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More businesses now open in orange tier

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Wasco Tribune

The county is beginning to reopen as it enters the orange tier.

Retail no longer has capacity restrictions and museums, zoos and aquariums are now able to increase capacity to 50%. Places of worship are able to increase indoor capacity

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to 50%. Movie theaters can now increase indoor capacity 50% or 200 people, whichever is fewer.

Hotels and lodging can open indoor pools and gyms and fitness centers will be able to increase indoor capacity to 25%

or 100 people, whichever is fewer. Indoor pools can now be opened and restaurants are now able to increase indoor dining capacity to 50% or 100 people, whichever is fewer.

Wineries, breweries and distilleries can also open indoors at 25% capacity or 100 people, whichever is fewer and bars can

open outdoors only with modifications. Family entertainment centers can open at 25% capacity or 50% capacity with all guests showing proof of testing or full vaccination.

Director of Kern County Public Health Michelle Corson said that cardrooms can

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Nicole Morris poses with her parents Chad and Janae Morris.

Nicole Morris named Distinguished Young Woman

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

Nicole Morris was named Shafter's Distinguished Young Woman for the Class of 2022 on Saturday night.

The event was held at the Ford Theater and the event was Livestreamed for those who were unable to attend. Emceed by Debbie Porwell, last year's Distinguished Young Woman Shelbee Ramos handed her title to Morris at the end of the evening.

The program has several different phases that are judged, including Physical Fitness, Self Expression,

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Scholastic, Interview, Talent and the Spirit Award, which is voted on by the participants themselves.

At the end of the evening, Morris's named was called, despite not winning any of the individual categories. Morris's overall score was higher, with a strong all-around performance.

The First Alternate was Natalie Olvera. Olvera also won the Scholastic award, Spirit award, and the

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2020 DYW Shelbee Ramos bids farewell

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

On Saturday night, Shelbee Ramos handed her title of Distinguished Young Woman of Shafter to Nicole Morris.

This ended the **SHAFTER** year's reign of Ramos's service as Shafter's DYW. Usually, the DYW of Shafter is kept very busy with public appearances, city functions, and competing at the state competition.

Ramos competed in the state competition, held in Bakersfield, and won a "Be Your Best Self" award.

The pandemic restricted Ramos' reign as DYW and did not have much opportunity to participate in any city functions, ribbon cuttings, and other events.

Ramos said it was an honor to represent "our wonderful city" and thanked everyone who supported her.

While the judges were deliberating on Saturday night, Ramos gave a farewell speech in which she recounted her year and the experiences that she had being involved in the program.

Here is Ramos's farewell speech in its entirety:

"Participating in a program such as Distinguished

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Eighth grade will have graduation ceremony

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Eighth-grade students will be having a live graduation ceremony.

"The district will hold live graduation ceremonies for Thomas Jefferson and Palm Avenue Middle Schools on Wednesday, May 26 at 7 p.m. at the Wasco High School football field," Superintendent of the Wasco Union Elementary School District Kelly Richers said. "Tickets will be limited similar to last year's ceremony. We are not sure if it will be broadcast."

Richers said the eighth graders will return to school in person on Monday, May 24 to turn in whatever needs to be turned in.

He added that additional information will be forthcoming regarding summer school and the opening of school for fall 2021.

Richers said attendance has been down to 95% in the last month.

"The district has done very well with 98% attendance during the pandemic," he said.



Superintendent Kelly Richers



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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

Covid-19 testing — There will be free covid-19 testing Wednesdays and Sundays at the Wasco Library, 1102 7th St., Wasco. If you have insurance, they will be billed. Appointments can be made at lhi.care/covidtesting or call 888-634-1123. Donde? Biblioteca de Wasco 1102 7th St, Wasco. Si no tiene acceso de internet llame al (888)634-1123.

Reopened — Shafter City Hall has reopened to the public from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Hours for the finance department are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 661-746-5000.

Zumba Gold — Register at brandiroot.zumba.com/livestream for class on Mondays and Wednesdays 9:30 a.m. Hosted by Shafter Recreation and Parks District.

Zumba Kids — Register at brandiroot.zumba.com/livestream for class on Saturdays at 11 a.m. Hosted by Shafter Recreation and Parks District.

Zumba On Demand — Register at brandiroot.zumba.com/livestream. Saturdays from 2 to 7 p.m. and Thursdays 3 to 8 p.m. Hosted by Shafter Recreation and Parks District.

TUESDAY

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.

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.

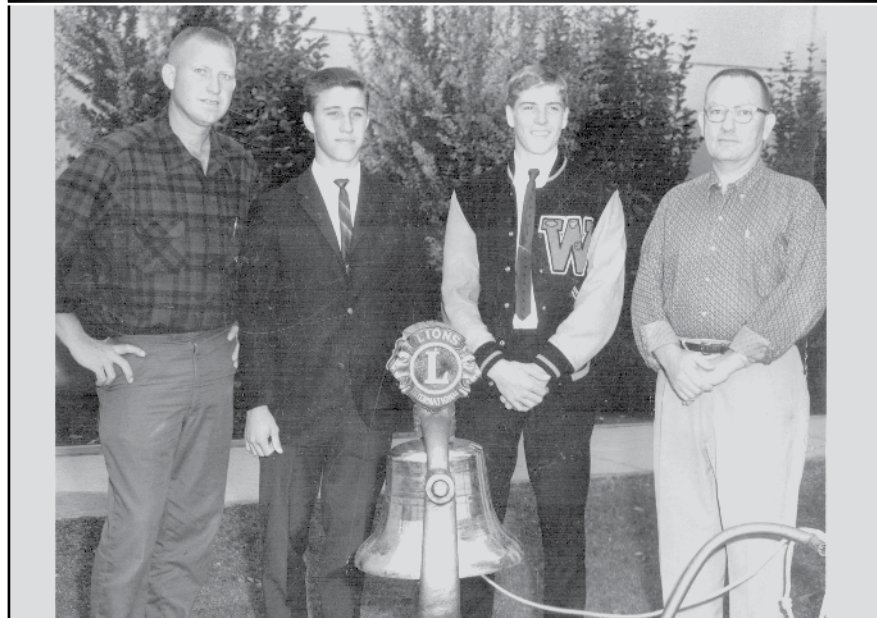
Truth ministries — Truth Ministries: A Faith Based 12-Step Program providing fellowship recovery will be held on Thursday nights from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Shafter Menno-nite Brethren Church, 400 Kern St. The program begins on Feb. 25. Call 661-746-4969 for more information.

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.

Mystery history

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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*, 406 Central Ave., Shafter 93263, or e-mail it to mysteryphoto@TheShafterPress.com. Winners will be revealed here next week. **LAST WEEK:** The photo was of Cawalo in 1942.

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HEADLINES IN HISTORY



Compiled by Erica Soriano

10 years ago:

April 6, 2011

The Valley Bible Church located on 350 Pine St., Shafter celebrated their 85th anniversary. This year it will be their 95th anniversary.

20 years ago:

April 11, 2001

Sergeant Diane Burnett was honored by the Shafter council for becoming the first certified homicide investigator in Kern County.

30 years ago:

April 10, 1991

Karen Fortenberry was crowned 1991 Shafter High Young Woman of the Year.

ARREST REPORT

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As reported by the Shafter Police Department

APRIL 6

Guadalupe Gomez, 36, of Shafter, was arrested on Merced Ave and Poplar Ave for carrying a loaded firearm and possession of controlled substance.

APRIL 7

Kayla Dawn Frederickson, 27, of Shafter, was arrested on Prince Ln. and Mettler Ave on a misdemeanor bench warrant.

Paola Isabel Quintero, 36, of Shafter, was arrested on E. Tulare Ave and Cherry Ave. on a felony bench warrant, misdemeanor bench warrant and controlled substance paraphernalia.

APRIL 8

Edgar Vazques, 25, of Shafter, was arrested on the 100 block of E. Lerdo Hwy. for controlled substance paraphernalia, driving without a license, disorderly conduct: under the influence and on a misdemeanor bench warrant.

Pedro Pena Lopez, 39, of Shafter, was arrested on the 400 block of Prince Ln. for obstruction of a public

officer and on a misdemeanor or bench warrant.

APRIL 9

Robert Matthew Greene, 30, of Shafter, was arrested on Zerker Rd. and Seventh Standard Rd. on an outside felony warrant, possession of controlled substance, driving without a license and failing to stop at a red light.

APRIL 11

Guillermo Franco Nunez, 19, of Shafter, was arrested on the 400 block of Sunny Ln. for DUI, turning without signaling and driving under the influence.

BUTTONWILLOW

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

APRIL 3

Joey Jeramiah Milam, 26, of Buttonwillow, was arrested in the 500 block of Milo Avenue in Buttonwillow for domestic violence. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

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

APRIL 5

Brycen Dugan, 28, of

Wasco was arrested in the 1000 block of 12th Street for possession of a stolen vehicle, possession of a controlled substance, possession of unlawful paraphernalia, conspiracy to commit a crime, grand theft during a state of emergency, and possession of metal knuckles. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Carlos Guizar, 22, of Wasco was arrested in the 1000 block of 12th Street for possession of unlawful paraphernalia, possession of metal knuckles, conspiracy to commit a crime, grand theft during a state of emergency, and possession of a stolen vehicle. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Jose Manuel Zamora, 33, of Wasco was arrested in the 700 block of F Street on his active misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

APRIL 6

David Zuniga Fierro, 29, of Wasco was arrested in the 700 block of F Street on his two active misdemeanor

warrants. He was cited and released at the scene.

APRIL 7

Israel Noel Esquivel, 24, of Wasco was arrested in the 1000 block of D Street on his active felony and misdemeanor warrants and possession of unlawful paraphernalia. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Jose Rogelio Estrada Medina, 41, of Wasco was arrested at the intersection of 9th place and Broadway Street for driving without a license. He was cited and released at the scene.

Joel Munoz, 37, of Wasco was arrested in the 1000 block of D Street on his active felony and misdemeanor warrants. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Louis Daniel Sanchez, 25, of Wasco was arrested at the intersection of Central Park Drive and Central Avenue for driving without a license. He was cited and released at the scene.

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Stadium to receive state-of-the-art scoreboard

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

The renovation project of the Shafter High School stadium is under way, with the demolition of the grandstands, press box and the surrounding track.

One of the highlights of the new stadium



This is what the video scoreboard will look like upon completion.

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is going to be a state-of-the-art video scoreboard. Once completed, Shafter High will have the only one of its kind in the Central Valley.

The board will feature the usual graphics such as scores, first downs, time and also have space for advertising, showing instant replays, and slow motion. The board will measure 24.5 feet by 10 feet.

Coach Jerald Pierucci recently presented the outline of the project to the City Council. Daktronics is building the board. They are known for creating scoreboards on the professional and major college level, including the video scoreboard at the University of Southern California.

The scoreboard will cost \$196,000, with another \$60,000 for the sound system. Pierucci said that one unique feature of the board will be the sound. The sound system will be emanating from the board, with the sound going out to the entire stadium, making it possible to hear clearly anywhere in the stadium.

Pierucci said that the school has five



This is a diagram of the new Shafter High stadium.

major sponsorships available for \$15,000 each. This would give the company advertising on the board itself.

Operations of the system will be handled by Shafter High students. Students from Pierucci's media classes will be trained and

certified on the system. This will be an asset for the students if they decide to pursue a career in media.

Anyone who would like to be a part of the scoreboard can contact Pierucci at jerald_pierucci@kernhigh.org

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be open indoors. Offices can be open indoors, Corson said, with modifications, but still encouraging teleworking. Outdoor live events with assigned seating capacity increases from 20 to 30% or 67% of all guests show proof of testing or full vaccination.

Corson advised all residents that Kern

County must remain in the orange tier for at least three weeks before moving into the next, less restrictive yellow tier.

Wasco's numbers for April 13 were 5,367 infected, 2,190 recovered compared to the numbers on April 8 when 5,350 were infected, 2,175 recovered and 2,699 presumed recovered.

Shafter's numbers for April 13, were 3,520 infected, 3,520 recovered and 2,028 presumed recovered while the numbers for April 8 were 3,506 infected, 1,372 recovered and 2,015 presumed recovered.

The number of infected increased by 17 for Wasco in the past week and the number

of recovered increased by 15 as well as an increase of 307 presumed recovered in a week's time.

Shafter's infected rose by 14 people in the past week while the number of recovered increased by 9 and the number of presumed recovered in the week increased by 13.

New council, appointees receive transparency training

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The newest City Council member Vince Martinez, board members and new employees received training on April 10 regarding the Brown Act.

The Brown Act training, by Che Johnson of the Fresno firm of Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, discusses public meeting laws covering background and coverage, meetings and agendas, closed sessions and remedies for violations of the Brown Act.

"The people in delegating authority do not give their public servants the right to decide what is good for the people to know and what is not good for them to know," the Ralph M. Brown Act of 1953 states.

Principles of the Brown Act include transparency in government and public access and participation within context of a "business meeting."

Anyone who has been elected or appointed to sit on a legislative body to vote on and make decisions with other individuals and also individuals who have not yet taken office need to be well-versed in the Brown Act.

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The following is not considered a meeting covered by the Brown Act:

Attendance of a majority at conference/seminars, community meetings or social events (if no discussion of district business is conducted).

Advisory committee meetings such as Finance Committee, etc.

If three or more members of a committee attend a function such as a ribbon cutting ceremony, but do not discuss business at all, then it is not considered a violation of the Brown Act by attending the event.

In addition, a dinner meeting held after a board meeting where nothing business-wise was discussed, but only personal disclosure, than it is not considered a violation of the Brown Act.

Serial board meetings are meetings where communication between board members comes to a majority through email, telephone or intermediaries or to hear, discuss or deliberate on any item within the subject matter of the district occurs.

Johnson explained that answering a

question from the public in a meeting setting that members may not respond directly to any communication can be a violation.

He also advised not to continue a string of emails regarding a suggestion or idea that was made at a meeting by forwarding your email, the response email and any other emails. That may be considered a violation of the Brown Act if several people on the committee are involved in the email.

In general, no action may be taken on an item that is not on the agenda and the public has access to all agendas.

There are three types of meetings such as regular, special and emergency. The agenda for a regular meeting must be posted at least 72 hours before the actual meeting and must be accessible on the agency's website.

Special meetings may be called at any time by the presiding officer and must be posted 24 hours before the meeting. Date and time of meeting must be designated and only matters to be discussed may be in the agenda.

An emergency meeting means work stoppage, crippling activity, disaster or other activity that impairs or threatens public health and/or safety. In this case, no written notice is needed, no media notice is needed; however the minutes must be posted and closed session is limited.

The public has the right to address items on the agenda before they are voted on. The public also has a right to record a meeting and to broadcast a meeting as well as the right to inspect documents and recordings. If an agency begins with closed session, public comments must be allowed prior to the closed session.

A meeting room may be cleared due to willful interruption; however, if the media was not involved in the interruption, it may



Che Johnson, from Liebert Cassidy Whitmore in Fresno, presents the training.



Mayor Alex Garcia listens to the presenter.

Animal shelter has 4 adoptable dogs, now taking strays

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Animal Control Officers Fidel Lara, Jr., Marco Silva and Eulalia Barraza treat their shelter animals as if they were their own pets.

"We only have four dogs at the shelter right now," Lara said. "Last week our last cat was sent to a rescue."

Only one person at a time has been allowed at the shelter since March 2020 and that rule is still in effect today.

"Badge has been at the shelter the longest and he's only been here since April 6," Lara said.

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Both confirmed that the shelter does not put cats and dogs in a kennel together. This is because it is often unknown how the animals might react.

Silva added that the shelter is now taking in strays.

"In 2021, we have euthanized 17 animals; however, most of those were due to being hit by a vehicle," Silva said.


Both officers said that animals could remain at the shelter indefinitely depending on space and temperament. The shelter attempts not to euthanize animals if it can be prevented.



Two of three Animal Control Shelter employees, from left, Marco Silva and Fidel Lara, Jr.

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2020 DYW Shelbee Ramos bids farewell

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Young Women was a life-changing experience. I had the opportunity to represent my city for the class of 2021 and although I didn't have many opportunities to represent my city due to covid, I still very much am thankful.

When I participated in this program with 13 other girls I thought about how wonderful it was going to be making new friends and getting to know girls that I thought were different than me, but in reality we were all similar in our own ways. We had hopes and dreams and goals in life.

Although my year participating in DYW was very different from the previous years, it was still very fun and very humbling, watching other girls my age grow and develop into strong, smart and powerful young women was so invigorating.

"One of the privileges I had gotten was representing Shafter in the California Distinguished Young Women program. Everything was held via Zoom, but throughout the meetings I got to attend I had gotten to speak for my city and even learn new things when it comes to life skills. Something I enjoy very much as being the Distinguished Young Woman of Shafter is being able to attend the practices for this year's program, seeing these young, beautiful, smart and talented girls grow as people and develop in their own unique ways,

passing down my title to any of these girls is such an honor. I know that they will do great things in the future for themselves and for the city.

"I would like to give a special thank you to all of the people that have supported me throughout my journey this year. I would like to thank Richland Chevrolet for being amazing sponsors, and my parents and grandparents for being supportive and for inspiring me to be my very best self. I would also like to thank Jessica Moore, Toni Frantz, and Sharon Wiebe for being amazing help to me and the program itself and most of all the city of Shafter for their love and support. I couldn't have done it all without these amazing people and this amazing city. Lastly, my final message to the Distinguished Young Women class of 2022 is to be your very best selves. We haven't spent a lot of time together but watching you girls grow as women is the greatest thing I experience in my final months of being the Distinguished Young Woman of Shafter, I know any one of you would be capable to have this title and any one of you is worthy of this honor.

"I urge each and every one of you to be inspiring in you own way and to be role models for the little girls that look up to you. Keep a smile on your face, keep your head held high and lastly be your very best self."



Ramos was given a Key to the City by the City Council.

Amtrak station's demolition is a loss for Wasco

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

I am saddened to see the demolition of the Wasco Amtrak station.

I was the editor when the Wasco Amtrak station held its ribbon cutting ceremony and I remember how proud City Manager Larry Pennell and Mayor Fred West were. Larry Pearson, Tilo Cortez, Danny Espitia and Cheryl Wegman were on the council at that time.

I remember local dignitaries attending

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the ribbon cutting because we were very proud of the new facility and wanted to have a celebration. The building was brand new and would become the new headquarters for City Clerk Vicki Hight.

The mission-style building fit in perfectly with the Spanish culture of Wasco.

To know that it was being demolished Monday, March 29 because of the High Speed Rail felt like a slap in the face.

I left Wasco to begin working in Tehachapi for a very short while and then

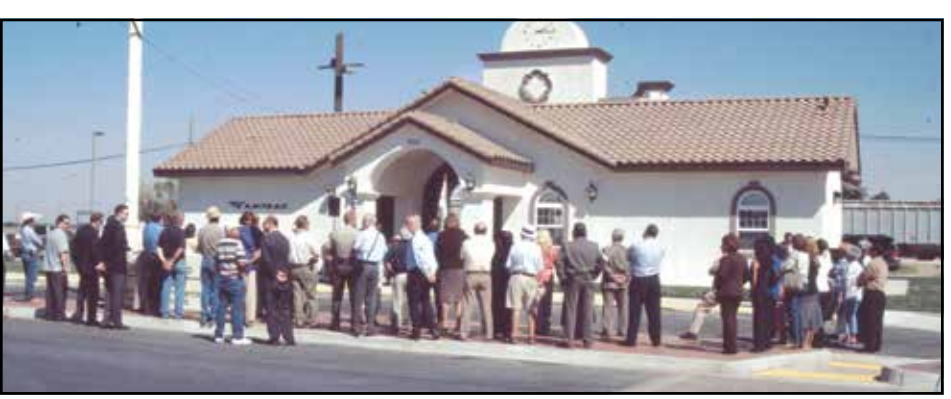
ended up in Arvin/Lamont for over eight years working for their local newspaper, while maintaining my friendship with several community members. I remember returning to Wasco to cover the Rose Festival when Vicki Hight was announced as the director of the Recreation and Parks District. I ran into her at the festival that year and was able to congratulate her in person. Considering that the station was only 16 years old and I, personally, feel its loss. I was looking forward to using Amtrak from Wasco to San Jose to visit friends and now I have to go into Bakersfield for that, when the station is right around the corner from my home. In fact, even worse, Wasco will lose Amtrak permanently once the HSR is running.

I feel that Wasco lost a bit of its history when it was demolished.

I remember taking Amtrak and being welcomed by the new station upon my return to town. I understand how difficult it has been for the city to accept the losses experienced



The wrecking ball hitting the former station.



Local community members joined the city at the ribbon cutting. Photos courtesy of Stan Wilson.

Wasco Baseball & Softball for ages 9-14 yrs old

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Wasco man dies in shooting

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

A 27-year-old Wasco man has died after being shot, the Kern County Sheriff's Office said.

Artemio Saucedo was found by deputies near Western and Poso Avenue. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

Deputies have ruled the death a homicide and they are continuing to investigate.

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Distinguished Young Woman Class of 2022 competes

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gram, giving the judges a glimpse into the personalities of the participants, evaluating how they handle speaking under pressure, and what their beliefs and priorities are.

The Fitness category, which tested the participants' endurance, fitness, and overall health was won by Malia Maldonado.

Each category winner received a

\$300 scholarship. The First Alternate received a \$1,500 scholarship, with the Second Alternate getting a \$1,000 scholarship.

Shafter's Distinguished Young Woman program is one of the oldest and largest programs in the state. Porwell said one of the main reasons for this success is the "amazing support that the community of Shafter has shown since the program's inception.

We are extremely fortunate to have such wonderful people in this community."

Morris will now represent the city in the state competition, which will be held this summer in Bakersfield, as well as making public appearances at different city functions, such as ribbon cuttings and luncheons.

Morris is the daughter of Chad and Janae Morris.



DYW Nicole Morris stands with her court.



LEFT: Nicole Morris reacts after the announcement was made. ABOVE: Natalie Olvera hears her name called as First Alternate. BELOW: MacKenzie Toews introduces herself at the beginning of the program.



ABOVE: Talent winner and Second Alternate Jamilynn Eighmy plays a piano solo. BELOW: Contestant Malia Maldonado and Alyssa Espericueta perform in the Physical Fitness phase of the competition.



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DYW an event to remember



ABOVE: Violet Ortiz performed a comical monologue depicting Goldilocks's life after the Three Bears incident. LEFT: All of the participants stand before the judges' announcement.



DYW Class of 2021 Has Beens.



Nicole Morris and Audrey McPhetridge perform the fitness routine.



LEFT: Ramos performed the song that she sang during last year's competition. ABOVE: Brooke Cummings and 2021 DYW Shelbee Ramos embrace during the Rose Ceremony.

FFA chapter competes in 5K

SOFIA REYES
Wasco High FFA

From March 21 to March 28, participants across California were able to enjoy running or walking a 5K path of their choosing.

The 5K was able to be completed in-

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doors or outdoors, walking, hiking, or racing, for one day or for many days. Participants had eight days to finish the 5K.

The Wasco FFA chapter had the oppor-

tunity to be a part of this event with five current students, four teachers and two alumni.

Enrique Carrillo took first place, finishing in 21 minutes.

The Wasco FFA thanked Dr. Medrano for sponsoring the chapter.



From left, Enrique Carrillo, Andrew Morales, Addison Tatum, Mackinley Wankum, Lindsay Lee, Mr.Farao, Mr. Blanchard, Vianey Padilla, Nicholas Gutierrez, Jessica Corcura, Miss. Tomlin and Mrs.Morales.



All the participants would like to thank Dr. Medrano for sponsoring the group.



Wasco FFA staff finish off their 5k run.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF HEARING AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

SERVICE CHARGES (LAND USE FEES) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Management Program Service Charges (Land Use Fees) for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for residential property. This Ordinance will establish a schedule of service charges for residential property which will be collected along with the County's property taxes and will become a lien on the property, if unpaid. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a report filed by the Public Works Department that designates the use of each parcel of real property in Kern County as either residential with four units or less, residential with five units or more, or non-residential, and describes the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of residential real property in Kern County should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the report approved. In accordance with this report, the Public Works Department proposes to increase the Solid Waste Management Program Service charges imposed on residential property on the tax roll for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 over the rates established for Fiscal Year 2020-2021. The charge imposed on a parcel of property used as a single-family residence with one to four residential units per parcel will increase from \$82.89 per year per residential unit to \$105.00 per year per residential unit. Parcels with multi-family dwellings with five or more residential units will increase from \$66.30 per year per residential unit to \$84.00 per year per residential unit. The service charges for waste generated on non-residential properties will not be collected on the tax roll but instead, will be paid through Gate Fees or Bin Fees, as appropriate.

Any affected person may submit written protests to the report or the enactment of the proposed tax roll billing. Written protests must be assigned by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing.

Upon the conclusion of the hearing,

the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any service charge set forth in the report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that report. Should the owners of either a majority of the separate parcels of real property or a majority of the separate parcels of residential real property described in the report object to the report, the report will not be adopted and the service charges for residential real property described in the report will not be collected with the County's property taxes; otherwise, the Board of Supervisors may order the report filed with the Kern County Auditor-Controller-County Clerk, who will enter the amounts of the service charges against the respective parcels of residential real property as they appear on the assessment roll. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15273 and Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) because it is the establishment of operational rates and charges. Additionally, it has been determined that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with a certainty that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment.

Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com.

Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Publish *Shafter* Press April 8, 15, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Anchor Awnings 2021-B1645

7200 Jolynn St
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
7200 Jolynn St
Bakersfield, CA 93308
Loraine Martinez
7200 Jolynn St
Bakersfield, CA 93308
The business is conducted by: Individual
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/Loraine Martinez
Date Statement Filed: 4/1/2021
Date Statement Expires: 4/1/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
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PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Vestige Investigation Services 2021-B1496

1129 Weyand Way
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
1129 Weyand Way
Shafter, CA 93263
Gustavo Escobar Olvera Jr.
1129 Weyand Way
Shafter, CA 93263
The business is conducted by: Individual
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/Gustavo E. Olvera Jr.
Date Statement Filed: 03/29/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/29/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,

Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
Publish *Shafter* Press April 8, 15, 22, 29, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Abel's Garden 2021-B1301

438 Fairhaven Av
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
438 Fairhaven Av
Shafter, CA 93263
Abel Mendez Carrillo
438 Fairhaven Av
Shafter, CA 93263
The business is conducted by: Individual
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/Abel Mendez
Date Statement Filed: 03/12/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/12/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez
Publish *Shafter* Press March 25, April 1, 8, 15, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Anna Dugenia Photography 2021-B1288

302 Garces Hwy #G138
Delano, CA 93215
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
302 Garces Hwy #G138
Delano, CA 93215
Anna Liza Dugenia
302 Garces Hwy #G138
Delano, CA 93215
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: 01/12/2021
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/Anna Dugenia
Date Statement Filed: 03/12/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/12/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Asela Environmental, Inc. 2021-B1309

Alert Disaster Restoration 2021-B1310
Alert Environmental 2021-B1311
4415 Yeager Way Suite 800
Bakersfield, CA 93313
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
PO Box 20729
Bakersfield, CA 93390
Asela Environmental, Inc.
4415 Yeager Way, Suite 800
Bakersfield, CA 93313
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced: 11/01/2010
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/Debra Watkins, President
Date Statement Filed: 03/16/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/16/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE COMMERCIAL ZONE 1 SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHARGES AND RECYCLING SURCHARGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Collection Charges and the Recycling Surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for commercial property in Garbage Zone 1. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a Report filed by the Public Works Department titled "Commercial Zone 1 Solid Waste Collection Charges for Fiscal Year 2021-2022." Issues and recommendations in the report include the following:

1. Designate the use of each parcel of real property in Commercial Zone 1 area as commercial (non-residential);
2. Describe the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of real property in the Commercial Zone 1 area should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the Report approved;
3. Maximum monthly rates for solid waste collection for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 in the Commercial Zone 1 area are to be set by container size as per Table A for commercial properties. This maximum rate includes the Solid Waste Administration fee which has been increased from \$0.20 per account per month to \$0.40 per commercial unit per month (as defined in Kern County Ordinance Code 5.36.055).
4. Recycling Services are a separate charge and will be set by container size as per Table A.
5. The Recycling Surcharge was established in Fiscal Year 2019-2020 and will be continued and will be set by container size as per Table A.

Any affected person may submit written protests to the report. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing.

Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge set forth in the Report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that Report.

The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment and the action is statutorily exempt from further CEQA review per Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) and Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15273 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines.

Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com.

Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Dated: March 23, 2021
/S/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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TABLE A

Commercial - Garbage Franchise Zone 1

Commercial Bin Service Monthly Rates	Size (CY)	First Commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Trash Bin Service	1	\$87.93	\$83.31	\$50.92
July 1, 2021	1	\$91.40	\$86.22	\$52.70
Current Trash Bin Service	1.5/300 gals	\$102.66	\$98.04	\$58.11
July 1, 2021	1.5/300 gals	\$106.65	\$101.47	\$60.14
Current Trash Bin Service	2	\$123.68	\$119.06	\$68.77
July 1, 2021	2	\$128.41	\$123.22	\$71.17
Current Trash Bin Service	3	\$156.22	\$151.60	\$76.94
July 1, 2021	3	\$162.09	\$156.91	\$79.63
Current Trash Bin Service	4	\$194.64	\$190.02	\$99.14
July 1, 2021	4	\$201.85	\$196.67	\$102.61
Current Blue Recycling Bin Service	3	\$90.74	\$90.74	\$76.74
July 1, 2021	3	\$93.92	\$93.92	\$79.92
Current Blue Recycling Bin Service	6	\$121.31	\$121.31	\$101.31
July 1, 2021	6	\$125.56	\$125.56	\$105.56

Commercial Cart Service Monthly Rates	Size (gallons)	First commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Trash Cart Service	96/101	\$41.14	\$36.52	\$17.53
July 1, 2021	96/101	\$42.98	\$37.80	\$18.15
Current Blue Recycling Cart Service	96/101	\$24.26	\$24.26	\$20.26
July 1, 2020	96/101	\$25.11	\$25.11	\$21.11

Commercial Organic Service Monthly Rates	Size	First commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Organic Cart Service	96/101 gals	\$41.14	\$36.52	N/A
July 1, 2021	96/101 gals	\$42.58	\$37.80	N/A
Current Organic Bin Service	3 CY	\$312.44	\$303.20	\$153.87
July 1, 2021	3 CY	\$323.38	\$313.82	\$159.26

Commercial Recycling Surcharge Monthly Rates	Collection Frequency	Recycling Surcharge
96/101 gal Cart	Weekly	\$3.03
96/101 gal Cart	Bi-weekly	\$1.52
300 gal Cart	Weekly	\$9.10
300 gal Cart	Bi-weekly	\$4.55
3 CY Bin	Weekly	\$18.20
3 CY Bin	Bi-weekly	\$9.10
6 CY Bin	Weekly	\$36.40
6 CY Bin	Bi-weekly	\$18.20

Commercial Roll-Off Service Monthly Rates	Per Dump	Rental Rate	Delivery Charge	Per Hour Charge	Roll-off Compactor Service Fee
Current Hauling Rate	\$251.30	\$212.58	\$115.86	\$139.83	\$306.44
July 1, 2021	\$260.10	\$220.42	\$119.92	\$144.73	\$317.17

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE SOUTH SHAFTER UNIVERSAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHARGES AND RECYCLING SURCHARGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Universal Solid Waste Collection Charges and the Recycling Surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for residential property with four units or less in the South Shafter Universal Collection Area. This Ordinance will establish a schedule of service charges for residential property which will be collected along with the County's property taxes and will become a lien on the property, if unpaid. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a Report filed by the Public Works Department titled "South Shafter Universal Solid Waste Collection Charges for Fiscal Year 2021-2022." Issues and recommendations in the report include the following:

1. Designate the use of each parcel of real property in the South Shafter Universal Collection Area as residential with four units or less, residential with more than four units, or non-residential;
2. Describe the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of real property with four or fewer residential units in the South Shafter Universal Collection Area should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the Report approved;
3. Maximum annual rates for universal solid waste collection for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 in the South Shafter Universal Collection Area are set forth in the following table for residential properties of one to four units. This maximum rate includes the Solid Waste Administration fee which is charged on a per residential unit basis and will be increased from \$2.40 per account per year to \$4.80 per residential unit (as defined in Kern County Ordinance Code 5.36.055) per year.

South Shafter UCA Maximum Annual Charge	Current Charge	Effective July 2021
Residential Service per unit	\$248.52	\$261.96
Recycling Surcharge per unit	\$13.68	\$20.52

4. Continue the implementation of the Recycling Surcharge which is currently being phased in over three years. Fiscal Year 2021-2022 is year three of the implementation and is \$20.52 per year per residential unit as shown in the table above.

Any affected person may submit written protests to the report or the enactment of the proposed tax roll billing. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Directors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing.

Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge set forth in the Report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that Report. Should the owners of either a majority of the separate parcels of real property or a majority of the separate parcels of residential real property described in the Report object to the Report, the Report will not be adopted and the charges for residential real property described in the Report will not be collected with the County's property taxes; otherwise, the Board of Supervisors may order the Report filed with the Auditor-Controller-County Clerk, who will enter the amounts of the charges against the respective parcels of residential real property as they appear on the assessment roll.

The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15273 and Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) because it is the establishment of operational rates and charges. Additionally, it has been determined that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with a certainty that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment.

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Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this Notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.

Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Winter Automotive Repair
2021-B1373
236 S. Shafter Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
236 S. Shafter Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Winter Automotive, Inc.
236 S. Shafter Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced: 12-15-16
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

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S
SALE Trustee Sale No.
139913 Title No. 95519944
NOTE: THERE IS A
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INFORMATION IN THIS
DOCUMENT ATTACHED
YOU ARE IN DEFAULT
UNDER A DEED OF
TRUST, DATED 11/21/2003.
UNLESS YOU TAKE
ACTION TO PROTECT
YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY
BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC
SALE. IF YOU NEED AN
EXPLANATION OF THE
NATURE OF THE
PROCEEDING AGAINST
YOU, YOU SHOULD
CONTACT A LAWYER. On
04/26/2021 at 10:00 AM,
The Mortgage Law Firm,
PLC, as duly appointed
Trustee under and pursuant
to Deed of Trust recorded
12/01/2003, as Instrument
No. 0203260468, in book xx,
page xx, of Official Records
in the office of the County
Recorder of Kern County,
State of California, executed
by Dana Isaac, An
Unmarried Woman, WILL
SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION
TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR
CASH, CASHIER'S
CHECK/CASH
EQUIVALENT or other form
of payment authorized by
2924h(b), (payable at time of
sale in lawful money of the
United States), At the front
entrance to the City Hall,
1501 Truxtun Avenue,
Bakersfield, CA 93301. All
right, title and interest
conveyed to and now held
by it under said Deed of
Trust in the property situated
in said County and State,
described as: FULLY
DESCRIBED IN THE
ABOVE DEED OF TRUST.
APN 026-141-13-00 The
street address and other
common designation, if any,
of the real property
described above is
purported to be: 314 Atlantic
Avenue, Shafter, CA 93263
The undersigned Trustee
disclaims any liability for any
incorrectness of the street
address and other common
designation, if any, shown
herein. Said sale will be
made, but without covenant
or warranty, expressed or
implied, regarding title,
possession, or
encumbrances, to pay the
remaining principal sum of
the note(s) secured by said
Deed of Trust, with interest
thereon, as provided in said
note(s), advances, if any,
under the terms of said
Deed of Trust, fees, charges
and expenses of the Trustee
and of the trusts created by
said Deed of Trust. The total
amount of the unpaid
balance of the obligation
secured by the property to
be sold and reasonable
estimated costs, expenses
and advances at the time of
the initial publication of the
Notice of Sale is: \$49,989.37
If the Trustee is unable to
convey title for any reason,
the successful bidder's sole
and exclusive remedy shall
be the return of monies paid
to the Trustee, and the
successful bidder shall have
no further recourse. The
beneficiary under said Deed
of Trust heretofore executed
and delivered to the
undersigned a written
Declaration of Default and
Demand for Sale, and
written Notice of Default and
Election to Sell. The
undersigned caused a
Notice of Default and
Election to Sell to be
recorded in the county
where the real property is
located. Dated: 3/16/2021
THE MORTGAGE LAW
FIRM, PLC Adriana
DurhamAuthorized
Signature 27455 TIERRA
ALTA WAY, STE. B,
Temecula, CA 92590 (619)
465-8200 FOR TRUSTEE'S
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2832 The Mortgage Law
Firm, PLC. may be
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Any information obtained
may be used for that
purpose. NOTICE TO
POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If
you are considering bidding
on this property lien, you

et seq., business and professions code.)
/s/Albert Garcia, President
Date Statement Filed: 03/18/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/18/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
JM and Sons
2021-B1095
30367 Richland Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern County
Mailing address of business:
30367 Richland Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Jose Francisco Montoya Jr
30367 Richland Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Jose Francisco Montoya – Bojorquez
30367 Richland Ave
Shafter, CA 93263

should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (800) 280-2832 for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this Internet Web site - www.auction.com - for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case: 139913. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. 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 property 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 are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (800) 280-2832 for information regarding the trustee's sale, or visit this internet website www.auction.com for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case Ts# 139913 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 contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. A-FN4730493 04/01/2021, 04/08/2021, 04/15/2021
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The business is conducted by: General Partnership
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/Jose F Montoya Jr
Date Statement Filed: 3/5/2021
Date Statement Expires: 3/5/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Independent Mechanical
Plumbing, Inc.
2021-B1504
3127 Patton Way
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
6077 Coffee Rd. #4- 49
Bakersfield, CA 93308
Independent Mechanical Plumbing, Inc.
6077 Coffee Rd #4-49
Bakersfield, CA 93308
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced: 1-19-2021
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/Johnny D. Couch, President
Date Statement Filed: 03/29/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/29/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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29, 2021
PUBLIC NOTICE
T.S. No. 20-20099-SP-CA
Title No. 200048730-CA-VOI
A.P.N. 101-042-19-00
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE. YOU

ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 10/11/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made in an "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Donald Hutchins, an unmarried man, and Bonnie Deshazo, an unmarried woman as joint tenants Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 11/07/2007 as Instrument No. 0207224744 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Kern County, CA. Date of Sale: 05/12/2021 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: At the Front Entrance to the City Hall, 1501 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA. 93301 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$140,438.65 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 410 Cotton Avenue Buttonwillow, CA 93206-9746 A.P.N.: 101-042-19-00 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written

request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5(b)/2923.55(c) were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call or visit this Internet Web site www.ndscorp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 20-20099-SP-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date:

04/02/2021 National Default Servicing Corporation c/o Tiffany & Bosco, P.A., its agent, 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 820 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-264-4010 Sales Line 855-219-8501; Sales Website: www.ndscorp.com By: Rachael Hamilton, Trustee Sales Representative 04/15/2021, 04/22/2021, 04/29/2021 CPP351012 Publish *Shafter* Press

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED
ORDINANCE
SOLID WASTE ADMINISTRATION
FEE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the Solid Waste Administration Fee for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for all residential and non-residential property in Unincorporated Kern County that subscribes to the service of a Franchise Hauler. This Ordinance will establish a fee for residential property located in a Universal Collection Area (excepting an Alternate Universal Collection Area), on a residential living unit basis, which will be collected along with the County's property taxes and will become a lien on the property, if unpaid. This Ordinance also establishes that the same fee will be paid on a residential living unit basis for all residential properties that are not located in a Universal Collection Area that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler. This Ordinance further established that the same fee will be paid on a non-residential (commercial) unit basis (as defined in Kern Code Ordinance Code 5.36.055) for non-residential properties that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a report filed by the Public Works Department that describes the amount of the proposed fee for each franchise hauler unit should the proposed Ordinance be enacted, and the report approved. In accordance with this report, the Solid Waste Administration Fee will increase from \$0.20 per unit (including residential and non-residential units) per month to \$0.40 per unit (including residential and non-residential units) per month for Fiscal Year 2021-2022. The fee for waste generated on non-Universal Collection Area residential and non-residential properties that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler will not be collected on the tax roll but instead, will be invoiced to the franchise hauler by the Public Works Department. Any affected person may submit written protests to the report or the enactment of the proposed tax roll billing. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any fee set forth in the report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon the fee as described in that report. Should the owners of a majority of the separate parcels of real property described in the report object to the report, the report will not be adopted and the fee described in the report will not be collected with the County's property taxes or invoiced; otherwise, the Board of Supervisors may order the report filed with the Kern County Auditor-Controller-County Clerk, who will enter the amounts of the fee against the respective parcels of residential real property as they appear on the assessment roll. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment and the action is statutorily exempt from further CEQA review per Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) and Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15273 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kern-county.com. Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kern-county.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing. Dated: March 23, 2021 /s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE Clerk of the Board of Supervisors Publish *Shafter* Press April 8, 15, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE
RESIDENTIAL NON-TAX ROLL BILLED
ZONE 1 FRANCHISE AREA 17
SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHARGES AND RECYCLING
SURCHARGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

On the **25th day of May, 2021**, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Collection Charges and the Recycling Surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for residential property in Garbage Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 that is not located within any Universal Collection Area. This Ordinance will establish a schedule of service charges for all residential properties with four or less units. Property owners in this area are not required to subscribe to the service of the franchise hauler, but if they do so, these charges will apply. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a Report filed by the Public Works Department titled "Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 Solid Waste Collection Charges for Fiscal Year 2021-2022." Issues and recommendations in the report include the following:

1. Designate the use of each parcel of real property in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 as residential or non-residential;
2. Describe the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of real property in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the Report approved;
3. Maximum monthly rates for solid waste collection for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 are set forth in the following table for residential properties of one to four units. This maximum rate includes the Solid Waste Administration fee which is charged on a per residential unit basis and will be increased from \$0.20 per account per month to \$0.40 per residential unit (as defined in Kern County Ordinance Code 5.36.055) per month.
4. Continue the implementation of the Recycling Surcharge which is currently being phased in over three years. Fiscal Year 2021-2022 is year three of the implementation and will be \$1.71 per month per residential unit as shown in the table above.

Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 FA 17 Maximum Monthly Charge	Current Charge	Effective July 2021
Residential Service per unit	\$22.44	\$23.62
Blue Cart Recycling per unit	\$7.17	\$7.42
Recycling Surcharge per unit	\$1.14	\$1.71

Any affected person may submit written protests to the Report. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge set forth in the Report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that Report. Should owners of either a majority of the separate parcels of real property or a majority of the separate parcels of residential real property described in the Report object to the Report, the Report will not be adopted and the charges for residential real property described in the Report will not be enacted and the rates will remain the same as the current fiscal year. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15273 and Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) because it is the establishment of operational rates and charges. Additionally, it has been determined that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with a certainty that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the Report filed by the Public Works Department are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com. Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this Notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the Public Hearing. Dated: March 23, 2021 /s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE Clerk of the Board of Supervisors Publish *Shafter* Press April 8, 15, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED
ORDINANCE
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
PROGRAM
SERVICE CHARGES (LAND USE
FEES) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Management Program Service Charges (Land Use Fees) for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for residential property. This Ordinance will establish a schedule of service charges for residential property which will be collected along with the County's property taxes and will become a lien on the property, if unpaid. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a report filed by the Public Works Department that designates the use of each parcel of real property in Kern County as either residential with four units or less, residential with five units or more, or non-residential, and describes the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of residential real property in Kern County under the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the report approved. In accordance with this report, the Public Works Department proposes to increase the Solid Waste Management Program Service charges imposed on residential property on the tax roll for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 over the rates established for Fiscal Year 2020-2021. The charge imposed on a parcel of property used as a single-family residence with one to four residential units per parcel will increase from \$82.89 per year per residential unit to \$105.00 per year per residential unit. Parcels with multi-family dwellings with five or more residential units will increase from \$66.30 per year per residential unit to \$84.00 per year per residential unit. The service charges for waste generated on non-residential properties will not be collected on the tax roll but instead, will be paid through Gate Fees or Bin Fees, as appropriate. Any affected person may submit written protests to the report or the enactment of the proposed tax roll bill-

ing. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any service charge set forth in the report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that report. Should the owners of either a majority of the separate parcels of real property or a majority of the separate parcels of residential real property described in the report object to the report, the report will not be adopted and the service charges for residential real property described in the report will not be collected with the County's property taxes; otherwise, the Board of Supervisors may order the report filed with the Kern County Auditor-Controller-County Clerk, who will enter the amounts of the service charges against the respective parcels of residential real property as they appear on the assessment roll. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15273 and Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) because it is the establishment of operational rates and charges. Additionally, it has been determined that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with a certainty that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com. Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof.

However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.
Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED
ORDINANCE
SOLID WASTE ADMINISTRATION
FEE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022**
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the Solid Waste Administration Fee for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for all residential and non-residential property in Unincorporated Kern County that subscribes to the service of a Franchise Hauler. This Ordinance will establish a fee for residential property located in a Universal Collection Area (excepting an Alternate Universal Collection Area), on a residential living unit basis, which will be collected along with the County's property taxes and will become a lien on the property, if unpaid. This Ordinance also establishes that the same fee will be paid on a residential living unit basis for all residential properties that are not located in a Universal Collection Area that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler. This Ordinance further establishes that the same fee will be paid on a non-residential (commercial) unit basis (as defined in Kern Code Ordinance Code 5.36.055) for non-residential properties that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler. The Board of Supervisors will also

consider a report filed by the Public Works Department that describes the amount of the proposed fee for each franchise hauler unit should the proposed Ordinance be enacted, and the report approved. In accordance with this report, the Solid Waste Administration Fee will increase from \$0.20 per unit (including residential and non-residential units) per month to \$0.40 per unit (including residential and non-residential units) per month for Fiscal Year 2021-2022. The fee for waste generated on non-Universal Collection Area residential and non-residential properties that subscribe to the services of a franchise hauler will not be collected on the tax roll but instead, will be invoiced to the franchise hauler by the Public Works Department. Any affected person may submit written protests to the report or the enactment of the proposed tax roll bill. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any

fee set forth in the report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon the fee as described in that report. Should the owners of a majority of the separate parcels of real property described in the report object to the report, the report will not be adopted and the fee described in the report will not be collected with the County's property taxes or invoiced; otherwise, the Board of Supervisors may order the report filed with the Kern County Auditor-Controller-County Clerk, who will enter the amounts of the fee against the respective parcels of residential real property as they appear on the assessment roll. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment and the action is statutorily exempt from further CEQA review per Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) and Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15273 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on

file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com. Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.
Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Publish *Wasco Tribune* April 8, 15, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE
COMMERCIAL ZONE 1
SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHARGES
AND RECYCLING SURCHARGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022**

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Collection Charges and the Recycling Surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for commercial property in Garbage Zone 1. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a Report filed by the Public Works Department titled "Commercial Zone 1 Solid Waste Collection Charges for Fiscal Year 2021-2022." Issues and recommendations in the report include the following:

1. Designate the use of each parcel of real property in Commercial Zone 1 area as commercial (non-residential);
2. Describe the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of real property in the Commercial Zone 1 area should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the Report approved;
3. Maximum monthly rates for solid waste collection for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 in the Commercial Zone 1 area are to be set by container size as per Table A for commercial properties. This maximum rate includes the Solid Waste Administration fee which has been increased from \$0.20 per account per month to \$0.40 per commercial unit per month (as defined in Kern County Ordinance Code 5.36.055).
4. Recycling Services are a separate charge and will be set by container size as per Table A.
5. The Recycling Surcharge was established in Fiscal Year 2019-2020 and will be continued and will be set by container size as per Table A.

Any affected person may submit written protests to the report. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge set forth in the Report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that Report. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment and the action is statutorily exempt from further CEQA review per Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) and Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15273 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the report filed by the Public Works Department are on file for inspection with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com.

Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.
Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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TABLE A

Commercial - Garbage Franchise Zone 1				
Commercial Bin Service Monthly Rates	Size (CY)	First Commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Trash Bin Service	1	\$87.93	\$83.31	\$50.92
July 1, 2021	1	\$91.40	\$86.22	\$52.70
Current Trash Bin Service	1.5/300 gals	\$102.66	\$98.04	\$58.11
July 1, 2021	1.5/300 gals	\$106.65	\$101.47	\$60.14
Current Trash Bin Service	2	\$123.68	\$119.06	\$68.77
July 1, 2021	2	\$128.41	\$123.22	\$71.17
Current Trash Bin Service	3	\$156.22	\$151.60	\$76.94
July 1, 2021	3	\$162.09	\$156.91	\$79.63
Current Trash Bin Service	4	\$194.64	\$190.02	\$99.14
July 1, 2021	4	\$201.85	\$196.67	\$102.61
Current Blue Recycling Bin Service	3	\$90.74	\$90.74	\$76.74
July 1, 2021	3	\$93.92	\$93.92	\$79.92
Current Blue Recycling Bin Service	6	\$121.31	\$121.31	\$101.31
July 1, 2021	6	\$125.56	\$125.56	\$105.56

Commercial Cart Service Monthly Rates	Size (gallons)	First commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Trash Cart Service	96/101	\$41.14	\$36.52	\$17.53
July 1, 2021	96/101	\$42.98	\$37.80	\$18.15
Current Blue Recycling Cart Service	96/101	\$24.26	\$24.26	\$20.26
July 1, 2020	96/101	\$25.11	\$25.11	\$21.11

Commercial Organic Service Monthly Rates	Size	First commercial Container	Each Additional Container	Each Additional Service Pick-up
Current Organic Cart Service	96/101 gals	\$41.14	\$36.52	N/A
July 1, 2021	96/101 gals	\$42.58	\$37.80	N/A
Current Organic Bin Service	3 CY	\$312.44	\$303.20	\$153.87
July 1, 2021	3 CY	\$323.38	\$313.82	\$159.26

Commercial Recycling Surcharge Monthly Rates	Collection Frequency	Recycling Surcharge
96/101 gal Cart	Weekly	\$3.03
96/101 gal Cart	Bi-weekly	\$1.52
300 gal Cart	Weekly	\$9.10
300 gal Cart	Bi-weekly	\$4.55
3 CY Bin	Weekly	\$18.20
3 CY Bin	Bi-weekly	\$9.10
6 CY Bin	Weekly	\$36.40
6 CY Bin	Bi-weekly	\$18.20

Commercial Roll-Off Service Monthly Rates	Per Dump	Rental Rate	Delivery Charge	Per Hour Charge	Roll-off Compactor Service Fee
Current Hauling Rate	\$251.30	\$212.58	\$115.86	\$139.83	\$306.44
July 1, 2021	\$260.10	\$220.42	\$119.92	\$144.73	\$317.17

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE
RESIDENTIAL NON-TAX ROLL BILLED
ZONE 1 FRANCHISE AREA 17
SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHARGES AND RECYCLING
SURCHARGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022**

On the 25th day of May, 2021, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, in the Kern County Administrative Center, located at 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California, a Public Hearing will be conducted to consider the enactment of, and hear any objections to, an Ordinance establishing the schedule of Solid Waste Collection Charges and the Recycling Surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for residential property in Garbage Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 that is not located within any Universal Collection Area. This Ordinance will establish a schedule of service charges for all residential properties with four or less units. Property owners in this area are not required to subscribe to the service of the franchise hauler, but if they do so, these charges will apply. The Board of Supervisors will also consider a Report filed by the Public Works Department titled "Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 Solid Waste Collection Charges for Fiscal Year 2021-2022." Issues and recommendations in the report include the following:

1. Designate the use of each parcel of real property in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 as residential or non-residential;
2. Describe the amount of the proposed service charge for each parcel of real property in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 should the proposed Ordinance be enacted and the Report approved;
3. Maximum monthly rates for solid waste collection for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 in the Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 Franchise Area 17 are set forth in the following table for residential properties of one to four units. This maximum rate includes the Solid Waste Administration fee which is charged on a per residential unit basis and will be increased from \$0.20 per account per month to \$0.40 per residential unit (as defined in Kern County Ordinance Code 5.36.055) per month.

Residential Non-Tax Roll Billed Zone 1 FA 17 Maximum Monthly Charge	Current Charge	Effective July 2021
Residential Service per unit	\$22.44	\$23.62
Blue Cart Recycling per unit	\$7.17	\$7.42
Recycling Surcharge per unit	\$1.14	\$1.71

4. Continue the implementation of the Recycling Surcharge which is currently being phased in over three years. Fiscal Year 2021-2022 is year three of the implementation and will be \$1.71 per month per residential unit as shown in the table above.

Any affected person may submit written protests to the Report. Written protests must be signed by the objecting party, indicate the subject property and be delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors prior to the conclusion of the public hearing. Upon the conclusion of the hearing, the Board of Supervisors may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge set forth in the Report filed by the Public Works Department or overrule any or all objections, and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in that Report. Should owners of either a majority of the separate parcels of real property or a majority of the separate parcels of residential real property described in the Report object to the Report, the Report will not be adopted and the charges for residential real property described in the Report will not be enacted and the rates will remain the same as the current fiscal year. The Director of the Public Works Department has considered the environmental impacts of this action and concluded that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15273 and Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8) because it is the establishment of operational rates and charges. Additionally, it has been determined that this action is exempt from further environmental review pursuant Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with a certainty that this action will not have a significant effect on the environment. Complete copies of the proposed Ordinance and the Report filed by the Public Works Department are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Fifth Floor, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, California. Alternatively, you may request copies by calling the Public Works Department at (661) 862-8940 or by making a request via email at waste@kerncounty.com.

Anyone wishing to present evidence or be heard regarding this matter may appear at the hearing of this matter or any continuation thereof. However, in accordance with the current public health declarations, it is requested, and highly recommended, that any comments or concerns be submitted prior to the hearing via email at waste@kerncounty.com. If you challenge the action taken by the Board of Supervisors on this matter in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this Notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.
Dated: March 23, 2021
/s/KATHLEEN KRAUSE
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Publish *Wasco Tribune* April 8, 15, 2021

Woman’s Club rummage sale back in action

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The community came out and bought plenty at the Wasco Woman’s Club Rummage Sale.

The annual sale was back this year after being canceled in 2020 due to the pandemic. Garages were filling up, guestrooms were piling up with items and still the women continued their quest for unusual items after being closed in for a year.

The Woman’s Club headquarters on 7th Street was brimming with holiday decorations and the backyard was filled with clothing and shoes. The clubhouse had several tables of dishware and a couple of tables of crystal and silver. There were decorative pillows filling up a table along with knick knacks for the collector.

A Coca Cola dinner set for eight was claimed and purchased by a club member

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before the set could be put out for sale.

A couple of couches, desks, file cabinets, chairs and tools were displayed in the parking lot alongside of Grace Community Church.

Collecting money Friday and Saturday were Chris Gibson and Jill Grant while other club members kept a close watch on all the tables.

A selection of hardback books was also available that could tempt any die-hard bookworm.

There is an old saying that ‘somebody’s junk is someone else’s treasure’ and this was certainly true as people gathered an armful of clothes and loaded themselves with several items of interest.

“The dinnerware table was the most popular,” member Marlene Swan said. “There was a lot to choose from.”



Judy Bocker, Petra Rueda, Brenda Greenfield and

PEO marches on, installs officers at meeting

BARBARA WARE
Special to Wasco Tribune

The new officers for the local JT Chapter of P.E.O were installed recently.



Outgoing President Janet Grundt hands over the gavel and duties to newly elected president, Judy Proffitt.

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The venue for the March meeting was at the home of Pat Ketcherside. The rustic barn and stables and fire pit provided the setting for the outdoor meeting and St. Patrick’s Day-themed lunch. The resident cat provided the entertainment. Members who could not attend participated via Zoom.

The meeting included a memorial service for member Virginia Yursik who had been an active member for 20 years. Old-and-new business was presented following the service as well as installation of new officers for 2021-2022. President Janet Grundt presided over the meeting then turned the office over to the new president, Judy Proffitt.

The new officers are Proffitt, Vice President Nancy Neufeld, Treasurer Priscilla Neufeld, Recording Secretary Cheryl Woody, Corresponding Secretary Sharon Nicol, Guard Barbara Ware and Chaplain



From left, newly elected officers: President Judy Proffitt, Vice President Nancy Neufeld, Recording Secretary Cheryl Woody, Corresponding Secretary Sharon Nicol and Guard Barbara Ware. Not pictured are Treasurer Priscilla Neufeld and Chaplain Karen Holtermann.

Karen Holtermann.

Proffitt has chosen “Reconnecting” as the theme for the next term, focusing on getting back together and continuing the sisterhood after a year uncertainty and restrictions.

PASTORS CORNER

What you lose not being a Christian

PASTOR JIM GLASCO

Let me start by saying that the Christian life in the greatest life there is. It is so much better than my old life. I praise God that He rescued me from a life of hopelessness and misery. You gain by being a Christian, and you lose by not being one. Let’s look at some things you lose by not being a Christian.

You lose peace. There will be a continual uneasiness in man’s soul until he finds peace with God. Romans 5:1 therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with

God through Jesus Christ. Without Christ in a heart there is an internal war inside of man. Isaiah 57:21 there is no peace, saith my God, to the wicked. There is a peace that passes all understanding that awaits us when we make things right with God.

You lose joy. The Bible speaks of joy unspeakable and full glory. This is a trying time that we live in. People are filled with stress, pressure and fear. We need the Lord’s joy. The Bible says the joy of the Lord is my strength. May the Lords joy replace the

pressure and fear in our lives.

You lose hope. The Christian’s hope is in Jesus Christ. Romans 15:4 that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope. I will not let fear and doubt destroy my hope. Many people have lost hope in the midst of financial storms and storms of sickness. In the midst of a storm the apostle Paul cried out: Be of good cheer, I believe God! My hope is in Christ and his Word. For the Christian, all things will work out together for the good.

You lose eternal life. I am so glad I chose eternal life over enteral destruction. John 3:16 for God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever would believe in him would not perish but have everlasting life. It doesn’t matter how deep in sin you are, Jesus can forgive you. Old things passed away, all things become new. Jesus died upon a cross that could be forgiven of our sins.

Jim Glasco is pastor of 7th Standard Pentecostal Church of God, Shafter.

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** **Name Statement** **Bar KJ Angus** **2021-B1503**

29341 Kimberlina Road
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
PO Box 1200
Wasco, CA 93280
Keith Gardiner Farms, LLC
29341 Kimberlina Road
Wasco, CA 93280
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company
Date the business commenced: NA
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/Keith Gardiner, Manager
Date Statement Filed: 03/29/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/29/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** **Name Statement** **JDS Ranch** **2021-B1498**

27333 Garces Highway
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
PO Box 1077
Tipton, CA 93272
John Scheenstra
16800 Road 96
Tipton, CA 93272
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
Chad Scheenstra
16800 Road 96
Tipton, CA 93272
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: General Partnership
Date the business commenced: 04-01-2003
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/Chad Scheenstra, Partner
Date Statement Filed: 03/29/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/29/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE **T.S. No. 20-00752-HP-CA** **Title No. 200463241-CA-V01** **A.P.N. 487-234-10-00**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 07/02/2019. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier’s check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made in an “as is” condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Sergio Valle, a single man Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 07/19/2019 as Instrument No. 219086216 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Kern

County, CA. Date of Sale: 05/10/2021 at 10:00 AM Place of Sale: At the Front Entrance to the City Hall, City Hall, 1501 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$183,834.30 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 1125 Iris St Wasco, CA 93280 A.P.N.: 487-234-10-00 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5(b)(2)(923.55(c)) were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder’s office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a

courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call or visit this Internet Web site www.ndscorp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 20-00752-HP-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 03/31/2021 National Default Servicing Corporation c/o Tiffany & Bosco, P.A., its agent, 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 820 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-264-4010 Sales Line 855-219-8501; Sales Website: www.ndscorp.com By: Rachael Hamilton, Trustee Sales Representative 04/15/2021, 04/22/2021, 04/29/2021 CPP351009 Publish *Wasco* Tribune

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** **Name Statement** **L. Olivarez Trucking** **2021-B1602**

18719 Rosedale Hwy
Bakersfield, CA 93314
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
18719 Rosedale Hwy
Bakersfield, CA 93314
Leonicio Olivares Uribe
18719 Rosedale Hwy
Bakersfield, CA 93314
Martha R Olivares
18719 Rosedale Hwy
Bakersfield, CA 93314
The business is conducted by: Married Couple
Date the business commenced: 5/1/2004
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/Leonicio Olivares Uribe, Owner
Date Statement Filed: 04/01/2021
Date Statement Expires: 04/01/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE **City of Wasco Public Notice**

The City of Wasco is seeking proposals from interested persons to lease three parcels (+/- 696 acres) of tillable land for the purpose of crop farming, including land cultivation and harvesting of crops, growing non-edible crops authorized under Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations (“Title 22”) except the cultivation of cannabis or industrial hemp as defined in the request for proposal package. LESSEE must use effluent from the wastewater plant which will be provided to LESSEE without cost. A new irrigation well was recently drilled at the City’s expense and is expected to be equipped and operational by May 31, 2021.

To obtain a copy of the Request for Proposals, please contact the City Clerk, Maria Martinez at cityclerk@cityofwasco.org. Questions regarding the contents of this RFP must be submitted in writing on or before 4 PM (PST) on Friday, April 30, 2021 and directed to Biridiana Bishop at bbishop@cityofwasco.org. All questions will be answered in the form of an addendum and emailed to all firms listed on the RFP holders list and placed on the City website on Wednesday, May 5, 2021.

Proposers shall submit sealed proposals in accordance with the RFP clearly marked WASTEWATER MUNICIPAL FARM LEASE to Mrs. Maria Martinez - City Clerk for the City of Wasco located at 746 8th Street, Wasco CA. 93280. Proposals are due by May 12, 2021 at 2:00 PM, no late proposals will be accepted. Interviews may be conducted at the City’s discretion.

Award of the Contract, if awarded, will be made by the Wasco City Council within sixty (60) days after receipt of proposals by the City of Wasco. The City of Wasco will award this contract based on the rent proposed and the best qualified proposer as determined by the City, under its sole and absolute discretion.

Maria O. Martinez, City Clerk 4/8/21
Publish *Wasco* Tribune April 15, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** **Name Statement** **Cypress Gardens MHC** **2021-B1633**

2042 Girard Street
Delano, CA 93215
County: Kern

Mailing address of business:
221 Main Street, Suite 2039
Los Altos, CA 94023
Cypress Gardens MHC, LLC
221 Main Street, Suite 2039
Los Altos, CA 94023
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company
Date the business commenced: 10/13/2020
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/Efrat Weisfield, Member
Date Statement Filed: 4/01/2021
Date Statement Expires: 4/01/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
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PUBLIC NOTICE **Fictitious Business** **Name Statement** **C. Salazar Trucking** **2021-B1320**

109 San Juan St.
McFarland, CA 93250
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
109 San Juan St.
McFarland, CA 93250
Cesar Andres Salazar Medrano
109 San Juan St.
McFarland, CA 93250
The business is conducted by: Individual
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/Cesar A. Salazar
Date Statement Filed: 03/16/2021
Date Statement Expires: 03/16/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez
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COUCH'S CORNER

Sunset Middle School renovation project

DAVID COUCH

Kern County Supervisor 4th District

One of the most rewarding experiences of serving as Fourth District supervisor is working with young adults that share an idealism and belief that no limits can stop what they can accomplish.

I was reminded of this when I met with some of the youth leaders at Transitional Youth Mobilizing for Change, a local nonprofit that creates opportunities for young people 16-24 years of age to identify and take on issues of concern in their community.

Back in the fall of 2019, these youth were inspired to do a "ball drive" for Sunset Middle School in Weedpatch when they found out that students lacked basic sports and athletic equipment to play with during recess and lunch.

One of two schools serving just under 700 students in the tiny Vineland School District, Sunset was originally built in 1934 to serve the needs of children from families migrating from Texas and Oklahoma during the Dust Bowl days. Today the school continues the tradition of serving the children of farmworkers. Many of these families are seasonally employed, and they struggle to make ends meet when work isn't available. The Vineland School District has limited

resources, but it is a hub for local families in this rural community.

TYM4Change partnered with local Starbucks stores to conduct the ball drive, and in the winter of 2020 they delivered over 100 basketballs, volleyballs and footballs to the district.

But they didn't stop there. It turns out the huge, sprawling playground at Sunset School has no shade, no seating, is full of gopher holes, and has no designated sports areas. The basketball court needs to be resurfaced. The volleyball court lacks nets. The district is in the process of seeking state funding to renovate the school buildings (the cafeteria, for example, has no air conditioning and relies on swamp coolers), but has to prioritize the academic needs of students over the play area.



Fourth District Supervisor David Couch

The youth of TYM4Change decided they could take on the challenge of renovating the six or so acres that make up the Sunset School campus. They approached DeWalt Corporation and DeWalt stepped up to the plate and mapped the campus using drone technology—an in-kind contribution to the school. Starbucks is continuing to partner with TYM4Change to fundraise for the project during Give Big Kern on Tues-

day, May 4. The youth approached Design Concepts, a company out of Boulder, Colorado, that has a reputation for creating outdoor learning environments. Design Concepts agreed to work with TYM4Change to create a Master Plan for the renovation at a significantly reduced fee.

While part of the Master Plan process involves getting input from students, school

staff, parents, and other members of the community, TYM4Change youth already envision shaded seating, walkways, an outdoor classroom, a soccer field, a volleyball court, a community garden modeled after the "edible schoolyard," and so much more.

When asked how they plan to fund this, Rachel Sanders, the youth team leader for the project, said "Kern County is generous, and we know that local businesses and individuals will contribute what they can to give the Sunset kids a campus they can be proud of."

If you are looking for a project to support, consider the Sunset School Renovation Project. Also, if you are—or know someone—16-24 years of age looking for a chance to make a meaningful difference, go to tym4change.org and join the team. Feel free to donate toward the project through Give Big Kern by visiting the TYM4Change profile page at givebigkern.org. The fundraising drive runs through May 5.

Whether you choose this or any number of charitable organizations or projects as part of Give Big Kern, giving is what makes these organizations do the great things they do. For any questions, don't hesitate to call at 661-868-3680 or email us at district4@kerncounty.com. Have a safe week.

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Help with funeral expenses related to covid-19 available

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Wasco Tribune

The Federal Emergency Management Agency offers an Individual Assistance Program for funeral expenses for covid-19-related deaths and officially began accepting applications on Monday, April 12. "For death to be considered for funeral assistance, it must have occurred after

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January 2020, and will be much like that offered after a natural disaster," the press release stated.

The statement also said that eligible applicants may apply by calling 844- 684-6833 or 800-462-7585 toll free Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.



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Everyone must provide necessary documents with the required information. Applicants living in the United States, U.S. territories and the District of Columbia will be reimbursed for up to \$9,000 for each funeral.

If you have any questions regarding this benefit, call the number listed above. For more information, visit FEMA's funeral assistance webpage.

PET OF THE WEEK

Badge and Ghillie need homes

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

One of the Wasco Animal Shelter's longest residents and a young puppy are in need of homes.

Badge is a 2-year-old Pit Bull Terrier who came in as a stray on April 6. He is great with staff and plays well with smaller dogs. He has not been tested with larger dogs. Badge has been in the shelter the longest of any of the animals there.

Another dog at the shelter is Ghillie, who will become available April 22. Ghillie is a small, young male black, brindle and white/cream short-haired Shepherd/Husky mix. Ghillie is great with staff and plays well with other dogs. He is especially fond of Badge.

Only one person is allowed in the animal shelter at a time. Call 661-758-7240 and make an appointment to visit the animals at the shelter.



Young male Pit Bull Badge and Shepherd/Husky Ghillie play in the animal shelter yard.

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