

# Most of state in purple tier

**TONI DEROSA**  
The Wasco Tribune

Gov. Gavin Newsom has put the brakes on with regard to reopening, citing that because of double the number of covid-19 cases since last week, the state is back down to the most-restrictive tier.

The state was warned last week by Newsom that the numbers were increasing and the time has come to move back instead of forward.

A map displayed during the governor's speech showed over half of the northern,

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western and southern parts of California were purple. Newsom stated that Kern County was officially back in the purple tier effective Tuesday, Nov. 17.

"We have had a 48% increase in hospital beds occupied by coronavirus patients in the past two weeks," the governor said.

What almost seemed like a move to the orange tier just two short weeks ago is now not happening.

In his address to the state on Monday,

Nov. 16, he said that the closure begins Tuesday.

"Last week, California became the second state to surpass 1 million total cases," Newsom said.

He also said that every age group, every racial, ethnic, every part of the state cases are rising as well as positivity rates.

"It's no longer concentrated in just a handful of counties," he said. "We are seeing community spread broadly throughout the state of California."

Newsom added that county officials in

Los Angeles are contemplating issuing a curfew at this stage of the pandemic.

Many criticized Newsom for ignoring his own edicts by attending a party Saturday evening at the French Laundry Restaurant in Yountville.

Newsom apologized for the error in judgement and said that instead of preaching he needs to practice what he preaches. He assured listeners that he would follow what he has been preaching to everyone in the state regarding mingling in groups.

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City Council candidate David Ward



District 2 City Council lead Vincent Martinez

## Shafter, Wasco council races still up for grabs

**JAMIE STEWART**  
The Shafter Press

The City Council races in Shafter and Wasco are still up for grabs, over two weeks after Election Day.

In Shafter, three seats are available and have four candidates still within 3.5 percentage points of each other. In the latest update, Kris Lawrence had overtaken Mayor Gilbert Alvarado for the third council seat.

Last week, Alvarado had passed Lawrence and Chad Givens to hold the second position, after being in fourth place at the end of election night.

With a number of votes still uncounted, it is possible for the standings to change once again before the election is officially confirmed.

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In the latest round of updates, Pete Espinoza still is the top vote getter with a little over 20% of the vote. Givens had retaken the second spot with almost 18% of the vote. Lawrence leads Alvarado by a little over 30 votes.

The change could have been the result of the amount of absentee ballots that have been counted. With the majority of the votes in the Gossamer Grove area mailed in ballots, Lawrence, a Gossamer Grove resident, could have benefited from those numbers.

Another closely watched race

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In the latest update, Lawrence had overtaken Alvarado for the third council member seat.

## Grimmway teacher tests positive

**JAMIE STEWART**  
The Shafter Press

A teacher at Grimmway Academy in Shafter has tested positive for the coronavirus and is being asked to quarantine.

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The school had opened a week ago for a hybrid in-person session, with students attending school in-person for two days a week and distance learning the rest of the week.

According to Casey Yeazel, chief executive officer of Grimmway Schools, the school learned on Friday of the positive test.

He said at this time, none of the other staff, or any of the teacher's students have tested positive.

Tuesday was the last day that the teacher was on campus and they have recommended that the teacher's students stay home and be observed by their parents for any symptoms.

"As a result of learning about the positive test, we are following all relevant California Department of Public Health guidelines."

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*The school remains open for hybrid learning with students attending the school two days a week and distance learning for the remaining three days.*

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## Veterans honored during first-ever virtual ceremony

**TONI DEROSA**  
The Wasco Tribune

Veterans Day is the one day of the year when America recognizes its veterans in all branches of the United States military and honors each of them by thanking them for their service to our country.

This year Teresa Burke's Veterans Day ceremony was a lot different than previous years.

For the first time due to the pandemic, the sixth annual ceremony was held virtually.

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Teresa Burke Student Council members.

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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](mailto:esoriano@TheShafterPress.com) or call 661-292-5100 by Monday at 4 p.m. for that week's paper.

## ONGOING

Warm clothing drive — District 4 Supervisor David Couch is collecting blankets, coats, gloves, hats, scarves and socks. Donations will benefit families in District 4. To schedule an in-person pickup, call 661- 868-3680.

Utility bills — The City of Wasco reminds residents that the city's official website is the only authorized avenue to pay your utility bill online.

Covid-19 testing — There will be free covid-19 testing at the Wasco Library, 1102 7th St., Wasco. If you have insurance, they will be billed. Appointments can be made at [lhi.care/covidtesting](https://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.

Food2Door — The program delivers 70 pounds of food once a month to seniors 65 and older, sponsored by the City of Shafter CAPK and Kern County. Call 661- 498-7831 ext. 1310 to find out if you're eligible for the program.

CAPK y el Condado de Kern "Programa FOOD2DOOR" atienden a personas mayores de 65 años. Una caja de comida de 70 libra cada mes se entrega directamente en la puerta. El programa no se basa en los ingresos, está diseñado para mantener a las personas en sus hogares y mantenerse saludables para que podamos vencer al COVID-19.

Llame al 661-498-7831 ext. 1310

Para averiguar si es elegible para el programa e inscribirse hoy mismo.

## 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.

## FRIDAY

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

## SATURDAY

Museum — The Shafter Depot Museum is now reopened to the public on Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Depot is located at 150 Central Valley Highway.

Visit with Santa — Enjoy milk and cookies with Santa on Dec. 5 at 5 p.m. at Lennar at Gossamer Grove New Shafter.

Food distribution — The November Food Distribution will be Saturday, Nov. 21 at 11 a.m. at Freewill Baptist Church at 944 7th St.

Thanksgiving dinner — Free Thanksgiving dinner on Saturday, Nov. 21 at noon at New Generation Church, 1017 Central Avenue. The meal is hosted by New Generation Church and Grace Community Church.

## SUNDAY

Free testing — Free covid-19 testing on Sunday, Nov. 22 at 10 a.m. at Fiesta Market on Poso and F Street. This service is provided by the Latino Task Force.

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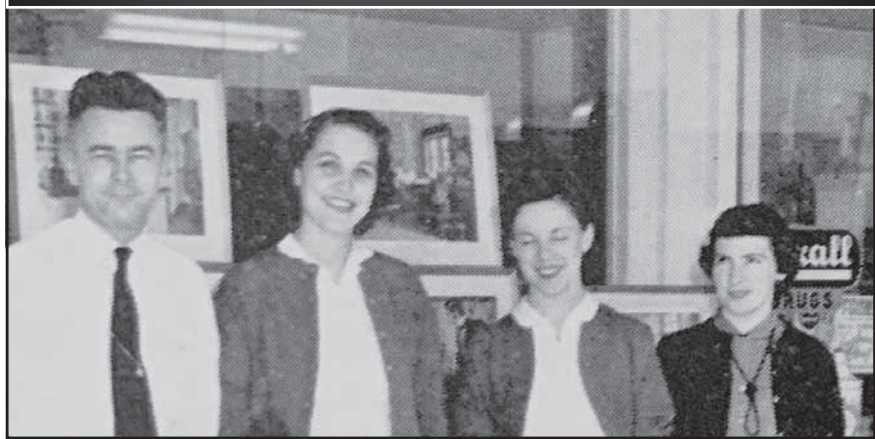
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## ARREST REPORT

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As reported by the Shafter Police Department

#### NOV. 11

Jose Reyes Soto, 38, of Shafter, was arrested for disorderly conduct: under the influence of drugs and scavenging.

Angel Gutierrez, 46, of Shafter, was arrested for 28.5 grams of marijuana, marijuana for sale and reducing obstruction driver view.

#### NOV. 12

Daniel Morales, 26, of Shafter, was arrested for felon of possession of firearm, possession of ammunition by prohibited person.

#### NOV. 14

Margarito Ortega, 24, of Shafter, was arrested for driving without license.

Adrian Guardado Hernandez, 23, of Shafter, was arrested on an outside agency warrant.

Jorge Eliseo Chavez, 29, of Shafter, was arrested for disorderly conduct: alcohol.

Nov. 15

Juan Carlos Gonzalez Vargas, 50, of Shafter, was arrested for DUI, Proof

of financial responsibility, registration not vehicle and driving without a license.

#### NOV. 16

Francine Yasmeen Sanchez, 26, of Shafter, was arrested for disorderly conduct: alcohol.

#### BUTTONWILLOW

As reported by the Buttonwillow Substation

Nov. 9

Pedro Perez-Lucas, 25, of Wasco, was arrested at Magnolia Avenue south of Merced Avenue in Wasco for speeding and driving without a license. He was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 10

Robert Harland Fynniess Murphy, 20, of Bakersfield, was arrested at the intersection of Highway 58 and Tracy Avenue in Buttonwillow on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 12

Luis Oscar Torres Ayala, 44, of Bakersfield, was arrested at Shafter Court, 325 Central Valley Highway in Shafter on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 14

Manual Jose Cisneros, 42, of Shafter, was arrested in the 28000 block of Lerdo Highway in Shafter on a misdemeanor warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Britton Mclevis, 58, of Livermore, was arrested in the 20000 block of Tracy Avenue in Buttonwillow for battery. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

#### NOV. 15

Shadie Lansang Mendoza, 32, of Bakersfield, was arrested in the 7000 block of Ming Avenue in Bakersfield for criminal threats. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

### WASCO

As reported by the Wasco Substation

#### NOV. 9

Ignacio Fernandez, 23, of Earlimart, was arrested at the intersection of J Street and Highway 46 for misdemeanor driving on a suspended license and aide/abet in exhibition of speed.

He was cited and released at the scene.

Jonathan Hernandez, 19, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Maple Avenue and 9th Place for felony vandalism and misdemeanor obstruction of a peace officer. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Ana Lopez, 48, of Wasco was arrested at the intersection of 9th Street and Adams Street for misdemeanor driving without a license. She was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 10

Anthony Arreola, 20, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1800 block of F Street for misdemeanor reckless driving and driving on a suspended license. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Frank Phillip Sandoval, Jr., 21, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1500 block of Poplar Avenue for felony attempting to prevent or dissuade a victim or witness

from reporting, infliction of corporal injury on a spouse or cohabitant, threaten a crime with the intent to terrorize, and misdemeanor removing or destroying wireless communication device or calling 911. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

#### NOV. 11

Sarah Ann Gonzalez, 34, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Griffith Avenue and 10th Place for misdemeanor driving on a suspended license. She was cited and released at the scene.

Martin Alberto Reyes, 28, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1100 block of Highway 46 on his active misdemeanor bench warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 12

Antonio Rios, 46, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Griffith Avenue and 9th Place for misdemeanor possession of a controlled substance and

possession of controlled substance paraphernalia. He was cited and released at the scene.

#### NOV. 13

Armando Hernandez, 26, of Madera, was arrested at the intersection of Broadway Street and 11th Street for misdemeanor driving without a license, hit and run, and driving under the influence of alcohol. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

#### NOV. 14

Markus Dewayne Towers, 35, of Wasco, was arrested in the 900 block of Highway 46 for misdemeanor hit and run, driving without a license, and driving under the influence. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Alberto Garcia Duran, 33, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1200 block of Pistachio Street for felony infliction of corporal injury on spouse or cohabitant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

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# Wood burning art became flourishing business

JAMIE STEWART  
The Shafter Press

After finding a video about the art of wood burning, Alyssa Ramirez was hooked.

Ramirez, who lives near Buttonwillow and attended Shafter schools, was fascinated by the video of a man using a wood burning instrument to create works of art. She bought her first kit containing basic tools and she got to work.

"I really took to it, and soon afterward I bought a more advanced tool to do more things with and it just took off from there," she said.

She soon figured out she could establish a business selling her pieces of art and she

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opened Alyssa Pyrography during the pandemic.

Ramirez starts with a piece of wood, be it the size of a plaque, or things as small as key chains, to burn her designs into. She can make all kinds of pictures and recently showed off one of her dog at a pop-up event.

"That one took me about eight hours," Ramirez said of the plaque with the Pomeranian on it, an identical image to one in a photograph of the dog. Projects can take a few hours for a key chain or a photo-sized plaque or over 12 hours for very detailed designs.

Ramirez said that she is very lucky to be



Ramirez displays a number of her creations.

able to make money doing something that she really enjoys.

"It is especially great because of the way things are going now with the virus and stuff, it gives people a chance to support

themselves," she said.

Ramirez can be found at a number of pop-up events throughout the county or she can be found on Instagram at Alyssa Pyrography.

# City to put in electric vehicle charging stations

TONI DEROSA  
The Wasco Tribune

The city will be putting in two new charging stations in the lot near Highway 43 and 8th Street, said City Manager Daniel Ortiz-Hernandez during the recent City Council meeting.

"The city currently has six electric plug-in vehicles," Mayor Tilo Cortez said.

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Ortiz-Hernandez mentioned that the city will be seeking applications to fill three board positions for the planning commission and the vector control board.

Assistant to the City Manager Mariana Sobolewski told the council that Latino Task Force will be holding another free

COVID-19 testing on Sunday, Nov. 22 at 10 a.m. at Fiesta Market on F Street and Poso.

Ortiz-Hernandez touched on the county being dropped to the purple tier. He did say that this time hair salons, barbershops and nail salons are able to stay open while continuing to maintain safe social distancing and the wearing of masks. All restaurants

have to cease indoor dining but can continue with outdoor dining for the moment.

Under public comments, resident Vince Martinez complimented the Kern County Sheriff's Office after two family vehicles were struck by a drunk driver while parked. He said the response time was very quick and the deputies were calming, polite and professional.

# Council starts search for new planning director

JAMIE STEWART  
The Shafter Press

The City Council appointed three new members to the Planning Commission for a term beginning in January and also began its search for a new planning director.

There was a pool of eight candidates that submitted interest in the positions, with the three top receiving the seats. Peter Franz, John Sanchez and Gus Olvera were chosen to serve a term. The positions are four-year terms with a stipend of \$50 monthly, with meetings being held the second Tuesday of each month.

The council opted to use a yes or no vote system to determine the top three candidates, with each council member picking their top three candidates to serve on the commission. No tie-breaker was needed as Peter Franz and John Sanchez were selected by four of the five council members. Mayor Gilbert Alvarado selected James Harmer, Gus Olvera, and John Sanchez. Mayor Pro-

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Tem Cesar Lopez opted for Franz, Olvera and Sanchez. Council member Cathy Prout chose Franz, Kirk Mouser and Christine Wilson. Chad Givens selected Franz, Sanchez and David Piuser. That gave Franz and Sanchez four votes, and Olvera the third spot with three votes.

In the meeting, there was also an item on the agenda asking the council to approve a one-time budget amendment in the amount of \$100,000 to hire a new planning director. The current director, Wayne Clausen, will be retiring in May 2021 after over 20 years of service.

City Manager Gabriel Gonzales said that Clausen has such extensive knowledge of the city and its needs and operations, that it would be beneficial to hire a new director now and have that person shadow Clausen for the remaining few months of his contract to take in a lot of this knowledge.

"Most agencies wait until the current person retires, then start the recruitment process, hire an interim, and the process takes a few months and the person is learning on the job. This way, we could have the person in place and knowing the job and its intricacies by the time Mr. Clausen leaves," Gonzales said.

Councilor Prout had a question of the amount of the budget amendment, thinking that it seemed high. Gonzales answered that the number is within the pay schedule for the position and it also includes base salary, and benefits that come with the position.

Prout also said the council should start the process of hiring a building inspector for the city as well, citing the number of projects ongoing in Shafter.

Gonzales said that this would have to be added to a future agenda. The agenda item was voted on and passed by a 4-1 vote, with Prout being the No vote.

The council also authorized the beginning of gathering community input regarding the street parking policies in the city.

Concerns have been heard, especially in the area of East Ash near the Modified Correctional Facility and parts of Beech Avenue, which have seen issues with traffic flow problems brought on by semi trucks being parked along the route.

The council decided that a number of workshops will be held to gather community input on the subject and the solutions that may be reached to handle the parking situation. Councilor Lopez said that being a former truck driver himself, he knows the importance of having a place to park safely and legally. Council member Garcia also commented that he had been asked about the parking situation. Gonzales will now work with the Public Works Department and will report back to the council in early 2021 with information from the workshops that will be held.

# Pop-up events highlight home-based businesses

JAMIE STEWART  
The Shafter Press

With the pandemic still in the forefront of the community's minds, there has been a surge of home-based businesses to help supplement people's incomes.

These businesses help replace lost income due to layoffs or a reduction of hours. Pop-up events have become popular in the community, with a host of different businesses offering their homemade baked goods, clothing, jewelry and accessories at events held in a parking lot, at a church, or at someone's home.

Last weekend, Adriana Pompa, operator of Pompa's Small Shop, held a pop-up event at her home, hosting around 15 other local vendors.

Pompa, who was featured in the Shafter Press a couple of weeks ago, had vendors from throughout Kern County with booths, including businesses from Shafter, Wasco, and the surrounding areas including a fam-

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ily from McFarland who were selling jewelry and accessories.

Haley Plaza, who was featured in last week's edition, was there with her homemade breads, muffins, and bread dips made from olive oil and a variety of herbs and oils.

Other vendors included Alyssa's Pyrography, which sells wooden items with a variety of sayings, pictures, and faces ranging from plaques to key chains. Alyssa Garcia had on display a wooden plaque with a picture of her dog on it.

At the event, there was also food for sale, as well as tie-dyed shirts, purses, homemade soaps, scrubs, and earrings, natural nail polish applicators, and homemade lip gloss.

Veronica Carmona, a vendor from McFarland, was selling Western-style jewelry with a variety of turquoise and silver trinkets, as well as bracelets, earrings, and necklaces. Carmona, who used to work at



Veronica Carmona and Priscilla Garcia, from McFarland, were selling jewelry.

the Boot Barn in Bakersfield, said that she decided to start the business because she

loves jewelry and it gives her time to spend with her family as well as make money doing something that she enjoys.

"We have been doing great and it is a lot of fun, operating a business with my family," said Carmona.

With more and more people reluctant to venture into Bakersfield to shop, fighting traffic, crowds, and the necessity of exposure to large groups of people, these pop-up events are gaining in popularity for residents who are making a living with a home-based business.

You can visit the Instagram accounts of some of the businesses involved in these pop-up events for updates and locations of future events, including Pompa's Small Shop, Haley Plaza's Handmadeinahome, as well as Val's Lip Gloss at vals.lipgloss, and Pyrography at @alyssa.pyrography.



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# Pilots fly in for breakfast, museum at Minter Field

JAMIE STEWART  
The Shafter Press

Minter Field Air Museum had to cancel their annual Wings 'n Wheels event, their biggest fundraiser of the year. In place of the event, the museum held a Fly-In Pancake Breakfast that attracted a number of



Jack Vetter sits in a vintage WWII aircraft.

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pilots. Vintage airplanes were on display, as well as the museum, which was open for the attendees to peruse after eating. The museum holds memorabilia from every conflict that the United States has been involved in. They have an inventory of antique war birds, in addition to several military vehicles, such as Jeeps, and one of their most popular crafts, the LOACH helicopter that was used in several battles throughout history. According to Ronald Pierce, of the Minter Field Air Museum, the organization was trying to think what they could do to offset



The Fly-In Breakfast attracted a number of pilots who stopped by for a free breakfast.

the loss of the Wings 'n Wheels event and decided to hold the Fly-In. The event was open to Minter Field Friends of the Museum and pilots who wished to land at the field to fill up their plane and their stomachs. Photo opportunities were available with



Sharon Dickey, Kathy Vetter and Irene Randolph worked to make the event a success.

the different vehicles, as well as the chance to get an up close look at the aircraft. Those interested in helping the museum can visit the site, which is open every Saturday throughout the year. They also welcome donations. Contact the museum office at 661-393-0291 and leave a message.

**happy**  
**THANKSGIVING**

The Shafter Press & Wasco Tribune office will be closed Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th to spend Thanksgiving with our family.

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## Free movie night brings community together safely

TONI DEROSA  
The Wasco Tribune

The Recreation and Parks Department of Wasco put on its second movie night at Barker Square. The movie "Angry Birds" was enjoyed by many residents who knew this was probably going to be the last

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of public events until the covid-19 numbers go down again.

The shopping center was roped off by yellow tape where cars were safely parked so no one could come careening through and possibly hit an attendee.



Resident Kathy Giesy and her family enjoyed being outdoors to watch the movie.

Saturday was a busy day for residents if they chose to partake in the day's activities offered such as the Love Wasco event and the free movie.

The weather even cooperated for the evening as it wasn't too cold to sit outside in a lawn chair to watch the movie.

Resident Kathy Giesy and her family enjoyed watching the



Selling concessions for the Wasco Little League, Carlos Lopez and Ann Wilburn provided goodies for everyone attending the movie night.

movie from their lawn chairs while the younger generation all gathered in the back of their truck.

## Ceremony recognizes Wasco veterans

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emony was digital and viewers could see it online all day Tuesday, Nov. 10 on the school website.

Student Body President Sebastian Espitia welcomed everyone to the event, and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Sergeant at Arms Ava Delgado.

Principal Monique Goodwill shared her journey as a veteran herself and asked that everyone take a moment out of their day to thank a veteran for their service.

Fifth-grade teacher and U.S. Army veteran Rodolfo Castillo described his experience in the military with attendees.

Following Castillo, Jasline Martinez read the poem, "Thank a Veteran."

Anabel Garrison presented 27 slides of veterans, which included former Wasco High graduates such as 1994 grad 3rd Class Petty Officer Michela Raz who is retired Navy, 2020 graduate Army Private Jonathan Martin and U.S. Army Private, Principal of Teresa Burke Monique Goodwill. There were many more photos of soldiers connected to Wasco in differing ways. Several were former educators; some were spouses of Wasco educators and two work



Student Body President Sebastian Espitia welcomed attendees to the virtual 6th annual Teresa Burke Veterans Day ceremony.

for the City of Wasco Chuck and Mariana Sobolewski.

The ceremony concluded with Lee Greenwood's "God Bless the USA."

## Kern County back in purple tier this week

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"The state now has 41 of 58 counties in the lowest tier (purple)," Newsom said.

A quick check on some local businesses resulted in optimism and a 'can do' attitude. "

A stop at Marias Hair Salon on 5th Street was assuring when Maria said that salons, which includes hair and nails as well as spas, are able to remain open.

In addition, schools that have already had students attending their site are able to retain those students.

"Nothing has changed since the governor made his announcement yesterday," Wasco Union Elementary School District Superintendent Kelly Richers said. "Cle-

mens remains the only school that remains completely closed in the district because there are no students at that site. We've signed all the documents needed and are ready to continue as we have been doing."

While checking out the restaurant scene in town, Owner Russ Akins of the Pizzeria Factory said that his business now offers take-out and pickup as well as delivery.

Teresa's Grill is also taking the attitude of acceptance by stating that this time they know what to expect.

Daniel Dominguez from Starbucks said that business has been great. "Today [Tuesday, Nov. 17] was the first day we had to shut down inside seating," he said. "We've been open to 25% indoor customers for

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# Love Wasco gives back to community

**TONI DEROSA**  
The Wasco Tribune

It's been a long time since a physical event has taken place in town, and Canyon Hills started off the Thanksgiving season with a free outdoor clothing and lunch giveaway. Attendees were all grateful that the



Attendees browse the Love Wasco event at Canyon Hills Church on Broadway.



Fred Cooper, Sr. and Jessie Cooper were the go-to coordinators of the event.

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weather was warm and balmy with a slight breeze so they could wander around the church grounds without stress seeking what they might need in the way of clothing and shoes for their family members.

Several made comments that they were fortunate to have the event scheduled this Saturday instead of scheduling it for next Saturday, which would have probably been canceled due to the pandemic and the outlook for the county to head back to the restrictive purple tier.

For Canyon Hills Church, at 600 Broadway, it was a perfect day for the church to hold its third annual Love Wasco event.

This is a time for the church to give back to the community with donated gently-used clothing and shoes to be given away.

Approximately 10 tables were set up loaded with children and infant clothing; and behind the children's table were boxes and boxes of disposable diapers. The diapers were donated by an organization connected to the church called

CityServe.

CityServe is a charity network in Bakersfield serving eight Assembly of God church locations in Kern County by providing donated items such as disposable diapers, formula, food and sometimes large furniture pieces such as beds and couches.

Fred Cooper, Sr. and his wife, Jessie, spearheaded this year's event. They were both available whenever anyone had a question or a comment.

Canyon Hills puts out free clothing every Thursday for anyone who needs it.

"The event is held in November so people can get rid of their summer clothing and pick up items needed for winter weather," Cooper, Sr. said. "We also

feed the homeless every Thursday, too."

Cooper, Sr. said that Canyon Hills is non-denominational and everyone is welcome to share in their events.

Zachary Hewes was the official barbecue hot dog chef for the day, and he was assisted by Jeremias DeLa Olla and Yolanda Hewes along with Anthony Olivar.

Valente DeLa Olla Sr. and his wife, Ramona DeLa Olla, live in Shafter but attend church at Canyon Hills. "We have a great team working," Ramona said.



Master of the grill was Zachary Hewes.



Assistants to the grill master were Jeremias DeLa Olla, Yolanda Hewes and Anthony Olivas.

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## PEO chapter welcomes new member

**TONI DEROSA**  
The Wasco Tribune

The local chapter of Philanthropic Education Organization held an outdoor meeting on the front lawn at the home of Nancy Neufeld. The members gathered to welcome Anna Balentine to the sisterhood.

Balentine will be given a formal initiation at a later date.

Distancing and masks did not deter the group from

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getting together for the first time in several months. The organization recently had its first official meeting at the home of Donna Ward. The group hopes to continue to meet on a regular basis following the guidelines and restrictions mandated by the state with the possibility of including Zoom meetings as well.

The JT chapter will also be participating in the



P.E.O. Chapter JT, President Janet Grundt, left, welcomes newest member Anna Balentine.

Kern Reciprocity Drive-by-Fundraiser in November in Bakersfield.

The organization will be selling P.E.O. favorites such

as wreathes, bean soup, T-shirts, gift baskets and more. The proceeds will go to each chapter to help fund philanthropic projects.

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## PET OF THE WEEK

### Buzz needs a home for the holidays

Buzz came in as an owner surrender. He is approximately a 7-month-old, male, medium coat Domestic short hair cat. He is slightly timid toward staff and his behavior is being monitored daily. His behavior toward children and dogs is unknown. Cats are not tested with dogs at the shelter. If you are interested in Buzz, call the shelter and make an appointment to visit at 661-758-7240.

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# Sheriff's office warns about phone scam

**TONI DEROSA**  
The Wasco Tribune

The Kern County Sheriff's Office is warning everyone about a phone scam targeting residents in the area. You may receive a telephone call with a message with a number you can call back, telling you that they are with the sheriff's

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office regarding a missed court date and saying that a warrant will be issued in your name if you don't return their call. The number they give you to call back answers with a recording that says it is the Kern County Sheriff's Office, even using

names of actual employees.

The best way to check this out is to go online and get the number for the sheriff's office, call them and check whether the information is true.

Do not call the number the caller gives you back and give them any of your personal information.

You can also ask the caller for their name, employee identification number and a call-back number to double check what they have given you as well as a reference number for the matter they are contacting you about.

This information can be used to contact the organization directly to determine the validity of the telephone call.

# City Council races still up for grabs

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was that of U.S. Representative for the 21st District where incumbent TJ Cox ran against former Rep. David Valadao. As of Saturday, Nov.14, Cox had a total of 32,685 votes while Valadao had 22,791 votes.

In Wasco, the race in the City Council 3rd District is even closer, with Vincent Martinez slipping past William David Ward for a lead of seven votes. Martinez was behind by a few percentage points since election night, but Ward's lead had continued to dwindle as the count proceeded. With counting still being processed, this race could change.

Tilo Cortez, Jr. still has a lead in the District 4 race, but it has been reduced to 12 votes. Cortez has 50.78% of the vote, with Eddie Saldana receiving 49.22%. Wasco's

Measure H, which would have meant up to \$16 million in bonds for Wasco's school improvements, is still going down with only 48.6% voting Yes on the Measure.

John Steward and Sharon Nicol are well ahead of candidate Joel Ackernecht for the two seats available on the Wasco Union High School Board.

"I would like to thank the Community of Wasco for their support of me in my bid for a seat on the Wasco High School Board," candidate John Steward said. "I look forward to working with new District Superintendent Rob Cobb and his staff in making decisions that are in the best interest of WHS students and staff. Go Tigers!"

With more votes left to be counted, the races will be updated daily on the Shafter Press and the Wasco Tribune websites.

## OBITUARY



**Randall Gaede**  
1963 – 2020

Randall Bruce Gaede was born on Oct. 18, 1963 in Manhattan, Kansas to Dennis and Helen (Pankratz) Gaede. He was received in Heaven on Nov. 14, 2020.

Randy was preceded in death by his grandparents, Leonard & Evelyn Gaede, and Andrew & Helen Pankratz; his aunt, Sarah Ana Farthing; and his father,

Dennis. He is survived by his mother, Helen; and sister, Rhonda.

Graveside services will be held on Saturday, Nov. 21, beginning at 1 p.m. at Shafter Memorial Park. Pastor Pat Coyle will officiate. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kern County Autism Center, 14150 Sunset Blvd, Arvin, CA 93203. The Gaede family would like to thank the ICU staff at Kern Medical Center for their wonderful care.

Peters Funeral Home

## DEATH NOTICES

**David A. Boltshauser**, 79, of Bakersfield, passed away Nov.11. Peters Funeral Home Shafter.

**Adalberto Ibarra**, 69, of Wasco, passed away Nov.12 in Bakersfield. Basham-Lara Funeral Care Shafter.

**Ruby Mae Hosman**, 94, of Bakersfield, passed away Nov.13. Peters Funeral Home Wasco.

**Diana Lee Gerdon**, 75, of Wasco, passed away Nov.15. Peters Funeral Home Wasco.

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement Suave Hogar "Sweet Home" 2020-B5029

1330 F Street Ste F  
Wasco, CA 93280  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
508 Violette St  
Wasco, CA 93280  
Blanca Esmeralda Ibarra Ibarra  
508 Violette St  
Wasco, CA 93280  
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA  
The business is conducted by: Individual  
Date the business commenced:  
10/02/2020

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/Blanca Esmeralda Ibarra Ibarra  
Date Statement Filed: 11/9/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 11/9/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/N Franco  
Publish *Wasco Tribune* November 19, 26, December 3, 10, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
NOTICE INVITING INTERESTED  
CONTRACTORS FOR 2020-2021  
CALIFORNIA UNIFORM PUBLIC  
CONSTRUCTION COST ACCOUNTING  
(CUPCCA) PROGRAM INFORMAL  
BID LIST FOR WASCO UNION  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

In accordance with the State of California Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (CUPCCA), the District is inviting all interested licensed contractors to submit their company information for inclusion on the District's Pre-Qualified Informal Bidding Contractors List for construction projects during 2020-2021. Per California Public Contract Code 22032, any Public Works Project that is estimated to cost between \$60,000 and \$200,000 is subject to the Informal Bidding Procedures set forth by the State of California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission. All trade categories are subject to Informal Bidding Procedures.

LETTER OF INTEREST FROM LICENSED CONTRACTORS

Licensed contractors interested in placement on the District's 2020-2021 Informal Bidding Pre-Qualified Contractors List, must submit a "Letter of Interest". The letter must contain the contractor's name, address, phone, e-mail, license number, DIR registration number, and classification. Submit the Letter of Interest to DaVargas@wuesd.org or mail to: Wasco Union School District  
Attn: Daniel Vargas  
1102 Fifth Street  
Wasco, CA, 93280

Please Note: All contractors and subcontractors intending to bid or perform work on public works projects over \$1,000 will be required to be currently registered with DIR to perform such work. The cost to register for the program is \$400.00 annually and is non-refundable. No bid can be accepted nor any contract or subcontract

tract of \$1,000 or more be entered into without proof that the contractor or subcontractor is registered. More information can be found at the Department of Industrial Relations website; [www.dir.ca.gov](http://www.dir.ca.gov).  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE SUMMONS (Family Law) Notice to Respondent (Name): Alvaro Lopez Guzman

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Nombre del demandante:  
Case Number (Número de Caso): SFL – 20-000112  
You have 30 calendar days after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response (form FL-120) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone call, or court appearance will not protect you.

Tiene 30 días de calendario después de haber recibido la entrega legal de esta Citación y Petición para presentar una Respuesta (formulario FL-120) ante la corte y efectuar la entrega legal de una copia al demandante. Una carta o llamada telefónica o una audiencia de la corte no basta para protegerlo.  
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ordenar que pague manutención, y honorarios y costos legales. For legal advice, contact a lawyer immediately. Get help finding a lawyer at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center ([www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp](http://www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp)), at the California Legal Services website ([www.lawhelpca.org](http://www.lawhelpca.org)), or by contacting your local county bar association. Para asesoramiento legal, póngase en contacto de inmediato con un abogado. Puede obtener información para encontrar un abogado en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California ([www.sucorte.ca.gov](http://www.sucorte.ca.gov)), en el sitio web de los Servicios Legales de California ([www.lawhelpca.org](http://www.lawhelpca.org)) o poniéndose en contacto con el colegio de abogados de su condado.

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The name and address of the court are (El nombre y dirección de la corte son):  
California Superior Court County of Kern  
325 Central Valley Hwy  
Shafter, CA 93263  
North Division

The name, address, and telephone number of the petitioner's attorney, or the petitioner without an attorney, are: (El nombre, dirección y número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante si no tiene abogado, son):  
America Zamudio Paniagua  
PO Box 418  
Lost Hills, CA 93219  
661-438-9325

Date: (Fecha): 10/09/2020  
Clerk, by (Secretario, por) /s/Tamara Harber-Pickens  
/s/Patricia Juarez, Deputy (Asistente)  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE Fictitious Business Name Statement J&G Tire Service 2020-B4362

1218 Palm Ave  
Wasco, CA 93280  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
1218 Palm Ave  
Wasco, CA 93280  
Gloria Ruth Ybarra Benitez  
1218 Palm Ave  
Wasco, CA 93280  
Jose Luis Benitez Ramirez  
1218 Palm Ave  
Wasco, CA 93280  
The business is conducted by: Joint

Venture  
Date the business commenced:  
10/06/2015  
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/Gloria R Benitez  
Date Statement Filed: 10/6/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 10/6/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/N Franco  
Publish *Wasco Tribune* November 5, 12, 19, 26, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
TSG No.: DS7300-20001476 TS No.: CA2000286391 APN: 488-103-07-00-7 Property Address: 2115 SUNSET AVENUE WASCO, CA 93280 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/01/2007. 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. On 11/25/2020 at 10:00 A.M., First American Title Insurance Company, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 12/06/2007, as Instrument No. 0207240708, in book , , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of KERN County, State of California. Executed by: JOHN D. OGBORN AND JOYCE L. OGBORN, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS, 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) On the front steps of the City Hall South building at 1501 Truxtun Ave, 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: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 488-103-07-00-7 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2115 SUNSET AVENUE, WASCO, CA 93280 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. 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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Shafter-Wasco Irrigation District (SWID) (a) has concluded after preparing an Initial Study (IS) that the SWID Pipeline Improvements for Bell Recharge Project would not have a significant effect on the environment; (b) has prepared a proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) and (c) anticipates recommending to the SWID Board that it approve the MND. PROJECT NAME: SWID Pipeline Improvements for Bell Recharge Project PROJECT LOCATION & DESCRIPTION: The proposed project would involve installation of a new, 1-mile-long, Class 125, 21-inch bi-directional PVC pipe within the Kern County road right-of-way (ROW) along Merced Avenue and Mannel Avenue. The new bi-directional pipeline would connect the north and south systems and facilitate water movement through the District. The new pipeline would begin within the District's easement at the intersection of Merced Avenue and Beech Avenue. The pipeline would run approximately one-half mile to the west, along the south side of Merced Avenue, turn north at the intersection of Merced Avenue and Mannel Avenue, then run one-half mile north along the east side of Mannel Avenue, to connect with SWID's north system. The pipeline would also connect to three existing turnouts west of Mannel Avenue (1.7-1.5-8, 1.7-1.5-10, and 1.7-1.5-12) and another existing 15-inch pipe section of Lateral 134.4-1.7S-1.5E, west of Mannel Avenue. Since turnout connections would require crossing of Mannel Avenue, the road would be trenched and repaved after pipe installation and pressure testing. The proposed project would also increase the capacity of an existing pump station (from 3 cfs to 10 cfs) on Beech Avenue, approximately one-half mile

south of the new pipeline. DOCUMENT REVIEW & AVAILABILITY: The 30-day public review period begins on November 19, 2020 and ends on December 18, 2020. A copy of the IS/proposed MND is available for public review at 6294 Central Valley Highway, Wasco, CA 93280, or online <http://www.swid.org/index.php/notices>. CONTACT: Please send written comments to: Dana Munn, SWID, 16294 Central Valley Highway, Wasco, CA 93280, Fax: (661) 758-6167; Email: [dmunn@swid.org](mailto:dmunn@swid.org), by no later than close of business (5:00 p.m.) on December 18, 2020. Publish *Shafter* Press November 19, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
Deals In A Pallet  
2020-B4592**  
4101 De Ette Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93313  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
4101 De Ette Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93313  
Karen Itzel Hernandez Martinez  
4101 De Ette Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93313  
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/Karen Hernandez  
Date Statement Filed: 10/19/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 10/19/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/M Hernandez  
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PUBLIC NOTICE  
Statement of Abandonment Of  
Use Of Fictitious Business Name  
Deals In A Pallet

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Bakersfield, CA 93313  
County: CA  
Mailing address:  
4101 De Ette Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93313  
Karen I. Hernandez  
4101 De Ette Ave.  
Bakersfield, CA 93313  
I declare that all information in this Statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information, which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.)  
Business was conducted by: Individual  
/s/Karen Hernandez, Owner  
Original FBN Statement File Number: 2020-B3269  
Original FBN Statement Filed on: 07/25/2020  
This statement of Abandonment filed on: 10/13/2020  
I hereby certify that this is a correct copy of the original statement on file in my office.  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/M Hernandez, Deputy  
Publish *Shafter* Press October 29, November 5, 12, 19, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
Pierre's Pool Care  
2020-B4447**  
1009 State Ave  
Shafter, CA 93263  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
1009 State Ave  
Shafter, CA 93263  
Pierre Hidalgo  
1009 State Ave  
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/Pierre Hidalgo  
Date Statement Filed: 10/08/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 10/08/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/M Hernandez  
Publish *Shafter* Press November 5, 12, 19, 26, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
C. H. B. Developments  
2020-B4871**  
1231 G Street  
Wasco, CA 93280  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
1231 G Street  
Wasco, CA 93280  
James A. Crettol  
29550 Merced Avenue  
Shafter, CA 93263  
Hankins Family Trust DTD 10/6/1997  
Michael D. Hankins, Trustee  
26974 Merced Avenue  
Shafter, CA 93263  
The business is conducted by: General Partnership  
Date the business commenced: 9/30/77  
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/s/James A Crettol  
Date Statement Filed: 11/2/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 11/2/2025  
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Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/N Franco  
Publish *Shafter* Press November 12, 19, 26, December 3, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
Zapateria Villegas  
2020-B4865**  
147 Central Ave  
Shafter, CA 93263  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
147 Central Ave  
Shafter, CA 93263  
Teresa V Lorzo  
147 Central Ave  
Shafter, CA 93263  
The business is conducted by: Individual  
Date the business commenced: 10/01/2020  
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/Teresa V Lorzo  
Date Statement Filed: 11/02/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 11/02/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/R Roberts-Martin  
Publish *Shafter* Press November 12, 19, 26, December 3, 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
Maye Trucking  
2020-B4963**  
334 Lopez Ct  
Shafter, CA 93263  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
334 Lopez Ct  
Shafter, CA 93263  
Jose Roberto Maye Molina  
334 Lopez Ct  
Shafter, CA 93263  
State of Incorporation: California  
The business is conducted by: Individual  
Date the business commenced: N/A

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/s/Jose Roberto Maye Molina  
Date Statement Filed: 11/6/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 11/6/2025  
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,  
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk  
By: /s/N Franco  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE  
Fictitious Business  
Name Statement  
Vexxng Logistics  
2020-B5017**  
608 Hartlepool Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93307  
County: Kern  
Mailing address of business:  
608 Hartlepool Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93307  
Matthew Subrian  
608 Hartlepool Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93307  
The business is conducted by: Individual  
Date the business commenced: N/A  
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/s/Matthew Subrian  
Date Statement Filed: 11/9/2020  
Date Statement Expires: 11/9/2025  
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- 2) **2002 Chevrolet S-10 Pickup**  
V.I.N. 1GCCS145X28264043 Mileage: 94,782
- 3) **2000 6x4 Gas Gator with Turf Tires**  
Product I.D. 3W006X4X066031
- 4) **Jacobsen HR-9016 Mower Turbo Diesel 4WD**  
Product I.D. D704LT90 (dropped drive line and hydraulic issues)
- 5) **Jacobsen Turfcut Mower 628D 2WD**  
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- 6) **Jacobsen R311 T Mower**  
Product I.D. 113-07170
- 7) **Hand Pump Dump Trailer**
- 8) **230 Massey Ferguson Tractor**

Vehicles/Equipment may be inspected at the District Shop facility, 1280 Poplar Ave. Wasco, weekdays between 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Due to COVID-19 directives, vehicle/equipment inspection will be by appointment only. Please contact Raul Villagran, WRPD Maintenance Supervisor at 661-454-4497 to schedule an appointment. Bid forms will be mailed out or emailed upon request or they may be obtained at the district office. Bids must be submitted on or before 12:00 p.m. November 30, 2020 at the District office, 1280 Poplar Ave. or they may be mailed to Wasco Recreation and Parks District 1280 Poplar Ave. Wasco CA 93280 in an envelope marked Bids for Equipment. The Wasco Recreation and Parks District reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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