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Public Works director following Ortiz-Hernandez to Iowa

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Public Works Director Biridiana Bishop will be leaving Wasco and relocating to Webster City, Iowa to be assistant city manager.

Bishop will be working under Daniel Ortiz-Hernandez, who is leaving Wasco as city manager to go to Webster City.

Bishop said she has submitted her resignation letter and will continue with the city

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until Aug. 13.

Bishop was promoted to Public Works director in 2019.

The Public Works director position will not be filled until the next mid-year budgeting process, the mayor said.

In other council business, Finance Director Isarel Perez-Hernandez reviewed the 2021-2022 proposed budget.

“The city’s revenue outlook won’t get better until the economy improves,” Perez-Hernandez said. “Economy won’t begin to improve until the public health crisis is over.”

He said on a positive note, while the economy is still down from pre-covid-19 levels in many cases, key General Fund revenues are performing better than initially projected; however he said an adverse cir-

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Current Public Works Director
Biridiana Bishop

Dreams come true through mural

The ribbon is cut on the mural across from the Shafter Learning Center. SEE STORY ON PAGE 4.

Wasco, Shafter High seniors complete high school career

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

It was an unusual year for high school seniors in Shafter and Wasco, but the students made it, graduating from high school and moving onto the next chapter in their lives.

Shafter High School will have their seniors walk across the stage at Shafter High for the last time, celebrating their careers with their commencement ceremony.

The event will be held on Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. An in-person graduation was approved after a year that restricted the events that were allowed because of the pandemic.

Shafter High will be graduating 361 students this year, one of the largest classes in the school’s history.

“We knew that if it was possible, we were going to graduate in person this year,” said Principal Russell Shipley.

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REGIONAL

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Shafter High seniors honored with special service

STAN WILSON
The Shafter Press

A Baccalaureate service was held for the graduating seniors of Shafter High School on June 1 at the high school auditorium.

The service was sponsored by the high school’s Fellowship For Christian Athletes Club. The faculty advisor for the club, Jerald Perrucci, welcomed the graduates in attendance and their families and friends.

Alex Gonzales, Class of 2009, led in the singing of several songs. The speaker was Ken Gross, retired music and band instructor, from Richland School. Gross’s message was based on I Peter 5:8, “Be self controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like roaring lion looking for

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someone to devour.”

He said our culture was full of deception, half-truths, innuendos and lies. If one allows these things to overtake, it is like being devoured by a roaring lion. He challenged the graduates to be diligent in the pursuit of truth.

Second, he said, to trust God. Fear just paralyzes and does not work with faith. Thirdly he challenged them to be thankful for the blessings, the talents, and the gifts each one has. So as they go forward in life these three things will serve them well: seek the truth, trust God, and be thankful whatever the circumstance. Gross closed the service with a prayer for the graduates.



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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

Cooling center — There is a cooling center in Shafter at the Walker Senior Center at 505 Sunset Ave. The center is open from 1 to 8 p.m. For more information, call Kern County General Services at 661-868-1000.

Summer food service program — Lost Hills Wonderful Park is sponsoring a Summer Food Service Program. Free meals will be provided to all children who are 18 years of age and younger at 14688 Lost Hills Road, Lost Hills, starting July 19 through July 30. Breakfast is served at 7:30 to 8 a.m. Lunch is served from 12:30 to 1 p.m.

Shafter Community Vacation Bible School — The Shafter Community Vacation Bible School Kingdom Chronicles, “Standing Strong in the Battle for Truth” will be held June 21-25 from 9 a.m. to noon at the Shafter Ford Theater at 1101 E. Lerdo Highway. Children who are entering kindergarten through sixth grade for the 2021-22 school year are eligible. Online registration is available for students and volunteers at <https://www.eventcreate.com/e/shaftercommunityvbs2021>.

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 Mennonite Brethren Church, 400 Kern St. The program begins on Feb. 25. Call 661-746-4969 for more information.

Summer grab bags for kids — On Thursday, June 10, New Generation Church will be handing out 200 summer grab bags to elementary/middle school aged kids between 3 and 5 p.m. at 1017 Central Ave., Wasco. Parents need to have their kids present in the car, and it will be drive thru style, first come first serve. This is part of a weeklong event the church is doing called “Loving our City” where our church is doing something each day of the week to bless the community.

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

Juneteenth Celebration—There will be a great celebration of Black History on Saturday, June 19 for Juneteenth. The Event will begin at 10 a.m. at the park (The Playground) on 15th and Broadway in Wasco. ALL are invited to enjoy food, vendors and a good time. This event is free to everyone.

Drive-thru pancake breakfast — The Wasco VFW are hosting a Drive-Thru Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, June 19 from 8 to 11 a.m. The VFW will be celebrating their 75th anniversary. Call to purchase tickets at 661-758-1935 or visit 603 E. St., Wasco.

Mystery history



Here's this week's challenge, courtesy of the Shafter Historical Society. If you know the location, circumstances, exact or rough date and/or people in the photo, send your educated (or semieducated) guess to *The Press*, 455 Kern St., Suite E, Shafter, CA 93263, or e-mail it to mysteryphoto@TheShafterPress.com. Winners will be revealed here next week. **LAST WEEK:** The picture showed the Potato Festival in 1983.



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ARREST REPORT

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As reported by the Shafter Police Department

MAY 31

Robert Carlos Garza, 40, of Shafter, was arrested on N. Wall St. and Atlantic Ave. for possession of controlled substance and driving without a driver's license, giving false ID to a public officer and stop required.

JUNE 1

Courtneigh Hernandez, 33, of Shafter, was arrested on the 200 block Atkinson Ave. for inflicting corporal injury on a spouse and vandalism of more than \$400 more in damages.

JUNE 2

Daniel Robert Ornelas, 31, of Shafter, was arrested on the 900 block of State Ave. for disorderly conduct: under the influence of a drug.

JUNE 3

Juan Jose Flores, 45, of Shafter, was arrested on the 500 block of Wiedmann Ave. on a felony bench warrant.

Norma Estrella Martinez, 19, of Shafter, was arrested on N. Central Ave. and Tulare Ave. for battery onto spouse etc.

JUNE 4

Steven Lee Coon, 41, of Shafter, was arrested on the 100 block of E. Lerdo Hwy on an outside felony warrant.

Ojeda Miguel Morales, 26, of Shafter, was arrested on the W. Lerdo Hwy. and Zachary Ave. for theft extortion of vehicle and DUI.

Kayla Dawn Frederickson, 28, of Shafter, was arrested on the 500 block of Klassen Dr. for domestic violence.

JUNE 5

Brian William Cosgrove, 39, of Shafter, was arrested on the 9300 of Laurel Meadows Lane for battery with serious bodily injury and vandalism more than \$400 in damages.

Jose Simon Luna, 30, of Shafter, was arrested, 30, of Shafter was arrested on Munzer and Central Ave. for disorderly conduct: under the influence of drug and possession of controlled substance.

BUTTONWILLOW

MAY 31

Tiffany Hunt, 38, of Buttonwillow, was arrested in the 20600 block of Tracy Avenue in Buttonwillow on a felony warrant. She was booked into the Kern County Jail.

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Zane Alan Billings, 35, of

Bakersfield, was arrested in the 14000 block of Warren Street in Lost Hills for violation of a domestic restraining order and on four misdemeanor warrants. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 6

David Fajardo, 29, of Buttonwillow, was arrested in the 400 block of Milo Avenue in Buttonwillow on three misdemeanor warrants.

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

MAY 31

Jose Luis Alvarez, 24, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1000 block of 14th Street in Wasco on a felony warrant. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 1

Miguel Angel Santacruz, 25, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of F Street in Wasco on four misdemeanor warrants. He was cited and released at the scene.

Jose Eduardo Santacruz, 30, of Wasco, was arrested in the 700 block of F Street

in Wasco on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

Anahi Ruby Sanchez, 19, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of Poso Drive and F Street in Wasco for driving without a license, no proof of insurance and failing to stop at a posted stop sign. She was cited and released at the scene.

JUNE 2

Athena Noda, 23, of Tehachapi, was arrested in the 700 block of F Street in Wasco for disorderly conduct of drugs. She was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 3

Bernardo Montanez, 34, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of 9th Street and Maple Avenue in Wasco for concealed weapon in vehicle/occupant, felon in possession of a firearm, prohibited person in possession of ammunition, concealed weapon in vehicle, unlawful possession of a concealed weapon, driving without a license, and carrying a concealed stolen weapon.

He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Joel Arrazate, 22, of Wasco, was arrested in the 2200 block of 3rd Street in Wasco for domestic violence, willful cruelty to child burglary, vandalism and petty theft. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 4

Liliana Vidales Corcuera, 24, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1700 block of Poplar Avenue in Wasco on two misdemeanor warrants. She was cited and released at the scene.

Nathan Lopez, 24, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1100 block of D Street in Wasco on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

Rene Moses Campos, 32, of Caldwell, Idaho, was arrested in the 2200 block of 3rd Street in Wasco for domestic violence and obstructing, delaying resisting a peace officer. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

Michael Gonzalez, 38, of

McFarland, was arrested in the 600 block of North Maple Avenue in Wasco on a felony warrant and two misdemeanor warrants. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 5

Roel Martinez, 27, of Wasco, was arrested in the 1200 block of F Street in Wasco on a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited and released at the scene.

Andy Magallanes, 29, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of 7th Street and Broadway in Wasco for being in possession of a controlled substance, possession of a narcotic controlled substance, possession of a controlled substance for sale, possession of drug paraphernalia and destroy or conceal evidence. He was booked into the Kern County Jail.

JUNE 6

John Marti, 44, of Wasco, was arrested at the intersection of 9th Street and E Street in Wasco for being in possession of drug paraphernalia. He was cited and released at the scene.

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Elementary school district looks ‘good financially

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Superintendent of the Wasco Union Elementary School District Kelly Richers said that the district looks good financially for the next two years; however, “It’s 2022-23 that the district may run into problems.”

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At the Tuesday, June 8 board meeting, Richers reported that the governor has not presented his budget yet, so the district is unsure of how much it will receive. Financial Officer Karen Evans presented

a report on the proposed 2021-22 budget. “The next two years the district will be financially fine; however, it’s the third year we have to worry about (2023),” he said. “The district has a lot of program funding for the next two years, but the third year down the line will be a worry.”

In other business, Richers honored retirees from both certificated staff such as Debbie Escobar, Shannon Harris, Rachel Martin and Cheryl Stephens and for classified staff retirees Mary Lou Gonzales, Robert Perez, Jr., Francisca Sandoval and Dennis Stowe.



Superintendent Kelly Richers with Retiree Cheryl Stephens



Superintendent Kelly Richers with Retiree Mary Lou Gonzales



Superintendent Kelly Richers with Retiree Debbie Escobar

Wasco council reviews proposed budget

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cumstance offset the improvement related to the labor housing complex demo/site clean-up project. The labor housing complex demolition is expected to cost \$9.3 million.

Perez-Hernandez also said that several key strengths the city has in meeting the budget include starting with a balanced budget, “clean” audits, no unfunded retiree health care obligations, no General Fund debt obligations and a long-standing tradition of responsible financial management.

Revenues include General Property Tax, VLF Swap Property Tax, General Sales Tax, Measure X Sales Tax, Franchise Fees, Transient Occupancy Tax,

Business License Tax and Property Transfer Tax.

While the projected 2020-21 taxes were \$8,602,810, the 2021-22 taxes are projected to be \$8,624,900. Along with other funding sources, the city’s total revenue is projected to be \$12,056,116 for the 2021-22 fiscal year.

In comparison, the 2020-21 projected expenditures \$10,344,051 and the 2021-22 projected expenditures are \$11,551,842.

Several budget items have increased since last year such as police services contract, fire services contract, CALPERS pension, health insurance and workers’ compensation insurance costs. In addition, construction materials costs have also risen.

A breakdown of the Measure X appropriations was also presented at the meeting with sheriff services costing \$1,500,000, fire services costing \$600,000 and Flock safety cameras \$100,000 for a total of \$2,200,000.

Measure X funds will also be used for street improvements totaling \$630,249, Public Transit Fare box Recovery Ratio Support of \$20,000, construction of a new animal shelter of \$200,000, State Board of Equalization Fees, and legal and sales tax consultant fees totaling \$65,000 for a total Measure X Appropriations of \$3,115,240.

Bishop also reminded residents that the state is currently in a drought, and the city never stopped utilizing the outdoor water-

ing schedule.

The outdoor watering schedule is determined by house address ending number.

EVEN address (ending in 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8 watering days are Sunday, Wednesday and Friday.

ODD addresses ending in 1,3,5,7 or 9 watering days are Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Watering times are midnight to 5 a.m. and 7 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.

There is no vehicle washing on Mondays and no outdoor watering between 5 a.m. and 7 p.m. Water customers can be fined up to \$500 for each violation and vehicle washing is the same as watering days 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Pop-up events offer something for everyone

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

Two vendor popup events were held in Wasco over this past weekend, offering a variety of items for residents.

With the temperature in the low 100s, masks disappeared quickly as attendees visited booths and declared their vaccination status.

Saturday’s event began promptly at 10 a.m. on F Street, across from Del Norte Bakery.

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Vendor booths were set up throughout the lot with a variety of items for sale such as clothing, hair bows, metal works, food and hats to ward off the hot sun.

Owner Sarai Rodas of Sarmiz Fashion said that the shop consumes her full-time schedule and is her only source of income.

“I’ve been selling items for the past six months,” Rodas said. Even though she grew up in San Bernardino, her family lived in Wasco for at least two years when she was in high school.

Rodas’ husband is a Wasco High graduate and has a muffler repair shop in town, Ramirez Muffler Repair.

“Our best sellers are the scrunchy leggings,” Rodas said. “We sold out of the white and black ones.” Tik Tok made the leggings famous, she said.

Tag Sarmiz Fashion online at Instagram and use #Sarmizbabe. The website is www.sarmizfashion.com.

On Sunday, the popup event was Hawaiian themed and leis along with palm fronds decorated several of the booths. The event was held at the El Pueblo Market parking lot.

Desiree Duenas and organized the event. Their



Edgar and Magali Gonzalez with their two girls, 10-year-old Bella and 5-year-old Kamila were busy making Sunday a family day at their booth selling lots of hair bows.



Mary Ellen Macias and her Grannie’s Garden stand.

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booth had regular and Mexican candies, some with special flavorings added, for sale.

“We had 41 vendors,” Duenas said. “Space rent was only \$15.”

Additionally, Jeff Hurley of Western Art and Fab was on hand. He was selling handmade metal artifacts, belt buckles and several other metal items.

Grannie’s Garden, owned by Mary Ellen Macias, was filled with small pots of succulents that are easy to grow.

Macias had her children and grandchildren surrounding her to keep her company during the afternoon.

Her tables were filled with colorful succulents in different size pots for easy placement inside a home.



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Group celebrates new mural with ribbon cutting

JAMIE STEWART
The Shafter Press

A wall across from the Shafter Learning Center is blank no more after the ribbon was officially cut on the new mural, a project that began with a group of students dreaming about what it could be.

In October 2019, while attending a Fall Break Literature Class at the Shafter Learning Center, Alondra Montalvo, Sierra Albiar, Khloe Verdugo, Seniya Schluter, and Brinlee Swann noticed a blank wall located diagonally across from the center. They thought, “this wall needs some art.”

They began to dream about the possibility of a mural at that location. Working together with Listen to Shafter, the students brainstormed design ideas, advocated for the project, and helped select the artist.

The group of students went before the City Council for approval of the project. They worked with the Kern Art Council, who assisted in the search for a local artist. There were five different submissions from local artists and muralist Lorena Castillo was selected.

Castillo, who had moved to Shafter three years ago, had experience painting murals up in Watsonville, where she had moved from.

“I didn’t think that I would ever paint another mural, but this project

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touched my heart, and I wanted to be a part of these young girls’ dream,” said Castillo.

Castillo received help from the group of students, as well as other volunteers.

The mural is titled, “A Wall of Dreams,” and depicts dreams and hopes that are in the minds of local youth, from science and math, to art, sports, and possible careers.

GAF Roofing Manufacturing, as well as Target, Keep Kern Beautiful, Shafter Rotary Club, City of Shafter,

The Wonderful Company, and the Art Penner Memorial contributed to the project.

Katie Wiebe, of Listen to Shafter, was the emcee for the ribbon cutting event, and said that the project was a true community effort, but began with the dream of the group of girls.

“These girls had a dream and worked so hard to realize it,” Wiebe said. “From the presentation to the City Council, the selection of the artist, to helping actually paint the mural, these girls learned what is possible when you dream big, and work for that dream.”



Katie Wiebe, of Listen to Shafter, speaks about the work done by the students Alondra Montalvo, Khloe Verdugo, Seniya Schluter, and Sierra Albiar.

PET OF THE WEEK

Diva the Great Dane needs a home

Diva, an approximately 5-year-old female Great Dane mix, will be available for adoption on June 17.

Diva is black, white and cream and came in as a stray. She is extra large and will need a big area to roam and play. Diva has a short coat which will not need much maintenance other than baths and brushing. She has been great with staff, but has not yet been tested with other dogs.

She did come in micro-chipped and staff is trying to get in contact with her owners. It is unknown if she is house or crate trained and dogs are not tested with children or cats.

If she is reclaimed before her availability, she will be removed from Pet-Finder immediately. If this is your dog, contact the Wasco Animal Shelter at 661-758-7240.

Everyone is welcome to adopt from our facility. Adopters can be from out of town and/or local. We will not place holds for adoption. Call on Diva’s day of availability to set up an appointment. First call, first serve. Appointments made via email are not available.

All dogs will be neutered/spayed once adopted. Depending on the availability of our local vet, it is not



guaranteed that the dog will be spayed or neutered the same day.

The shelter will not accept animal surrenders until further notice.

Rescue is a nonprofit

organization with a tax exempt 501(c)(3). If you never pulled from the Wasco Animal Shelter, email the shelter two references and a copy of your 501(c)(3) form.

Vacation Bible School

Shafter Mennonite Brethren Church

June 28- July 2

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Children entering K-6th grade



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Kiwanis Club names May’s Terrific Kids

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The Shafter Press

The Shafter Kiwanis Club announced their honorees for May’s Terrific Kids, which recognize students from the Richland School District.



George Quinonez was recognized for the month of May.

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The Kiwanis Club honored those students virtually to celebrate those students who have exhibited the character traits outlined in the program’s mission statement. Each month there is a different trait that students are recognized for.

Those traits that the Kiwanis and the school’s teachers are looking for include thoughtful, enthusiastic, respectful, responsible, inclusive, friendly, inquisitive and capable.

May’s trait is respectful. Teachers from the Richland School District nominate students who exhibit that trait. Each student receives a certificate, a pencil, bumper sticker, and a t-shirt.

Those students named for May are Adalea Leon, a sixth grader from Golden Oak Elementary, Sequoia Elementary first grader George Quinonez and second grader Janie Rodriguez.

From Redwood Elementary, sixth grader Yelitza Osuna was recognized as their Terrific Kid.

Also from Redwood, Jesus Valdivia is in the fourth grade and has been recognized for his respectfulness.

The Shafter Kiwanis Club has been recognizing local students for over two decades and has been instrumental in the development of local youth, including their Terrific Kids program, as well as their annual New Teachers Luncheon, as well as



Adalea Leon is a sixth grader at Golden Oak.



Yelitza Osuna is a sixth grader from Redwood Elementary.



Fourth grader Jesus Valdivia is from Redwood Elementary.



Janie Rodriguez from Sequoia was honored.

Shafter Press editor speaks at Kiwanis Club

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Editor of the Shafter Press Jamie Stewart recently spoke at the Kiwanis Club luncheon meeting.

With the relaxation of some of the restraints regarding the pandemic, the meeting was held in person, with a portion of the club attending with others joining by Zoom. Kiwanis President Phillip Jimenez welcomed everyone and member Colleen Diltz introduced Stewart, who began his tenure with the Shafter Press in the fall of 2011.

Stewart told the attendees the new office location has made it easier for residents to visit. The new location is on Central Avenue next to the Brannon and Powell Accounting firm.

Due to the pandemic, the editors of the newspaper, Stewart for the Shafter Press, and Toni DeRosa for Wasco Tribune, have been doing the majority of

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their work from home.

The pandemic also made the papers need to combine, becoming one newspaper in its current format. Stewart told the Kiwanis Club members the feedback has been good on the change with coverage that includes both communities.

Stewart said his first visit to the Shafter Press office was in 1980. He was a junior in high school and the paper was looking for a sports writer from the high school. Stewart got the job and was paid 25 cents an inch for his stories.

“I was hooked after that,” he said. “I loved to write and to get paid for it, it was just awesome.”

In 2011, Stewart had been writing about high school football when he was called to interview for the editor position.

“I just love my job and I think that I am very fortunate to be doing something that I love to do,” he said.

Stewart also told the group that he got to understand what kind of influence that the newspaper can have on a community.

“When I first started with the paper, I learned that the paper can inform the residents of the community about what is going on in their city. A lot of the time everyone is in the dark about what is being done in their city,” he said. “When residents get involved with their city, and how it is ran, the effects can be great.”

Stewart also thanked Stan Wilson and the group who has made the Shafter Press possible.

“Wilson and the rest of the group have been so great and I am so grateful for them in letting me realize a dream,” he said.



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Wasco, Shafter High seniors complete high school career

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Wasco High School held an in-person graduation recently at the Wasco High School football stadium.

Valedictorian Rafael Viscarra told the gradu-

ates to congratulate themselves and said that graduation is the culmination of strength. Luis Luna, who was the valedictorian of the Wonderful Academy, told his fellow graduates that he appreciated everyone who helped him along the way.

Luna lives with autism spectrum disorder and has already received his Associates of Science degree due to his participation in the Wonderful Agriculture Career Program.

Wasco High graduated almost 300 students.

Eighth grade graduates from the middle schools will be listed next week.

Shafter High School Class of 2021

Nayli Aguilar
Estrella Aguilar Ruiz
Antonio Nickolaus Aguirre
Fabian Armando Aguirre
Jazmin Aguirre
Connor Allan Akman
Basel Khaled Ali
Breanna Lilie Almager
Sadiq Alrubay
Arturo Alvarez
Katlynn Amailia Andersen
Alejandro Andrade
Veronica Andrade
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Mia Faith Arredondo
Destiney Danielle Arreola
Leonel Avalos
Azeneth Avalos
Daniel Anthony Avila
Kattie Guadalupe Aviles
Cuevas
Cristian Alene Ayala
Bryan Ismael Barragan
Rico
Luis Alfonso Barraza Leon
Anabel Nahomi Barrera
Molina
Nelson Alexander
Barrientos
Breanna Barrios
Jacub Edward Bill
Julian Theodore Bloemhof
Maria Del Carmen
Bojorquez Aboytes
Guadalupe Eneledicza
Bojorquez Roldan
Gael Borboa
Jensen Lee Boyt
Mireya Guadalupe Bravo
Omar Bravo
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Karen Aceneht Buenrostro
Juliana May Bush
Sarah Marline Byrd-Ingram
Alejandro Callejas
Andres Calvillo
Maelyn Jules Camacho
Emilu Guadalupe
Camarena
Victoria Cantoriano
Birrueta
Andrea Verenise Carreno
Araiza
Sol Briana Castellon
Ashley Renea Castillo
Joanna Saray Castillo
Melanie Castillo
Ramon Castillo
David Castro Palomino
Marcos Ruben Cervantes
Cazares
Hector Manuel Cervantes-Meza
Alessandra Chacon
Armando Chacon Jr
Erica Larrie Chavez
Jeremiah Jordan Chavez
Leslie Chavez

Emilio Chavez Jaramillo
Haley Ann Coats
Jayden Sevell Cole
Jaylen Demond Cole
Julissa Contreras
Oswaldo Contreras Cepeda
Sheila Marie Coon
Yarely Raquel Coronado
Francisco Javier Corral Jr
Yahir Cota Alvarez
Jacob Cota Flores
Ruth Covarrubias
Bayleigh Chevelle Cravens
Arleth Bibian Cruz
Marleni Sarai Cueto Ruiz
Brandy Cuevas Rodriguez
Bryanna Cuevas
Rodriguez
Santana Rose De La Rosa
Jonathan De La Torre
Josue Alexander Del Cid-Miranda
Alejandro Delgado
Joel Alfredo Deniz
Sabrina Nicole Denogean
Alexa Diaz
Benjamin Diaz
Maleek Diaz
Davonn Levoy Dudley
Ahidet Andrea Duran
Hernandez
Elijah Caleb Elizondo
Ryan Jonathan Enns
Cesar Adrian Escalona
Ramirez
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Nataly Espinoza
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Faith Amber Fain
Adrian Favela
Ariana Alyssa Fernandez
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Bryant Henry Flores
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Christopher Joe Gaitan
Arly Galindo
Evelyn Guadalupe
Gallegos Parra
Alexiz Alizzay Galvez
Alexis Jarek Garcia
Analynn De Jesus Garcia
Elizabeth Amber Garcia
Heidi Garcia
Ivan Isaac Garcia
Jessica Garcia
Matthew Ryan Garcia
Cathy Isabel Garcia Garcia
Jose Armando Garcia
Molina
Daisy Garcia-Castro
Serenity Susan Garduno
Yazis Uzziel Garibay
Idalia Garza
Khily Jayde Garza
Nicolas Abelino Garza
Francisco Garza Arjona
Ariana Gil
Yesenia Gil

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Arnulfo Gonzales Gomez IV
Emily Victoria Gomez
Judith Gomez
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Lucero Gomez Osornio
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Omar Filemon Gonzalez
Gabriela Veronica Gonzalez
Leslie Alejandra Gonzalez
Melisa Gonzalez
Yamila Concepcion Gonzalez
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Gutierrez
Kassandra Arely Guerrero
Olivia Michelle Guerrero
Aaliyah Renee Ashanti Guillen
Andrew Alexis Guillen
Arelí Anaíd Guillen Ortiz
Misaél Eduardo Gutierrez
Helen Jennifer Gutierrez
Meza
Alleigh Madison Hanner
Samantha Ray Harper
Chloe Elena Hathcock
Katie Kristy Hernandez
Cloie Love Hernandez
Frank Isaias Hernandez
Hector Jr Hernandez
Israel Jose Hernandez
Juan Diego Hernandez Jr
Paula Galilea Hernandez
Aceituno
Elizabeth Hernandez
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Rosales
Jose Armando Herrera
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Daniel Hinojosa
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Ailany Iribe Gaxiola
Lilian Paige Jaime
Hernan Rafael Jara
Julian Jimenez
Noel Isaijah Jimenez
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Sebastian Isaac Juarez
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Arlene Lizbeth Lagunas
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Shafter High seniors honored with awards

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The Shafter Press

Shafter High School seniors were recently honored by the school with a video on their awards and scholarships for outstanding achievements.

For the second consecutive year, Shafter High administration decided to put out a video instead of holding an in-person ceremony, due to the tier status of Kern County, remaining at orange.

“We were not able to hold an indoor ceremony, so we decided to recognize the seniors with a video, giving them a special gift for their achievements,” said Principal Russell Shipley.

The video lists all of the students who received awards and scholarships. It has a picture of each student and what awards they had received.

Here are a list of the seniors who have been recognized.

Nayli Aguilar- Project Lead the Way, CA Student Scholar

Connor Akman- Outstanding Achievement in Technical Theater Award, four year Theater Student Award



Nick Aguirre

Nick Aguirre- Sahfter Rotary Scholarship \$1,000

Alejandro Andrade- Semper Fidelis Award

Mia Arredondo- Ricky Barraza Scholarship \$1,000, Chamber of Shafter Scholarship \$500, Kiwanis Scholarship \$500

Destiny Arreola- Ricky Barraza Scholarship \$400, Chamber of Shafter \$500, CSF Life Member

Leonel Avalos- Outstanding Math Senior Award

Anabel Barrera Molina- Wonderful Education \$24,000, Kathy Meeler Scholarship \$100, Outstanding Choir Senior Award



Jensen Boyt

Breanna Barrios- CSF Life Member

Jacob Bill- Spirit of the Band Award

Maria Del Carmen Bojorquez Aboytes- Lions Club Scholarship \$500

Jensen Boyt- Ricky Barraza Scholarship \$600, Chambero of Shafter \$500, Kiwanis \$500, Shafter Rotary \$1,000 CSF Life Member, US Naval Academy, Annapolis Maryland

Juliana Bush- Excellence in Science Award, Project Lead the Way, CSF Life Member

Sol Castellon- CSF Life Member

Hector Cervantes-Meza- AARP Scholarship \$500, Lopez Family Scholarship \$1,000, Project Lead the Way, Kiwanis \$500

Erica Chavez- Band Dedicated Service Award

Jeremiah Chavez- Project Lead the Way, CA Student Scholar

Oswaldo Contereas Cepeda- Chamber of Shafter \$500, Joe Frizelle Scholarship \$1,000

Sheila Coon- Outstanding Achievement in Acting, Four year Theater Student Award

Yarely Coronado- Lopez Family \$1,000, Chamber of Shafter \$500, Dan Knapp Scholarship \$500

Santana De La Rosa- Distinguished Young Woman- 2nd Alternate \$1,000, Excellence in English Award

Sabrina Denogean- CSF Life Member

Maleek Diaz- Maldonado Achieve Your Dream Scholarship \$250, Yearbook Editor in Chief Scholarship \$200

Ahidet Andrea Duran Hernandez- Kathy Meeler Scholarship \$150

Ryan Enns- Excellence in English Award, CSF Life Member

Bryant Flores- Spirit of Orpheus Award

Arly Galindo- Hispanic Chamber of Commerce \$250, Lopez Family \$1,000, Marvin Kirschenmann \$1,000, Band Dedicated Service Award

Cathy Garcia Garcia- Distinguished Young Woman Spirit Award \$200, Yearbook Scholarship \$100

Yesenia Gil- Kiwanis \$500, Outstanding Math Award, Shafter Rotary \$1,000, CSF Life Member



Yesenia Gil

Ariana Gil- CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Arnulfo Gomez- Project Lead the Way Student Scholar

Gabriela Gonzalez- Contreras Scholarship \$1,000

Omar Gonzalez- Spirit of the Band Award

Haylee Gonzalez- CSF Life Member

Olivia Guerrero- Outstanding Achievement in Acting

Misael Gutierrez- Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Alleigh Hanner- Shafter Rotary \$1,000

Katie Hernandez- Michael Schroeder Scholarship \$1,000, Lopez Family \$1,000, Kiwanis \$500, Spirit of the Band Award



Katie Hernandez

Iyat Hussein- CSF Life Member

Lilian Jaime- Distinguished Young Woman Talent \$200

Makena Knapp- CSF Life Member

Arlene Lagunas- Band Section Leader Award

Tiffany Leon- Spirit of the Music Award

Evelyn Lopez- Kiwanis \$500



Frida Lopez Martinez

Frida Lopez Martinez- Kiwanis \$500, Spirit of the Choir Award

Gissel Machorro- Lopez Family Scholarship \$1,000

Melanie Madrigal- Lopez Family \$1,000, Chamber of Shafter \$500, Kiwanis \$500

Jose Madrigal Ramirez- Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Carlos Martinez- Kiwanis \$1,000, Shafter Rotary \$1,000

Alicia Martinez Perez- Maldonado Achieve your Dream Scholarship \$500

Hannah Mejia- Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Denise Mendoza-Castillo- Mecha Scholarship \$1,375, Maldonado Achieve your Dream \$200, CSF Life Member

Efrain Meza- Chamber of Shafter Scholarship \$500

Aaron Millwee- Kiwanis \$500, Chamber of Shafter \$500, Excellence of Science Award, CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord, Most Outstanding PLTW Senior

Eddy Montoya- Lions Club \$500, Lopez Family \$1,000, CSF Life Member

Victoria Munoz- CSF Life Member

Viridiana Nunez Robles- Mecha



Aaron Millwee

Scholarship \$2,000

Azuzena Ortiz- Hispanic Chamber of Commerce \$250, Outstanding Senior Agriculture Award

Luis Pacheco Cuevas- Chamber of But-tonwillow \$300

Kaussandra Payne- Shafter Rotary \$1,000, CSF Life Member

Luis Pedroza- Project Lead the Way Student Scholar

Ethan Penny- Most Improved Music Department Award

Priscilla Perez- Mecha Scholarship \$1,375, Chamber of Shafter \$500, Kiwanis \$500, CSF Life Member

Abigail Perez- CSF Life Member

Aldemo Perez- Outstanding Band Senior

Alicia Pompa- Distinguished Young Woman First Alternate and Self Expression \$1,700

Nayeli Puente Gutierrez- Women's Club Scholarship \$500, Kiwanis \$500, CSF Life Member

Daniel Puente Lara- Ben Grundy Scholarship \$1,000

Erik Quinonez- CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Alex Quintanilla- Lopez Family \$1,000, Kiwanis \$500, CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Daniel Ramirez- CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Vianissia Ramirez- CSF Life Member

Andres Rodriguez Herrera- Kathy Meeler Scholarship \$150

Evelyn Roldan Bustamante- Mecha Scholarship \$750, Dick Garber \$500, CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Conner Rubalcado- Outstanding Achievement in Acting

Loanny Salgado Maldonado- Kathy Meeler Scholarship \$150, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Jazelle Sanchez Mendoza- CSF Life Member

Dustin Shipley- Shafter Rotary \$1,000

Monserath Solis- Kiwanis \$500

Brandon Solis- Kiwanis \$500

Fernando Toledo- Outstanding Achievement in Technical Theater award

Cindy Torres- Kiwanis \$500

Jesus Trujillo- Hispanic Chamber \$250, Lopez Family \$1,000, CSF Life Member, Project Lead the Way Honor Chord

Rubi Valle- Lopez Family Scholarship \$1,000

Angela Vargas Macias- Kathy Meeler Scholarship \$150

Olivia Villegas- Band Section Leader Award

Alexus Villavicencio- Outstanding Col-or Guard Award

Caleb Wilson- Gary Wilson AG Memorial Scholarship \$1,000, Chamber of Shafter \$500, Shafter Rotary \$1,000, Kiwanis \$1,000, CSF Life Member,

New Generation serves 500 meals to community

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

New Generation Church on Central Avenue passed out 500 barbecue chicken meals



“Anyone need any help in here?”

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on Monday evening.

Church volunteers assisted in the food preparation, served up the take-home boxes and spread good will to everyone who drove up or walked up to the church entrance.

Pastor Frank Sanchez and Marcus Ballard were greeting attendees and chatting with guests as they picked up their meal.

One of the younger volunteer high school freshman Izabella Heredia said this was the first event she has volunteered for.

“I like to help others,” she said. “I’m excited to go to high school.”

This week is Loving Our City Week at New Generation with 500 plates of food given out at 5 p.m. and cleaning up the city on Tuesday. Helpers arrived at the church at 5



Volunteers, from left, Miriam Goodoy, Patricia Aceves, Rigo Sanchez, Noelia Elizondo, Kina Jaime, Aurora Macias and Estela Martinez helped serve the meals to the vehicles that drove up.

p.m. and on Wednesday, first responders were given a day of thanks and love. On Thursday, kids received goodie buckets filled with summer activities.

On June 19, Juneteenth, the church will be celebrating Black History Month beginning at 10 a.m. with live music, choir, poetry reading and lots of food and craft vendors.

Loving Our City at New Generation is an annual celebration the church members participate in to bring fellowship to the forefront and connect with friends and neighbors.

Everyone is invited to participate and it's all free of charge.

Governor proposes vaccine incentive program

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

In order to boost vaccinations, Gov. Gavin Newsom has proposed a \$15 million grand cash prize split between 10 vaccinated Californians.

Newsom wants the economy to safely

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reopen on June 15.

He is proposing a multi-faceted initiative about the value of vaccinations for all Californians, especially those in communities hardest hit by the pandemic.

Newsom is also planning on \$50,000 Friday cash prizes for 30 vaccinated Californians and \$100 million in \$50 cards for the next 2 million new fully vaccinated residents.

Californians who have received the vaccine are already entered for cash prizes.

Ten winners will be selected on June 15

to win cash prizes of \$1.5 million each, totaling \$15 million in cash prizes.

Californians with at least one dose of the vaccine who are 12 years and older will be eligible to win. If someone under 18 wins, the cash will be put into a savings account for them until they turn 18.

Players arriving from far and near to play on 2021 Reserve team

TONI DEROSA
Wasco Tribune

The new 2021 Wasco Reserve baseball players will be at Sam Lynn Ball Park in Bakersfield on June 10 at 10 a.m. for their first official practice.

Manager Nic Ray has been busy assembling the team and it's down to the last minute when some players drop out and new ones are added to the roster.

Chase Stacy

A new player this year is Chase Stacy. He was born in Los Angeles and currently lives in Victorville. Stacy was homeschooled and began his interest in baseball at 10 years old.

Stacy plays shortstop, centerfield and pitcher and was the Salina Stockade pitcher for the 2020 season.

This season, Stacy will be playing as one of the pitchers for the team.

Stacy comes from a large family with three sisters and six brothers. His favorite relaxation is to get a massage and floating anywhere in calm water.

When asked how he feels about being up at bat, he said, "I feel confident, eager to get on base."



Chase Stacy

Harrison Moore

Harrison Moore is joining the Wasco Reserve this summer. Moore hails from Stone Mountain, Georgia.

He attended Stephenson High School and Savannah State University as well as Augusta University.

"I started playing ball at the age of 4," Moore said.

He was named Freshman of the Year at Savannah State and was MVP at Augusta University and also named California Collegiate League All-Stars.

Moore plays centerfield and right field.

"I imagine I would be playing centerfield for Wasco," he said.

Moore has one sister and three nieces and his favorite form of relaxation is self-reflection in a quiet place.

"At bat, I feel free," Moore said.



Harrison Moore

Simple has been playing ball since he was 6 years old and plays shortstop and outfield.

His idea of relaxing is watching TV shows on Netflix or Hulu and Googling random facts.

He has one sister who ran track and played softball.

"I feel confident that the pitcher isn't good enough to strike me out," he said. "I also feel a bit angry that the pitcher thinks all these off-speed pitches will work."



Darius Simple

Cameron Sparks

Another Reserve player arrived from Georgia recently. Cameron Sparks was born and raised in Alpharetta.

Sparks attended Milton High School and Kentucky State University and has been playing ball since he was 3 years old.

He was named Utility Player of the Year, First All-Conference in 2017 and 2018 and was Offensive Player of the years 2016



Cameron Sparks

and 2017.

Sparks is a first baseman and also plays left field.

He is able to relax at the beach. When he is at bat, "I am anxious to hit the ball," he said.

Clubhouse Manager/ Assistant Coach Thatcher Alu

Greeting everyone with a big smile, Thatcher Alu is the clubhouse manager/assistant coach for the 2021 Reserve baseball team. He was born in Rostov, Russia, but grew up in Atlanta, Georgia.

You can't miss Alu because of his long dread locks that he has sported since high school. "After I graduated, I decided to have dreadlocks and I haven't cut my hair since then," Alu said.

He attended Milton High School in Milton, Georgia and La Grange College in La Grange, Georgia.

He has one sibling and states that his favorite spot is the beach.

Alu wanted to have a minor independent league experience and working with the Reserve was the perfect fit.



Thatcher Alu



Jack Doherty

to guess, I'd have to say around 2 years old."

Doherty said that he will be playing first and third for the Reserve. His favorite form of relaxation is playing pick-up basketball.

Doherty comes from a smaller family with one brother who pitched at Covenant College in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"When I'm at bat, I feel comfortable and ready to hit," he said. "I always make sure that I get locked in when I'm on deck."

Jack Doherty

The Wasco Reserve is expecting player Jack Doherty from Niskayuna, New York.

Although born in Phoenix, Ariz., he attended Phoenix Christian Preparatory School and Phoenix College.

During his junior and senior years, he was named to the Arizona 2A All-State First Team and his senior year he was named Male Athlete of the Year. He has played 1B, 3B and pitched.

"I have been playing for as long as I remember," Doherty said, "but if I had



Willie Barcena

two younger siblings both play baseball.

"When I'm up to bat, I'm in my happy place, Barcena said.

Willie Barcena

Willie Barcena grew up in northeast Los Angeles and attended John Marshall High School.

Barcena has played ball since he was 5 years old and was All-City in high school. He led the City of L.A. in home runs in 2012.

Barcena played for the Salina Stockade in the Western League. He plays outfield and infield.

He is adventurous because he is a skydiver. His



Chris Reyes

Chris Reyes

Another southern California ballplayer has joined the Wasco Reserve.

El Monte's Chris Reyes is a graduate of Arroyo High School and attended Pasadena City College, East Los Angeles College and Lewis & Clark State College.

Reyes has been playing ball since he was about 5 years old.

In March 2011 he played for East Los Angeles College Huskies and went 4-1 on the hill. He was announced Honorable Mention for three complete games. He gave up just four runs; two earned and posted a 0.51 ERA.

Reyes is a pitcher and admits sitting in a jacuzzi is a great form of relaxation.

He has four siblings who don't play ball.

"If I stay relaxed as possible and I try to focus in on the pitcher's release point to see the ball early out of the pitcher's hand, I always protect with two strikes," he said. "I go up there with an approach depending on the game situation and if there are runners on base."



Yusei Teraoka

One of his favorite past times is to sleep and visit new places.

He has two younger brothers who also play baseball.

"I just do my best for myself and the team," he said. "Let's go!"

Yusei Teraoka

Yusei Teraoka is certainly the one new player who has traveled the longest distance to join up with the Reserve team.

Teraoka was born in Aichi, Japan and arrived from Chiba, Japan to play for the Reserve.

He attended Sakura High School in Japan and Nihon University also in Japan.

Teraoka has been playing ball since he was 6 years old and was selected at MVP and Best 9 at a city tournament.

He is a pitcher, first



Derrick Carter

Derrick Carter

Baseball player Derrick Carter was born in Boise, Idaho and grew up in Laguna Niguel, Calif.

He attended Capistrano Valley Christian School and as an undergrad studied at the University of Oregon at studied at grad school at California State University, San Bernardino.

He began playing baseball at 4 years old and his club team at Oregon won the 2015 NCBA World Series.

Carter plays pitcher and outfield primarily.

He enjoys working out and being with family.

Carter's sister played ball when she was younger, but didn't play for very long.

"When I'm at bat, I really don't feel anything," Carter said. "I'm just trying to focus on the moment and block everything else out."

Domonique Hernandez

Welcome to first-time Pecos League player Domonique Hernandez.

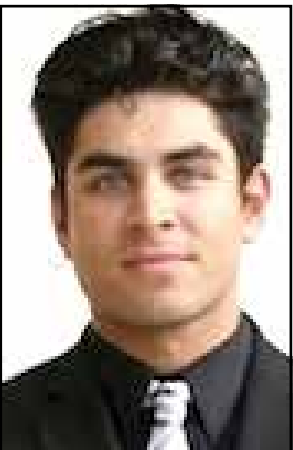
Ridgecrest is home to new Reserve player Hernandez. He was not only born in Ridgecrest, but also raised there and attended Sherman E. Burroughs High School and Cero Coso Community College as well as Missouri Baptist University.

He's been playing ball since he was 4 years old. Hernandez was All Conference in 2016 and 2017 and All Section in 2017.

He plays right field, third base and pitcher.

Hernandez relaxes by meditation and spending time with his family. There are five members in his family and his little brother Evan played ball throughout high school.

"Before I hit the ball, I relax and am ready to hit any fastball that comes my way," Hernandez said.



Domonique Hernandez



Matt Flynn

Flynn plays center field and outfield.

He enjoys spending a day fishing with his girlfriend Madilyn and has an older brother.

Matt Flynn

Center fielder Matt Flynn is from Victorville, Calif. and grew up in Hesperia and Helendale, Calif. He attended Sultana High School.

Flynn has been playing baseball since he was 4 years old.

At Sultana High he was named Athlete of the year by the Daily Press as well as All-Area Team for four years at the high school.



PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
Statement of Abandonment Of Use Of Fictitious Business Name Tom Gnacke Insurance Services 5201 Challenger

Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: KERN
Mailing address of business:
3612 Coffee rd, Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93308
Thomas Gnacke
5201 Challenger
Bakersfield, CA 93312
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/Thomas Gnacke, Owner/principle
President
Original FBN Statement File Number: 2020-B3768
Original FBN Statement Filed on: 08-24-2020
This statement of Abandonment filed on: 05-07-2021
Mary B. Bedard, CPA
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M. Hernandez, Deputy
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Monarch Home Services 2021-B2241

301 Espree Street Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93301
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
301 Espree Street Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93301
Hanover Holdings
301 Espree Street Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93301
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Corporation
Date the business commenced: 05/2008
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/Mark DeVries
Date Statement Filed: 04/23/2021
Date Statement Expires: 04/23/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/N Franco
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Gears Logistics 2021-B2505

5722 Calatrava Dr.
Bakersfield, CA 93311
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
5722 Calatrava Dr.

Bakersfield, CA 93311
Kyle A. Berna
5722 Calatrava Dr.
Bakersfield, CA 93311
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/Kyle A. Berna
Date Statement Filed: 04/30/2021
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Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
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By: /s/M. Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
AM Hauling And Junk Removal 2021-B3036

10020 Shellabarger Rd
Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
10020 Shellabarger Rd
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Adrian Moreno Medina
10020 Shellabarger Rd
Bakersfield, CA 93312
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/Adrian Moreno Medina
Date Statement Filed: 05/13/2021
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Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/J Luna
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Tom Gnacke Insurance Services 2021-B2728
Yesenia Navarro Felix Insurance Services 2021-B2729

Insurance Savings Group
2021-B2730
3612 Coffee rd, Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
PO Box 2683
Bakersfield, CA 93303
ISG Benefits and Insurance Services, Inc.
3612 Coffee rd, Suite B
Bakersfield, CA 93308
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA

The business is conducted by: Corporation
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/Duncan Harris
Date Statement Filed: 05/05/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/05/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
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By: /s/M. Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
China Lake Yacht Club 2021-B3095

820 Fairway Dr
Bakersfield, CA 93309
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
820 Fairway Dr
Bakersfield, CA 93309
Jessica Kathryn Ekegren
820 Fairway Dr
Bakersfield, CA 93309
Richard Anthony Fuentes
245 S Holly Canyon Dr
Ridgecrest, CA 93555
The business is conducted by: Co-Partners
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/Jessica Ekegren
Date Statement Filed: 05/14/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/14/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Blue Transport Ag Tires 2021-B2962

30116 West Lerdo Hwy
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
825 Brookside Driver
Shafter, CA 93263
Rafael Acosta
825 Brookside Drive
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/Rafael Acosta
Date Statement Filed: 05/11/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/11/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/J Luna
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Wide Oak Customs 2021-B3058

10900 Lonon Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
10900 Lonon Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Esther Louise Archuleta
10900 Lonon Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Brian Ross Archuleta
10900 Lonon Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93312
The business is conducted by: Married Couple
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/Esther Louise Archuleta
Date Statement Filed: 05/13/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/13/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Family Auto Registration 2021-B3265

7675 South Union Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93307
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
3505 Beyers St
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Fahad Ramadan Atshan
3505 Beyers St
Bakersfield, CA 93312
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/Fahad Ramadan Atshan
Date Statement Filed: 05/19/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/19/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/P Del Villar
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Notice of Petition to Administer Estate of: Tina Diane Richardson aka Tina D. Richardson
Case Number: BPB-21-002482

1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Tina Diane Richardson, Tina D. Richardson
2. A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Warren D. Richardson II in the Superior Court of California, County of: Kern
3. The Petition for Probate requests that: Warren D. Richardson II be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
5. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
6. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
a. Date: 7/2/2021 Time: 8:30a.m. Dept.: P
b. Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Kern, 1215 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301, Metropolitan Division.
7. If you object to the granting of the petition you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
8. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
9. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
10. Attorney for petitioner: Vincent J. Oddo
4550 California Avenue, 2nd Floor
Bakersfield, CA 93309
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Sno Fun 2021-B2874

101 Central Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
101 Central Ave
Shafter, CA 93263
Ilyana Chavez Gonzalez
266 Faber St
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/Ilyana Chavez Gonzalez
Date Statement Filed: 05/08/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/08/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Mom's House Chicken & Waffles & More 2021-B3590

2681 Calloway Dr. Unit 300
Bakersfield, CA 93312
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
2681 Calloway Dr. Unit 300
Bakersfield, CA 93312
Tina Lee Johnson
12703 Holland Park St
Bakersfield, CA 93312
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

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

A.P.N.: **258-040-33-00** Trustee Sale No. 20190661
NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED
注：本文件包含一个信息摘要 참고사
향: 본 첨부 문서에 정보 요약서가 있습니다
NOTA: SE ADJUNTA UN RESUMEN DE LA INFORMACIÓN DE ESTE DOCUMENTO
TALA: MAYROONG BUOD NG IMPORMASYON SA DOKUMENTONG ITO NA NAKALAKIP
LƯU Ý: KÈM THEO ĐẦY LÀ BẢN TRÌNH BÀY TÓM LƯỢC VỀ THÔNG TIN TRONG TÀI LIỆU NÀY
PLEASE NOTE THAT PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.3 (d) (1) THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS REQUIRED TO APPEAR ON THIS DOCUMENT BUT PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.3 (a) THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION IS NOT REQUIRED TO BE RECORDED OR PUBLISHED AND THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION NEED ONLY BE MAILED TO THE MORTGAGE OR TRUSTOR
YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED April 16, 2013 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 **July 1, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.** MICHAEL T. WHITTINGTON, Trustee, or Successor Trustee, or Substituted Trustee of that certain Short Form Deed of Trust with Assignment of Rents (“Deed of Trust”), dated April 16, 2013 executed by KONARK RANCHES LLC, a California limited liability company as Trustor, to secure certain obligations in favor of KASSEB NESHEIWAT and JACQUELINE NESHEIWAT, husband and wife as joint tenants as Beneficiaries, recorded June 12, 2013 as Document Number **000213081988** of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Kern County, California will under and pursuant to said Deed of Trust sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, a cashier's check payable to said Trustee 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, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, at: **IMMEDIATELY OUTSIDE THE FRONT, EAST ENTRANCE TO THE BAKERSFIELD CITY HALL, 1501 TRUXTUN AVENUE, BAKERSFIELD CALIFORNIA 93301**
all that 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:
SEE EXHIBIT “A” ATTACHED HERETO
Assessor's Parcel Number: 047-290-13
☒ The street address or other common designation of said property: 28194 Pond Road, Wasco CA
☒ Name and address of the beneficiary at whose request the sale is being conducted: **Kassab & Jacqueline Nesheiwat, C/O Michael T. Whittington, 10000 Stockdale Hwy., Suite 380, Bakersfield CA 93311**
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, express 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. Directions to the above property may be obtained by requesting same in writing from the Trustee within 10 days from the first publication of this Notice.
The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and the reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$2,013,096.00.
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, size and dollar amount of outstanding liens that may exist on the property by contacting the County Recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for providing 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 2924 g. 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 the property, you may call (661) 664-6899 and reference the file number assigned to this Trustee's sale of 20190661. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale date may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend at the scheduled sale.
DATED: June 1, 2021
MICHAEL T. WHITTINGTON
10000 STOCKDALE HIGHWAY, SUITE 380
BAKERSFIELD, CA 93311
Telephone number: (661) 664-6899

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT MICHAEL T WHITTINGTON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.
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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/Tina Lee Johnson
Date Statement Filed: 05/28/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/28/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/P Del Villar
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
So Cal SK8 and Surf 2021-B3459
Socal SK8 and Surf 2021-3460
Socal Skate Kern 2021-3461

6101 Lake Isabella Blvd
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
Box 2289
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
Charles Dunn
6101 Lake Isabella Blvd
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
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/Charles Dunn
Date Statement Filed: 05/25/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/25/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
So. Cal Surf and SK8 2021-B3458

6101 Lake Isabella
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
Box 2289
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
Charles Dunn
6101 Lake Isabella
Lake Isabella, CA 93240
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: 04-07-2016
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/Charles Dunn
Date Statement Filed: 05/25/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/25/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Ricos Tacos Estilio Jalisco 2021-B3104

500 Roberts Ln
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
18486 Alfalfa Ln
Shafter, CA 93263
Carla Liliana Alcalá Jimenez
18486 Alfalfa Ln
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/Carla Liliana Alcalá Jimenez
Date Statement Filed: 05/14/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/14/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business Name Statement
Waba Grill 2021-B3041

5601 California Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93309
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
7135 Sepulveda Blvd
Van Nuys, CA 91405
Champions M&M LLC
7135 Sepulveda Blvd
Van Nuys, CA 91405
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company
Date the business commenced: N/A
A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)
/s/Arturo Magana
Date Statement Filed: 05/13/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/13/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/M Hernandez
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Wasco Union High School Class Of 2021

Jordan Abernathy ♦ ▲
Keyanna Abshire
Aylet Tajaira Aceves ▲
Emily Acosta Fernandez
Brenda Melody Acosta Flores
Thomas Lorenzo Aguerria *
Diane Aguilar *
Angel Josue Afumada Pulido *
Isabella Marie Alfaro
Guadalupe Almanza
Antonio L. Alcamirano *
Jose Manuel Alvarado Rivera
Anthony Angel Alvarez
Royer Anaya Parra * ▲
Jasmin Andrade
Nathalie H Andrade
Sebastian Allen Andrade
Bernardo Archuleta *
Talhitha Belen Arellano *
Mia Arisme Arellano Medina
Paulina Arinaga #
Serena Michelle Arriaga *
Roberto Jesus Ayala
Vanessa Badillo Romero
Genesis Kasimir Bailey
Yair Ballinas
Nicolas Barajas-Sanchez
Jenica Anne Bermudez
Alejandra Birrueta
Leslie Bolin Garcia
Natahyn Kirbelan Buenrostro
Michelle Cabrera * + ▲
Arianna Calderon
Leonardo Humberto Campoa Plata
Yareli Campos
Angel Jesus Cantu
Melissa Carrillo
Pedro Valentin Carmona
Enrique Carrillo III * ▲
Jenifeer Nayeli Carrillo *
Jessie Casillas Diaz *
Gladis Castillo * + ♦ ▲ ●
Jennifer Castillo
Briana Castro
Daesy Castro Villagomez
Jasmyn Cavazos
Cindy Ceja Miranda
Daisy Cendejas * + ♦ ▲

Meybelline Zuleima Ceron Sanchez *
Kevin Alexander Chavez *
Kathlyn L Clifford
Hannah Cobb *
Ernesto Contreras * + ▲
Jessica Corcuera ♦
Andre Junior Cordova
Esmeralda Correa
Jose Cortez
Julian Cortez
Miguel Cortez Ramos
Francisco Javier Cruz
Kathlyn Aileen Cruz *
Darius Alexander Darden
Lucia Krystal De Lira * ▲
Faith Derrington *
Julian Diaz
Luis Victor Diaz
Javier Diaz Carmona * ▲
Bethany Elizabeth Dominguez * ▲ +
Manuel Dominguez * + ▲ ●
Keeayra Cyrelle Dorsey *
Luz Ajyana Duran *
Marcos Joab Rassiel Echeverria
Javier Ensiso
Yerry Arely Escobar
Luis Angel Espinosa Jr
Bianca Noemi Espinoza
Alexia Nicole Estrada
Selena Alexis Fenderson
Cheyenne Antonia Fernandez *
Evelyn Fiallos Cortes *
Salvador Flores
Yulissa Noemi Flores Castillo *
Idaly Flores Landeros * ♦ ▲ ●
Jose De Jesus Franco Rios
Fabian Fuentes
Read Duran John Douglas Gaddy
Destanie Davaie Garcia
Erick Garcia
Isabella Giuliana Garcia ●
Joanna Guadalupe Garcia *
Stephanie Garcia * ▲
Jorge Garcia Pacheco * ▲
Alexa Garcia-Hernandez *
Christopher Michael Garza
JuanCarlos Gonzalez Gonzalez
Kimberly Gonzalez ▲

Mavrick Syron Greenfield * ▲
Rebecca Destury Guerra
Natalie Elizabeth Guerrero *
Lizbeth Jaileen Guevara
Miriam Victoria Guevara
Andres Gutierrez
Nicholas Andrew Gutierrez ♦
Raul Gutierrez
Victor Alan Gutierrez
Amani Simone Harrison * ●
Christianne Rry Hernandez
Celso Efraim Hernandez Santiago
Juan Hidalgo
Cassandra Renee Hinojosa * + ●
Elizabeth Elaine Hinojosa
Lizbeth Huape *
Bryan Hurtado
Miguel Angel Ibarra
Alonso Antonio Jacobo
Jonatan Abner Jimenez Garcia
Jacob Juarez
Karla Itzzel Juarez Jimenez ▲
Misyn Joe Joel Lane
Xzavier Dashawn Lee
Carina Lisette Leyva
Gerardo De Jesus Limon *
Araceli Lona Felix
Celine Lopez
Eric Albert Lopez
Estefania Lopez
Fernando Lopez
Jazlyn Lopez ▲
Johanna Saray Lopez
Lidia Araceli Lopez Vasquez
Matthew Gabriel Lopez *
Sebastian Lopez
Maybeth Lopez Dominguez
EmmaRose Lowe *
Estefani Lucero ▲
Juliana Lule
Luis Luna * + ▲
Jennifer Luna Solorio ▲
Ana Karen Luviano #
Ruben Heras Macias
Alysan Magallanes *
Carmen Alice Magallanes *
Erika Magaña
Jufius Adam Manzano * ▲

Ramon Julian Mariscal
Chrystian Marquez * ▲
Arely Martinez #
Orlando Martinez * #
Adrian Martinez Diaz *
Alexa Daniela Martinez Maldonado *
Carlos Antonio Martinez Nieto *
Yadira Martinez Ramirez
Jaquehyn Alexandra Martinez Vargas
Jesus Martinez Vargas
Natale Mascorro
Angel Cruz Mata *
Jason Macorro Carmona *
Joshua Abdul Mejia
Axel Mejia Rivera
Marlyn Eve Memis * ▲
Kassandra Mena
Luis Felipe Mendoza
Jesus Mendoza Martinez
Lesly Miza Flores ▲
Priscilla Miranda
Juan Jose Moncada
Libiana Montes Gonzalez
Porfirio Montoya * ▲
Gary Jerome Garcia Muhammad *
Luis Daniel Nava
Samantha Nava
Jesus Navarrette
Joceline Navarro * +
Jose Angel Navarro Huerta
Leslie Negrete Garcia ▲
Osiel Angel Nunez
Sebastian Nunez * ▲
Sofia Maria Nunez
Alexander Ocampo * #
Eileen Ocampo * ▲
Valerie Samantha Rios Ocampo * + ▲
Jesus Antonio Ojeda Andrade *
Jose Martin Ojeda Andrade * #
Mikayla Thomasa Orozco * ♦
Raquel Hope Orozco *
Suzanna Ortiz
Aaron Pimentel Padilla
Elizabeth Padilla ●
Jose Manuel Padilla
Yesenia Padilla * ▲
Camila Palacios
Marlen Paredes Ruiz

Kyla Corine Parker *
Jessica Patron Perez
Luis Perez
Adeline Pena
Jaquelin Perez *
Juan Carlos Perez *
Liliana Alexis Perez
Brenda Guadalupe Perez Lemus * #
Ruby Pina
Rebecca Ponce *
Noetzy Anahi Quinonez Morelos
Andrea Quintana
Haydee Quintanilla
Yessica Yvonne Aimee Quintero
Christian Ramirez ▲
Maritza Ramirez ▲
Victoria Ramirez
Crystal Rera * ●
Marcos Daniel Rera
Miguelangel Rera Ponce
Gabriela Margarita Recinos
Nathan Robert Records
Raphael Jose Reyes Gallegos
Elizabeth Gisselle Reyes Garcia
Janeht Alejandra Reyes Rios * + ♦
Santiago Xavier Reyna
Kevin Reza
Michelle Rincon Munoz
Michael Anthony Rios
Miryam Vidal Rivas
Matthew Isaac Robledo * ▲ ● +
Adam Ezekiel Rocha
Faith Elizabeth Rocha
Jasmine Rubi Rocha *
Adriana Rodriguez * ▲
Alejandro Rodriguez Jr * + ▲
Amanda Rodriguez
Bianca Edith Rodriguez
Maria Guadalupe Rodriguez
Mariana Rodriguez ▲
Sofia Rodriguez
Alejandro Vladimir Rodriguez Omelas
Ashley Magaly Rosales Ruiz
Kianna Alysse Rubio Peryis
Fernando Ruelas Diaz * #
Roman Ruiz * #
Samantha Jimena Ruiz
Victoria Elizabeth Ruiz

Jasmine Jaylynn Rivalcaba ▲
Giselle Jasmine Saavedra Rodriguez
Dabic Salcedo Martinez
Ariana Marie Saldana Rios * ▲
Maria Guadalupe Salgado Ramirez *
Bryan Salinas
Elias Salinas
Cristobal Sanchez
Kayleen Sanchez
Ricardo Jaime Sanchez Quintero
Nicolas Steven Santa Cruz *
Estrella Sosa
Julian Soto
Kendall Nicole Stewart
Samantha Tenajero *
Maximo Tomas Pedro
Rafael Joe Torres * ♦ ▲
Gisselle Torres Ramirez
Jequilia Patricia Tyler
Jeshiah Lanell Tyler
Tysfay Shannon Tyler
Jose Enrique Urbina
Sophia Rose Vaca
Alyssa A Valdez
Rosa Linda Valdivinos
Maria Teresa Valenzuela
Jonathan Valera Osorio
Diana Gisela Vargas
Dominic Vargas *
Irene Vargas
Jayleen Sabrina Vargas * + ▲
Milagros Vargas
Jorge Vargas-Ortiz
Tomas Vasquez Hernandez
Jazmeir Maqyah Vaughn *
Llamilee Vazquez Arango
Juana Vazquez-Medrano
Alexandra Velasquez * #
Lizbeth Velasquez
Alfonso Rafael Vera Benavidez
Gilberto Villanueva Jr
Exhell Villarreal
Christian Isaac Villanuel Alvarez
Alberto Villegas
Rafael Viscarra *
Mackinley Grace Wankym * ♦
Ramon Antonio Yereña Chavira
Kaylee Kristine Zamora
Victoria Zarate * + ▲
Emmanuel Isaac Zendejas Aguilar *
Jacqueline Zuniga *

+ Indicates graduates who have qualified for life membership In the California Scholarship Federation by making honor roll for at least six semesters.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

**PUBLIC NOTICE
SUMMONS
CITACIÓN**
(Parentage-Custody and Support)
(Paternidad-Custodia y Manutención)
CASE NUMBER: (Número de caso)
SFL-21-000044
NOTICE TO RESPONDENT (Name):
Marcos Echeverria
AVISO AL DEMANDADO (Nombre):
You have been sued. Read the information below and on the next page. Lo han demandado. Lea la información a continuación y en la página siguiente.
Petitioner's name: **Maria Guadalupe Chavarin-Pena**
El nombre del demandante:
You have 30 calendar days after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response (form FL-220 or FL-270) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone call, or court appearance will not protect you.
If you do not file your Response on time, the court may make orders affecting your right to custody of your children. You may also be ordered to pay child support and attorney fees and costs.
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), at the California Legal Services website (www.lawhelpca.org), or by contacting your local bar association.
NOTICE: The restraining order on page 2 remains in effect against each parent until the petition is dismissed, a judgment is entered, or the court makes further orders. This order is enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of it.
FEE WAIVER: If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form. The court may order you to pay back all or part of the fees and costs that the court waived for you or the other party.
Tiene 30 días de calendario después de haber recibido la entrega legal de esta Citación y Petición para presentar una Respuesta (formulario FL-220 o FI-270) 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.
Si no presenta su Respuesta a tiempo, la corte puede dar órdenes que afecten la custodia de sus hijos. La corte también le puede ordenar que pague manutención de los hijos, y honorarios y costos legales.
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), en el sitio web de los Servicios Legales de California (www.lawhelpca.org), o poniéndose en contacto con el colegio de abogados de su condado.
AVISO: La orden de protección que aparecen en la página 2 continuará en vigencia en cuanto a cada parte hasta que se emita un fallo final, se despida la petición o la corte dé otras órdenes. Cualquier agencia del orden público que haya recibido o visto una copia de estas orden puede hacerla acatar en cualquier lugar de California.
EXENCIÓN DE CUOTAS: Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario un formulario de exención de cuotas. La corte puede ordenar que usted pague, ya sea en parte o por completo, las cuotas y costos de la corte previamente exentos a petición de usted o de la otra parte.
The name and address of the court are: (El nombre y dirección de la corte son:) Superior Court of California County of Kern
325 Central Valley Hwy
Shafter, CA 93263 North Division
The name, address, and telephone number of petitioner's attorney, or petitioner without an attorney, are: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante o del demandante si no tiene abogado, son:) Maria Guadalupe Chavarin-Pena
1618 7th St Apt. C
Wasco, CA 93280
805-280-3427
Date (Fecha): 5/07/2021
Clerk, by (Secretario, por) Tamara Harber-Pickens
Patricia Juarez, Deputy (Asistente)
Publish Wasco Tribune May 27, June 3, 10, 17, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Wasco Mini Storage**
451 N. "F" Street
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
ONLINE Auction
StorageTreasures.com
Ending 6/12/21 @ 9 AM
Cleaning deposit \$50
72 hours clean-out
U1803 Bill Martin
Household
Publish Wasco Tribune June 3, 10, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Interstate Truck and Diesel
2021-B3370**
467 Redwood Ave
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
467 Redwood Ave
Wasco, CA 93280
Juvenal Valdivia Jr
467 Redwood Ave

Wasco, CA 93280
The business is conducted by: Individual
Date the business commenced: 09/01/2005
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/Juvenal Valdivia Jr
Date Statement Filed: 05/24/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/24/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/P Del Villar
Publish Wasco Tribune June 3, 10, 17, 24, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS**
The City of Wasco is accepting proposals from qualified Proposers to provide Rental and Laundry services for Work Uniforms.
Parties interested in this project are asked to submit the SEALED proposal no later than 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 22, 2021:
City of Wasco
PUBLISH WORKS DEPARTMENT
RE: UNIFORM RENTAL AND LAUNDRY SERVICES
746 8th Street, Wasco, CA 93280
The City of Wasco reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any technicalities, informalities, and irregularities, to accept or reject all or any part of the proposal, and to be the sole judge of the suitability of the proposal offered. Questions regarding this Notice Inviting Proposals should be directed in writing to Biridiana Bishop at bibishop@cityofwasco.org. If any person or firm contemplating the submittal of a proposal in response to this Request for Proposals is in doubt as to the true meaning of any part of this Request for Proposals, he/she may submit to Biridiana Bishop a written request for an interpretation or correction thereof. Any interpretation or correction of any part of this Request for Proposals will be made only by addendum. Copies of such addenda will be posted on the City website and emailed to those who have requested the Request for Proposal.
The selected Proposer will be notified once all proposals are evaluated. If the City elects to move forward with the RFP process, proposals may be presented to the City Council for their approval. The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and any item or items therein, and to waive any non-conformity of proposals with this Notice Inviting Proposals, whether of a technical or substantive

nature, as the interest of the City may require.
Publish Wasco Tribune June 10, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Jardin
2021-B3713**
803 7th St
Wasco, CA 93280
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
817 7th St
Wasco, CA 93280
Wasco LLC
817 7th St
Wasco, CA 93280
The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company
Date the business commenced: N/A
A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., business and professions code.)
/s/Jang Han Kim, CEO
Date Statement Filed: 06/03/2021
Date Statement Expires: 06/03/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/P Del Villar
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
D and T Transport
2021-B3307**
3112 Whisper Oak Way
Bakersfield, CA 93311
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
3112 Whisper Oak Way
Bakersfield, CA 93311
Tamika Oliva
3112 Whisper Oak Way
Bakersfield, CA 93311
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
Diego Oliva
3112 Whisper Oak Way
Bakersfield, CA 93311
State of Incorporation or Organization: CA
The business is conducted by: Married Couple
Date the business commenced: 01/06/2012
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/Tamika Oliva
Date Statement Filed: 05/20/2021
Date Statement Expires: 05/20/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/J Luna
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER:
DCV-20-000013**
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
1. Petitioner: Apolonio Santiago Ramirez, Cristiana Lorenzo Alonso filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present Name
Gael Ruben Santiago
Proposed Name
Gael Ruben Santiago Lorenzo
2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
a. Date: 7/21/2021 Time: 10:00 am
Dept: B
b. The address of the court is: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF KERN, 1122 Jefferson St, Delano, CA 93215. Delano/McFarland Branch
3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The Wasco Tribune, 455 Kern St, Ste E, Shafter, CA 93263.
Date: May 21, 20221
/s/Jose R. Benavides
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Publish Wasco Tribune June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 2021

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Petition to
Administer Estate of:
Ernesto Maldonado
Case Number: BPB-21-002517**
1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Ernesto Maldonado

2. A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Marisel Maldonado in the Superior Court of California, County of: Kern
3. The Petition for Probate requests that: Marisel Maldonado be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
5. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
6. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
a. Date: 7/9/2021 Time: 8:30a.m. Dept.: P
b. Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Kern, 1215 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93301.
7. If you object to the granting of the petition you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
8. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
9. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
10. Petitioner: Marisel Maldonado
1651 Lilac Court
Wasco, CA 93280
661-240-8585
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
Sticker Beez
2021-B3637
14514 Cuda Dr
Bakersfield, CA 93307
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
10251 Stenderup Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93307
Wilma Jo Palmer
10251 Stenderup Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93307
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/Wilma Jo Palmer
Date Statement Filed: 06/01/2021
Date Statement Expires: 06/01/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk
By: /s/P Del Villar
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Business
Name Statement
R M Aylors
2021-B3666
299 Florence Lane
Bakersfield, CA 93308
County: Kern
Mailing address of business:
P.O. Box 80211
Bakersfield, CA 93380
Ruth M Saylor
299 Florence Lane
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/Ruth M Saylor
Date Statement Filed: 06/02/2021
Date Statement Expires: 06/02/2026
Mary B. Bedard, CPA,
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk

By: /s/P Del Villar
Publish *Shafter* Press June 10, 17, 24, July 1,
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING ON ENGINEER'S REPORT REGARDING SEWER AND REFUSE SERVICE CHARGES TO BE ASSESSED AND COLLECTED THROUGH THE TAX ROLL OF KERN COUNTY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021/22 PURSUANT TO HEALTH & SAFETY CODE SECTION 5473
NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the California Health and Safety Code section 5473, et seq., the City of Shafter has elected to collect sewer and refuse charges for properties located within the Gossamer Grove Specific Plan Development, through the tax roll of Kern County. Accordingly, the Public Works Department has prepared a written report ("Report") describing each parcel of real property receiving sewer and refuse services in the Gossamer Grove Specific Plan Development in the City of Shafter, and the sewer and refuse service charges for such parcels for the fiscal year 2021/22, computed in conformity with the sewer and refuse rates set forth in the Shafter Municipal Code. The Report has been filed with the City Clerk and is available for public review at the City Clerk's office during regular business hours.
NOTICE is further given that on Tuesday, June 15, 2021 at 6:00 PM (or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard), at the Veterans Hall, 309 California Ave., Shafter, California, City Council will hold a public hearing to consider any objections to the charges set forth in the Report. Any person wishing to make any objection to the Report may appear and make such objections at the public hearing.
At the conclusion of the public hearing, the City Council may adopt, revise, change, reduce or modify any charge in the Report or overrule any or all objections to the Report and shall make its determination upon each charge as described in said Report, which determination shall be final. If the City Council finds that a majority of the owners of the parcels of property described in the Report object to the Report, the Council shall not adopt the Report and shall collect the sewer and refuse services charges separately from the tax roll and the changes set forth in the Report shall not constitute a lien against any parcel or parcels of property described

therein.
All interested persons are invited to attend this hearing and be heard at the time and place specified above regarding the matter under consideration. All supporting documents are available for review during normal business hours of the City of Shafter at the City Clerk's office, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, CA. The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of the public hearing and that the Report has been completed and is available for public review until the City Council hearing.
You are strongly encouraged to observe the City Council meetings live via YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/user/CityofShafter/>. If you wish to make a comment on a specific agenda item or public comment, please submit your comment via email or mail by 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, June 15th, 2021 to the City Clerk at CityClerk@shafter.com or to 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, CA 93263. If you wish to make a comment during the live meeting, callers must first register with the City Clerk at 661-746-5012 before the meeting begins to receive instructions and the call-in number and code. Please call by 5:00 pm on the Monday prior to the Council meeting to allow ample time for sign up. You will need to provide your name, phone number and the item number you wish to address.
All written comments concerning this matter should be directed to the following address: Shafter Engineering Department, 336 Pacific Avenue, Shafter, CA. Written comments should be submitted by 5:00 PM on Tuesday, June 15, 2021, so they may be reviewed prior to consideration of the matter; comments sent via facsimile to (661) 746-9125 will be accepted. If you challenge any of the foregoing actions in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing for final action described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.
Yazmina Pailares, City Clerk
Dated: May 28, 2021
Publish *Shafter* Press June 3, 10, 2021
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF DIVIDED PUBLICATION
Pursuant to Sections 3381 through 3385, Revenue and Taxation Code, the Notice of Power to Sell Tax-Defaulted Property in and for County of Kern, State of California, has been

divided and distributed to various newspapers of general circulation published in said county, for publication of a portion thereof in each of said newspapers.
NOTICE OF IMPENDING POWER TO SELL TAX-DEFAULTED PROPERTY
Notice is hereby given that real property taxes and assessments on the parcels described below will have been defaulted for five or more years. By law on July 1, 2021, at the hour of 12:01a.m. the herein described real property will become subject to the Treasurer-Tax Collector's power to sell for failure to pay said duly assessed and legally levied taxes against said property, unless the property is redeemed or an installment redemption plan is initiated prior to 5:00 p.m. on June 30, 2021. If the property is not redeemed the right of redemption will terminate upon any subsequent sale by the Treasurer-Tax Collector.
All information concerning redemption, or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption will upon request be furnished by Jordan Kaufman, County of Kern Treasurer-Tax Collector, Bakersfield, California, (661) 868-3490 or E-Mail: ttc@kerncounty.com. The amount to redeem, in dollar and cents, is set forth opposite its parcel number. This amount includes all defaulted taxes, penalties, and fees that have accrued from the date of tax-default to the date of this publication. I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
JORDAN KAUFMAN, TREASURER-TAX COLLECTOR, COUNTY OF KERN
Executed at Bakersfield, Kern County on May 25, 2021.
PARCEL NUMBERING SYSTEM EXPLANATION
A parcel numbering system is a numerical system for referring to each parcel or property within Kern County. The standard parcel numbering system consists of, first; the map book number; secondly, the page number within the map book, and block number if one exists; and the parcel number within the block. By this system a county is divided into geographical areas called map books, each map book into geographical areas called pages, each page into blocks, and each block into parcels as owned and used. The maps referred to are available for inspection in the office of the Kern County Assessor.
EXAMPLE: Parcel number: 052-623-

13-01-1
052-Book 52 of the Assessor's Maps
623-Map Page 62 and Block 3
13-Parcel 13 within Block 3
01-Indicates partial ownership when not 00
1-Check digit for numerical processing integrity
The real property that is the subject of this Notice is situated in the County of Kern, State of California, and is described as follows:
PROPERTY TAX-DEFAULTED IN THE YEAR 2016, FOR TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER CHARGES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2015 - 2016
026-563-19-00-8 \$1,721.24
561 MARK AV SHAFTER
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026-731-04-00-9 \$3,243.97
308 KYLIE WY SHAFTER
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026-731-05-00-2 \$2,617.62
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OROS JONATHAN
026-733-10-00-0 \$230.86
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027-120-11-00-2 \$2,613.69
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SOUTH VALLEY DEV INC
086-190-07-06-7 \$141.36
NOEL EDNA D
086-272-08-00-3 \$102.99
MUMMERT RAYMOND & BONNETT R P
086-272-16-00-6 \$195.23
HALDER RONALD A & KAREN S
086-280-15-00-2 \$312.05
BROEDER JOAN HENRIETTE ET AL
087-070-16-01-0 \$320.36
FRYMAN LARRY E LIVING TRUST
087-070-16-02-9 \$2,617.29
STITZINGER JACK WILBUR
090-131-38-00-3 \$817.63
18483 BAYLESS ST SHAFTER
SANDERS INA
090-131-45-00-3 \$773.98
PHRAMPUS ANGELO R
090-131-46-00-6 \$3,835.50
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SANDERS INA
090-211-36-00-0 \$13,013.18
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MARTIN CLAYTON
099-071-02-00-4 \$107.56
WALKER BROOKS G
099-190-09-02-1 \$108.09
LYON BARBARA PAYNE TRUST
099-190-09-03-0 \$108.12
PAYNE GEORGE L
099-271-23-00-3 \$103.12
AMERICAN LAND RESEARCH
099-322-19-00-3 \$1,166.43
EMFINGER DIANA L
101-121-04-00-0 \$15,053.01

222 2ND ST BUTTONWILLOW
VILLA MERCEDES
102-240-04-00-5 \$152.54
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102-240-17-00-3 \$152.54
COLEMAN GEORGE
102-240-18-00-6 \$134.80
COLEMAN GEORGE
029-292-07-00-9 \$640.60
ROSAS JOSE A
029-452-18-00-7 \$1,209.00
1142 14TH ST WASCO
STARR JACK
030-501-06-00-9 \$6,599.83
1027 15TH ST WASCO
LERICHI FRANK BELTRAN
058-173-02-00-8 \$1,736.95
21126 UNIVERSAL ST LOST HILLS
BALLESTEROS JESSICA & SALGADO JOSE T
058-300-31-00-8 \$297.41
NESMON LEWIS J
058-300-39-00-2 \$139.09
NESMON LEWIS J
058-300-43-00-3 \$184.56
NESMON LEWIS J
058-300-44-00-6 \$184.56
NESMON LEWIS J
058-300-45-00-9 \$184.56
NESMON LEWIS J
069-046-18-00-8 \$10,792.65
21164 TULARE ST LOST HILLS
HERNANDEZ RAMON ANTONIO
069-051-04-01-4 \$617.84
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069-180-01-00-7 \$194.33
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403 GOLDSPIRE CT WASCO
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487-363-08-00-9 \$2,599.25
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488-243-04-00-9 \$26,658.52
2621 APPLETREE LN WASCO
KELLY FRANCES H
488-272-04-00-1 \$2,514.28
2724 GRAPE VINE LN WASCO
OJEDA MARTIN & MARIA
489-091-18-00-0 \$375.77
1900 BAY MEADOW DR WASCO
ANDRADE HERIBERTA
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OBITUARIES

Jewel Armstrong Lytle
May 15, 1943 –
June 3, 2021

On Thursday, June 3, 2021, Jewel (Armstrong) Lytle, wife of Gene Lytle for 61 years, passed away at the age of 78.

Jewel was born in Steele, Missouri, on May 15, 1943 to Charlie and Lucy Armstrong.

She moved with her family to California in 1957 and attended Shafter High



School. She married Gene Lytle in 1959.

Jewel was a full time homemaker and mother to Teresa Jewel and Garland Eugene.

In 1972, Jewel surrendered her life to the love and grace of Jesus Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit. She then devoted her life to loving and caring for her family. She thanked God every day for His forgiveness. One of her greatest gifts from God was an extra bonus daugh-

ter, Renae Lawrence, in 1981.

Jewel was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Lucy Armstrong and all of her Armstrong siblings: Leo, Cecil, Janie Link, Garland, Clara Preston, Clyde, Maudie Graves, Gene and Leslie.

She is survived by her loving husband, Gene Lytle, and their children's families: Teresa (Lytle) Sharp, her husband Lenny,

daughter and son in law Tara and Ryker Block, son and daughter in law Austin and Sarah Sharp and their two daughters, Skylar and Luna Jewel; Eugene and his wife, Kindra, and their children, Connor and Kaylee Lytle; Renae Klooppel and her husband, Brad, and Renae's children Joshua Porter and his children Noah, Isabella and Ariel; Gerry Porter and Sara Jewel Porter; several nieces

and nephews; and sibling's spouses, cousins and dear friends.

Graveside service will be Wednesday, June 9, at the Shafter Cemetery, 18662 Santa Fe Way.

In lieu of flowers you can honor Jewel by donating to one of the ministries that were so dear to her heart: Prison Fellowship, Teen Challenge or Bakersfield Pregnancy Center.

Carlos Zamora Silva
Nov. 13, 1931 –
May 26, 2021

Carlos Zamora Silva, 89, passed away peacefully at Delano Regional Hospital on May 26, 2021.

Born on Nov. 13, 1931, in Michoacán, Mexico, he was the son of the late Jesus Zamora and Librada Silva. He married at the age of 33 and welcomed five children with his wife, Maria Zamora.

He was an agricultural farm worker who worked tirelessly for his family. At



times his work took him to different states, such as Michigan and Arizona, picking celery and planting rose bushes.

Carlos established residency in the United States and did the same for his wife and children. Carlos spent most of his life working and living in the United States to provide better opportunities for his family.

He enjoyed playing baseball, riding his bike and watching soccer games. Most of all Carlos loved to spend time with his family; he was blessed with many years of life that allowed him to meet his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He has five children,

13 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Carlos is survived by his children, Carlos Jr., Olivia, Flor, Elia and Gonzalo Zamora, his wife, Maria Zamora, as well as his many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Carlos Zamora Silva, de 89 años, falleció pacíficamente en el Hospital Regional en Delano el 26 de Mayo de el año 2021. Nació el 13 de Nov. de 1931 en Michoacán, México, era hijo del difunto Jesús Zamora y Librada Silva. Se

casó a los 33 años y recibió a cinco hijos con su esposa María Elena Frausto de Zamora. Era un trabajador de agricultura que trabajaba incansablemente para su familia. En ocasiones su trabajo lo llevó a diferentes estados como Michigan y Arizona recogiendo apio y plantando rosales. Carlos estableció su residencia en los Estados Unidos e hizo lo mismo con su esposa e hijos. Carlos pasó la mayor parte de su vida trabajando y viviendo en los Estados Unidos para brindar me-

jores oportunidades a su familia. Le gustaba jugar béisbol, andar en bicicleta y ver partidos de fútbol. Sobre todo, a Carlos le encantaba pasar tiempo con su familia, fue bendecido con muchos años de vida que le permitieron conocer a sus nietos y bisnietos. Tiene 5 hijos, 13 nietos y 16 bisnietos. A Carlos le sobreviven sus hijos, Carlos Jr., Olivia, Flor, Elia y Gonzalo Zamora y su esposa María Zamora, así como sus muchos nietos y bisnietos.

Shirley Mae Bell
Sept. 21, 1928 –
May 26, 2021

Shirley Bell passed away peacefully on May 26, 2021 at Hoffman House in Bakersfield. She was born in Long Beach on Sept. 21, 1928, to Harvey Allen (Dutch) and Rosella (Rose) Thomas.

She spent her childhood in various parts of California, including Wasco, and finally moved to Shafter. She was a 1946 graduate of Shafter High School.

While in school, she worked at her parent's gas station, Thomas Chevron, in downtown Shafter. After school, she would ride her horse, Penny, to work at the station. There she met her future father-in-law, Clyde Bell, who she thought was the nicest gentleman she had ever met.

When his son Leland returned from World War II, she found out the son was just as nice as his fa-



ther. They were married at the Shafter Congregational Church on March 7, 1948. They spent their honeymoon on horseback, camping and climbing Mt. Whitney (she watched the horses). She went on many horseback trips and participated in hunting and fishing adventures as a young wife.

She attended secretarial school for two years and was the bookkeeper for the family farm. Soon there were three children, Susan, Debby and David. Shirley was actively involved with



her children's activities, including the PTA, Camp Fire Girls, Cub Scouts, sports and dance recitals. Her greatest passion was serving her life-long church, Congregational Bible Church of Shafter.

She participated in many activities, including being a deaconess, and supported many youth and missionary activities.

Her most important calling was serving God in the church kitchen. For over 30 years she managed all aspects of the kitchen, includ-

ing coordinating the annual Ham Dinner, the biggest fundraiser for the church. She calmly led the work crews in preparing the food, coordinating supplies and leading those who helped in all other facets of dinner preparation. She was a shining and humble example of a tireless servant's heart for God.

She was an excellent cook in her own right, especially known for her cranberry sauce and cinnamon rolls during the holiday season. You were very lucky indeed if you received these as a holiday gift. She was a Dodger fan and enjoyed taking her girlfriends to Opening Day for many years. During baseball season, she had her fingernails painted Dodger Blue.

In her later life, she and Leland were quite active socially, having friends over for dinner, going out to dinner and participating

in many game nights. They also traveled to the Central Coast, the East Coast, Hawaii and New Zealand with friends. They were part of the "Shafter Armada" that traveled to Seattle several years in a row, where they took cabin cruisers into British Columbia with other families and their children during the 1970s.

Her life was quiet in the last five years since her beloved husband, Leland, passed away. She loved Sunday lunches with the family and playing games afterward. She did not like to lose. She was an avid reader and enjoyed watching old movies. She attended Bible study and church when able, always sitting in the back pew. No one dared to sit in her place. She will be greatly missed as she touched many lives in her 92 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents; loving husband of 67 years, Leland

Bell; and grandson Patrick Trihey. She is survived by her children, Susan Trihey, Debby Bell and David Bell; her grandchildren, Megan Trihey, Kevin Trihey and wife Gabi. Also, survived by a great grandchild, Alanna Trihey.

Services are Saturday, June 12. Graveside at 10 a.m. at Shafter Cemetery, 18662 Santa Fe Way. Memorial service at 11 a.m. at Shafter Congregational Church, 430 E. Tulare Ave., followed by lunch. Peters Funeral Home in Shafter is handling the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations to the Congregational Bible Church of Shafter or Hoffman Hospice.

A special thank you to Around the Clock caregivers, including long-time caregivers Stephanie and Andrea. Your loving care meant so much to her and our family in her final years.

Gilbert Garland
Sept. 17, 1940 –
June 3, 2021

The city of Wasco lost a pillar of the community on Thursday, June 3, 2021, when Gilbert Garland, 80, also known as Dad, Pop, Gil, Junior, GG, Mr.G, Mr.Garland, Corn Pops, and Coach, went to be with the Lord.

Gilbert was born in Garland, Oklahoma on Sept. 17, 1940. Gilbert moved to Wasco in the fall of 1942 where he lived the rest of his life. He attended Wasco Elementary, Thomas Jefferson Junior High, and Wasco High School. During high school he participated in football, basketball, and track. After graduation he attended Bakersfield College. Gilbert married his



high school sweetheart, Janice Moore in October 1960. He was employed by Shafter Wasco Irrigation District and managed the Towne and Country Liquor Store. In 1970 he began his career as a firefighter for the Kern County Fire Department. He worked in many locations in Kern County before he transferred home to the KCFD station in

Wasco. While at the Wasco station he was promoted to Engineer and proudly served his community until 1995. During his career he was awarded a certificate of appreciation in 1992 and firefighter of the year in 1993 from the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Most of his free time was dedicated giving back to the community he loved. As a young adult, he and his father helped build the Wasco Little League Field that is still being used today. He coached many teams for nearly 60 years in Wasco including t-ball, little league baseball, recreation softball, high school summer league softball, Wasco High softball, women's slow pitch softball, and men's slow pitch softball. Coaching

for the Wasco High Softball team for 32 years was his most rewarding coaching experience. He coached hundreds of athletes including his children and grandchildren and was already working on batting with his great grandchildren.

Continuing his love for the town of Wasco, Gilbert served over 25 years on the Wasco Parks and Recreation Board. He was an integral part in the construction of the skateboard park, the t-ball field, the development of the softball fields at Cormack and Westside parks, and the soccer fields at Annin Park. One of his favorite hobbies was checking on the park's multiple times a day. He always was working to make Wasco a nice place to live.

Most of all, Gilbert loved his family. He is survived by the love of his life of 60 years, Janice. He is also survived by his loving daughters Lori Kibler and Debbie Mehlberg, son in laws Jeff Mehlberg and Brian Kibler, and his son Jeff Garland. His adored grandchildren and their spouses, Amanda Rodriguez and husband John Paul, Evan Schulte, Kellie Harden and husband Tyler, Hailey Coyle and husband Ben, Noah Mehlberg, Austin Garland, Sydney Mehlberg, Cole Kibler, and Ensley Melhberg. His cherished great grandchildren Rozlyn Harden, Winston Harden, Zori Rodriguez, Jovie Rodriguez, Huxley Harden, and Decker Coyle. He is also survived by his

sisters Chris Brannon and Paula Johnson and husband Don, sister in laws, Frankie Moore and Marjorie Frost, and brother in law, Ernie White. He was preceded in death by his parents, Pauline and Herstell Colquitt, his brothers Joseph Garland and Larry Garland, and his sister Eunice White.

His legacy will live on in the hearts and minds of his family and everyone who knew him. There was a viewing at Peters Funeral Home in Wasco on Wednesday, June 9 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. A celebration of life will be held at Grace Community Church in Wasco on Thursday, June 10 at 10 a.m. A graveside service at Wasco Cemetery will be held following the celebration.

Tony Sanchez
Jan. 30, 1957 –
May 13, 2021

Tony Sanchez, 64, of Bakersfield, passed away on May 13, 2021, in Shafter. He was preceeded in death by Alex Sanchez. Tony was born on Jan. 30, 1957, to Lupe and Toribio Sanchez. He attended grade school through high school in Wasco. As a teen, his favorite subject was wood shop, there he developed a love for building things. Even as an adult, he still enjoyed wood carving and wood joinery.

Tony was a jack of all trades; he could build or fix anything, and he did so with enjoyment!



His other hobbies included working on his Toyota 4 Runner, gardening, listening to oldies, building custom bikes and spending time with his family and friends. Tony loved spending time with his significant other,

Rosemary. The two of them enjoyed antiquing and dining at their favorite local restaurants. The two spent 35 wonderful years together. Tony had seven children: Gina, Tony Jr, Veronica, Crystal, Nick, Jordan and Noah. He is survived by his significant other, seven children and their spouses, 13 grandchildren and four sisters.

A visitation will be held at Basham & Lara Funeral Care Chapel, 343 State Ave., in Shafter on June 10 from 5 to 9 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Basham & Lara Funeral Care Chapel on June 11 at 10 a.m. Burial will follow the funeral service at Wasco Cemetery.

Ruth Watson
May 6, 1933 –
May 28, 2021

Ruth was born May 6, 1933, to Houston and Hattie Tiner in Lula, Okla., and passed away May 28, 2021, at home in Shafter.

Ruth is survived by her husband of 27 years, Thomas Watson; her son, Roger (Debbie) Longcrier and daughter, Elaine Longcrier-Martin; stepsons Steve, Mark, Roy and David (Lisa) Watson; as well as a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren. Ruth is also



survived by brothers Perry (Loretta) Tiner and George (Phyllis) Tiner.

Ruth was preceded in death by her husband of

42 years, Dale Longcrier, brother Paul Tiner and sisters Joan Tiner and Patricia Tiner-Hosman.

Ruth was an ambassador for Jesus Christ and lived her life serving Him; she had a Godly influence on many people over her lifetime. She is dearly loved, and while she will be greatly missed here on earth we can rejoice in the faith and hope of being reunited one day in Heaven with those who have received Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior.

DEATH NOTICES

Josephine Mendoza, 60, of Shafter passed away May 28, in Shafter. Basham & Lara Funeral Care, Shafter.

Edward William Welch Sr., 77, of Shafter passed away June 2, in Shafter. Basham & Lara Funeral Care, Shafter.

Sara "Sarita" Fermin Ramos., 82, of Wasco passed away June 3, in Bakersfield. Peters Funeral Home, Wasco.

Nancy Elizabeth Mejia., 35, of Wasco passed away June 5, in Wasco. Peters Funeral Home, Wasco.

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