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COUNTY SUPERVISOR

"Fortune always leaves a door open in adversity in order to bring relief to it." – Miguel de Cervantes, Don Quixote

This month began with a prankster's favorite day: April Fool's Day. I came into work, called everyone into my office and said that my heart just wasn't into this work anymore and I would be resigning within a month. I hadn't even come to the part I'd prepared where I would offer them letters of recommendation before the jig was up...

Truth be told, not only will I not be tapping out anytime soon, but the hard work myself, my staff and the sacrifices Lisa and I have made in our private lives have resulted in the ultimate gift of affirmation for the job we're doing: I will be unopposed in the upcoming election!

I do not take this turn of events for granted and will continue tilting at windmills on behalf of the residents of Sacramento County. Unwavering optimism in the possibility of positive change may indeed be exactly what is needed. There is still much more work to be done and you can read in this newsletter about a new opportunity being afforded to me to affect change in an important policy area.

Since I won't have a challenger, my proposed ballot statement won't be printed, but I wanted to share it here:

I have spent my first term working hard to improve the quality of life for Sacramento County residents. I champion common-sense approaches to prevent lawlessness, meaningfully address the homeless, improve emergency medical response and

support small business. This includes fostering regional-wide collaboration to act as a rising tide to lift all boats.

This next term will be focused on continuing to address issues in the Fifth District as well as tackling system-wide changes to decades-old challenges that no longer serve the world we live in.

I believe government should remember that it works for the people, not the other way around. If something is legal, feasible and reasonable, government should be asking how to help - acting as a facilitator, not a gatekeeper.

My support is as diverse as the District I represent. That's why I've earned the backing of law enforcement and firefighters, labor and business groups, as well as builders and farmers.

This broad coalition is because I show up, work hard and make tough decisions when they're needed. If you'll let me, I'll keep doing that for you. I humbly ask for your vote of confidence to continue serving.

I am grateful for the opportunity to continue representing the people in the 5th District. I look forward to continuing to serve and doing what I can, where I can, while I can.

As always, please share this newsletter with a friend or neighbor and encourage them to [subscribe](#) for future newsletters or check out my Facebook page [here](#).

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California Water Plan 2028 Advisory Committee

My first term as County Supervisor started off with a bang in 2023 following the historic flooding of the Cosumnes River in the south area of the county. I knew then that water policy, planning and long-term management would be among the most important issues I would tackle during my time representing District 5. What I couldn't have foreseen was how quickly water planning, delivery and conservation would reach the critical stage that we find ourselves in today, with weather patterns disrupting traditional supply models, increased regulation on use and conservation and aging infrastructure that is feeling the strain for reliability. I now have the opportunity to sit on the state advisory committee to ensure our local experience is part of our state's next water plan.



As I'm sure many of you know, the State is on a fast track to construct the delta tunnels, known as the Delta Conveyance Project, a controversial and unnecessary 45-mile underground tunnel to divert water around the Sacramento River and Delta for delivery to the Central Valley and Southern California. As you might also know, I have

been a vocal advocate for alternative methods to secure water delivery in the state: namely, by strengthening our levee systems, investing in the repair of existing infrastructure, recharging groundwater supplies and improving regional self-reliance on local water supply systems. I continue to believe that through collaboration among all stakeholders, forward-thinking solutions can be identified that will protect our farms, fisheries and flyways.

Because of my work on water issues in Sacramento County, I have been invited to serve on the California Water Plan 2028 Advisory Committee (CWPAC), formed to meet the guidelines set out by Senate Bill (SB) 72 that was signed into law earlier this year and designed to establish expectations for modernizing our state's water plan and deliver a blueprint for long-term water reliability and resilience. In a nutshell, SB 72 directs the State Department of Water Resources (DWR) to form a clear understanding of water supply gaps, come up with a series of water management strategies and identify 9 million acre-feet of additional water supply by 2040. Not a small task!

As a member of the CWPAC, my role will be to assist DWR in developing the California Water Plan 2028 by:

- Providing input on key policy and technical issues
- Sharing data, perspectives and lessons learned from my work in Sacramento County
- Exploring opportunities for collaboration and alignment across planning efforts

- Identifying practical solutions to strengthen the resiliency of California's water systems
- Bringing insights from my District and the whole of Sacramento County into the California Water Plan process, and communicating updates back to my colleagues and constituents



Time is of the essence and CWPAC's work has already begun. The effort to develop the California Water Plan 2028 will start with a rollout of technical work in 2026 and 2027, followed by the release of a draft plan for public review and ultimately the release of a finalized plan by the end of 2028. A lot of work to do and not a lot of time to do it!

I look forward to serving on CWPAC and sharing our local perspective with the diverse group of water stakeholders who have been tasked to serve on this committee. As the only Delta representative, I'll be working to ensure that the values of the Delta as an evolving place—the people, agriculture, recreation and natural resources—stay front and center.

Earth Day in Sacramento County

I'm not sure if it's the longer days or just the layer of pollen on every surface, but April has a way of getting your attention in Sacramento County. It's also a great time to think about how we care for our community and our environment, especially as we begin to enjoy the early spring and come together to celebrate Easter and Earth Day this month.



If you're looking for ways to get outside and more involved in your community, this month offers a lot of great options.

The [Cordova Recreation and Park District](#) is kicking things off with an Arbor Day tree planting at Lincoln Village Community Park on Saturday, April 4th. Later in the month, the [Rosemont Community Association](#) will host a family-friendly Earth Day celebration at Rosemont Community Park, followed by the region's largest Earth Day event organized by [Environmental Council of](#)

[Sacramento](#) at Southside Park. And, on Earth Day itself, April 22nd, Sacramento Regional Transit will also be offering free rides, which, if you don't normally take public transit, is a pretty good excuse to give it a try.

April is also Organic Waste Reduction and Food Recovery Month in Sacramento County. Here's a quick "did you know" that might surprise you: landfills are the third largest source of methane in California. A huge portion of what ends up in those landfills is actually organic material, things like food scraps, yard trimmings, paper and cardboard. When that material breaks down, it produces methane, a greenhouse gas that's significantly more powerful than carbon dioxide in trapping heat. It also contributes to air pollution that can worsen asthma and other health conditions.

The flip side is that keeping organics out of landfills has some real benefits. It reduces methane emissions, helps extend landfill capacity, and allows us to turn that material into compost that enriches soil and helps grow healthier plants and food. Win-win.

Grocery stores are already donating unsold but still perfectly good food



to local food banks. That effort is now expanding to include restaurants, catering companies, hospitals and hotels, all places that handle large volumes of food and can give their surplus food a second life, putting it to use for families across the county instead of letting it go to waste.

Being a little more mindful about food waste, using your organics bin, or even composting at home can make a difference, especially if you're gardening in your own backyard. It's one of those things that individually may feel small but together we can collectively make big shifts.

And, if you're already thinking about ways to be a little more sustainable, the month of May is right around the corner which brings the May is Bike Month campaign, a 20+-year-old, regional initiative encouraging people to swap a few car trips for bike rides to reduce traffic congestion and improve our air quality. Who knows, you may even discover a new favorite route through your neighborhood.

At the end of the day, none of these actions have to be all-or-nothing. Whether you show up to a local Earth Day event, try transit for the first time, cut back on food waste, or hop on a bike a little more often, it all adds up to lessening our impact on the world around us.

Out & About in District 5



I had a wonderful morning throwing out the first pitch for the opening day of the Rosemont Little League. Wishing all the teams a great season! Top right and middle center: with Assemblymember Josh Hoover, who caught my first pitch to help kick off the day.



Thank you to the ACC Senior Services for inviting me to serve as the auctioneer at their annual Crab Feed Fundraiser! Top Left: Dr. Carl Hsu, me and Dr. Alvin Cheung. Top Right: me with ACC Board Chair Jean Shiomoto and ACC Development Director Scott Okamoto.



I had the pleasure of touring the Mather Jet Center and celebrating the first-year anniversary of the Center's opening! Top Left: me, Robert Thomas, Art Negrette and Victor Cushing. Top Right: me and Matt Bosco. Bottom Left: Matt and Tricia Bosco. Bottom Right: Victor, me, and Matt.



I had the honor of being invited to be the guest speaker at the Walnut Grove Rotary Club luncheon. It's always great spending time with these folks! Top Left: me with Club President, Tim Cook. Bottom: enjoying a wonderful lunch with past-president, Jan LeRoy and Lisa.



An amazing evening at the Cordova Community Council Volunteer Awards event. Congratulations to Carrie Johnson, Rick Sloan and all the award recipients. Top Left: me, Curt & Marjorie Haven and Rick Sloan. Top Right: Supervisor Rich Desmond, Carrie Johnson, Rick and myself. Bottom Left: Ashleigh Kaufman, Rebecca & Rick Sloan, me, Carrie & Mike Johnson. Bottom Right: with Terry and Joe Gough.



Celebrating with Skyrise Aviation as the newest Cirrus Training Center in the greater Sacramento region, located at Mather Airport. Pictured with me on the left: Skyrise Aviation staff Nick and Co-Founder Marc Houston.

Upcoming Events

!!FOOD TRUCK MANIA IS BACK!!




Every First Friday of the Month, April-October
Rosemont Community Park, 5pm-8pm



Scan the code to get the lineup
of food trucks for April 3.

Pick up a free book at the
Rosemont Reads table.

>>>>  Rosemont Community Association <<<<



 **Cordova**
Parks & Recreation
www.cordovapd.gov

Join us for
**the District's Arbor
Day Celebration**

**Saturday, April 4
at 8:30 a.m.**
at
**Lincoln Village
Community Park**

Join the District to help grow your
community one tree at a time!

Register online at cordovarpd.gov
Registered volunteers will receive a free boxed lunch from
the City of Rancho Cordova!



TOUCH-A-TRUCK & SAFETY EXPO

Saturday
April 4
9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Join us in April for a hands on, family friendly event where kids can explore real emergency and service vehicles, meet local heroes, and learn about community safety, all while enjoying the Market.

Live music, delicious food and so much more!



Markets are first Saturdays of the month,
March through November.

4th & C Streets, Galt, CA



For more information contact the Special Event Division
at (209) 366-7115 or jgarcia@cityofgalt.org.



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Fields

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7TH ANNUAL RANCHO CORDOVA

STUDENT ART SHOW




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APRIL 9-25

ATC

Artist Trading Card MAKER DAY

April. 9th | 4:30-7 pm.

Rancho Cordova Arts will have ATC MAKER DAYS once a month at the MACC upstairs for artists to bring their materials and make Artist Trading Cards and share community space together. You don't have to be a member of RC Arts to participate.

This is FREE to attend, bring your materials to work on your 2.5"x3.5" ATC's. You will have some access to MACC materials. Sign up to attend on the MACC calendar.






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Sacramento
Children's
Museum

Dogs
with Jobs

APRIL 11, 10am - 11:30am

 *The Rancho Cordova*
Luncheon

April Luncheon


DOVA


RESERVATIONS REQUIRED


- \$20 for members of the Cordova Community Council and/or the Rancho Cordova Area Chamber of Commerce
- \$30 for non-members and walk-ins (may not be accommodated if space is limited)

Want to become a member?

Visit our website: cordovacouncil.org

 11:30am-1:00pm

 April 17, 2026

 Rancho Cordova City Hall
2729 Prospect Park Drive
Rancho Cordova CA 95670

BUY YOUR TICKET TODAY

Reservation deadline is Wednesday before the luncheon.
www.cordovacouncil.org/the-rancho-cordova-luncheon





Elk Grove Lions
BURGERS & BREWS
DINNER

April 18
Oak Ballroom
at Wackford Rec Center



Only \$45 per person.

We accept cash, checks or credit cards.

Contact Jason Springer at

JasonSpringer72@hotmail.com

<https://elk-grove-lions-foundation.square.site/>



SHRED DAY

SCFB Members
1st box free, \$5 per additional
box suggested minimum

Non Members
\$10 per box



WHEN & WHERE

April 22nd 12pm - 2pm

Back Parking Lot of Sacramento County Farm Bureau Office
8970 Elk Grove Blvd. Elk Grove, CA 95624

LIMITED SPACE

RSVP By April 15th

At www.sacfarmbureau.org/shred or call
(916)685-6958 with membership name or number & # of boxes

IMPORTANT

No boxes larger than a banker box, No boxes left onsite & No binder clips

ROSEMONT
EARTH DAY
Go GREEN!!
PARTY

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FOR THE PEOPLE

Cordova
Government & Park District

Rosemont Community Association

Saturday, April 25
10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Rosemont Community Park



CORDOVA COMMUNITY COUNCIL Presents

36th Annual Kids Day

America, the Beautiful

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Saturday, April 25
Hagan Community Park
2197 Chase Drive
Rancho Cordova

**FREE Admission
and Activities**

FREE Giveaways
FUN Attractions
PARENT Resources
Fun!



GALT
Chamber of Commerce
PRESENTS
**COW PLOP
BINGO**

SATURDAY
April 25
2026

6 TO
10PM

CHANCE TO
WIN CASH!

- ★ MUSIC
- ★ FOOD
- ★ FUN FOR THE FAMILY!

Roenspie + Johnson Real Estate Group
628 C St, Galt, CA 95632


STEPHANIE NGUYEN
 Assemblymember, District 10

50 YEARS
 1975 - 2025



50th Black April Memorial Commemoration Week

MONDAY, APRIL 28TH @ 1 PM - ASSEMBLY FLOOR COMMEMORATION
 Honoring Veterans who served during the Vietnam War

 California State Capital
 1315 10th St, Sacramento, CA 95814

TUESDAY, APRIL 29TH @ 6 PM - MOMENT OF SILENCE
 Observing a moment of silence and laying flowers

 Vietnam Veterans Memorial
 1317 15th St, Sacramento, CA 95814

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30TH @ 5 PM - BLACK APRIL
 The 50th Commemoration of the fall of Saigon

 Asian Resources, Inc.
 6270 Elder Creek, Road Sacramento, CA




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