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## A tale of two city funds

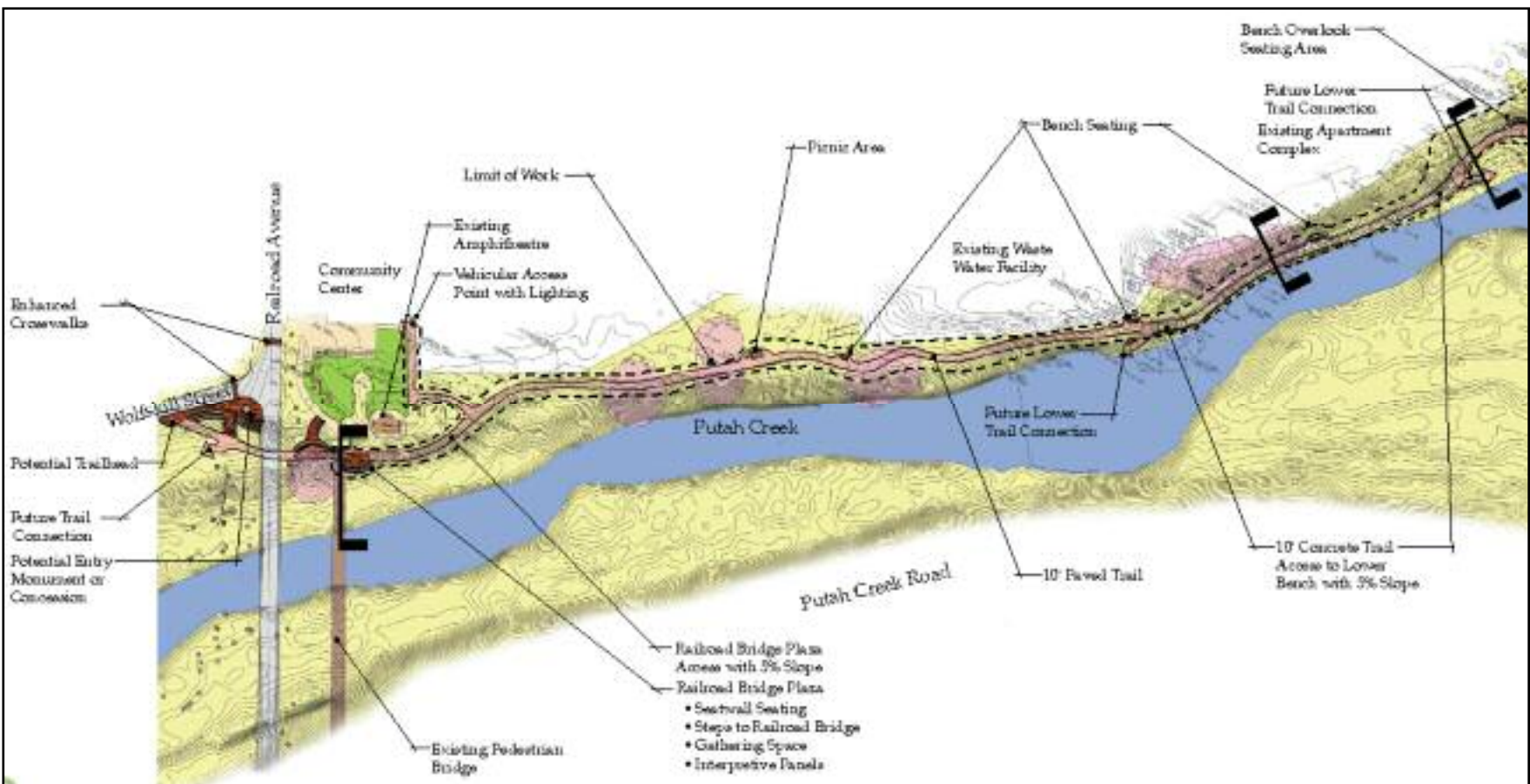
◆ State plans to snatch \$811,000 in local funds  
By DEBRA DeANGELO  
Express editor

It was a mere matter of months ago that while many California cities teetered on the edge of bankruptcy, the City of Winters was sitting pretty. The budgets of some municipalities were strapped with “toxic debt” — often payroll-related liabilities that are owed but not budgeted for, such as increased retirement rolls, and unpaid vacation and sick leave that must be given to employees who are laid off.

The City of Winters didn't have a toxic debt issue, because it didn't offer “crazy retirement plans” to its employees, said City Manager John Donlevy in June, and tracked its unpaid payroll liabilities and made sure they were budgeted for.

“We don't have that problem. We have identified our liabilities and

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Courtesy graphic

The master plan for the Putah Creek Nature Park covers the creek area from the car bridge to Interstate-505. The current north bank project will include a 10-foot wide asphalt trail along the north bank from the car bridge to the east edge of the city, near Wildrose Lane. That trail will eventually be part of a loop trail running along both sides of the creek, with a pedestrian bridge at the east end.

## Park plan improves creek access

By ELLIOT LANDES  
Staff writer

The rehabilitation of Putah Creek Park is a big expensive project, and it is being done in phases that depend on funding as it becomes available. Three phases are in play currently; removing the perc dam, reshaping the form of the creek, and building the trail along the north bank of the creek.

The north bank project will create part of a loop trail that will eventually allow people to walk a half-mile east from the car bridge, cross a pedestrian

bridge, and return along the south bank.

The funding for this project became available as part of federal funding for the construction of the new car bridge, expected to begin in 2011. That funding is available for landscaping that connects to the car bridge, which limits how much of the overall park this project can include.

The Winters Putah Creek Park Committee (WPCC) was created by the city council two years ago to make decisions about the park. While funding for the other two projects on

the creek was hard fought, the funding for the north bank project, which came through Congressman Mike Thompson's office, was a pleasant surprise, according to committee members.

City Environmental Services Director Carol Scianna is the city representative to the committee.

“The creek is going to be more accessible,” said Scianna, speaking of the master plan. “The creek may not be as deep as it is at the perc dam pool, but there will be more pools and people are going to

have more opportunities to walk to the water, without having to make their way through brambles.”

Committee chair Bill Biasi points out that access will not only be at the Community Center area.

“What's going to be nice, is, you'll have several places you can access it from the city side,” said Biasi. “You'll be able to go down through the community garden (at East Street), and also at Wildrose Lane. People from throughout

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## Annual award nominations open

Each year, the Winters Chamber of Commerce hosts an awards ceremony to formally recognize citizens and businesses that have made significant contributions to the quality of life in the com-

munity. This year's “Winters Celebration: 2009 in Review,” takes place on Saturday, Jan. 23, at the Community Center. The recipients of the Citizen of the Year

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## Review of Form Based Code continues

By MOLLY DAVIS  
City editor

The Form Based Code for Downtown Winters still needs some work and discussion, after citizens expressed dissatisfaction with some of the clauses in the proposed ordinance that sets aesthetic guidelines for commercial and business property in the downtown area.

At the Sept. 1 city council meeting, Community Development Director Nelia Dyer gave the first reading of the Form Based Code and its rezoning areas, after many previous

meetings and workshops on the code. The code proposes uniformity in the design of downtown buildings and businesses, as well as where certain businesses should be allowed and how land should be used.

Certain areas of downtown, according to the code, should be used solely for business purposes, rather than homes or other uses, like day care centers and hotels, and single-family residences. The zoning would affect not only Main Street, but outlying streets like Railroad Avenue,

Abbey Street and First Street, just to name a few.

Businesses currently in use would not necessarily be affected by the change in rezoning, unless the businesses changed type. For example, single-family residences in the affected zones would have to be used as commercial if the property was sold, and that businesses dubbed “non-conforming uses” would be phased out.

Since the city has many dwellings that are more suited for homes

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## Public hearings on next city council agenda

The Winters City Council will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the council chambers at City Hall. The agenda includes:

- ~ Public hearing regarding ordinance changing the starting time of city council meetings to 6:30 p.m.
- ~ Public hearing regarding adding chapter

on the Form Based Code for the downtown and rezoning areas in the Downtown Central Business District to the Winters Municipal Code; first reading on resolution amending the City of Winters General Plan and Land Use Map.

~ Resolution adopting a Memorandum of

Understanding for the City of Winters Sergeant's Association ~ Resolution supporting responsibility for household hazardous waste disposal.

The city council meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall. The public is welcome to attend.

## Grant Avenue project underway

The project to widen a portion of the south side of Grant Avenue (State Route 128) east of Railroad Avenue between Morgan Street and 400 feet east of East Street began on Tuesday, Sept. 8, and will continue for approximately two months. The improvements will accommodate a continuous left turn lane, widen shoulders within the existing right of way, continue the south side sidewalk, and finish with an asphalt pavement overlay and restriping. The project includes the closure of East Street at the Grant Avenue in-

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## OBITUARIES

### Frank Hendricks

Frank Hendricks, 81, of Napa, passed away peacefully at his home on Thursday, Sept. 3, 2009, from liver cancer.

He graduated from Armijo High School in Fairfield in 1946. Thereafter he joined the Merchant Marines. In 1950, he married Myrtle Joyce Moody and had two sons, Frank Jr. and Carlton. He worked for PG&E in Vacaville in the early 1950s then later became a barber and owned barber shops in Sacramento.

In 1968 he moved to Moskowite Corners in Napa County and went to work for the FAA as a caretaker of the Napa airport tower. In the late 1970s he moved to Napa and worked as a barber at the California Veterans Home at Yountville. During those years he developed a Christian tape ministry and was active in the Full Gospel Business Men's fellowship International. Later he went to work at Larry's Barber shop in Yountville for 20 years before retiring in 1999.

His retirement years were spent at leisure studying the Bible and leading people to the Lord whenever possible. He enjoyed having lunch and the camaraderie at the Napa Senior Center, where he and his companion, Barbara, rode their bicycles to. In retirement, Frank wrote and self-published a book titled "The Coming Great Reunion," which chronicled the many miracles he witnessed over his life. The book was dedicated to his high school friends he dearly loved and expected to see in heaven.

He is survived by his son, Carlton Hendricks, and his companion of 38 years, Barbara Pridmore.

He was predeceased by his son, Frank Jr., who died in a car accident in 1977 at the age of 27.

Barbara's six grandchildren considered Frank to be their grandfather. For seven Monday evenings prior to his passing, family and friends gathered for barbecues so Frank could enjoy his own memorial. As a final farewell, a graveside memorial service is planned on Thursday, Sept. 10, at 2 p.m., at Napa Valley Memorial Park, 2383 Napa-Vallejo Highway in Napa. Treadway & Wigger Funeral Chapel of Napa is in charge of services, and family and friends may relay condolences online at treadwayandwiggerfuneralchapel.com.



## YESTERYEAR



File photo by Debra Lo Guercio  
4-H officers for the 1995-96 year were: (Front) sergeant-at-arms, Kim Sellers; (middle, from left) Hi 4-H Katie Goudie; county youth council representative Amanda Ehnat; reporter Niki Breznock and supply officer Rachel Tippetts; (back, from left) photographer Lindsay Goudie; secretary Julie Tippetts; sergeant-at-arms Noelle Warren; president Timmy Ireland and vice-president Katie Sellers.

## Berryessa down .51 of a foot

The level of Lake Berryessa dropped by .51 of a foot during the past week with a reduction in storage of 8,084 acre feet of water, according to Ken Emigh of the Solano Irrigation District.

He reported Tuesday morning that the lake was 409.70 feet above sea level, with storage computed at 1,024,834 acre feet of water.

The SID is diverting 395 second feet of water into the Putah South Canal and 43 second feet is flowing in Putah Creek at the Diversion Dam.

Evaporation on Lake Berryessa averaged 197 acre feet of water per day during the week.

Such is the inconsistency of real love, that it is always awake to suspicion, however unreasonable; always requiring new assurances from the object of its interest.  
~ Ann Radcliffe

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YEARS AGO

October 1, 1959

Russell Arms and his wife Lisa will open a two weeks engagement at the El Mirador Hotel in Sacramento next Thursday. Russell is the son of Mrs. Al Lambert of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Lorenzo, of Winters, are the parents of a son, born in the Yolo General Hospital, Woodland, September 28, 1959.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Valadez, of Winters, are the parents of a daughter, born at the Yolo General Hospital, Woodland, September 28, 1959.

At the conclusion of the hearing last Friday before the State Water Rights Board of Putah Creek water rights, the board took it under advisement. Among suggestions made was the rebuilding of the percolation dam.

The seventh birthday anniversary of Casey Connor was the occasion for a party in the city park last Friday afternoon, hosted by his mother, Mrs. H.G. Connor, Jr. Enjoying the afternoon with Casey were Douglas Martin, Archie Humphrey, Dennis Storz, Ralph Anderson, Ralph Cuberos and David Carrion.

Christening rites were conducted Sunday morning at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, by Rev. Fr. Andrew Coffey, for Keely Ann Graf, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Graf.

65  
YEARS AGO

September 29, 1944

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stith have reportedly purchased the residence of Mrs. Fred Par-tain on Russell Street (the former Harry Sackett home), and sold their Abbey Street home to Mrs. Ann Cannon.

Mrs. Nancy Thurber has purchased from the W. Brinck estate, the property on East Main Street (known as the Charles Day home). Alex Klimas and family are residing there at the present time.

Gregory Machado has purchased the Mrs. Ernestine Hemenway home and small acreage of almonds adjoining. The place is located on Hemenway Street, in the northern part of town. Machado sold his ranch in Olive District.

Albert (Buster) Ichtertz is still in the South Pacific area, according to word received by his wife, the former Myrtle Little, now of Sacramento.

R.E. Degener has been appointed on the committee of the 40th District Agricultural Fair Association, to succeed Postmaster Charles Graf, retired.

Little Miss Christy Pleasants, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.S. Pleasants, has been spending the past few weeks at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ronald Campbell, of Redwood City.

100  
YEARS AGO

October 1, 1909

Wray Gibson, Ben Ely, J.D. Ely, Sam Ely and Sam Rupley returned Tuesday from a week's hunting trip around Zem Zem and Morgan Valley.

A number of our auto enthusiasts had intended taking in the Santa Rosa races Saturday. Postponed last week because of rain; postponed again this week, same reason.

Miss Mary Vasey graduated last Thursday from the San Francisco normal and accepted a position as a teacher in the Pope Valley School.

Don Taylor arrived home Monday night from Porterville.

The Owen Building is being repaired and repainted this week.

The Winters Fish and Game Protective Association received eight cans of rainbow trout Tuesday from the fish hatchery at Sison.

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YEARS AGO

September 29, 1894

A fire in the hills northwest of town has not burnt itself out yet.

In last week's issue we stated that G.W. Chapman received a couple of blooded sheep from the East, and that the express charges on them out here were \$50. This is somewhat in error, as we have since been informed that the cost of transporting the sheep from Lowell, Wis., to Winters, feed having been supplied by the shipping parties, was \$83.55. The sheep are thoroughbred Lincolnshire, and the purchase price of them was \$70.

We are requested to announce that the stores of Henry Craner and Eisner & Dinkelspiel will be closed on Monday next, October 1st, on account of its being a Jewish holiday.

## Weekly police report

### Aug. 15 to Sept. 1

~ Time unknown, 800 block of West Grant Avenue, an air compressor was stolen from a shed. Loss: \$800.

### Aug. 19

~ 11:55 a.m., Charles Francis Reier, 55, of Vallejo was driving a Caltrans truck eastbound on Grant Avenue west of First Street carrying a load of tree trimmings. As Reier drove past two parked vehicles owned by George Griffin and Jill Shugart, both of Winters, the branches struck the parked vehicles causing minor damage.

### Aug. 22

~ 6:35 p.m., Alissa Marie Kuunani Madeiros, 19, of Davis was driving eastbound on Grant Avenue approaching Fourth Street. A vehicle in front of Madeiros slowed to make a left turn onto Fourth Street. Madeiros attempted to slow her vehicle but was unable to, due to poor braking ability of her vehicle. Madeiros swerved and lost control of the vehicle. The vehicle spun

around and collided into a parked vehicle owned by Betty Nelson of Winters. The impact to Nelson's vehicle caused it to push forward and collide into a parked vehicle owned by Charles Nelson of Winters.

### Aug. 28

~ 8:08 a.m., Andrea Jacquelyn Barbee, 52, of Dixon was driving northbound over the Railroad Avenue bridge. Mark Charles Rubendall, 49, of Arbuckle was driving southbound on the Railroad Avenue bridge. Barbee drifted over the yellow line causing the vehicle side mirrors to collide.

~ 8:50 a.m., 1000 block of Hemenway Street, a victim's personal information was used in an attempt to open a credit line.

### Aug. 29

~ 12:30-1:30 a.m., 4500 block of Putah Creek Road, a wallet was stolen out of a purse. Loss: \$50.

### 8/31/09

~ 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,

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# CREEK

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town can tie in at different points and go down there.”

The landscape designer of the project, Callander Associates, worked from the master plan for the park, which originated in 1992 and was updated in 2007 through a process that included public meetings at the community center. The process was contentious because of citizens that objected to the removal of the percdam, which is part of the traditional swimming hole at the creek.

The Callander plan calls for a paved trail. The width and the paving material also became subjects of dispute, and the WPCC itself could not reach resolution of the issue. The city council settled the matter last month in favor of asphalt, with a ten-foot width. With that conclusion, Callendar can finish the plans, and the project will go out for bid in March.

The trail will follow the north edge of the park, with smaller trails to be built later, on the lower level of the park, closer to the future stream route. The stream will flood the lower terraces of the park and these lower trails periodically. The bridge funding for the north bank project only applies to the upper trail, because it connects

directly to the new car bridge.

Because of the varying terrain, part of the trail will dip lower in one portion, and it will be concrete instead of asphalt for that portion, because that part may be subject to flooding. Despite the dips and meanders, the trail will be wheelchair accessible.

While most of the funding will go for construction of the trail, installing irrigation and revegetation, the work will include building interpretive signs, installing trash receptacles, and benches for seating.

One of the challenges for work at the creek is the need to protect native elderberry trees. The bark of the trees is host to the longhorn valley elderberry beetle, which is listed as a threatened species. The construction of the car bridge will include removal of elderberry trees. The north bank project is being designed as mitigation for that damage, by creating a dedicated reserve of protected trees.

Committee member Joe Castro looks forward to the creek being an asset for Winters.

“I grew up here,” said Castro, “and I’ve always thought the creek should be more a part of town. The new park will draw visitors to Winters, which should also help local business.”

than an ounce of marijuana and possessing smoking paraphernalia.

## Sept. 3

~ 1:55 p.m., 700 block of Apricot Avenue, parties were involved in a verbal domestic dispute.

## Sept. 4

~ 10:35 a.m., Nathan Stinnett, 75, of Gerber was driving westbound on East Grant Avenue east of Dutton Street. Justin Richard Torrellas, 27, of Santa Barbara was driving westbound on East Grant Avenue directly in front of Stinnett. Torrellas activated his left hand turn signal, applied his brakes and stopped as he was preparing to make a left hand turn southbound onto East Street. Stinnett did not see Torrellas stop and collided into the rear of his vehicle.

~ 8:08 p.m., 200 block of Railroad Avenue, an officer responded to an audible alarm. The alarm was activated accidentally.

## Sept. 6

~ 11:30 p.m., a 16-year-old Winters juvenile was arrested for possession of a narcotic controlled substance, possession of a narcotic controlled substance for sale, and endangering the health of a child. The juvenile was booked at the Winters Police Department and released to a parent on a notice to appear.

## Sept. 7

~ 2 p.m., first block of East Main Street, an officer responded to an audible alarm. The business was found secure.

~ 7:37 p.m., first block of Main Street, an officer responded to an audible business alarm. The alarm was activated accidentally.

~ 11:30 p.m., first block of Anderson Avenue, parties were involved in a verbal domestic dispute.

## Sept. 8

~ 12:09 a.m., 100 block of East Baker Street, parties were involved in a verbal domestic dispute.

# Extra precautions advised this flu season

By MOLLY DAVIS  
Staff writer

As the flu season comes upon us, citizens need to take extra care this year due to a recent outbreak of Novel H1N1, commonly referred to as swine flu. It is technically called a “novel” virus, because until recently humans have not become infected with this particular virus.

Representatives from the Yolo County Health Department organized a community meeting in Winters on Sept. 3, to distribute flyers and answer questions about the Novel H1Ni (Swine Flue) virus.

According to information presented at the meeting, The people most at risk for Novel H1N1 are young adults, who have no prior exposure to previous novel viruses, and people with chronic medical conditions, such as dia-

betes, asthma and kidney or heart diseases. Pregnant women are also at risk for the virus.

Despite also being called “swine flu,” Novel H1N1 is not spread by food, because well-prepared items, even pork products, will kill the bacteria.

However, the symptoms of this strain of influenza are very similar to seasonal influenza. They include high fevers, head and body aches, cough, sore throat, chills, trouble breathing and vomiting and/or diarrhea.

But as Joseph Iser, Director of the Yolo County Health Department warned, don’t go to a doctor if the symptoms seem mild, because they could be an indicator of seasonal flu, and that virus could be unnecessarily spread to other patients. Instead, he advises people to use common sense, and definitely see a doctor if

the symptoms seem especially harsh.

Flu prevention advice included:

If you think you may be sick, call your doctor for advice instead, and stay away from others as much as possible, particularly for an extra 24 hours once a fever has naturally gone down. When coughing or sneezing, cover your mouth with a disposable tissue, not into your hands or the air.

To prevent getting sick, common sense once again will help save lives. Make sure to wash hands often, with soap and hot water, to kill germs. As an alternative, a waterless hand gel with an alcohol base of 60 percent or more is effective, and is now allowed in schools for students to use.

Avoid touching sick people and sharing food, drinks and utensils. Also avoid touching your own eyes, nose

and mouth, as germs are easily spread that way. Finally, get the seasonal flu and Novel H1N1 vaccines as they become available.

The federal government has paid for mass vaccinations across the country, so that anyone, regardless of income and status, may receive a free vaccine.

“Legal or illegal (citizens), insured or not, the government has paid for vaccines – any one can get (them),” said Iser.

Vaccinations should become available towards November, with seasonal influenza shots available in October. The City of Winters plans to work with local medical facilities to make information and access to flu shots known.

More information and resources on Novel H1N1 are online at [www.yolocounty.org](http://www.yolocounty.org).

# CODE

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but are used as businesses, and even vice-versa, a number of people are left in the lurch.

This plan caused much confusion and concern for local citizens, like Glenn DeVries, who said, “I think the code is premature, especially with growth (issues). We can’t take away housing, and we need to take care of industry. Dreams are great, but they’re not stuff you can eat.”

Nikki Chapman, who has a home in the area affected by rezoning, told the council that her loan was in jeopardy, and that the city should “keep the fabric of Winters as it is and keep it residential.”

Marian Skaggs, who has a preschool in her property on Main Street, said that the business, though not a conforming use, according to the code, “brings revenue downtown, and has residents coming downtown twice a day, five times a week.”

Meanwhile, Glen Negri admitted that he “still finds (himself) confused after talking to Nelia Dyer” about his business, noting that “a number of other people are unclear on the code — there’s a sense of confusion.”

City manager John Donlevy tried to help Dyer explain the code, saying, “It’s basically urban planning. The code discourages conflicting uses.”

Mayor Michael Martin was wary of the code and its regulations on townsfolk, adding, “We don’t have to be so hard on people. Winters is not that way.”

And Mayor Pro Tem Woody Fridae, who was recused due to conflict of interest at previous discussions of the code, was present for the first reading, since Councilmember Tom Stone

was absent, and Councilmember Harold Anderson was recused due to his conflict of interest. Fridae was confused himself by a number of issues regarding the code.

“I think we’re promoting in favor of business over residences,” said Fridae, adding that he wasn’t hearing “why” the city should rezone in the manner of the code.

Ultimately, Donlevy said, “Staff just recommends that you continue the public hearing to the next meeting,” on Tuesday, September 15.

The council also discussed permanent closure of East Street at Grant Avenue, mostly for safety reasons. The closure was approved unanimously, with one absent.

No public comments were heard about the extension of the General Plan Horizon Year, from 2010 to 2018, and for the Housing Element Update for the 2008-2013 period. The extension was mainly due to budgetary restrictions. The adoption of a negative declaration for the extension was approved unanimously, with one absent.

The council also unanimously approved, with one absent, a Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan for the City of Winters, which according to Mayor Martin, may save some key jobs in the city by helping older employees retire earlier.

A public hearing on the Form Based Code is planned for the next Winters City Council meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 7:30 p.m., in the council chambers at City Hall. Whether or not to add the code to the city’s Municipal Code will be among the things to be considered. All Winters residents are welcome to speak at the public hearing.

# AWARDS

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Award, the Theodore Winters Award, the Chamber of Commerce Business Award and the Senior Citizen Award will all be formally honored. The criteria for each award is:

~ The Citizen of the Year has made significant contributions to the betterment of the community, particularly as a volunteer, and over a long period of time. Outstanding selfless expenditure of time and energy is considered. A committee of former Citizens of the Year and two Chamber representatives selects the new recipient.

~ The Theodore Winters Award recipient has made a significant contribution to the betterment of the community over a shorter period of time and generally in one or two major activities; she or he is devoted to improving life in the community. The recipient is selected by the Chamber’s Board of Directors.

~ The Winters Chamber of Commerce Business Award goes to a business that has shown unselfish contribution to the community. The recipient is regarded as being a “role model” in

enhancing the relationship between the business community and the people it serves. The recipient is selected by the Chamber’s Board of Directors.

~ The Senior Citizen of the Year goes to a senior citizen who has made a significant contribution to improving the quality of life in the community. The recipient is selected by the Chamber’s Board of Directors.

The Chamber of Commerce invites the community to make nominations for these awards. To make a nomination, provide the Chamber, in writing, the name of the nominee/s, the award for which he or she is being nominated, a brief summary of their service to the community and your name and phone number, so that the Chamber may contact you for additional information, if needed.

The deadline to nominate someone for an award is Wednesday, Sept. 30. The Chamber of Commerce is located inside the Winters Visitors Center at 11 Main Street. The office is closed on Tuesdays.

For more information, call Edmund Lis, executive director for the Winters Chamber of Commerce, 795-2329. °

# POLICE

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1000 block of Adams Lane, a residence was entered through an open window. The residence was ransacked.

~ 8:08 p.m., Maria Marlen Ramirez, 30, of Winters was issued a notice to appear for being an unlicensed driver and failing to dim high beam headlights.

~ 9:02 p.m., Juan Manuel Duran Melgoza, 19, of Winters was issued a notice to appear for being an unlicensed driver.

## Sept. 1

~ 7:30 a.m., Adriana DelToro, 26, of Winters was driving northbound on Taylor Street. As DelToro became sleepy, she drifted off to the right and collided into the rear of a parked vehicle owned by Crockett Electric Company, Inc., of Martinez.

~ 8 a.m., 1000 block of Kennedy Drive, victim’s name and Social Security number were used to obtain medical care.

~ 8:30 p.m., Morgan Street and East Grant Avenue, keys were left inside a vehicle and the vehicle was taken without the owner’s consent. The vehicle was recovered in Woodland.

## Sept. 2

~ 7:17 p.m., 400 block of Edwards Street, an officer responded to an audible residential alarm. It was determined the alarm was activated by cats that were inside the residence.

~ 11:22 p.m., Nicholas Matthew Cranford, 20, of Vacaville was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol with a blood alcohol content of over .08%, possessing less than an ounce of marijuana, being a minor in possession of an alcoholic beverage and failing to stop at a stop sign. Cranford was booked at the Winters Police Department and released to a sober adult on a notice to appear.

~ 11:38 p.m., a 17-year-old Winters juvenile was issued a notice to appear for possessing less



# Opinion

## LETTERS

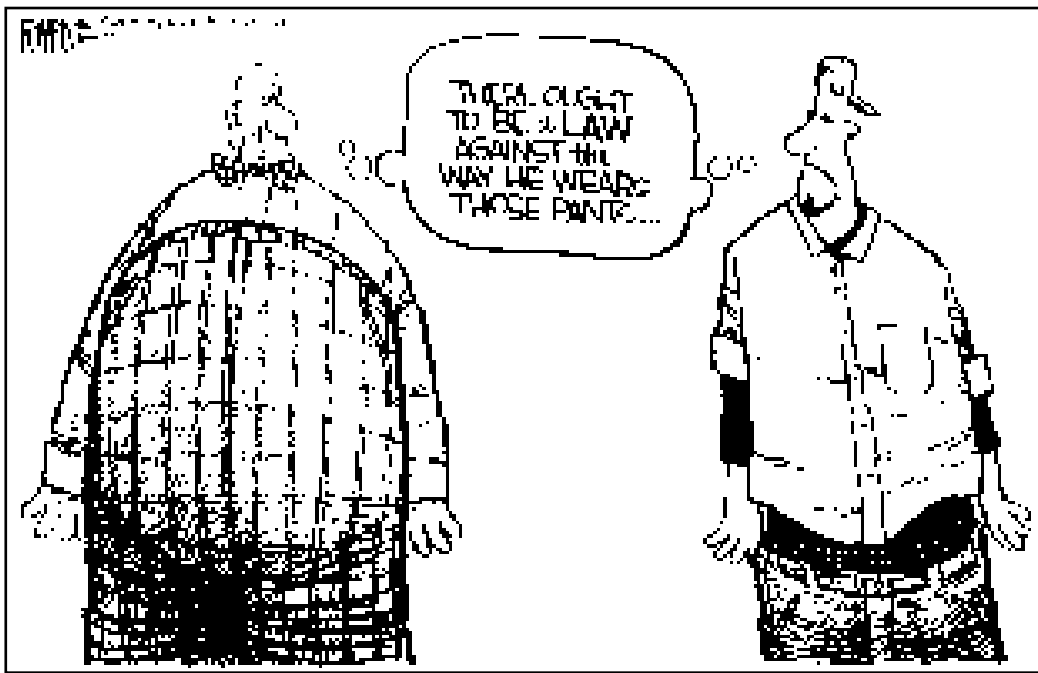
### Concession help needed

Dear Editor,  
The Winters High School junior class is broke and they need money for various class activities and most importantly the prom and their senior class trip. The concession stand is their largest fund-raiser. This is the only year the Class of 2011 has the opportunity to have this major fund-raiser.

The concessions are to be run by the juniors and their parents. Here is the incentive - the more a student or their parents work, the more they put towards their senior class trip. Simply put, the more you work, the more credit you earn towards your students senior class trip. No work means no credit.

By now everyone should have received a phone call asking them to work. If you haven't, we may have the wrong number. We are having a difficult time getting parents to help. This is for your kids. Yes, some of the shifts may be during your child's football game, but the junior class still needs your help. No one wants to miss their child's game, however, we need to have all the shifts full — especially the 7:30 p.m. to clean-up shift because that is a very busy shift.

We have five home games: Sept. 11 and 25, and Oct. 2, 16 and 30. We have three shifts available: 3:30, 6:30, 5:30, 8:30, and 7:30 p.m. until we are all cleaned up. We



need adults to barbecue, cashier, pick up pizzas from Round Table, and we need someone with a truck on set-up and clean up.

To volunteer, please contact Dawn Stewart, 304-4365 or kdsnms@gmail.com.

**DAWN STEWART**  
Concession Chair  
WHS JUNIOR CLASS

### Great event, great success

Dear Editor,

A great afternoon was had by all at the first annual Picnic for our Pool on Sunday, Aug. 30. The weather was nice, the fried chicken picnic lunch from Cody's was great, and the games were a blast.

The competition was tough in the egg toss, gunny sack race, wheelbarrel race, three-legged race, and the highlight of our picnic, the pie-eating contest. Winners of the 12 years and under categories included Elina Perez, Matt Wallace, Nick McKenna, Sarah West-

ergran and our grand prize winner Lauren Westergran.

Our 13 and over winners were Tyler Berg, Maya Tice, Holden Philbrook, DJ Tice, Brandon Myers, and Andrew Westergran, and our pie-eating contest winner was Jon Tice. Andrew Westergran and Tyler Berg were our grand prize winners in the 13 and over age group.

Our fund-raiser to help keep the pool open was a great success and the Winters Aquatic Club masters swimmers want to thank all who supported the event with their donations and participation, and by volunteering to help us put the event on.

Thank you, Theresa and Rory Linton of Cody's Deli, for preparing lunch, providing ice, and printing our tickets and our T-shirts. A special thank you goes to Marcella Heredia who, as our fabulous MC, kept the games moving, the people participating, and the crowd cheering. Marcella was also our top lunch ticket sales-

person — thank you for your hard work.

Thank you to the WHS student government and AVID classes for volunteering at our picnic, including Mrs. Caruso, Mrs. Bentley and Mr. Griffin, for the use of the high school's bullhorn.

Boy Scout Troop 600 shared their snow cone machine and their manpower for our event; thank you. Thank you to the Lorenzo family for donating ice and to Barry Parker for donating burlap bags for the gunny sack race. Thank you to Dream Dinners at Peabody Plaza for donating the ribbons and grand prize gifts for our games.

Thank you to Ana Kormos of the Winters Healthcare Foundation and the Winters Farmers Market, and Debra DeAngelo of the Winters Express, and the City of Winters staff for their support.

The picnic was a success thanks to the help of our volunteers: Anietta Tice, David Kelley,

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## Praise the Lord and hand me the assault rifle

A fatwa calling for the death of President Barack Obama has been declared by a religious fundamentalist fanatic. This time it's not emanating from some dank cave in Pakistan. No, it's from a Baptist pastor in beautiful downtown Tempe, Arizona.

The day before Obama visited Arizona to speak about healthcare, Pastor Steven Anderson of the Faithful Word Baptist Church delivered a sermon in which he declared hatred for Obama and said he is fervently praying for his death: "I'm gonna pray that he dies and goes to hell. When I go to bed tonight, that's what I'm gonna pray." And that's the nice part.

When questioned about his sermon by the local Fox affiliate, Anderson didn't back down, responding, "I hope that God strikes Barack Obama with brain cancer so he can die like Ted Kennedy and I hope it happens today." He called this "spiritual warfare." A more accurate term is "inciting violence."

The next morning, one of Anderson's followers, pumped up with all that good "Christian" love, grabbed his assault rifle and marched to the hall where Obama was. The rifle was in plain sight, strapped to his side, but because he didn't draw it, he wasn't arrested. Apparently this is legal in Arizona, where the Wild West is alive and well, and just hearing "Second Amendment" causes premature ejaculation.

True, this Spiritual Warrior didn't draw the weapon. But he didn't actually have a chance.

Imagine if he had a clear shot. We wouldn't be calling "spiritual warfare" merely "inciting violence." We'd be calling it "conspiracy to commit murder." And Anderson would be in jail. Don't think so? Just ask Charles Manson. He never actually picked up a knife himself, and he's behind bars for life. May he rot in peace.

Adding an extra layer of atrocity to this home-grown fatwa on Obama is that it comes from a pastor — one claiming to follow Jesus Christ and serving as a role model for others to do likewise. To truly experience the incongruent venom of a pastor preaching this much hate and violence, you really must hear it yourself. Google "Pastor Steven Anderson" or search him on YouTube, or just type this into your search engine: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=8fBRglimkgo](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8fBRglimkgo). (This is an edited version, with some thankfully sane commentary, but the complete rant is also available on YouTube, in two parts).

Besides being a threat to the President, Anderson is an insult to Christianity in general and Jesus in particular. Every word that he utters spits on everything Jesus stood for. His understanding of Jesus' teachings hovers somewhere around "zero," and even that is being generous.

Who ordained this lunatic? Nobody, apparently. According to the Faithful Word Baptist Church website, [www.faithfulwordbaptist.org](http://www.faithfulwordbaptist.org), it's noted that Anderson — the church's founder — "holds no



college degree but has well over 100 chapters of the Bible committed to memory, including almost half of the New Testament." Astounding. He memorized that many words, in his own language, and understood not a one. The man must have the reading comprehension skills of a flatworm. And so can you! His website features a step-by-step guide to these amazing memorization skills. There's so much more brain space for memorizing words when you don't have to be bothered with their meaning!

Several of Anderson's essays are posted, including a lovely piece labeling every homosexual as "a rapist and a molester" and advising "hatred for sin and perverts." And that goes for male gynecologists as well, because Anderson equates a pelvic exam done by a male physician with adultery, and says men who become gynecologists have "perverted minds."

It would be so easy to brush Anderson off as completely bat-crap crazy and not worthy of another thought, except for one nagging little detail: As Anderson spews hatred for Obama and yearns for his death, someone from the congregation says in the background, "Amen!" Now it's not just the silly ravings of a madman. The only thing scarier than Anderson's "ser-

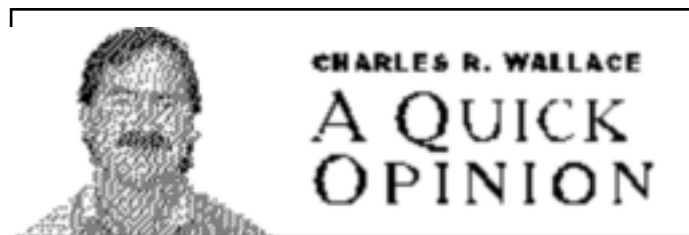
mons" are the sponge-heads in the pews soaking it all up. Wonder if that "Amen!" came from the same guy who packed up his assault rifle to greet the President.

Secret Service — are you listening?

To be fair, apparently not everyone in the congregation is a mush-brained lemming. There's some uncomfortable rustling in the background as Anderson wishes for Obama's children to be fatherless and for Michelle to be a widow. He responds with, "Don't get uncomfortable, I'm just preaching God's word."

Really, I think his Son would beg to differ with you. But what does He know. Spiritual warfare isn't for sissies! Love your enemies! Turn the other cheek! Do not cast the first stone! What a bunch of sissy hogwash! Praise the Lord and pass me the assault rifle!

In the midst of this vomit that Anderson calls a sermon, he spouts, "All liars are going to hell!" Pastor Steven L. Anderson of the Faithful Word Baptist Church, when you call yourself a Christian, you are telling an egregious lie. You are a liar of the worst kind — the kind who pulls others into the spiritual cesspool with him. And you know what you said happens to liars.



**IF THIS IS GLOBAL WARMING**, I'll take it. Most of us have noticed our PG&E bills are lower than normal this summer. That's not saying they are too low, but they are lower than last year. Maybe climate change is a better term than global warming, because some areas of this earth will heat up while others will cool off. This will affect everyone, whether everyone wants to admit it or not.

There was a report last month that the coming of the next ice age won't be happening anytime soon. It seems the polar ice fields are heating up, as opposed to cooling off, like they have in the past. The prediction was that ice would cover most of Canada, Asia and Europe, in 10,000 to 100,000 years. The article went on: "Climate skeptics could look at this and say, CO2 is good for us," said study leader Thomas Crowley of the University of Edinburgh in Scotland. But the idea that global warming may be staving off an ice age is "not cause for relaxing, because we're actually moving into a highly unusual climate state," Crowley added.

No one will confuse me with a farmer, but I still think that the mild winters and summers we have been experiencing aren't good for local crops. I may like playing golf in the summer without carrying two gallons of water, and hitting a golf ball in February without ice forming before it hits the rough is always a plus, but what about this weather? Is it good for trees? Will we be in a permanent drought?

The National Weather Service is predicting an El Niño this winter. If El Niño brings more rain, I'm all for it. We could use the water, and if you don't believe me, just drive a couple of hundred miles down Highway 5 and see what the lack of water has meant to Central California farmers.

My brother, Polk, was up this weekend from the San Diego area and we were discussing water. He looks at water differently than I do. He doesn't have landscaping that uses water, while I like my green lawns, trees and flower beds. He sees water as a source for making tea, I see it for irrigation and keeping Budweiser in business. I didn't ask him about the golf course he plays each week, but I'll bet that at a minimum the fairways and the greens get their fair share of the Southern California water supply.

I mentioned to Polk that 85 percent of the water in California is being used by farmers. He said that isn't true anymore, as they keep building homes in the desert and on farm land. Whatever the number is, I would like to believe farmers use water because they need it. Maybe they would conserve more if the water cost more, but if their cost of pumping keeps going up, they'll learn to conserve or let their fields go fallow.

For an example of where our local water goes, just look at the weekly Lake Berryessa report. The Solano Irrigation District is diverting 395 second feet of water in the Putah South Canal and only letting 43 second feet flow past the Diversion Dam into Putah Creek. I'm not sure if one drop of Putah Creek water makes it to the Sacramento River, but I wouldn't bet on it. Between evaporation, irrigation pumps and percolation, the water just disappears.

While you're having your morning coffee while reading a local newspaper or just enjoying a glass of ice water, think about water for a few minutes. Then pray for a wet winter and watch for the next rainfall contests in the Express.

Have a good week.

## Tell them what you think

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# FUNDS

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can pay them off, and have never overextended ourselves,” said Donlevy.

When the 2009/10 city budget came before the city council last spring, the city had in excess of \$1 million in its reserves, largely from increases in property taxes from prior development that had not been spent.

“We parked that money into funds meant to sustain us on a long-term-basis,” he said. “We adopted some of the most conservative fiscal policies in the state of California.”

At the time, the standard for padding a city’s reserve budget was 50 percent. The City of Winters went above and beyond the standard, aiming for a 75 percent pad.

“Just like a household should have six months of living expenses set aside, so should a city. We have nine months,” explained City Finance Director Shelly Gunby.

Although the city had to dip into its reserve fund to balance General Fund expenses for 2009/10, the city was still far ahead of the game in terms of making sure there would be enough money to support its current payroll and police department (which comprise the bulk of the city’s General Fund expenditures), as well as its payroll obligations for retired employees.

Because of this reserve budgeting practice, the city did not experience the layoffs that other municipalities did over the spring and summer, and further made ends meet by not filling some of the positions that were vacated when employees quit or retired. While that may have puzzled some Winters residents in the midst of tumbling budgets throughout the state, they may have been even further puzzled by the boom in redevelopment projects downtown while other cities seemed to be halting most everything and scraping down to bare bones.

## Redevelopment

While payroll expenses come from the General Fund, many of the more visible projects

around town are funded by redevelopment monies, which are separate from the General Fund and are not interchangeable. Redevelopment funds can only be spent on redevelopment projects, which are intended to reduce blight within a defined redevelopment area.

In Winters, the redevelopment area includes all of the downtown, as well as some commercial areas along Grant Avenue. Redevelopment funds come from the difference between assessed property values at the time the redevelopment project area was created and current assessed property values. Cities are allowed to keep the difference between the original and the assessed property taxes to use for redevelopment projects.

Because the city enjoyed a healthy redevelopment fund, it was able to offer a variety of programs to help new businesses get started, such as financial assistance with facade improvements, interior tenant improvements and lease assistance programs. Redevelopment funds also pay for most of the projects local residents see around town, such as the trestle bridge renovation, the town square at Railroad and Main, the city’s portion of the new library.

While Winters saw a boom in redevelopment projects in 2008 and 2009, mostly in the downtown area, that may all grind to a halt if the State of California succeeds in siphoning away redevelopment funds from cities statewide. The move to grab the redevelopment funds was part of the state’s attempt to balance its budget. However, cities aren’t taking this lying down, and a class action suit is in the works to fight back.

Donlevy says Winters will be among those plaintiffs. However, because court cases are famous for dragging along for weeks, months and sometimes years, the city may be forced to hand over more than half of its redevelopment funds to the state in May. While the case plays out in court, Winters — like every other city participating in the class action suit — is in

redevelopment limbo until a legal decision is made.

Donlevy expresses frustration with the situation on several levels. He says Proposition 1A, approved by voters three years ago, protects local governments from this sort of state cash grab.

“The state can’t raid local government revenues anymore,” says Donlevy. “The state can borrow up to 8 percent of city property taxes, but only every three years, and it must pay it back.”

According to the guidelines approved by Prop 1A, the state could only borrow \$111,000. However, Donlevy says the state is demanding another \$780,000 on top of that, coming to a grand total of \$891,000. Of that, \$780,000 will come from directly from the city’s redevelopment funds.

Besides the stipulations of Prop 1A, Donlevy says there is a court case on the books, California Redevelopment Association vs. Genest, that declared a prior state grab of redevelopment funds to be unconstitutional.

“There was no legal exception for that,” says Donlevy.

Given that a state proposition and a court ruling indicate that the state cannot legally take the redevelopment funds it is demanding, what happens if the cities simply refuse to turn the funds over?

“If you fail to pay, the state will exact retribution,” says Donlevy, calling the consequences for non-payment the “redevelopment death penalty.”

## Waiting game

While the class action suit sifts its way through the court system, there’s not much the city can do but wait and see what happens — and prepare for the worst.

“We have to act like we’ll lose \$780,000,” says Donlevy.

Just in case the money turned over to the state in May is not recovered in court allowing for the same scenario to play out in following years until the state budget crisis is resolved, Winters must brace itself for a huge financial hit in its redevelopment projects. As it stand now, the state is only re-

quired to repay \$111,000.

The city has already begun this process, and has frozen all new redevelopment projects, and discontinued its facade improvement and senior housing rehabilitation projects, as well as its lease assistance program for commercial and retail space.

Donlevy says the city can meet its current obligations and contracts with local businesses and entrepreneurs, but the window is closed, for now, on any new contracts. However, he notes that in order to meet those current obligations, the city will have to dip into its Redevelopment Fund reserves. Because the city could be sued for breach of contract if it reneges on those current obligations, thereby creating yet further financial woes, Donlevy says it’s important that those contracts be fulfilled even when the budget is skin-tight.

All this means that there won’t be many new redevelopment projects in town in the foreseeable future. Only the remaining projects that were already paid for entirely with redevelopment bond funds that have already been received — such as the second phase of the downtown improvement project at First and Main streets, the Public Safety Center (police and fire) — will break ground.

“The state has threatened the viability of our ability to do redevelopment (projects),” says Donlevy. “The state is coming in and robbing the citizens of Winters of projects that should begin here.”

He adds that responsibility for the entire mess rests with the State of California.

“The state’s inability to manage their own house has required them to rob from us, the citizens of Winters, to pay their bills. They are strong-arming us. They have a \$2 billion hole to fill, and they went after redevelopment agencies to do it.”

He is hoping, however, that justice will prevail, as there is legal precedence ruling in favor of cities. He notes California Redevelopment Association vs. Genest, in which the court ruled that intercepting redevelopment funds was unconstitutional under state law.

“There’s no legal exception for that,” says Donlevy. “It’s not their money, and it never has been their money.”

In the end, it’s growth in the Winters community that will suffer.

“It’s tragic for us,” says Donlevy, adding that the state’s grab of redevelopment funds in May isn’t even a long-term solution. “I predict the state’s going to run out of money again. It’s like a family member that hits hard times. They can’t pull the rest of the family down with

them. That’s precisely what the state is doing, and it’s just not fair because they aren’t doing anything for us.”

He adds, however, that both State Senator Lois Wolk and Assemblywoman Mariko Yamada fought valiantly against the state grab of redevelopment funds, and has praise for each.

“I can’t say enough about Lois and Mariko,” says Donlevy. “They genuinely represented their constituents by voting ‘no’ on the redevelopment take. Lois was always asking tough questions and keeping informed. She put her political neck out for all of Yolo County.”

The worst case scenario for the city’s redevelopment funds is that the class action suit will fail, and the money will be gone, with the scenario likely repeating each year. If that happens, Donlevy says “it will completely cripple our redevelopment agency,” and adds that the city “may have to default on its contractual obligations.”

Possibly the most frustrating part for Donlevy and Gunby, is that the city worked hard to build up its funds, saving for that rainy day. But now that the state has hijacked Winters’ redevelopment funds, the city is potentially facing more than just a rainy day.

“It’s a hurricane,” says Donlevy.

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Julie Roberts, Lacie Benton, Pierre Neu, Patty & Rick Rominger, Elizabeth and Tony Freed and the Freed family, Boy Scout Troop 600, Sidney and Emma Hesz, Alec Bouwens, Valerie Whitworth, Kevin Chester, Michelle Dore, Wendy Rash, Federica Beatrice, Sally Brown, Tom and Elizabeth Ehnat, Hal and Janice Myers, and Brandon Myers. A huge thank you to all of our volunteers.

Lastly, thank you to all who supported our picnic. Our community effort for an afternoon of lunch and games resulted in the Winters Aquatic Club raising over \$1,650 at our fund-raiser. Thank you.

**JENNE EHNTAT**  
**Winters Aquatic Club**

# PROJECT

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tersection. All improvements are intended to improve safety for drivers.

The construction activities may affect nearby properties with curb parking prohibition,

driveway restrictions and high noise operation.

The City of Winters contracted with Teichert Construction for this project, which was funded with \$400,000 in Federal Stimulus Funds (American Recovery and Reinvestment Act – ARRA).



# Community

## Rallying for healthcare



Photo by Dale Stephens

**Tom Cronin of Organizing For America speaks at the Winters Democratic Club healthcare rally on Friday, Sept. 4. The event featured several speakers, live music and an opportunity to sign letters to Congress supporting healthcare reform.**

## McCoy brings home seven medals

By **JANICE KOCH**  
Special to the Express

Seven Starts. Seven Medals. Quite a sequel to last year's National Kayak Championships in Oklahoma City, in which Mike McCoy competed and brought home two gold and three silver medals.

This year's event was held in Gainesville, Georgia, the site of the 1996 Olympic kayak events. McCoy participated in K1 (single person kayak) through K4 (four-person kayak) events in the masters division, and won two gold medals, two silver and three bronze.

McCoy says the K4 Masters Men gold medal win was his favorite. His teammates in the boat included Karol Osusky, a legend in the sport, having been a figure in the Soviet sports machine and then escaping

Eastern Europe by climbing through the mountains with his family.

If you think that winning is sheer luck, think again. McCoy started training for this event less than a week after returning from last year's Nationals. He paddles upstream in the American River with his kayaking buddies for the workout and the camaraderie.

He competed in this year's Eppie's Great Race Triathlon with team members John and Manny Carbahal, taking third in the Men's Over 50 division. He paddles sprints on Lake Solano, Lake Berryessa, Lake Natoma and the San Francisco Bay, carrying a GPS unit to chart his course, a metronome to time his paddle strokes, and a heart monitor. He graphs his heart rate



MIKE MCCOY

and his times to consider the effectiveness and efficiency of his stroke or the placement of the seat forward or back, higher or lower in the kayak. It is evident that McCoy's trust in statistics, good science, and hard work pays off.

## Free food available

The Food Bank of Yolo County will distribute refried beans, dried cherries, orange juice, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce and frozen ham to eligible Winters residents on Monday, Sept. 21 at Yolo Housing, 62 Shams Way, 3-5 p.m. and on Friday, Sept. 25, at First Baptist Church, 512 First Street, 12-1:30 p.m.

Participants may receive food at only one site, and are asked to bring a bag to carry their food home.

For more information, call the Food Bank, 668-0690.

## Local effort planned for Coast and Creek Cleanup Event

By **LIBBY EARTHMAN**  
Special to the Express

The largest landfill in the world is not in fact on land. It floats in the middle of the Pacific Ocean. According to the LA Times, the Western Garbage Patch, between Hawaii and California, is twice the size of Texas. Ninety percent of the patch is floating plastic.

What's a local, community-minded person to do? Volunteering for the September 19th Yolo County Creek Cleanup is a great place to start. People of all ages and abilities are invited to come out to local waterways and help pick up trash. It's something tangible that people can do to learn about how little things they do affect life downstream.

While some of the trash found in local waterways is illegally dumped there, much of it makes its way into

creeks by way of stormwater drains. When you see a piece of trash in the gutter, floating toward a drain, most people assume that the water and floating trash are heading to the water treatment plant. They are not. They drain directly into creeks or stormwater collection ponds.

A consortium of Yolo County groups including local government and non-profits organize an annual fall waterway cleanup to help ensure Yolo County does not contribute to the ocean's trash problem. The local creek cleanup is part of the California Coastal Commission and Ocean Conservancy's International Coast and Creek Cleanup Event, the largest volunteer trash cleanup in the world.

Every third Saturday in September, volunteers throughout the world don gloves and head out to rid water-

ways of rubbish. According to the Ocean Conservancy, over 400,000 people in 100 countries volunteered last year to remove a 6.8 million pounds of trash.

In 2008, a record-breaking 312 local volunteers participated in sites throughout Yolo County. These 312 volunteers collected 11,000 pounds of trash and 900 pounds of recyclables.

The 2009 cleanup will undoubtedly build on the success of past years' events. In 2008, 73,461 volunteers turned out to California's Coastal Cleanup Day, a 20 percent jump over 2007 and a 46 percent jump in volunteers over the past two years. These volunteers collectively removed a record 1.6 million pounds of debris, of which almost 200,000 pounds was recycled.

"We want Coastal Cleanup Day to be an opportunity for every

Californian to feel their connection to our coast, no matter where they may live," said Eben Schwartz, Outreach Manager for the California Coastal Commission. "By pushing the Cleanup into every corner of the state, we can clean up a lot of trash before it has a chance to reach our ocean, and in doing so, bind every Californian to one another through our collective stewardship."

This year's local cleanup event promises to be another great success. If you are interested in learning more or registering to volunteer in Yolo County, see: [www.putahcreekcouncil.org](http://www.putahcreekcouncil.org) and follow the link to the online registration. Volunteers who pre-register before Sept. 11 will get a free eco-gift (while supplies last). Contact Libby Earthman, Putah Creek Council, for more information, 795-3006.



## Expressed

Photo by Debra Andrade

**Matt Andrade had his Winters Express handy at his graduation from Basic Military Training at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas. His friends Vern Bowen and Cal Calabasa attended the ceremony. Andrade graduated with high marks and will be assigned to the F-16 Fighter Jet.**

## Lavender workshop offered

The Yolo County Master Gardeners will host a free workshop on lavender from 9-11 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 26, at Yolo County Community College, East Gibson Road in Woodland.

Gardeners Albert Crepeau and Henry Garcia Alvarez will lead this workshop and will focus on distillation of lavender, cultivar selection and care.

For more information, call 666-8143.

**The Festival de la Comunidad is Sunday, Sept. 27, 2-8 p.m. at Rotary Park**

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# Entertainment

## Start stuffing those scarecrows

By **HOWARD HUPE**  
Special to the Express

The Winters Chamber of Commerce invites all members of the Winters community to participate in the Seventh Annual Scarecrow contest, our local salute to autumn. The event is open to everyone—local businesses, clubs, organizations, and private homes. Since there is no definite theme for the scarecrows, the imagination and creativity of the designer is virtually unlimited.

In past years, merchants have chosen to reflect their businesses. The Irish Pub used a leprechaun perched in a tree, Pacific Ace Hardware designed a handyman scarecrow, the Winters Theatre Company adorned Main Street with Hamlet-Crow, and

charming children scarecrows cavorted outside of a Winters daycare center.

Many other businesses, and especially private residences, chose to use the Halloween theme with ghosts, goblins, and ghouls. How many vampires will be displayed this year? Many residences chose to decorate with beautiful autumnal displays.

The Chamber of Commerce requests that scarecrows be displayed no later than Friday, Oct. 9, and remain up through Halloween. Scarecrows will be judged in late October and awards given for both businesses and private residences. To ensure your scarecrow is included in the judging, register your entry with the Chamber of Commerce, 795-2329.

## Arts and crafts fair set

The Winters Farmers Market will host its second arts and crafts fair of the season on Sunday, Sept. 13, 8 a.m. to noon at Rotary Park. The fair will feature 15 Yolo County vendors selling soaps, lotions, candles, jewelry, children's clothing, photos, pottery and much more.

"If you missed the first fair in August, now is

your chance to come out and be inspired by all of the amazing, handcrafted items that our community members are creating," says market director Ana Kormos.

For more information about the arts and crafts fair or the Winters Farmers Market, contact Kormos at wintersfarmersmarket@gmail.com or 795-5200.

## Booth applications available for Festival de la Comunidad

Booth applications are now available for the third annual Festival de la Comunidad, which will be held on Sunday, Sept. 27, from 2-8 p.m. at Rotary Park in Winters.

The festival features family-friendly activities, music, food and the second annual Carnitas Cook-off competition. The first place team will receive a \$300 cash prize. The People's

Choice winner will receive \$150. Cooking begins at 9 a.m. Anyone interested in putting together a team for the Cook-off may pick up an application at City Hall or on the City of Winters website.

Community groups, non-profit groups and vendors may also submit applications to participate in the event. Please note that all food vendors must have a valid

health department permit, which may be obtained at the Yolo County Health Department, 137 N Cottonwood Street, Suite 2400 in Woodland, or by calling 666-8646. Booth applications are available at City Hall or on the City of Winters website.

All booths, except Carnitas Cook-off booths, are invited to provide a child-friendly activity such as fishing, a lol-



Courtesy photo

**In a photo dated February 15, 1955, the Putah Creek Diversion Dam is viewed from Station 110/50, approximately 50 feet left of the base line, looking upstream towards the railroad bridge. Along the creek, at left, is an old percolation dam.**

percolation dam will be removed from the Winters Nature Park in a landscape-scale restoration project. It is stage one of a multi-stage project to improve wildlife habitat and accessibility to the creek in the Winters area in the next few years.

For more information on this talk, contact Libby Earthman, Putah Creek Council director, 795-3006 or [www.putahcreekcouncil.org](http://www.putahcreekcouncil.org).

All CreekSpeak presentations are held in the Winters Community Center, 201 Railroad Avenue, 7-8:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of the

month from May through October. The Putah Creek Council is dedicated to the protection and enhancement of

Putah Creek and its tributaries through advocacy, education, and community-based stewardship.

**Getting married? Graduated from college?**  
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## Shrimp dinner planned at firehouse

The Winters Fire Department is sponsoring an all-you-can-eat peel and eat shrimp dinner, complete with pasta, salad and bread, on Saturday, Oct. 17, at the firehouse, 10 Abbey Street.

Cocktails will be served from 5-6 p.m., and dinner starts at 6 p.m. The event includes a raffle and a gun raffle.

Tickets are \$25 per person, and table reservations are available now.

Only 200 tickets are available, and must be purchased in advance. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Doors will be closed at 6:30 p.m. due to the serving style of the dinner.

For tickets or more information, call 795-4131 or 681-1626.

## Gourds shown as canvas at Davis art exhibit

Mary Fahey, a nature lover since childhood, will have an exhibition at Davis' The Artery from Sept. 11 to Oct. 6. In 1998, after more than 10 years as a graphic designer, Mary discovered gourds as both a farm crop and a canvas for her favorite subjects.

Fahey draws a design and then wood-burns it into the surface of a gourd. Gold leaf, archival inks and dyes add color and luster. To further enhance each piece, she adds embellishments such as native grasses, pine needles, fabric, or beads.

At Mary's September Artery showing, Nature's Canvas, visitors can find all new works of gourd art featuring images from nature. Included in the show are wood burned, carved and colored images of bamboo, Calla Lilies, whimsical flowers, dragonflies and more representations of natural surroundings.

The 9 p.m. reception coincides with the Davis Second Friday ArtAbout: Friday, Sept. 11. The Artery is located at 207 G Street, Davis, and is open seven days a week.

Don't be too timid  
and squeamish  
about your actions.  
All life is an experiment.  
The more experiments  
you make, the better.  
~ Ralph Waldo Emerson



## A picnic for the pool



Photo by Molly Davis

Nick McKenna, above left, and Matt Wallace, had a blast competing in the sack race at the "Picnic for Our Pool" fund-raiser, held Sunday, August 30, at Rotary Park. Jon Tice, (courtesy photo below), won the pie-eating contest. Proceeds went to help keep the community swimming pool open as many months out of the year as possible.



## Anyone can do 2Du

By JANICE KOCH  
Special to the Express

Registration is under way for the Winters 2Du Duathlon, planned for Oct 4, starting and finishing at the Winters Community Center.

What's a duathlon? Well, you have heard of a triathlon — a three-sport endurance event. A duathlon is a two-sport athletic event consisting of a running leg, followed by a cycling leg and then another running leg.

Although this event was conceived as a two-person team duathlon in which each team member runs a total of 5.25 miles and bicycles 5.25 miles, leap-frogging teammates every few miles, the 2Du is flexible. The point is participation — fun and fitness for a good cause — to purchase books for the new Winters library.

Bad Back? Blew out your knees by running the mile in college track meets? You can do 2Du. Find a teammate who is strong in the area where you are weaker. If you can't run 5.25 miles, find a strong runner who can run three of the four legs or even the entire course while you bicycle the rest. You may need to wait for your teammate to arrive at the aid station or at the finish line, but there are refreshments and good people to talk with while you

wait to cheer them in.

Strong athlete? You can do 2Du. Your team can compete to win in one of seven divisions.

Don't have a partner in mind? You can do 2Du. If you want to go it alone, register in the "individual" division and get your bicycle to the second aid station at Pardehsa Market at the corner of Pleasants Valley Road and Highway 128 early enough to get yourself back to the Winters Community Center for the race start. If you are looking for a partner, email the event director, [hr@koch-mccoy.com](mailto:hr@koch-mccoy.com), and she will do her best to hook you up with a teammate.

Haven't started your exercise routine early enough to complete the course this year? You can do 2Du as a volunteer. This is the ideal volunteer opportunity — even working as a coordinator overseeing other volunteers for some part of the event won't take up a huge amount of time. And, when the race is over and the participants go home, you have done your part. And you get a cool T-shirt.

To register as a participant, go online to [www.wintersca.net](http://www.wintersca.net). Click on the 2Du logo and then on "Register Here," and complete the online forms. To volunteer, email Janice Koch at [hr@koch-mccoy.com](mailto:hr@koch-mccoy.com).

You can do 2Du!

## Auditions scheduled for 'Cinderella'

The Winters Theatre Company will hold auditions for the Roger and Hammerstein musical "Cinderella" on Monday, Sept. 21, and Wednesday, Sept. 23, from 7-9 p.m. The auditions will be held at the Winters Community Center, 201 Railroad Avenue.

Performance dates will be Nov. 20, 21, 27-29, and Dec. 4-6. Friday and Saturday performances will begin at 7 p.m., Sunday performances will begin

at 2 p.m.

Prospective cast members should bring a prepared song and monologue, though neither is required to audition. Learning a simple dance will be a part of the audition.

People ages 9 and up are welcome to audition, though children 18 and under will need parent permission to participate.

For further information, call Linda Glick, 795-3683.

Visit [www.wintersexpress.com](http://www.wintersexpress.com) for more calendar items

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# Sports

## JV Warriors shut out Esparto

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

The Winters High School JV football team got a little bit of redemption last Friday, Sept. 4, as they traveled to Esparto to take on the Spartans and came home with a 23-0 shutout. The Warriors lost to the Spartans 20-14 last year and have been thinking about this game ever since.

Esparto didn't go down easy though. The Warriors had a tough time getting into the end zone early on and ended the first quarter 0-0. After the break the Warriors changed things around, started executing and stopped penalizing themselves.

Nick Mariani put the Warriors on the board first with a 20-yard touchdown pass to Niko Doyle. Doyle ran in the two point

conversion to put the Warriors up 8-0. Doyle scored again on a one yard run that was topped off with another two point conversion this time by Kyle Nichols. Brentley Weismann had the longest run of the day when he scored on a 46-yard run. Darby Borges kicked the PAT to put the Warriors up 23-0.

Nichols had the play of the day when he ran a 99.5-yard touchdown that was called back for a penalty. Mariani ended the day with three completions for 55 yards and a touchdown. Kendric Moore had a fumble recovery and three tackles. Taylor Burke had a fumble recovery, Austin Brickey and Keli Callison each had four tackles, Borges had three tackles and Doyle had a fumble recovery for the Warriors.

## Warriors route Esparto in opener 45-14

◆ Higgins completes 14 of 18 for 262 yards and two touchdowns

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

The Winters Warriors wasted no time in blowing out the Esparto Spartans last Friday, Sept. 4, in Esparto as they put on a dominating performance and came home with a 45-14 victory. Winters scored early and often and never let up. Through the air, on the ground and on special teams the Warriors were unstoppable.

Zach Higgins had a career night for the Warriors at quarterback as he completed 14 of 18 passes for 262 yards, two touchdowns and no interceptions. Steven Warren led the Warriors on the ground rushing for 101 yards on 19 carries and had three touchdowns.

On special teams, Riki Lucero was electrifying as he totaled over 100 yards in returns and had two receiving touchdowns, while David Villagomez got into the end zone twice for the Warriors to add to the score.

Winters led 13-0 at the end of the first quarter, 25-0 at the half, 38-0 at the end of the third before Esparto was able to score twice through the air late in the game. The Warriors defense was solid and their offense was relentless throughout the entire game, something that coach Ward will love to build on.

Villagomez totaled 68 yards on six carries. Jacob



Photo by Catherine Hasbrook  
David Villagomez runs for one of his two touchdowns during the Warriors 45-14 victory over Esparto on Friday, Sept. 4.

Lucero had eight carries for 60 yards. Darian Flores had 36 yards on seven carries. Riki Lucero ran for 30 yards on four carries, Higgins had three yards on two carries and Jared Ney had three yards on one carry.

Riki Lucero led all receivers with 88 yards on three catches. Dylan Ney had 67 yards on four catches. Bryan Case had 65 yards on two receptions, Jacob Lucero caught three passes for 42 yards and Warren had two catches for 16 yards. Jared Ney also completed a 13-yard pass to his brother Dylan.

"We played well from the get-go," said coach Daniel Ward. "Zach was cool and calm at quarterback. I haven't seen a kid step up and be a

leader like that in a long time. I can't say enough about how hard Steven ran the ball. Bryan made some big catches for us.

"It was great to see Riki play for the first time in three years. He is an amazing athlete. Jacob ran the ball hard, blocked well and made some great catches. David made some nice runs and Darian had some nice runs as well.

"We had a bunch of

question marks before the game and I think we answered them."

On the defensive side of the ball, Thomas Boswell and Billy Rotenkolber led the Warriors with 13 and 12 tackles respectively. Dylan Ney totaled 10, Higgins totaled eight, while Case and Jared Ney each totaled six tackles. Case also had an interception and Higgins recovered a fumble for the Warriors.

## Warriors host Willows in home opener

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

The Winters High School football teams will host the Willows Honkers in their home opener this Friday, Sept. 11, at Dr. Sellers Field. The Warriors will bring in a 1-0 record for both the JV and varsity teams after defeating Esparto last week.

Winters High School will offer a special pass for anybody interested in saving some money at the gate. You can purchase five tickets for the price of four. The gate

cost for an adult is \$5 per ticket. With the pass you get five tickets for \$20 and can use them as you please. You can use them all in one night for family and friends, or you can use them one game at a time and pay for all the home games for one person.

"We just want to offer people that come to the games a little discount with some flexibility," said principal George Griffin.

The JV games are scheduled to kickoff at 5:30 p.m. and the varsity follows at 7:30 p.m.

## Sports dinner fundraiser set

The 28th annual Winters High School All Sports Booster Club tri-tip dinner is Wednesday, Sept. 16, 6-7 p.m. at the Community Center. The event is a major fundraiser for the Booster Club, which supports all high school sports programs. The community is invited to come and enjoy a meal and raise funds to benefit student athletes.

The menu includes tri-

tip, beans, salad, roll, beverage and dessert. Warrior Wear will be available for sale. Block W will sponsor a raffle after the dinner, featuring a variety of items.

Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children.

## Lady Warriors lose 3-0

By ERIC LUCERO  
Express sports

The Winters Warriors varsity volleyball team lost to St. Helena last Thursday, Sept. 3, 3-0.

The Warriors lost their first game 25-17, game two 25-5 and game three 25-11. The Warriors were set to host Woodland Christian on Wednesday, Sept. 9, JV at 5 p.m., and varsity at 6 p.m.

## PISANI'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



### Zach Higgins

Zach Higgins, a junior on the Winters High School varsity football team, is this week's athlete of the week. On Sept. 4, Higgins led the Warriors past Esparto from the quarterback position by completing 14 of 18 for 262 yards and two touchdowns in a 45-14 route. Higgins started the night completing his first 12 of 13 pass attempts for 223 yards. Higgins had eight tackles on defense.

"Zach is an amazing competitor," said coach Daniel Ward. "He is a natural born leader and that's why he is back there."

Higgins 262 passing yards should put him in the top five of all time for a WHS quarterback.

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# Schools

## Hard times bump up enrollment

By ELLIOT LANDES  
Staff writer

The early weeks of the school year are a time to count students and see how good last year's predictions were. It's a big deal for a district like Winters, where five years of declining enrollment has created ongoing funding problems. There was some good news in the Average Daily Attendance (ADA) update at the Sept. 3 school board meeting.

"Those are real bodies," said high school principal George Griffin of the high school's count that is 50 students more than expected.

The gain as compared to the expected numbers was 42 for the whole district, with Waggoner down three, Rominger

up two, the middle school up six, and reduced counts in continuation, independent study, and special education. At Waggoner, the count for kindergarten was up 8 students, which is hopeful for future years, and at the high school, the increase was highest (24) for grade 10.

Griffin acknowledged that part of the increase reflects troubles in the job and housing sectors.

"You see folks moving in with relatives due to economic circumstances," said Griffin. "I would say easily half are moving in either as teenagers, or the whole family is moving in as a unit with another family. There's more of that than we've seen late last year and the beginning of this year. I've never

seen as much of that as we are seeing now.

"It would be nice if they were moving into new houses that had developer fees, but that's not where we are in the economy."

"Beggars can't be choosers," said trustee Jay Shepherd.

"Yeah, we'll just take the ADA for now," said Griffin, and hope the developer fees come later."

The next school board meeting will take place on Thursday, Sept. 17, at 6:30 p.m. in the Walnut Room at the district office, 909 West Grant Avenue. Meetings are open to the public, with an opportunity for anyone to speak on items not on the agenda.

## Boy Scouts plan registration night

Fun and adventure await in Cub Scouting, where boys get a chance to do all sorts of great activities with friends, like building and racing pinewood derby cars, roasting hot dogs around the campfire, and being part of a team.

Cub Scouting aims kids in the right direction, building their confidence through activi-

ties and helping them learn leadership skills. The program is designed for boys in grades 1-5.

Local registration for Cub Scout Pack 600 is planned for Thursday,

Sept. 10, 6 p.m. at Pioneer Presbyterian Church, 205 Russell Street.

For more information contact committee chair Angela Allen, angela.allen@juno.com.



Courtesy photo

This year's 4-H officers are, from left (back) Jose Correa Jr, Jackie Maggenti, Mallory Dunn, Annie Dunn and Elizabeth Allen; (front) William Bess, Brandy Bess and Liam Allen.

## 4-H Club welcomes new officers

By BRANDY BESS  
4-H Club Reporter

The Winters 4-H Club officers were in-stated by members of the Yolo County 4-H All-Stars on Tuesday, Sept. 1.

This years club officers are president

Mallory Dunn, vice president Jose Correa Jr., secretary Elizabeth Allen, treasurer Jackie Maggent, reporter Brandy Bess, photographers Annie Dunn and William Bess, and community service Liam Allen.

Winters 4-H meets

on the first Tuesday of the month at St. Anthony Parish Hall at 7 p.m. Kids 5 -19 years old are invited to join. Projects range from arts to animals to science.

For more information contact Angela Allen, 795-9582.

## Volunteers sought for high school homework club

Winters High School athletics coaching staff and parents are forming a Homework Club for student athletes, to help prevent students from becoming ineligible to play sports due to poor grades. During the fall quarter, the club will meet on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, 7-7:50 a.m. Parent volunteers are

needed to help with the homework club. The coordinators want to form evening and weekend sessions if enough volunteers are available.

Donations are also being sought for snacks and drinks. All donations are tax deductible.

For more information, contact Karryn Doyle, 795-0971 or rkvn-doyle@sbcglobal.net.

No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.  
~Aesop



# Features

## Gout can usually be controlled

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I'm just an old country woman who needs to know more about gout. I have it at least twice a year, and it's so painful I can't put my foot to the floor. Please list the things not to eat so that I can kind of keep it under control. — E.W.



ANSWER: Uric acid crystals that bore their way into joints are the cause of gout. Uric acid is a byproduct of the daily turnover of body cells. As long as blood uric acid stays within a normal range, all is well. When its blood level rises, the uric acid infiltrates joints and causes intense joint pain, swelling, redness and heat.

Gout mostly happens to middle-aged and older men and to women who have gone through menopause. The base of the big toe is often the first joint to suffer an attack. Further attacks can target the heels, ankles, knees, elbows, wrists and fingers.

The definitive proof of gout is finding uric acid crystals in joint fluid. A rise in blood uric acid level is another tip. The gout diet is not very restrictive. In the days before medicines effectively controlled gout, diet was the only remedy. It's in second place these days. The consumption of red meat and especially organ meat (kidneys, heart, liver, brain and sweetbreads) should be minimized. It's best to avoid gravies. Seafood, especially anchovies, sardines and shellfish, should be eaten in moderation. Alcohol — beer in particular — can provoke an attack. All vegetables and fruits are permitted, and low-fat dairy products appear to prevent attacks.

Gout medicines are of two varieties: ones for an acute attack and ones for prevention. Indomethacin is an example of medicine for an acute attack, as is colchicine. Zyliprim (allopurinol) and Benemid (probenecid) prevent attacks. Zyliprim decreases uric acid production, and Benemid enhances its excretion by the kidneys.

The pamphlet on gout discusses this common ailment in greater detail. To order a copy,

write: Dr. Donohue — No. 302W, Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. Enclose a check or money order (no cash) for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Canada with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery. \*\*\*

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I coach junior-varsity football. In the past three years, I have had three boys have a tooth knocked out. I am trying to prepare if this ever happens again. Can you help? — H.J.

ANSWER: A knocked-out tooth can be saved if quick action is taken. Don't scrub or rub the tooth. Ligament tissue clings to it, and preserving that tissue is necessary to re-establish its mooring in the tooth socket. Rinse it with tap water. Keep the tooth moist. Reposition in the mouth if that's possible. If it isn't, put it in a container with cold milk or sterile saltwater. Transport solutions to preserve teeth are commercially available. One is Save-A-Tooth, and it would be good to keep some vials of it on hand at all games and practices.

Get the injured player to a dentist promptly. Make arrangements with a dentist to be on call at home during all games and in the office during practices.

Are your players wearing mouth guards? They should be. \*\*\*

Dr. Donohue regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but he will incorporate them in his column whenever possible. Readers may write him or request an order form of available health newsletters at P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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## Battling for title of 'best columnist'

Squabbling between columnists is not my cup of tea, but Don Sanders' critique of my love of economical French cars a few weeks back cannot be gotten away with. The truth is, I love France because as an army brat I lived there from 1960-63 as a 10 to 12 year old, and fell in love with their little odd looking Citroens.

My biggest regret is that I did not become fluent in French because we all went to an American school and kept to ourselves on the military base housing. Sanders should know about Deux Chevaux because he spent a hellish tour of duty in Vietnam, former French Indochina, and there had to be some of those cars there, at least in Saigon, left behind by French expatriates. And to not have seen a French car in Winters at all means he must be glued to a computer much of his waking hours.

I have met Sanders and he seems like a nice fellow. Anyone who lives with a Chihuahua can't be all bad. I have been informed that the Chihuahua I am pictured with in this column died in Santa Rosa de Bugaba, Panama last month. Her name was Susie, but I called her Suze Orman because she had no credit card debt.

I proposed to Sanders that a new Chihuahua picture be taken using his, and he has tentatively agreed. However, Cookie, the chic Chihuahua I marched with in the Youth Day Chihuahua contingent this year, is still a photo op contender. Chihuahuas aren't French but then again nobody's perfect. As for Jesse Loren, I have emailed her a few times but have never met her in person. I understand she is a high school teacher, and due to that fact, I have a difficult time finding anything to criticize in her.



Teachers have a rough job that's seldom ever easy. They deserve to be respected. But I can't let her get away with trashing that beautiful bombshell sharpshooter, sexy Sarah Palin.

McCain knew he wasn't going to win, so why shouldn't he have campaigned in style? Jesse Loren allegedly drove away an angry Express subscriber, but the next day I went down to the Express office and dropped off for Charley the money the paper had lost.

I don't know how many subscribers Debra has chased away, but there is a paper in the Amish part of Pennsylvania called "The Intercourse News" that might have a job for her. I have met

Debra in person several times... she is an Italian married to another Italian. Not French, but then again nobody's perfect. Italian Beer, Moretti, is one of the world's best. Not Fischer beer from France, but still acceptable.

I'll have a lot to say about France in the coming months, especially about the mother of all battles, the one in Verdun in 1916 where 750,000 men either died, disappeared or were wounded fighting over a few square miles of no man's land. Some were buried alive in a trench so that only their bayonets were left above ground. The Trench of the Bayonets is a French National Shrine and as far as I know those men are still in there, known but to God.

Sanders may think he is the best columnist, but he also admitted almost in the same sentence that Jesse Loren and I were better writers than he. Let me inform him that I don't want to be Citizen of the Year anymore than I would want to be president. If Sanders wants to run for that job in 2012 he'll certainly have my support. It's about time Winters got put on the map.

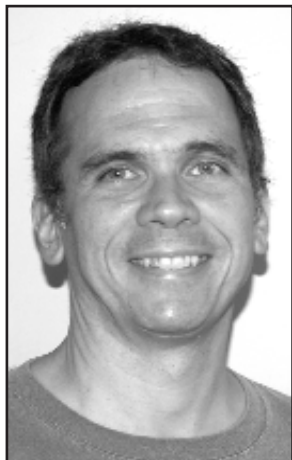
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## Pleased to meet you



**Name:** Joe DeAngelo  
**Occupation:** Software engineer manager  
**Hobby:** Brewing and blacksmithing  
**What's best about living in Winters:** Everyone's friendly!  
**Fun fact:** He hopes to open a microbrewery in Winters.

**King Crossword**

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**HOCUS-FOCUS** BY HENRY BOLTING

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

**King Crossword Answers**

Solution time: 21 mins.

**Salome's Stars**

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) An offer to help with a stalled project should reassure you that you have a workable plan in spite of the problems in getting it up and running. The week's end brings more positive news.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) A past problem about a workplace situation re-emerges early in the week. Talking things out helps ease tensions by midweek, but some hurt feelings could linger a few more days.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Optimistic aspects dominate your efforts. However, expect to confront some criticism, some of which might be valid, so keep an open mind. But overall, it's your views that will count.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Social interaction with new people, especially on the job, could be a bit strained in the early part of the week. But the awkwardness passes as you get to know each other better.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) Expect news about a follow-up to a workplace change that could make a difference in your career path. Meanwhile, new friends widen the circle for all you Social Lions who love to party.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Enjoy your well-earned plaudits for a job well done. But be aware that some people might not share your colleagues' admiration, and you might have to work harder to win them over.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) It's a good week to recheck your probably already overlong "to do" list and decide what to keep and what to discard. Lose the clutter and focus your energy on what's really important.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) This is a good time to take a new perspective on what you've been offered. Expanding your view could help to uncover any pluses or minuses that weren't apparent at first.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Applying the usual methods to this week's unique challenges might not work too well. Instead, use your creativity to find a way to resolve any impasse that develops.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) So what if fate throws some obstacles in your path this week? Just keep in mind that the sure-footed and resolute Goat can get past any barrier by focusing on the goals up ahead.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) This week calls for better communication with people in both your private life and the workplace. Start by asking questions, and then pay close attention to the answers.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Potentially beneficial workplace changes could be closer than you realize. Make sure you know what's going on so that you're not left high and dry when the good things happen.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You're not timid about pushing to have your aims realized once you've set your mind to accomplishing your goals.

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# Nuestras Noticias

## Nuevas prioridades educativas consideradas



### Cultura hispánica celebrada

Septiembre y octubre son los meses en que se celebra la cultura hispana. Habrá homenajes, celebraciones, fiestas. ¿Pero que significado tiene para nosotros los hispanos? Cuando tenemos tantos hispanos viviendo en las sombras, el significado se pierde cuando sabemos que en el país, más ciudades y estados están tomando el asunto migratorio en sus manos.

Mes de la herencia hispana, ¿qué beneficio nos trae a nosotros? Si seguimos teniendo muertos en el desierto de Arizona, seguimos teniendo miles de familias divididas, si se siguen llevando a cabo las redadas, ¿para que nos sirve la celebración? Estados Unidos como país de primer mundo, siempre ha sido compasivo, y siempre esta listo para ayudar a países que lo necesitan, pero aquí no ha querido hacer nada para resolver el conflicto migratorio. Y aliviar la situación de millones de hispanos.

La conmemoración de la hispanidad no debe ser solo de bonitos discursos, sino con actos concretos, no queremos ver tampoco políticos que aprovechando la ocasión se quieran pintar como amigos de los hispanos, nos gustaría ver en el ámbito nacional líderes hispanos que hablen por aquellos que no pueden hacerlo, que protesten por aquellos que están en las sombras, me gustaría que el pueblo de los Estados Unidos se dieran cuenta de que los indocumentados son de carne y hueso, que son personas que trabajan duro, quizá mas duro que muchos grupos, solo para salir adelante, y su único crimen, si así se le puede llamar, es haber sido cruzar la frontera en forma ilegal, para perseguir el sueño americano.

La historia de este país nos enseña que los hispanos han dejado su huella, en la cultura y en la sociedad. En principio fueron los vecinos mexicanos, pero con el tiempo fueron llegando de toda Latinoamérica, y hoy en día vemos el sello de los hispanos por todos lados, la música y comida es preferencia de muchos americanos, la mano de obra barata, sobre todo en la construcción, servicios y agricultura se ha hecho muy necesaria.

El estereotipo del hispano, a través de la historia, siempre nos han representado como trabajadores mal pagados, tal ves sea cierto, pero también ha habido grandes contribuciones en las ciencias, la política, el arte y la cultura, de hispanos notables.

En 1916, Ezequiel Cabeza de Baca se convierte en el primer hispano en ser elegido gobernador de un estado norteamericano, Nuevo México; en 1928, el ex gobernador de Nuevo México, Octaviano A. Larrazolo, es el primer hispano en llegar al Senado de Estados Unidos; en 1932, Benjamín Nathan Cardozo es el primer hispano nombrado juez de la Suprema Corte de Estados Unidos; en 1950 el actor José Ferrer es también el primero de su grupo étnico en recibir un Oscar, por su interpretación de Cyrano de Bergerac.

En 1952, Desi Arnaz es el primer rostro hispano que aparece en la televisión de Estados Unidos; en 1959 el médico Severo Ochoa obtiene el Premio Nóbel de Medicina por sus trabajos en este país; en 1961, Rita Moreno es la primera latina en ganar un Oscar, por su trabajo en la película West Side Story. Más adelante, en 1981, dos hispanos hacen también historia: Henry Cisneros es elegido alcalde de San Antonio, Texas, y se convierte en el primer hispano en dirigir una gran ciudad; Roberto Goizueta es nombrado ese mismo año presidente y director ejecutivo de Coca-Cola, símbolo del mundo empresarial norteamericano.

En 1986, el Dr. Franklin Chang Díaz es el primer hispano en volar al espacio en una nave de la NASA. Con el tiempo llega a ser el astronauta con mayor número de vuelos en los transbordadores espaciales y un pionero en los experimentos sobre las posibilidades de vida fuera de la tierra.

Los analistas económicos nos presentan como un grupo con poder económico, por nuestra capacidad de compra, los hispanos estamos siendo bombardeados con publicidad en nuestro propio idioma, ahora las grandes corporaciones nos buscan conquistar. Este mismo poder, ha hecho que más y más hispanos puedan poner sus propios negocios, para ofrecer productos y servicios al mismo hispano.

La educación de los hispanos, y el poder político son dos puntos débiles que no hemos podido superarlos. La deserción escolar, nos sigue rezagando, nuestros jóvenes al abandonar la escuela, se están conformando con muy poco, y el no asistir a una universidad nos sigue perjudicando como comunidad, porque nos están haciendo falta mas jóvenes hispanos que se gradúen de las universidades, para que ellos mismos sean el ejemplo a seguir de las generaciones que vienen atrás. La educación es tan importante en este país, ya que influye directamente en el nivel de ingresos y pobreza de la sociedad.

Como hispanos debemos demostrar lo que nos caracteriza, personas trabajadoras y responsables, personas que estamos contribuyendo con nuestro trabajo a crear un mejor país para nuestros hijos, sigamos dejando nuestra huella en este país, siéntase orgulloso de ser hispano.

Nuestras escuelas de Winters, ya han tenido su tradicional día de regreso a la escuela, (back to school), este día es cuando nosotros los padres de familia podemos conocer a los maestros de nuestros niños, los maestros explican por lo general las metas de la clase, hablan sobre la tarea, los exámenes, la disciplina, y todo lo relacionado al ambiente en el salón de clases.

Asisten un buen número de padres a todas las escuelas, debo decirles que por lo general son los padres que vemos año tras año, son padres que se preocupan por la educación de sus hijos, pero ¿En donde están los demás padres?

Al asistir a los eventos que las escuelas tienen, les demostramos a nuestros niños que su educación es muy importante para nosotros, además, es una motivación extra para los niños ver a sus padres que les demuestran interés por su escuela.

Sé de muchos padres que nunca han asistido a estos eventos, piensan que no es tan importante. Son los padres de familia que creen que la responsabilidad es solo de los niños y de los maestros.

Sabemos de la necesidad de que nuestros niños se eduquen, como también sabemos que en este país una buena educación te da una vida mejor, de ahí la necesidad de hablar, apoyar y motivar a nuestros niños

para que ellos puedan conseguir tener una mejor vida.

El único sacrificio que tenemos que hacer es persistir y motivar a nuestros hijos cada día, de que la educación es lo que les va a abrir las puertas para un mejor futuro.

Todo esto lo empezamos a hacer desde el kínder y repetírselo cada día para que cuando llegue la edad de que el niño vaya adquiriendo uso de razón y, por tanto, quiera tomar las decisiones por si mismo, aprenda a valorar la importancia que en su vida tiene la educación.

Si como padres no tomamos esa decisión en serio y se la dejamos a otros, en este caso a los maestros y la escuela, el niño puede ser que se desilusione y pierda el interés por su educación. Como padres no tienen que tener títulos universitarios, ni siquiera ser graduados de la high school, ni mucho menos.

Solo debemos estar convencidos que la educación para nuestros niños es tan importante como darles comida, medicina y protección que los niños ocupan para crecer.

Como padres debemos convencer a nuestros hijos que no hay otra actividad tan importante como la tarea escolar, la tarea debe ser más importante que el juego, la televisión, amigos, entretenimiento, lo primero es la tarea.

Después es muy fácil echarle la culpa a todo

mundo por el fracaso escolar de los hijos, sin antes ponerse a pensar si cumplieron la función de velar por la educación de los hijos.

También es muy común encontrar a padres preocuparse por la suerte educativa de sus hijos, cuando estos ya han decidido tomar otros caminos fuera de la educación y cuando es tarde para buscar remedio. Pienso que en estos casos los padres fallan cuando desde una edad temprana no se toma en serio el estudio de los niños, dejándolo todo al último minuto.

¿Por qué hay tantos entre nuestra comunidad que rehúsan tomar en serio la educación de sus hijos? ¿Por qué tantos jóvenes hispanos hoy día están abandonando la escuela para entregarse al ocio y a la opción de quedarse rezagados para pasar a ocupar los lugares más bajos en la escala social?

Los padres deben comprender que no solo emprendieron el sacrificio de venir a esta sociedad para lograr ellos una mejoría económica, sino para que sus hijos alcancen un mejor futuro.

Ese futuro diferente sólo se podrá lograr si guían sus hijos por el camino de la educación, que económicamente casi es gratis y que solo exige que desde temprana edad inculquen en sus hijos el amor y la entrega a la educación. Para hacer esto, no hay que tener una profesión

y ni saber mucho de todo.

Necesitamos sentar las bases de una buena educación, poniendo interés desde que el niño empieza su caminar en las escuelas. Por eso, es tanto la insistencia que hace la escuela de que los padres tienen que ser activos participantes en la educación de sus hijos. Para llevar a cabo ese trabajo debemos tener la clara idea de que por encima de la educación no hay otra meta más importante para los hijos.

La obtención de una educación para jóvenes de hoy es más crítica que en el pasado, ya que, una persona sin ninguna formación académica se le hará casi imposible obtener un trabajo que le posibilite una vida cómoda.

De manera que hoy es más urgente que nunca, que inculquemos en nuestros hijos que asistan y continúen en la escuela, sobre todo en momentos en que no solo se demanda más educación, sino en que los hispanos abandonan las escuelas con más frecuencia que cualquier otro grupo.

Pongamos nuestro grano de arena para detener la deserción escolar por parte de nuestros jóvenes. Por lo tanto en inicio de un nuevo año escolar nos trae el reto de participar, ayudar y motivar a nuestros niños para que busquen un futuro mejor.

### Aniversario nacional reacio

Llega una vez mas el momento triste de recordar los atentados a Nueva York y Washington, perpetrados por grupos vinculados con Al-Qaeda. El 11 de septiembre de 2001 no sólo murieron de manera trágica 2 mil 986 personas víctimas del terrorismo irracional, sino que concluyó para el mundo una etapa de relativa tranquilidad.

Desde ese día la comunidad internacional vive presa del temor y asediada por la inseguridad, lo que se ha reflejado en la forma en que se viaja, se hace diplomacia y aun la manera en que conviven entre sí seres humanos de diferentes razas, religiones y culturas, quienes ahora en comunidad recelan más uno del otro.

Después de esa fecha, los muertos en las torres gemelas se han extendido de manera exponencial en Afganistán e Irak, donde el programa antiterrorista estimula

do de forma particular por el ex presidente George W. Bush lanzó sus más potentes armas contra quienes, a su parecer, fueron los responsables de aquella atrocidad original.

Esta actitud beligerante cobro, a su vez, una cuota mayor de sangre inocente, en atentados contra las ciudades de Madrid y Londres, haciendo que la espiral de la violencia amenace con ser infinita. No ha habido poder humano capaz de poner un alto racional a esta masacre.

No es justo que las superpotencias de Occidente y los grupos fundamentalistas árabes mantengan la irresponsable disposición a que sus conciudadanos mueran día a día, como mártires de causas de cuestionable validez en un caso y de frenético fanatismo en el otro.

Como quiera que sea, ambos argumentos tienen al resto del mundo como rehén.

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Published September 3, 10, 2009

**Trustee's Sale**

Trustee Sale No.: 20070134011881 Title Order No.: 1149367 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 02/06/2006. 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. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 02/14/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0006142-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: MISAEEL BAUTISTA MANGANA AND JOEL DEL RIO, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 09/16/2009 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **203 ANDERSON AVENUE WINTERS, CA 95694** APN#: 003-276-10-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$413,585.35. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 08/24/2009 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P607790 8/27, 9/3, 09/10/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 1213840-10 APN: 049-490-14-1 TRA: 063078 LOAN NO: XXXXX3826 REF: Santana, Reynaldo IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED February 15, 2006. 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 September 22, 2009, at 9:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded February 24, 2006, as Inst. No. 2006-0007574-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by Reynaldo Santana and Guadalupe M Santana Husband And Wife, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank At the rear (north) entrance to the city hall building 1110 West Capitol Avenue West Sacramento, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **16834 Sebastian Way Esparto CA 95627** 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 held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$266,577.11. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Regarding the property that is the subject of this notice of sale, the "mortgage loan servicer" as defined in civil code § 2923.53(k)(3), declares that it has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to civil code section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52. California Declaration I, John Kennedy, of America's Servicing Company ("Mortgage Loan Servicer"), declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the following is true and correct: The Mortgage Loan Services has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporation a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the accompanying Notice of Sale is filed. AND/OR The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (a) of Civil Code Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date and Place: 07/03/2009 Fort Mill, South Carolina Name of Signor: John Kennedy Title and/or Position VP Communication. For sales information: Mon-Fri 9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: August 19, 2009. (R-253906 08/27/09, 09/03/09, 09/10/09)

**Trustee's Sale**

TSG No.: 4127196 TS No.: 20099017101150 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 11/28/2006. 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 09/22/2009 at 09:00 AM, FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 12/01/2006, as Instrument No.2006-0047295-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. Executed by: JOHN TWEEDT, IRENE GOYA TWEEDT, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (Payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 003-402-02-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **464 MAIN ST, WINTERS, CA, 95694** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any , shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$335,437.91. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. First American Loanstar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 Original document signed by Authorized Agent FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 619-590-1221 Date: 08/20/2009 FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Requirements of SB1137 have been met pursuant to the Notice of Sale Declaration of record. The beneficiary or servicing agent declares that it has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporations a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the Notice of Sale is filed and/or The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (s) of California Civil Code Section 2923.52 applies and has been provided or the loan is exempt from the requirements. Authorized Signature: Chet Sconyers 08/27/09, 09/03/09, 09/10/09 R-254383

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. # CA-09-249814-CL YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 3/1/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): JESUS MARTINEZ, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 3/8/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0008735-00 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale: 9/16/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. 95691 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$433,345.50 The purported property address is: **204 RED BUD LN WINTERS, CA 95694** Assessors Parcel No. 038-204-06-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, please refer to the referenced legal description for property location. In the event no common address or common designation of the property is provided herein directions to the location of the property may be obtained within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale by sending a written request to Aurora Loan Services 327 South Inverness Drive Englewood CO 80112. Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has not obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does apply to this notice of sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 8/19/2009 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com Reinstatement Line: 619-645-7711 Quality Loan Service, Corp. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3233704 08/27/2009, 09/03/2009, 09/10/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

Trustee Sale No. 734609CA Loan No. 5303704919 Title Order No. 3206-227057 Notice of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/1/2006. 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 PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 9/30/2009 at 12:45 PM California Reconveyance Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust, recorded on 05/11/2006, Book , Page , Instrument 2006-0018521-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by: JUAN M BARBOSA AND PIEDAD Z BARBOSA, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Trustor, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., (MERS), SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER, SIERRA PACIFIC MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC., IT'S SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS., as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant the Deed of Trust. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Legal Description: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$447,258.31 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: **1029 VILLAGE CIRCLE, Winters, CA 95694** APN NUMBER: 003-501-003-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares: that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. Date: 9/4/2009 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT Exhibit DECLARATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.54 Pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.54, the undersigned loan servicer declares as follows: 1. It has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.54 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; and 2. The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or Section 2923.55. JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association Name: Ann Thorn Title: First Vice President California Reconveyance Company, as Trustee (714) 259-7850 or www.fidelityasap.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com Deborah Brignac California Reconveyance Company is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Deborah Brignac, Vice President 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop N110612 Chatsworth, CA 91311 P612304 9/10, 9/17, 09/24/2009

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**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 09-0050743 Title Order No. 4103675 Investor/Insurer No. 153203408 APN No. 003-461-05-1 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 11/21/2006. 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." Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by FRANK NIETO, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE & SEPARATE PROPERTY, dated 11/21/2006 and recorded 11/21/06, as Instrument No. 2006-0047266-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 09/23/2009 at 12:00PM, At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. 95691 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **824 JACKSON ST, WINTERS, CA, 95694-1502**. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$328,137.70. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. DATED: 08/16/2009 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: - Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. ASAP# 3240409 09/03/2009, 09/10/2009, 09/17/2009

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**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. GM-190085-C Loan No. 0359392268 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 8/15/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by the duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. TRUSTOR: WADE D. WILLIAMS, AN UNMARRIED MAN Recorded 8/23/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0033098-00 in Book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale: 9/10/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California Property Address is purported to be: **424 EDWARDS STREET WINTERS, CA 95694** APN #: 003-171-20-1 The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is \$426,874.19, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date: 8/18/2009 ETS Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: 714-730-2727 Sunil Jayasinha, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER ASAP# 3203872 08/20/2009, 08/27/2009, 09/03/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. : 20090159907291 Title Order No.: 090368499 FHA/VA/PMI No.: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 01/03/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDEx WEST, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 01/05/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0000600-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. EXECUTED BY: JAVIER REYES AND MARIA VICTORIA BARAJAS, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). DATE OF SALE: 09/30/2009 TIME OF SALE: 12:00 PM PLACE OF SALE: AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA. STREET ADDRESS and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **435 RUSSELL STREET, WINTERS, CALIFORNIA 95694** APN#: 003-182-72 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$254,731.89. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. FOR TRUSTEE SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: AGENCY SALES & POSTING 3210 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 200 IRVINE, CA 92602 714-730-2727 www.lpsasap.com NDEx West, L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDEx West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent Dated: 09/05/2009 NDEx West, L.L.C. 15000 Surveyor Boulevard, Suite 500 Addison, Texas 75001-9013 Telephone: (866) 795-1852 Telecopier: (972) 661-7800 ASAP# 3234874 09/10/2009, 09/17/2009, 09/24/2009

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Anthony Gummert  
5233 Midway Rd., Vacaville, CA 95688  
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s/Christian Riz

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**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. # CA-09-271842-TC YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/20/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): SHELLY SARRO, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 7/3/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0023768-00 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale: 9/17/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. 95691 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$373,186.90 The purported property address is: **730 HEMENWAY STREET WINTERS, CA 95694** Assessors Parcel No. 03-392-16-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, please refer to the referenced legal description for property location. In the event no common address or common designation of the property is provided herein directions to the location of the property may be obtained within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale by sending a written request to OneWest Bank, FSB 2900 Esperanza Crossing Austin TX 78758 Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 8/17/2009 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com Reinstatement Line: (877) 908-4357 Quality Loan Service, Corp. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3229421 08/27/2009, 09/03/2009, 09/10/2009



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**Notice of Public Hearing****BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE****WINTERS JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

There will be a public hearing at the regular Board meeting of October 1, 2009, to be held at the Winters Joint Unified School District Office, 909 W. Grant Avenue, beginning at 6:30 p.m. regarding the sufficiency of textbooks for instructional materials. The Williams Act mandates that school district governing boards certify compliance with Education Code Section 60119 by holding a public hearing stating that each pupil in the district has sufficient textbooks or instructional materials in specific subjects consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum frameworks adopted by the State Board of Education. Published September 3, 10, 2009

**Trustee's Sale**

Trustee Sale No.: 20070134011881 Title Order No.: 1149367 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 02/06/2006. 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. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 02/14/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0006142-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: MISAEEL BAUTISTA MANGANA AND JOEL DEL RIO, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 09/16/2009 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **203 ANDERSON AVENUE WINTERS, CA 95694** APN#: 003-276-10-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$413,585.35. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 08/24/2009 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P607790 8/27, 9/3, 09/10/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 1213840-10 APN: 049-490-14-1 TRA: 063078 LOAN NO: XXXXX3826 REF: Santana, Reynaldo IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED February 15, 2006. 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 September 22, 2009, at 9:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded February 24, 2006, as Inst. No. 2006-0007574-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by Reynaldo Santana and Guadalupe M Santana Husband And Wife, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank at the rear (north) entrance to the city hall building 1110 West Capitol Avenue West Sacramento, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **16834 Sebastian Way Esparto CA 95627** 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 held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$266,577.11. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Regarding the property that is the subject of this notice of sale, the "mortgage loan servicer" as defined in civil code § 2923.53(k)(3), declares that it has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to civil code section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52. California Declaration I, John Kennedy, of America's Servicing Company ("Mortgage Loan Servicer"), declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the following is true and correct: The Mortgage Loan Services has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporation a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the accompanying Notice of Sale is filed. AND/OR The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (a) of Civil Code Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date and Place: 07/03/2009 Fort Mill, South Carolina Name of Signor: John Kennedy Title and/or Position VP Communication. For sales information: Mon-Fri 9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: August 19, 2009. (R-253906 08/27/09, 09/03/09, 09/10/09)

**Trustee's Sale**

TSG No.: 4127196 TS No.: 20099017101150 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 11/28/2006. 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 09/22/2009 at 09:00 AM, FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 12/01/2006, as Instrument No.2006-0047295-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. Executed by: JOHN TWEEDT, IRENE GOYA TWEEDT, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (Payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 003-402-02-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **464 MAIN ST, WINTERS, CA, 95694** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any , shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$335,437.91. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. First AmericanLoanstar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 Original document signed by Authorized Agent FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 619-590-1221 Date: 08/20/2009 FIRST AMERICAN LOANSTAR TRUSTEE SERVICES MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Requirements of SB1137 have been met pursuant to the Notice of Sale Declaration of record. The beneficiary or servicing agent declares that it has obtained from the Commissioner of Corporations a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the Notice of Sale is filed and/or The timeframe for giving Notice of Sale specified in subdivision (s) of California Civil Code Section 2923.52 applies and has been provided or the loan is exempt from the requirements. Authorized Signature: Chet Sconyers 08/27/09, 09/03/09, 09/10/09 R-254383

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS # CA-09-249814-CL YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 3/1/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): JESUS MARTINEZ, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 3/8/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0008735-00 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California; Date of Sale: 9/16/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. 95691 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$433,345.50 The purported property address is: **204 RED BUD LN WINTERS, CA 95694** Assessors Parcel No. 038-204-06-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, please refer to the referenced legal description for property location. In the event no common address or common designation of the property is provided herein directions to the location of the property may be obtained within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale by sending a written request to Aurora Loan Services 327 South Inverness Drive Englewood CO 80112. Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has not obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does apply to this notice of sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 8/19/2009 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com Reinstatement Line: 619-645-7711 Quality Loan Service, Corp. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS NOTICE IS SENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING A DEBT. THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER AND OWNER OF THE NOTE. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED BY OR PROVIDED TO THIS FIRM OR THE CREDITOR WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3233704 08/27/2009, 09/03/2009, 09/10/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

Trustee Sale No. 734609CA Loan No. 5303704919 Title Order No. 3206-227057 Notice of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/1/2006. 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 PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 9/30/2009 at 12:45 PM California Reconveyance Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust, recorded on 05/11/2006, Book , Page , Instrument 2006-0018521-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by: JUAN M BARBOSA AND PIEDAD Z BARBOSA, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Truor, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., (MERS), SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER, SIERRA PACIFIC MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC., IT'S SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS., as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant the Deed of Trust. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Legal Description: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$447,258.31 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: **1029 VILLAGE CIRCLE, Winters, CA 95694** APN NUMBER: 003-501-003-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declares: that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure; or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone; by United States mail; either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail; by face to face meeting. Date: 9/4/2009 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT Exhibit DECLARATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.54 Pursuant to California Civil Code Section 2923.54, the undersigned loan servicer declares as follows: 1. It has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.54 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; and 2. The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or Section 2923.55. JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association Name: Ann Thorn Title: First Vice President California Reconveyance Company, as Trustee (714) 259-7850 or www.fidelityasap.com (714) 573-1965 or www.priorityposting.com Deborah Brignac California Reconveyance Company is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Deborah Brignac, Vice President 9200 Oakdale Avenue Mail Stop N110612 Chatsworth, CA 91311 P612304 9/10, 9/17, 09/24/2009

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**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 09-0050743 Title Order No. 4103675 Investor/Insurer No. 153203408 APN No. 003-461-05-1 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 11/21/2006. 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." Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by FRANK NIETO, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE & SEPARATE PROPERTY, dated 11/21/2006 and recorded 11/21/06, as Instrument No. 2006-0047266-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 09/23/2009 at 12:00PM, At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA. 95691 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **824 JACKSON ST, WINTERS, CA, 95694-1502**. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$328,137.70. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. DATED: 08/16/2009 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapa Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: - Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. ASAP# 3240409 09/03/2009, 09/10/2009, 09/17/2009

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FBN NUMBER 2009-816  
Fictitious Business Name  
The Trading Post Tack Shop  
16938 Yolo Ave., Esparto, CA 95627  
P.O. Box 125, Esparto, CA 95627  
Name of Registrant  
Bruce N Eary  
P.O. Box 125, Esparto, CA 95627  
This business classification is: Individual s/Bruce N Eary  
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.  
State of California, County of Yolo  
FREDDIE OAKLEY County Clerk/Recorder  
Liz Mahovich, Deputy Clerk  
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**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. GM-190085-C Loan No. 0359392268 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 8/15/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by the duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. TRUSTOR:WADE D. WILLIAMS, AN UNMARRIED MAN Recorded 8/23/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0033098-00 in Book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale:9/10/2009 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California Property Address is purported to be: **424 EDWARDS STREET WINTERS, CA 95694** APN #: 003-171-20-1 The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is \$426,874.19, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. Pursuant to California Civil Code 2923.54 the undersigned, on behalf of the beneficiary, loan servicer or authorized agent, declares as follows: [ 1 ] The mortgage loan servicer has obtained from the commissioner a final or temporary order of exemption pursuant to Section 2923.53 that is current and valid on the date the notice of sale is filed; [ 2 ] The timeframe for giving notice of sale specified in subdivision (a) of Section 2923.52 does not apply pursuant to Section 2923.52 or 2923.55. Date: 8/18/2009 ETS Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: 714-730-2727 Sunil Jayasinha, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER ASAP# 3203872 08/20/2009, 08/27/2009, 09/03/2009

**Trustee's Sale**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. : 20090159907291 Title Order No.: 090368499 FHA/VA/PMI No.: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 01/03/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDEx WEST, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 01/05/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0000600-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of CALIFORNIA. EXECUTED BY: JAVIER REYES AND MARIA VICTORIA BARAJAS, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). DATE OF SALE: 09/30/2009 TIME OF SALE: 12:00 PM PLACE OF SALE: AT THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA. STREET ADDRESS and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **435 RUSSELL STREET, WINTERS, CALIFORNIA 95694** APN#: 003-182-72 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$254,731.89. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. FOR TRUSTEE SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: AGENCY SALES & POSTING 3210 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 200 IRVINE, CA 92602 714-730-2727 www.lpsasap.com NDEx West, L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDEx West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent Dated: 09/05/2009 NDEx West, L.L.C. 15000 Surveyor Boulevard, Suite 500 Addison, Texas 75001-9013 Telephone: (866) 795-1852 Telecopier: (972) 661-7800 ASAP# 3234874 09/10/2009, 09/17/2009, 09/24/2009