.

Long-time customer Jamar Demery from Wasco has been enjoying Teresa's for over 15 years, and his dining partner, Aimee Reese, also originally from Wasco but now living in Los Angeles, has been enjoying Teresa's for about 30 years. Demery's favorite is garlic butter shrimp, while Reese loves the chili verde burrito.



Census 2020 Regional Campaign Manager Cristina Camacho. (Photo by Alex Garcia)

need to support the people instead of judging them," Rubalcava said.

The final discussion centered on the upcoming 2020 census. The message focused on the theme "Everyone Counts," Regional Campaign Manager Cristina Camacho said.

"For the first time, the census will be done online," she added. "There will be a postcard arriving in the mail in March 2020 followed by three more reminders, and if a response is not made by April 30, someone will come knocking at your door to conduct the census for your family."

Camacho reminded everyone that every person counts because the more people counted means more federal money for pro-

grams for the community.

Camacho also stated that often people forget to count their children. "In the last census, 1 million children were not counted."

In order to get the message out, she said that teachers can educate their students about the census and students can go home and educate their parents. "Census equals money," Camacho said.

Kern Complete County Committee's Karneena Morales stated that the census committee needs more workers. She can be reached at 855-506-2020.

She also mentioned the Point in Time homeless count, which takes place Friday, Jan. 24 from 3:30 p.m. to 10:30 a.m.

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TOP LEFT: Alejandro Prieto with the tackle. TOP RIGHT: Andre Cordova with the carry. LEFT: Andre Cordova with the catch against Selma. (Photos by Gladis Castillo)

COUCH'S CORNER

A plea to help fix ‘Blood Alley’

SUPERVISOR DAVID COUCH

On Nov. 15, a group of us traveled to Fresno to testify at a hearing of the California Transportation Commission. I was in attendance with Councilmember Cathy Prout of Shafter and Councilmember Olivia Trujillo of Arvin. Also, in attendance was Aharon Hakami, who is the executive director of the Kern Council of Governments. We were there to testify about the importance of funding Highway 46 that Caltrans staff recommended be cancelled along with 2 other widening projects on Highway 99. The commission will meet in December, where we will get an update.

Below are the comments I made to the commission: Madame Chair & Commissioners,

My name is David Couch, and I am the chairman of the Kern County Board of Supervisors.

Before I get into the heart of my comments, I'd like to place one statement on the record: The law requires that Caltrans consult with the CoGs (Councils of Government) before the draft ITIP is released. That consultation did not take place.

Thank you for the ITIP funding for a portion of Highway 46 -- known as "Blood Alley" because of the large number of fatalities on this route. The Wye project fixes a dangerous intersection at Highway 41 and 46 on an important goods movement corridor where James Dean was killed 64 years ago. Also, we would like to thank state agency staff for reaching out to us last week to further discuss Valley concerns.

State Route 46 is on the State Highway Freight Network and the National Highway System's Strategic Highway Network.

As you know, people are dying every year on Highway 46. We maintain that holding funding for future projects that are not ready to go does nothing to alleviate this problem. There other projects on Blood Alley that are ready to go to construction, such as segment 4B in the disadvantaged community of Lost Hills, and this project leverages a large federal match.

I am honored to represent the disadvantaged communities in Lost Hills, Wasco, Delano, McFarland, Shafter, La Colonia, Buttonwillow, Lamont, Weedpatch and Arvin located at the crossroads of Central

California.

These communities need jobs. Affordable, safe, clean goods movement helps generate badly needed jobs for these communities. In disadvantaged communities, one of the best ways to save a life, or provide quality healthcare, is to provide a job.

As a member of the Kern Council of Governments' board of directors, I am here today to let you know that the draft ITIP still does NOT reflect Kern CoG's top priority, reaffirmed by a unanimous resolution provided to Caltrans staff in April of this year, which is to FINISH 46.

Segment 4B on Highway 46 is not just a widening; it will provide a more sustainable goods movement corridor that connects the Salinas Valley with an intermodal rail facility in Delano operated by Union Pacific. Shipping by rail is 10 times more energy efficient and creates 10 times less GHG (greenhouse gases) that shipping by truck but we need safer roads that connect these intermodal rail facilities.

Segment 4B on Highway 46 is a 5 mile safety widening project with bike and pedestrian improvements through the disad-

vantaged community of Lost Hills. This project leverages \$17.5 million in federal BUILD grant funding. Another \$33 million is still needed to complete the gap project by connecting two existing 4 lane segments. It also leverages a pedestrian overpass for Lost Hills, funded by the Wonderful Company and estimated cost of \$4 million.

In the previous 2018 ITIP, a commitment to segment 4B was made on Page 29. Now that project has received one of only two federal BUILD grants to be awarded in California and the state has raised the gas tax, which impacts disadvantaged communities the most. The draft ITIP now puts these federal matching dollars at risk. And it does so for a "future unidentified rail project" that is not ready to go, and supposedly for the sake of GHG.

Highway projects that make it easier and safer to ship goods by rail have a far greater potential for reducing GHG than passenger rail investment.

We implore you to please help us FINISH 46.

Any questions? Contact our office at 661-868-3680 or at district4@kerncounty.com.

High Speed Rail path to Bakersfield

From Page 1

authority to court as they opposed the original route that was chosen, which it said would have negatively impacted the city and its residents. The city was successful in its bid to have an alternative route adopted.

The original route would have run paral-

lel to the existing BNSF freight line that already runs through Shafter and intersects in seven different points of the city. The early proposal would have run the train along a similar route but on a raised viaduct, which would have hindered the city's ability to make future changes to the freight line by

essentially creating a barrier.

The section receiving clearance extends from Shafter east towards State Route 99 and the existing railroad tracks, then head south into Bakersfield, ending at a station that will be located on F Street in downtown Bakersfield.

The authority will be releasing six other remaining documents for public comment, on a schedule to complete the process before a December 2021 deadline.

The next document that will be completed, by January, is expected to cover the section of the project from Bakersfield to Palmdale.

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
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Name Statement
Kreations by Kornbau
2019-B7115

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County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
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Bakersfield, CA 93311
Jennifer Dawn Kornbau
10015 Saint Albans
Bakersfield, CA 93311
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced:
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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/Jennifer Dawn Kornbau
Date Statement Filed: 11/08/2019
Date Statement Expires: 11/08/2024
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/R Roberts-Martin
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PUBLIC NOTICE
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER:
SCV-19000028
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner: Gloria Rincon De Godinez filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present Name
Gloria Rincon De Godinez
Proposed Name
Gloria Rincon Ramos
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.
NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 12-13-19 Time: 9:00 am
Dept: B
b. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, OF KERN, 325 Central Valley Hwy, Shafter, 93293
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: 10-11-19
/s/Jose R. Benavides
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Delanos Best Smog
2019-B6518

1203 Cecil Ave Suite A
Delano, CA 93215
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
1203 Cecil Ave Suite A
Delano, CA 93215
Jose Manuel Ramirez
1718 1st Street
Wasco, CA 93280
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: N/A
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/s/Jose Manuel Ramirez
Date Statement Filed: 10/11/2019
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By: /s/J Chaides
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Wasco Pharmacy
2019-B6848

2345 Highway 46 Ste A
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern

Mailing address of business:
2345 Highway 46 Ste A
Wasco, CA 93280
Kilimanjaro Pharmacy Inc
2345 Highway 46 Ste A
Wasco, CA 93280
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced:
9/15/2017
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/s/Osman Mussa, President
Date Statement Filed: 10/29/2019
Date Statement Expires: 10/29/2024
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Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/R. Roberts-Martin/RRM
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
TPWC
2019-B7082
5117 Laura Court
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
5117 Laura Court
Bakersfield, CA 93308
Thomas Ray Putman
5117 Laura Court

Bakersfield, CA 93308
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced:
12/06/2012
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PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE INVITING INTERESTED
CONTRACTORS FOR 2019-2020
CALIFORNIA UNIFORM
PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION COST
ACCOUNTING (CUPCCA) PROGRAM
INFORMAL BID LIST FOR
WASCO UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
In accordance with the State of California Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (CUPCCA), the District is inviting all interested licensed contractors to submit their company information for inclusion on the District's Pre-Qualified Informal Bidding Contractors List for construction projects during 2019-2020. Per California Public Contract Code 22032, any Public Works Project that is estimated to cost between \$60,000 and \$200,000 is subject to the Informal Bidding Procedures set forth by the State of California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission. All trade categories are subject to Informal Bidding Procedures.
LETTER OF INTEREST FROM LICENSED CONTRACTORS
Licensed contractors interested in placement on the District's 2019-2020 Informal Bidding Pre-Qualified Contractors List, must submit a "Letter of Interest". The letter must contain the contractor's name, address, phone, e-mail, license number, DIR registration number, and classification. Submit the Letter of Interest to DaVargas@wuesd.org or mail to:
Wasco Union School District
Attn: Daniel Vargas
1102 Fifth Street
Wasco, CA, 93280
Please Note: All contractors and subcontractors intending to bid or perform work on public works projects over \$1,000 will be required to be currently registered with DIR to perform such work. The cost to register for the program is \$400.00 annually and is non-refundable. No bid can be accepted nor any contract or subcontract of \$1,000 or more be entered into without proof that the contractor or subcontractor is registered. More information can be found at the Department of Industrial Relations website; www.dir.ca.gov.
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NOTICE OF JOB OPPORTUNITY

DISTRICT ACCOUNT SECRETARY

8HR/12 MONTHS
CLASSIFIED CONFIDENTIAL SCHEDULE

Wasco Union High School District is seeking qualified applicants for the position of District Account Secretary. The classified confidential position is eight hours per day, twelve months per year. The salary range is \$4,022.76-\$5,252.59 per month.

Under direct supervision of the Director of Business Services assist in the daily functions of the District Office. To perform various reports and surveys regarding salaries, benefits, and/or any other confidential information for Superintendent's use regarding negotiations, personnel items, etc. To prepare and carry out challenging and responsible accounting and fiscal record management, human resource, construction documents meeting coordination functions involving the use of manual and computer-assisted record management, storage and retrieval systems; to monitor, audit, and prepare a variety of fiscally related reports, records, and summaries; and to do other related work as required.

Cross train on all other positions in the district office. Fill in for other district office positions as needed. Make mathematical calculations with speed and accuracy. Understand and carry out oral and written directions. Capacity to lead others as well as follow the directions of supervisors. Exemplification of pride in responsibilities and duties. Maintain cooperative working relationships with those contacted in the course of the work and the ability to meet the public tactfully, courteously and present a positive image of the school district. Experience with Microsoft Office/Google Docs/Access and Storage and retrieval systems. Bilingual is preferred but not required.

Interested applicants may access full job description and complete a Classified Application located on our website, www.wascouhsd.org, under the tab Employment for Classified. Applications are also accepted on www.edjoin.org.

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Required Qualifications:
High School Diploma or equivalent


To apply, please submit the following to the District Office:

- Classified Application (completed)
- Letter of Interest
- Resume
- Attach a copy of the high school diploma or equivalent

Interested applicants may attain an application on the district's website: www.wascouhsd.org or by picking up an application at the District Office

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NOTICE OF JOB OPPORTUNITY

CUSTODIAN/BUS DRIVER

8HR/12 MONTHS
MONTHLY RATE

Wasco Union High School District is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Bus Driver/Custodian. The position is full time, eight hours per day, twelve months per year, and five days per week may include Saturdays. Overtime hours may be required in the course of the job duties. Exceptional Benefits Package: Full Health, dental, vision, prescription and life insurance are provided by the District with no employee contribution for individual and family. The salary range is \$3,018.25-\$3,809.61 per month with additional compensation as Bus Driver as per Salary Schedule.

Desired experience, knowledge and attributes:

- Skilled use of equipment, machines, and tools
- Ability to perform general custodial duties
- Willingness to assist in setup and operation of athletic events
- Capacity to lead others as well as follow the directions of supervisors
- Exemplification of pride in responsibilities and duties
- The ability to meet the public and present a positive image of the school district

Required Qualifications:

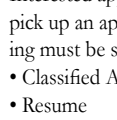
- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Currently holds or able to qualify for a school bus driver certification within the probationary period (1 year) to attain a valid California Class B Driver's License with school bus certification and first aid certification issued by the Highway Patrol
- A valid medical examiner certificate (required with bus license)

Interested applicants may visit the district's website at www.wascouhsd.org or pick up an application at the District Office, 2100 Seventh Street. The following must be submitted as a completed application:

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- Resume
- Letter of Interest
- Three current letters of recommendation
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