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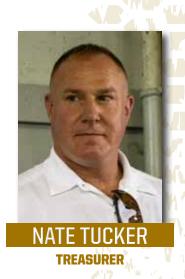




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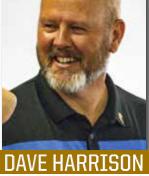


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ON THE COVER

Graniterock Excavator Operator Jerrod Dewey means business, as he mines topsoil as part of the giant Upper Llagas Creek Flood Protection Project for Valley Water. The project will provide flood protection for 1,100 homes, 500 businesses and more than 1,300 acres of farmland in Santa Clara County.



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Local 3 prevails

By the time you receive this, you may have already voted by mail. If so, thank you. For those of you who haven't and are planning to vote in-person, be sure to check your Secretary of State's website to find where your polling place is, as locations may have changed due to COVID. Please refer to Local 3's recommendations on pages 10-13 in this edition, on our website (www.oe3.org) or on your OE3 Mobile App.

These are very difficult and divided political times. Please vote with your wages, benefits, protected work and collective bargaining rights in mind. Being a leader often means standing up for what is right, even if it's not popular. Those of you in supervisory or job steward positions understand this. Your administration understands and values the importance of doing the right thing and being transparent, even in trying times.

Being a leader has also meant navigating the ongoing uncertainty of COVID regulations across our four-state jurisdiction. This Engineers News edition illustrates just how well we have all done in communicating to each other, in staying safe, in utilizing our training centers, in organizing, in political efforts and in reaching out when we need to. Local 3 has been deemed an essential workforce because of your skillset and your administration's efforts in proving that projects must continue for the well-being of our communities. In here, you will read about a flood-relief project in Morgan Hill District 90 that was secured because of your political efforts many years ago and continues because it will make local residents safe from the disastrous effects of flooding. You will read about the sons and daughters of our members who received lucrative scholarships from the Operating Engineers Scholarship Foundation, because of their school achievements, because we extended the deadlines due to COVID and because Local 3 values higher education. You will read about how our communities are coming together safely, even in the aftermath of severe fires throughout California. Signatory companies and individual Operating Engineers have worked tirelessly to aid firefighters in creating fire breaks, provide emergency water and give donations to help families in need. You will also read how Local 3's Assistance and Recovery Program (ARP) is available 24 hours a day to take your call, if you need help. (And everyone has needed some kind of help to battle things like isolation, depression, financial stress or the general upheaval of life as we knew it, during these times.) You can't help your families, your co-workers or your friends, if you are not healthy, so make sure you reach out, if you need to.

I want to remind everyone that we must try and focus on the positive things in our lives. For many of us, it's that we have secured employment under a Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) and get a union staff that stands by us and educates us on our contracts and our rights. Please see Treasurer Nate Tucker's column in this edition on another way we are working to ensure employers follow Labor Law. We can be thankful for each other. Many of you worked very hard during this political cycle, including weekend-long precinct walks in the swing-state of Nevada. You did this safely and put in the time to spread the word about how Labor needs certain commitments from politicians and certain measures to pass, so the middle class can succeed as COVID continues on.

This month marks the beginning of the holiday season, and while we know holidays may be different this year, what remains the same is that we must focus on our families and supporting each other in the best way we can. Despite the crazy year it has been, we still have things to be thankful for.

I also want to pause and honor our veterans, not just because Veterans Day is this month, but because these men and women sacrifice everything for our freedoms and sometimes give their lives, so that we may enjoy ours. Let's not forget that. Many of our staff members, including some of your officers and thousands of our members are veterans. They bring unique skillsets, incredible discipline, tireless work ethic and steadfast loyalty to their jobs, and we appreciate them. Veterans make great Operating Engineers.

While we made the difficult decision to cancel the fourth quarter round of District/Town Hall and Retiree Meetings, we will continue to place communications on our official YouTube page and find other creative ways to get you the information you need. Sometimes this means traveling to far places to visit safely with a Retiree who has been isolated. See next month's edition for a special article on this effort.

Stay safe, brothers and sisters. I am thankful for this membership, your commitment to your union, your political efforts, your dedication to training and your continued safety practices. By next month, will know the outcome of the General Election, and all the turmoil surrounding this may subside a little and we can move forward. No matter what, Local 3 prevails.



Dan Reching

Thank you, Business Agent Mike Eggener (left) for your service in the Marines as one of the "Mortar Men," 1st Marine Division and Marine Security Battalion. Also, thank you, Business Agent Ralph Handel (right) for your military service in the U.S. Navy as an aviation machinist mate.

By Steve Ingersoll, president NEWSENOTES

Members get to work turning endorsements into victories

Despite promises made by the Trump campaign in 2016 to dramatically increase federal infrastructure spending, a realistic proposal never took shape over the past four years. In fact, the White House rescheduled "Infrastructure Week" so many times that it became the butt of jokes on late-night television. Instead, we saw billions of dollars in overall cuts to infrastructure investment, causing the United States to hit the lowest levels of infrastructure investment we've seen in 20 years. To make matters worse, analysis of the White House's proposed 2020 budget showed that federal funding for infrastructure projects would begin to decline starting next year, dramatically decreasing each consecutive year over the next decade. Funding for infrastructure projects is a bread-andbutter issue for Operating Engineers, as it can determine whether our members are able to find employment or not, so after weighing the record and proposals of the candidates, the International Union of Operating Engineers (IUOE) announced its endorsement of former Vice President Joe Biden for president. Local 3 soon followed suit.

Making an endorsement is only half the battle, however. The real work comes when our members mobilize through our Voice of the Engineer (VOTE) program to turn a political endorsement into a political victory. So, last month, members, their families, friends and allies in the Labor Movement walked precincts in Nevada, a swing state that will play a crucial role in this month's election. Because these efforts are so important to the future of our work and that of other union workers, AFL-CIO Executive Vice President Tefere Gebre personally flew into Reno to thank our members for their efforts.

It wasn't just VOTE volunteers in Nevada that got to work, though. Members throughout our four states waved signs, phone banked and walked precincts in support of important ballot measures and local candidates who support organized labor, union apprenticeship programs, Project Labor Agreements (PLAs), prevailing wage protections, pensions and the kinds of infrastructure projects that Operating Engineers rely on to pay the bills and put food on the table. Thank you to everyone who gave of their time and energy

safely, despite an ongoing pandemic, to support their union and stand with other working people! Remember, Election Day is Tuesday, Nov. 3, so be sure to vote, if you haven't already, and when you do, VOTE UNION!







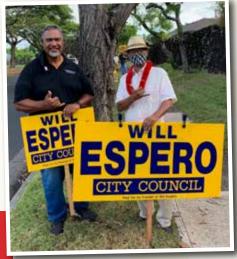
@engineersnews Maxim Crane Operator Bryan Dorton shared this photo of him and Crane Operator Jason Best working together to set the new Linda Railroad Bridge into place. Oilers Jacob Cardoza and Matt Stillwell worked with the operators, and crews were able to demolish the old bridge and put up the new one in three days! **EXAMPLE 1 MATTERS**

EXERCISE YOUR HARD-WON RIGHT!

The right to vote is something working people should never take for granted. To secure that right, generations of working people had to organize and stand up for themselves, sometimes paying a deadly price for doing so. That struggle didn't end with one single

victory, either, but took over 200 years of wins and losses before the Supreme Court. It also took constant political advocacy from the Labor Movement and its allies. This month, it's important that we honor this history by exercising this hard-won right. If you haven't voted already, make sure you do this Election Day (Tuesday, Nov. 3)!

Hawaii District 17 Voice of the Engineer (VOTE) members wave signs in support of Will Espero for City Council.



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'Status Quo' isn't good enough for Local 3!

Organizing is the lifeblood of any union, and at Local 3, we are continually gathering information and implementing strategies to bring in new skilled workers, sign new companies and create better work opportunities for our existing membership.

Local 3's Organizing Department and district staff employ strategies that are custom-tailored to the specific company or group of workers we are trying to organize, or any other goal we are trying to achieve. These strategies have resulted in hundreds of companies and public agencies signing with our union, and this has helped our union grow by the thousands since the Great Recession.

With the help of our members in the field and the district staff, the Organizing Department has signed 148 total new agreements and 106 new members from all new agreements this year alone. To date, these numbers are higher than at this time last year, and this is all during COVID! These gains have led to 478 members dispatched,



which is more than the number dispatched at this time last year. In the last nine years alone, our Organizing Department has signed 866 employers, 697 new members and processed 9,375 dispatches as a result of those agreements!

With all of our success, it would be easy to stick with the status quo and continue to reap the benefits of our proven strategies, but status quo isn't good enough for Local 3. Therefore, we are developing a new program to take our organizing efforts to the next level.

During the 2020 California Master Agreement negotiations, we were able to secure a commitment from our existing signatory employers and money allocated by the members working under that agreement to develop the Heavy and Highway Committee Compliance Department. This new department will be tasked with monitoring the non-union construction companies and enforcing all laws and regulations in an effort to level the playing field for our

> signatory contractors and union members. We all know that our skills can't be beat, and the only way the non-union can compete is if they cheat! Now, we will have a heavy-hitter in compliance to prove the cheating happens and hold these cheaters accountable.

> As a representative of this great union, there is nothing quite as gratifying as the feeling of improving a workers' livelihood. This new department is just another tool Local 3 has to ensure our membership has the most opportunities and best working conditions we can achieve. I look forward to introducing the staff of this new department in a future article.

Organizer John Curtin, far right, helped organize Westhart last year.

LEGAL UPDATE

OE3's Legal team fights for Levin Richmond Terminal workers

In February of this year, the City of Richmond enacted a zoning ordinance that prohibited the storage of coal and petroleum coke (petcoke) within the City's jurisdiction. Although the ordinance claimed to address health and environmental concerns, the City's own Planning Commission recommended against adopting the ordinance based on an absence of data to support the restrictions. Further, the ordinance only impacted Operating Engineers' signatory employer Levin Richmond Terminal Corporation (Levin), which stores and handles coal and petcoke for international shipments as its primary business operation. Levin promptly filed a lawsuit challenging the legality and constitutionality of the City's ordinance.

Local 3 has represented Levin employees for over 35 years and currently represents approximately 60 members working as Equipment Operators and Utility Workers there. To support the employees and members who live and work in the City of Richmond, Local 3 filed an amicus brief in the Northern District of California in support of Levin's lawsuit. Local 3 explained that Levin provides crucial economic opportunities to Bay Area residents. The Union further argued that the City of Richmond's failure to conduct an economic impact study of the ordinance recommended by its own Planning Commission was unlawful and that the Ordinance unlawfully interfered with Levin's Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) with Local 3.

As of September 2020, Levin, with the Union's support, was successful in persuading the Court to deny the City's motion to dismiss its lawsuit. The lawsuit contesting the constitutionality of the ordinance will therefore proceed. Local 3 will closely monitor this lawsuit in an effort to advocate for our members and their economic opportunities.



2021 Pre-Retirement Meetings

As we continue to monitor the constantly changing circumstances surrounding COVID-19, our goal is to keep the safety of the membership in the forefront of our minds. That being said, the season of Pre-Retirement Meetings is quickly approaching. The decision has been made to conduct these meetings in a virtual setting. Stay tuned for details and instructions to be announced in the very near future.

District Visits Available through phone or teleconference

As we continue to deal with ongoing health concerns regarding the spread of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), Fringe Benefits district visits will continue to be conducted as phone appointments, as your health and safety remain the highest priority at this time. Please call **(800) 532-2105** to schedule a phone appointment or possibly a teleconference. Also, please visit our website at **www.oe3.org** for ongoing news and resources regarding COVID-19. While we understand that suspending in-person meetings is not ideal, we do appreciate your patience and flexibility as we work through these challenging circumstances together.

By Bob Miller, fund representative/client services



Trust Funds consultations – Zoom and/or phone conference

Because of COVID-related guidelines and restrictions, I am temporarily unable to meet with you personally in your district, as I have in the past. However, Zoom and phone conference

consultations have taken the place of personal meetings, and I can do everything that I used to do as I sat next to you. We are doing a LOT of these tele-meetings.

For example, I recently had a Zoom conference with 30-year member Mark Fitzgerald. He is a long-term crane operator and former Fairfield District 04 Executive Board member. He had questions about Medicare, Social Security disability and the Retiree Work Addendum. We zoomed for an hour or so, and Mark requested several documents, which we sent. This proves that Zoom meetings work!

Please call (510) 671-8826 to schedule a phone meeting or teleconference



regarding your benefits. You may also call your District Office, as they can arrange things. We, at Zenith American Solutions, stand ready to help with all your Trust Funds Fringe Benefits needs and

> can assist you in any way. Local 3 continues to service the members in every district during the COVID-19 emergency.

> Your health and safety is of the utmost concern to Business Manager Dan Reding and the officers of Local 3, as well as all of us at the Trust Funds. We regret any inconvenience and hope to resume the popular face-to-face, in-district visits, very soon. Please be safe!

> Please contact the Trust Funds direct line at (510) 671-8826 to schedule a remote appointment or call me at (707) 290-1834.

OE3 Trust Funds Client Services Rep. Bob Miller has a Zoom meeting with member Mark Fitzgerald.



Shop Steward Darrin Williams is a second-generation union member currently working out of the Caltrans Merced West Maintenance Station. Long before he started working for Caltrans, Darrin served as an Army Ranger, having enlisted in the U. S. Army his senior year of high school and proudly serving in the 82nd Airborne division.

"I earned my Ranger Tab and was part of Operation Just Cause and Desert Storm/Desert Shield," he said. "This is where I earned my Bronze Star, Purple Heart and Combat Infantry Badge."

After honorably serving in the military, Darrin worked for 18 years in the railroad industry, then came over to Caltrans where he started working as an equipment operator. Today, he has been with Caltrans for six years and is a Lead Worker.

Darrin always took his union membership seriously and actively participated in quarterly and Semi-Annual Meetings, but he wanted to do more in the service of his fellow Unit 12 members. After meeting with his Local 3 business agent, he felt inspired to do this by becoming a Shop Steward. Upon doing so, he immediately went to work and successfully organized the first 100 percent union Caltrans maintenance crew in the wake of the Supreme Court's Janus decision. Currently, Darrin has the honor of representing his brothers and sisters as a member of their bargaining team.

"Being a member of this great union has provided my family and I financial stability and peace of mind. I am living the American Dream!" he said. "The future of my family is the same as our union. Together we are strong."

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MJUSD staff keeps students fed during pandemic

By Felix Mario Huerta Jr., business representative

Cooks and cafeteria assistants at McKenney Intermediate School, like Rosa Garcia, Jeri Echols, Margaret Bond, Annamaria Torres and Gloria Amezquita, are essential workers. They start their morning as early as 5:30 a.m. to keep students fed during the



pandemic, providing a nutritious lunch and vital services to the students and their community.

I was able to see one of the staff mentioned above also provide diapers and clothes to one of the parents of a newborn baby who

will likely be a student in the Marysville Joint Unified School District (MJUSD) one day, too. She wasn't required to do this by the District, but her love for her community and the love for a newborn child compelled her do this small act of kindness. The mother was grateful and welcomed the love. This is essential work!

On any school day at the MJUSD, you will find nutrition staff preparing food for thousands of students. On Fridays, the work and workload increases because they are also providing meals for the weekend (Saturday and Sunday). As I understand it, the entire student population is eligible for these free lunches. Keep up the good work, Essential Workers. You Make MJUSD run.

Linda County Water District ratifies successor MOU

By Mike DeAnda, business representative

After eight months of negotiations and all of the hard work put in by negotiation team members Eddy Bolton, Elena Bullard and myself, OE3 has produced a new, three-year-term successor Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). Given the challenges of negotiations and the COVID-19 pandemic, the results are respectable and the effort these members put in is something to be proud of.

The new MOU includes improvements to wages, benefits and working conditions. Thanks to a new Western States Consumer Price Index (CPI) replacing the old Urban Wage Earners CPI, our bargaining unit's wages are more in-line with the cost of living. They will enjoy a minimum percentage increase of 2 percent for base wages and a maximum increase of 5 percent. These increases will be implemented for each year of the contract. (The previous language had no minimum increases, which often yielded increases that were less than 2 percent.) Members will also receive a retroactive July 1, 2020 base wage increase of 2.5 percent. Weekend pay improved from a fixed per hour amount to time-and-a-half.

The new MOU also includes holiday (Christmas or New Year's) release time that is paid, which allows employees (up to half of the staffing) to go home after a half-day. This is now in writing in the MOU, since in previous terms, it was only verbal. Members' standby duty for full and partial days and the entire week have been increased.

The one OE3 medical plan that was offered by the District (Plan D) was expanded to include all the plans that OE3 offers with the addition of orthodontia. The option to receive cash (50 percent of the District's contribution), in lieu of medical coverage (opt-out), was negotiated in. All-in-all, this is a good agreement. Thanks to the members who participated in the process!



Union Stewards: The cornerstone of unionism in today's world

By Mario Gonzalez-Brito, business representative

represents just OE3 10,000 public over sector workers in city and county governments and in school districts and special districts throughout California and Nevada. OE3 public employee members do all types of publicsector work, from streetcleaning, maintenance, administrative support, welfare fraud and public defender investigators social workers, fire to and public safety, nurse case management, IT professionals, supervisors, and all managers classifications in-between. Public Employees The



Division has more than a dozen business agents who service these members with bargaining, grievance adjustment and other representational matters. A key component to a strong, engaged and united membership is Union Stewards. Union Stewards serve as the eyes and ears of the union at the workplace. Union Stewards are the first line of defense for union members, and they are the ambassadors of the union to first-line management.

This year has thrown our world for a loop. Whether it was implementation of Janus, COVID, fires, dangerous air quality or social distancing, our union needed to adjust in order to survive and thrive. OE3 has evolved with the times to meet the needs of our members. In past *Engineers News*, there have been many articles about the organizing and bargaining efforts of your OE3 Public Employees Division. In today's world, Union Stewards play an even more important role.

OE3 Public Your Employees Division will kick-off 2021 ready to build on our successes this year and better position our union to meet new challenges with the OE3 Public Employees Division Stewards' Training and Virtual Conference from Jan. 22-23. Your representatives will bring together stewards and rank-and-file leaders from our diverse membership to learn one from another, including division staff, OE3 leaders and other department staff. Together, we will build

union solidarity among our public-sector membership. The virtual conference will begin late Friday afternoon on Jan. 22 and will include a full day of training and workshops on Saturday, Jan. 23.

The workshops will be on various topics, including building and organizing your local union in times of COVID and social distancing; grievance investigations; preparing for bargaining; political empowerment and engagement; utilizing social media to promote OE3 at your workplace, and much more. Stewards can expect to hear keynote speeches from OE3 leaders and other special guests.

If you are interested in becoming a Steward and helping build OE3 at your workplace and beyond, please contact your local business agent or e-mail vjames@oe3.org to pre-register. You can also contact the Local 3 Public Employees Division at (510) 748-7438.

OE3 rank-and-file works to make City of San Pablo: Union Strong

You may have read a few months ago in *Engineers News* about our OE3 City of San Pablo members providing essential services to local residents and how the City leadership attempted to impose concessions on them.

These City of San Pablo members learned during that experience how important it is to have union allies on the City Council. They recognized the need for such allies to be willing to stand up to City leadership for hard-working public servants.

The Public Employees Division, Local 3 District 20 and the Contra Costa Central Labor Council are all working together in support of Abel Piñeda, Arturo Cruz and Patricia Ponce for San Pablo City Council to ensure a majority support for working families. City of San Pablo OE3 members have been volunteering during their precious free time to contact more than 1,500 union households, which translates to just over 3,000 potential union votes. In the last election, just under 8,500 votes were cast in the San Pablo City Council election. Union households could hold the keys to having a pro-working family majority on the City Council. (The margin of victory for winning candidates in the last City Council election was just 75 votes!) We can do this.

The Public Employee Division is leading the way to make the City of San Pablo: Union Strong!



NOVEMBER 2020

Local 3 General Election Endorsements VOTE UNION NOV. 3!

If there is a particular race that does not appear on this list, then a recommendation may not have been made at the time of press or that race was not deemed worthy of our endorsement. Please visit the politics page at www.oe3.org/politics/ or download and access the OE3 Mobile App for updated recommendations. Most importantly, vote!

NATIONWIDE **ENDORSEMENTS**

U.S. PRESIDENT -Joe Biden

VICE PRESIDENT -Kamala Harris

CALIFORNIA

STATEWIDE ENDORSEMENTS

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES -

Audum Danman	D:++:++ 01
Audrey Denney	District 01
Jared Huffman	District 02
John Garamendi	District 03
*Brynne Kennedy	District 04
Mike Thompson	District 05
Doris Matsui	District 06
Ami Bera	District 07
Jerry McNerney	District 09
*Josh Harder	District 10
Mark DeSaulnier	District 11
Nancy Pelosi	District 12
Barbara Lee	District 13
Jackie Speier	District 14
Eric Swalwell	District 15
Jim Costa	District 16
Ro Khanna	District 17
Anna Eshoo	District 18
Zoe Lofgren	District 19
Jimmy Panetta	District 20
*T.J. Cox	District 21
*Phil Arballo	District 22

STATE SENATE

Brian Dahle	District 01
Bill Dodd	District 03
*Susan Eggman	District 05
Steve Glazer	District 07
Nancy Skinner	District 09
*Josh Becker	District 13
*Dave Cortese	District 15
*John Laird	District 17
John Tana	2.0

STATE ASSEMBLY

Megan Dahle	District 01
Jim Wood	District 02
James Gallagher	District 03
Cecilia Aguiar-Curry	District 04
Jackie Smith	District 06
Kevin McCarty	District 07
Ken Cooley	District 08
Jim Cooper	District 09

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STATEWIDE BALLOT MEASURES

PROPOSITION 19 Changes tax assessment transfers and inheritance rules **YES**

*PROPOSITION 22

Considers app-based drivers to be independent contractors and enacts several labor policies related to app-based companies NO

PROPOSITION 24

Expands the provisions of the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA) and creates the California Privacy Protection Agency to implement and enforce the CCPA YES

BURLINGAME DISTRICT 01

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Marjan Philhour	District 01
Aaron Peskin	District 03
Dean Preston	District 05
** Ben Magranga	District 07
** Myrna Melgar	District 07
** Vilaska Nguyen	District 07
Hillary Ronen	District 09
Ahsha Safai	District 11

SAN FRANCISCO CITY COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES -Aliya Christi Tom Temprano

Shanell Williams Alan Wong

SAN FRANCISCO SCHOOL BOARD

Matt Alexander Jenny Lam **Michelle Parker** Mark Sanchez

LOCAL BALLOT MEASURES

MEASURE A (Housing and Homeless, Parks and Streets Bond) YES

MEASURE B (Department of Sanitation and Streets, Sanitation and Streets Commission, and Public Works Commission) **YES**

MEASURE D (Sheriff oversight) NO

MEASURE F (Business tax overhaul) YES

MEASURE G (Youth voting in local elections) **YES**

MEASURE I (Real estate transfer tax) NO

MEASURE J (Parcel tax for San Francisco Unified School District) YES

MEASURE L (Business tax based on comparison of top executive's pay to employees' pay) YES

*MEASURE RR (Sales tax to fund CalTrain) YES

SAN MATEO COUNTY

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HARBOR DISTRICT Tom Mattusch District 04 Virginia Chang-Kiraly District 05

SAN MATEO COMMUNITY

COLLEGE TRUSTEE -Dave Mandelkern Area 03

BRISBANE CITY COUNCIL

Karen Cunningham **Cliff Lentz**

BELMONT CITY COUNCIL -

Davina Hurt Tom McCune

DALY CITY COUNCIL -

Juslyn Manalo **Glenn Sylvester**

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SCHOOL DISTRICT

Manufou Liaiga-Anoa'l

JEFFERSON UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT -Andv Lie

Kalimah Salahuddin

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MILLBRAE CITY COUNCIL -Gina Papan

Ann Schneider

PACIFICA CITY COUNCIL Sue Vaterlaus District 01 Mike Cohen District 04

RAVENSWOOD CITY SCHOOL BOARD -Zeb Feldman

REDWOOD CITY COUNCIL

Jeff Gee District 01 Alicia Aguirre District 07

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SAN CARLOS CITY COUNCIL -Mark Olbert

SAN MATEO CITY COUNCIL -Diane Papan Amourence Lee

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

CITY COUNCIL -**Rich Garbarino** District 04

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -Pat Murray

LOCAL BALLOT MEASURES -

*MEASURE RR (Sales tax to fund CalTrain) **YES**

FAIRFIELD DISTRICT 04

SOLANO COUNTY

SOLANO COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION -Bonnie Hamilton Area 02

Teresa Lavell Area 04

SOLANO COMMUNITY

COLLEGE BOARD -Quinten Voyce Area 05

BENICIA MAYOR -Christina Strawbridge

BENICIA CITY COUNCIL -

Tom Campbell Trevor Macenski

DIXON CITY COUNCIL -

District 03

District 04

District 04

District 05

Kevin Johnson Jerry Castanon

FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL -

Rick Vaccaro **Doriss Panduro**

SUISUN CITY COUNCIL -

Anthony Adams Alma Hernandez

VACAVILLE CITY COUNCIL -

Shawn McMahon District 01 Michael Silva District 03 Sherie Mahlberg District 05 **Jeanette Wylie District 06 **Raymond Beaty District 06

VALLEJO MAYOR -

Hakeem Brown

VALLEJO CITY COUNCIL -

Rozzana Verder-Aliga District 01 Pat Hunter District 06 (write-in candidate)

BENICIA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Gethsemane Moss Area 03

DIXON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT David Bowen

FAIRFIELD-SUISUN UNIFIED SCHOOL DICTRICT

Area 01
Area 02
Area 03
Area 06

TRAVIS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -

Meghan Thompson Area 01 **David Amar Area 02

**Christina Palmer Area 02

Daniel Santellan Area 02

Cecil Conely Area 04

VALLEJO CITY UNIFIED

SCHOOL DISTRICT -Christy Gardner Area 01 Robert Lawson Area 04

NAPA COUNTY

AMERICAN CANYON MAYOR -Mark Joseph

AMERICAN CANYON CITY COUNCIL -Mariam Aboudamous Pierre Washington

NAPA MAYOR -Scott Sedgley

NAPA CITY COUNCIL -

Beth Painter District 02 Bernie Navarez District 04

ROHNERT PARK DISTRICT 10

LAKE COUNTY

KELSEYVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -Natalie Higley

MARIN COUNTY

MARIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD -Phillip Kranenburg Eva Lona Stephanie O'Brien Stuart Tanenberg

SAN RAFAEL CITY COUNCIL -Greg Knell District 04 SAN RAFAEL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT — Gina Dalv

SONOMA COUNTY

SONOMA COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION -

Diana MacDonald Area 01 Herman G. Hernandez Area 05

COTATI ROHNERT PARK UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -

Tim Nonn Area 05

HEALDSBURG CITY COUNCIL -Ariel Kelley

PETALUMA CITY COUNCIL — Dennis Pocekay

Brian Barnacle Lizzie Wallack

ROHNERT PARK CITY COUNCIL -

Willy Linares District 01 Gerard Giudice District 03 Jackie Elward District 04

SANTA ROSA CITY COUNCIL -

Eddie Alvarez District 01 Chris Rogers District 05 Natalie Rogers District 07

SANTA ROSA UNIFIED

SCHOOL DISTRICT -Ever Flores Area 01

SONOMA VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -

John Kelly Area 03 Britta Johnson Area 05

LOCAL BALLOT MEASURES -

MEASURE DD (Sales tax to fund the Sonoma County Transportation Authority) YES

OAKLAND DISTRICT 20

ALAMEDA COUNTY

ALAMEDA COUNTY JUDGE -Elena Condes

DISTRICT ATTORNEY — Nancy O'Malley

ALAMEDA CITY COUNCIL —

Jim Oddie Malia Vella

BERKELEY MAYOR — Jesse Arrequin

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL —

Michael McCorriston

FREMONT CITY COUNCIL — Teresa Cox

HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL ——

Angela Andrews Elisa Marquez Mark Salinas

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL -

Stephanie Walton District 01 Rebecca Kaplan At-Large

OAKLAND BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Nate Miley

OAKLAND SCHOOL BOARD -Sam Davis District 01

SAN LEANDRO CITY COUNCIL -Bryan Azevedo District 02

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Diane Burgis **Richard Valle**

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

WATER BOARD -----Ernie Avila

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY **BOARD OF EDUCATION -**Consuelo Lara

WEST CONTRA COSTA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD -----**Mister Phillips**

ANTIOCH CITY COUNCIL —

Tony Tiscareno Monica Wilson

Cindy Darling

BRENTWOOD MAYOR -Karen Rarey

MARTINEZ CITY COUNCIL -

District 02 Mark Ross Noralea Gipner District 03

WALNUT CREEK CITY COUNCIL —

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POLITICAL PERSPECTIVE By Chris Snyder, political director

STOCKTON DISTRICT 30

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -**Rhodesia Ramson District 05 **Robert Rickman District 05

LODI CITY COUNCIL — District 05 Mikey Hothi

MANTECA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -----Mike Morowit Area 07

STOCKTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT — Cecilia Mendez Area 01 Ray Zulueta, Jr. Area 04

LOCAL BALLOT MEASURES -MEASURE A (Manteca Unified School District Bond) **YES**

STANISLAUS COUNTY

MODESTO MAYOR ----Ted Brandvold

OAKDALE CITY COUNCIL -Frederick Smith

TUOLUMNE COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Jaron Brandon District 05

EUREKA DISTRICT 40

DEL NORTE COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Valerie Starkey District 02

HUMBOLDT COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Estelle Fennell District 02

HUMBOLDT COUNTY SERVICES DISTRICT (WATER) BOARD -----David Haynie

ARCATA CITY COUNCIL —

Stacy Atkins-Salazar Camilla Zapata Michael Winkler

EUREKA CITY COUNCIL — Kati Moulton Ward 02

FRESNO DISTRICT 50

FRESNO COUNTY

STATE CENTER COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT — Sally Fowler District 06

SANGER CITY COUNCIL -Esmeralda Hurtado District 01

SELMA MAYOR -Louis Franco

MERCED COUNTY

MERCED CITY COUNCIL ------Joel Knox District 01

MADERA COUNTY

MADERA MAYOR ------Santos Garcia

YUBA CITY DISTRICT 60

BUTTE COUNTY

OROVILLE CITY COUNCIL -Janet Goodson

SUTTER COUNTY

SUTTER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Karm Bains

YUBA CITY CITY COUNCIL -Manny Cardoza Shon Harris

YUBA COUNTY

MARYSVILLE MAYOR -Chris Branscum

REDDING DISTRICT 70

SHASTA COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS -Steve Morgan District 04

SACRAMENTO DISTRICT 80

NEVADA COUNTY

NEVADA CITY COUNCIL ——— Gary Petersen

PLACER COUNTY

ROSEVILLE CITY COUNCIL -Lamills Garrett District 01 Neil Pople District 03

ROSEVILLE CITY SCHOOL BOARD -Gary Miller

ROSEVILLE JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT — Gregory Harnage

SACRAMENTO COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS — Gregg Fishman

SMUD BOARD ------Rob Kerth

ELK GROVE MAYOR ------Bobbie Singh-Allen

FLK GROVE CITY COUNCIL -----Darren Suen District 01 Maureen Kraft District 03

FOLSOM CITY COUNCIL —

Mark Moore

NATOMAS SCHOOL BOARD -Scott Dosick Mariana Corona Sabeniano

RANCHO CORDOVA CITY COUNCIL -Jack Zwald

IOCAL BALLOT MEASURES -MEASURE A (Sacramento Mayoral and Community Equality Act) YES

YOLO COUNTY

DAVIS CITY COUNCIL -Will Arnold District 02

WEST SACRAMENTO MAYOR -Martha Guerrero

WOODLAND CITY COUNCIL -Mayra Vega District 02 Victoria Fernandez District 04

MORGAN HILL DISTRICT 90 Also endorsed by County Employees Management Association (CEMA)

MONTEREY COUNTY

MONTEREY CITY COUNCIL SUPERVISOR — Wendy Root Askew District 04

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

SUPERVISOR -John Leopold District 01

SAN BENITO COUNTY

SUPERVISOR -Wayne Norton District 02

SANTA CLARA COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS		
DUARD OF JULK	VIJUNJ	
*Kansen Chu	District 03	
*Otto Lee	District 03	

BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE ----Ketzal Gomez Area 04

GILROY CITY COUNCIL Rebeca Armendariz

SAN JOSE CITY COUNCIL -----David Cohen District 04 Jake Tonkel District 06

SAN JOSE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT -

Teresa Castellanos Area 01 Carla Collins Area 03

LOCAL BALLOT MEASURES -

*MEASURE RR (Sales tax to fund CalTrain) **YES**

MEASURE S (Safe, Clean Water and Natural Flood Protection Program) YES

HAWAII — STATEWIDE ENDORSEMENTS

BIG ISLAND

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE — Kajali'i "Kaj" Kahele District 02

STATE SENATE — *Joy A. San Buenaventura District 02

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES -

Mark M. Nakashima District 01 Chris Todd District 02 Richard Onishi District 03 District 04 Greggory Iligan Jeanne Kapela District 05

MAYOR -

*Mitch Roth

COUNTY COUNCIL

*Heather Kimball District 01 Susan Lee Loy District 03 *Ikaika Rodenhurst District 05 Tim Richards District 09

KAUAI

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE -

Kaiali'i "Kai" Kahele District 02

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES -

Nadine K. Nakamura District 14 James Kunane Tokioka District 15

COUNTY COUNCIL -

Arryl Kaneshiro Bernard Carvalho Kipukai Kualii Luke Evslin Mason Chock

MAUI

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE -Kaiali'i "Kai" Kahele District 02

STATE SENATE -Gilbert Keith-Agaran District 05

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES -

Justin H. Woodson District 09 Angus L.K. McKelvey District 10 Lynn DeCoite District 13

COUNTY COUNCIL -

Alberta Claire Co Tasha Ka Alice Lee Michael Stacey C Tamara Paltin

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e	Wailuku-Waihee-
	Waikapu
Molina	Makawao-Haiku-
	Paia
Crivello	Molokai
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West Maui Thomas Cook South Maui Yuki Lei Kashiwa Sugimura Upcountry

MAUL COUNTY PROPOSED

CHARTER AMENDMENT QUESTIONS -AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND (Should tax revenues be appropriated into affordable housing fund?) NO

OFFICE OF THE MANAGING DIRECTOR (Should executive branch be reorganized to establish a managing director?) NO

TERM LIMITS FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS

(Should stricter term limits be created for Council members?) NO

STANDARDS FOR CHARTER

INTERPRETATION (Should the Charter be amended to establish standards for interpreting it?) NO

CHARTER COMMISSION (Should the Charter be amended to appoint members to the Charter Commission?) NO

TERM LIMITS FOR MAYOR (Should the Charter be amended to establish stricter term limits for the Mayor?) NO

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

(Should the Charter be amended to establish a Department of Agriculture?) NO

OAHU

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE -Kaiali'i "Kai" Kahele District 02

STATE SENATE -

Stanley Chang	District 09
*Kurt Fevella	District 19
Nike Gabbard	District 20
Donovan M. Dela Cruz	2
	District 22
Chris Lee	District 25
*Bennette Misalucha	District 16

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mark J. Hashem	District 18
Adrian Tam	District 22
Della Au Belatti	District 24
Ryan I. Yamane	District 37
Ty J.K. Cullen	District 39
Bob McDermott	District 40
Stacelynn K.M. Eli	District 43
Cedric Asuega Gates	District 44
Sean Quinlan	District 47
Scot Z. Matayoshi	District 49
Patrick Pihana Branco	District 50

MAYOR -

*Rick Blangiardi

CITY COUNCIL -

*Esther Kiaaina District 03 *Radiant Cordero District 07 *Will Espero District 09

NEVADA -

STATEWIDE ENDORSEMENTS

STATEWIDE QUESTION —

QUESTION 1 (Provides oversight to the Board of Regents) YES

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES -

Dina Titus District 01 Mark Amodei District 02 Susie Lee District 03 Steven Horsford District 04

NEVADA SUPREME COURT -

Kristina Pickering Ozzie Fumo

NEVADA COURT OF APPEALS -Bonnie Bulla

STATE SENATE — Wendy Jauregui-Jackins District 15

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Sarah Peters	District 24	
Teresa Benitez-Thompson		
	District 27	
Natha Anderson	District 30	
Richard "Skip" Daly	District 31	
Paula Povilaitis	District 32	
Deborah Chang	District 39	
Sena Loyd	District 40	

WASHOE COUNTY

WASHOE COUNTY COMMISSION Alexis Hill District 01

WASHOE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD -Angie Taylor Craig Wesner

RENO CITY COUNCIL

Jenny Brekhus Ward 01 **Devon Reese** At-large

CITY OF SPARKS CITY COUNCIL -Wendy Stolyarov

Ward 01 Quentin Smith Ward 03

UTAH -

STATEWIDE ENDORSEMENTS

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Ben McAda <mark>ms</mark>	District 04

STATE SENATE

Kathleen Riebe District 08

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Gay Lynn Bennion	District 06
Grant Protzman	District 07
Oscar Mata	District 08
Clare Collard	District 22
Joel Briscoe	District 25
Mike Winder	District 30
Elizabeth Weight	District 31
Craig Hall	District 33
Doug Owens	District 36
Carol Moss	District 37
Jim Dunnigan	District 39
Samuel Winkler	District 42
Diane Lewis	District 43
Andrew Stoddard	District 44
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SALT LAKE COUNTY

MAYOR -Jenny Wilson

> COUNTY COUNCIL -Deborah Gatrell Shireen Ghorbani

* This candidate or measure is of high importance to Operating Engineers and deserves your special attention.

****** This candidate is part of a dual endorsement, meaning several candidates were deemed worthy of our vote.



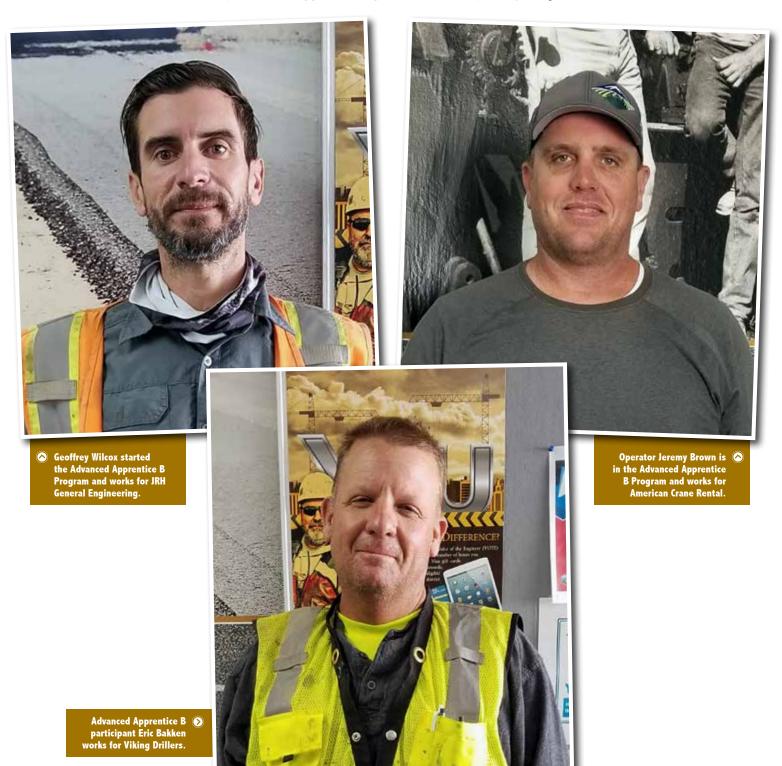
Advanced Apprentice B

In 2017, the California Legislature passed new laws requiring a "Skilled and Trained Workforce." This means employees on certain publicly funded construction jobs are required to have successfully completed an apprenticeship program. However, many of our members joined Local 3 as journey-level operators and do not have the required credential to allow their employer to meet the mandated 30 percent requirement.

In order to help our signatory contractors meet these requirements, the Operating Engineers Local 3 Journeyman and Apprentice Training Center (OE3 JATC), with the guidance of our officers and the California Joint Apprenticeship Committee (Cal-JAC), implemented a new program – Advanced Apprentice B. Advanced Apprentice B is a way for our journey-level operators to acquire the skilled and trained credential. They fill out an apprenticeship application and are scheduled for the entrance exam. On the day of the exam, they are also given journey-level competency tests on three pieces of equipment. Once we receive notice of their passing score on the exam, they are indentured into the Apprenticeship Program.

From their indenture date, they are required to be apprentices for seven months and 1,000 work hours. When both are completed, they are "Journeyed-Out" and receive their skilled and trained credential.

Information and forms required for this process are on the Local 3 website – www.oe3.org. Go to the California Training page and look for Employer Agreement Packet for Advanced B Training. You can also contact me at the Training Center at (916) 354-2029, ext. 7940 or lhalsey@oe3jac.org



IS SKIP-A-PAY RIGHT FOR YOU?

With the holidays right around the corner plus the impacts of COVID-19, we understand that your budget may be a little tighter than usual. You may have heard about OE Federal's Skip-A-Pay program, but might have some questions or need some help deciding if it's right for you. Consider the following before making your decision:

>> Provides room to breathe

The primary benefit of Skip-A-Pay is for the extra cash flow. With added expenses from the holidays, you may resort to using your credit card more than usual, resulting in paying high interest on the purchases you made. By opting to skip a payment on your OE Federal loan, you'll free up some cash and can use it for whatever you need.

>> Creates a longer loan term

It's important to remember that by taking part in Skip-A-Pay, you're lengthening the life of your loan. It's true that you're skipping a payment now, but you'll need to make that up one day. You're essentially moving December's payment to the end of the loan.

>> Accrues interest

While you may have extra cash, you'll also be billed for interest on the skipped loan payment. Again, you'll need to pay that up at the end of the loan term. This means you'll be paying an additional months interest during the life of the loan.

>> Funds your holiday shopping

The option to skip a monthly loan payment can be a great way to give you extra cash flow with the added expenses that come during the holidays. When you choose Skip-A-Pay, you free up funds to pay for those presents without adding to your current debt.

>> Is Skip-A-Pay right for you?

If you feel like Skip-A-Pay is right for you this holiday season, visit oefederal.org to apply. In order to qualify for Skip-A-Pay, your loan must be funded prior to October 15, 2020. In addition, all OE Federal loans must be current and your November 2020 payment must be made. Skip-A-Pay applies to your December 2020 payment only. The following loan types are not eligible for Holiday Skip-A-Pay: Visa Credit Cards, Mortgages, Home Equity Lines, Home Equity Loans, Certificate Secured Loans, Mobile Home, Annuity, or Work out Loan types.

How will you fund the holidays?

The holidays are just around the corner and OE Federal has a few options if you're not fully prepared.

No Interest Credit Card



Open a new Visa STEEL Credit Card and you could receive an interest free introduction period.

Skip-A-Pay



Free up some extra cash by skipping your December monthly loan payment.

Signature Loan



A Signature Loan can be a great, low rate option from OE Federal.

Contact us today!

If any of these options sound right for you or you'd like more information, get in touch with us! 800.877.4444 oefederal.org.



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VALUE \$180 million



LOCAL 3 MEMBERS 40-50 a day at peak times

"I was a stay-athome mom before this career. Now, my kids say, 'Way to go, Mom!' Your work proves your skill and speaks for itself." KRISTEN GROSSEN





WORKING IN COVID TIMES Crews are considered essential and follow strict safety protocols put in place by Graniterock. These include the rule that no drivers may carpool, temperature checks, constant use of face masks, social distancing and sanitization stations.



This highly skilled and specialized hydrema is fast and small and provided tilted dumps in steep slopes.

WHY YOUR VOTE

MATTERS In November 2012, voters passed the Safe, Clean Water and Natural Flood Protection Program, which allows for the construction of million-dollar flood protection projects for 15 years, including this one. FRJECT Upper Lagues Creek Floor Project Topological States of the States



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DETAILS The Valley Water project extends about 13.9 miles from downstream Buena Vista Avenue in Gilroy and upstream beyond Llagas Road (Morgan Hill). Construction includes two phases, with the first phase including channel-widening and deepening, a high-water bypass tunnel, box culvert replacements, utility relocations and mitigation improvements. The second phase includes the creation of a tunnel into downtown Morgan Hill. All of the work will provide flood protection to homes, businesses and highways in Morgan Hill, which have been susceptible to flooding from Llagas Creek and its tributaries. This project provides a 100-year level of protection and should continue for the next five years.





POINTS OF INTEREST Process involves total

vertical integration, as in crushed rock comes from the signatory A. R. Wilson Quarry, while dirt work is provided by Graniterock. Spoils are taken to the Hollister Quarry and used by Granite Construction. Signatory work includes paving, mining and trucking. Project includes turtle perches, giant root wads for erosion control and the use of specialized hydremas, which can dump on steep slopes sideways. The project is divided in sections called reaches, where pockets of members provide specialized work. Crews have been averaging about 140-165 bottom dumps of material, three times a day. STOCKTON

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Rohnert Park, CA 94928

Phone Number (209) 943-2332 District Representative
Dean Fadeff

Dam stabilization project one of many still providing good work hours

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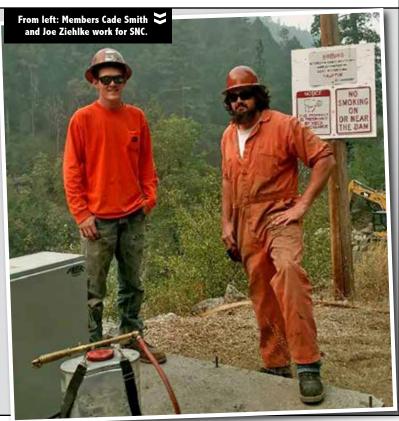
In Tuolumne County, members with **Steve Manning Construction, Inc.** are working on the Phoenix Lake restoration project in Sonora. **Sierra Mountain Construction** (**SNC**) is providing members with solid work hours on various projects throughout our jurisdiction, including the Beardsley Reservoir Afterbay dam stabilization project, where Foreman **Travis Archer**, Operator **Cade Smith**, Heavy-Duty Repairer (HDR) **Joe Ziehlke** and apprentices **Wesley Lopez** and **Christy Lipary** are staying busy.

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In Calaveras County, **Mozingo Construction** is working on the Blue Lake Springs waterline project along Hwy. 4 and the Reach 1 project. Members working for **D. A. Wood Construction** is well ahead of schedule on the Snowshoe Springs waterline replacement project in Dorrington. **Dirt Dynasty, Inc.** and **Tom Mayo Construction** are working on a pavement rehabilitation project on Mountain Ranch Road in San Andreas.

If you get on the Out-of-Work list, please verify your contact information on file, update your credentials and keep your registration current. Don't forget to take advantage of training available at the Operating Engineers Local 3 Journeyman and Apprentice Training Center (OE3 JATC). Thank you to all of our veterans for your service and sacrifice. Have a happy Thanksgiving and take a moment with your family to reflect on the past year and focus on the things we have to be thankful for.

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Phone Number (707) 585-2487 District Representative
Mike Pickens

Crews break ground on Maha project

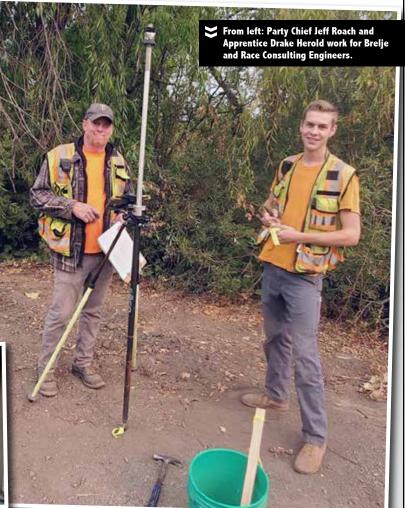
ROHNERT PARK

Report

Our district is anxiously awaiting the outcome of the General Election after Voice of the Engineer (VOTE) volunteers worked tirelessly on behalf of endorsed candidates and ballot measures. Thank you to all who participated. You may receive this before the General Election, so vote, if you haven't. See pages 10-13 in this edition.

Ghilotti Construction and subcontractors Pacific Coast Drilling and K&G Concrete Pumping are working on the Hwy. 101 widening project in Cotati, which should keep crews busy through the winter, weather permitting. Ghilotti Construction is also working on a private resort project in Healdsburg's Saggio Hills. Our technical engineers have been getting lots of work. Syar Industries is wrapping up a busy work season and shifting into winter maintenance work at the Healdsburg and Todd Road plants. Granite Construction has broken ground on the first phase of the 10-phase Maha project in Lake County, which is estimated at around \$35 million and should employ 40-60 Operating Engineers. Look for more details to be released on this multiyear project over the next few months.





DISTRICTREPORTS

OAKLAND

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Phone Number

District Representative
Richard Krimm

Projects continue, as voters head to the polls

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This year has been a difficult one, and to top it off, we have one of the most important elections in U. S. history happening this month! On Nov. 3, voters will be deciding races at all levels of government, from the lowest offices in your city, to the president of the United States, as well as many ballot measures that can either hurt or help working people who are standing together. When voting, be sure to consult the Local 3 endorsements in your *Engineers News*, or access them on the OE3 Mobile App or the OE3 website (www.oe3@org).

In Hayward, **Westland Contractors** has Operator **Jose "Gabriel" Castro** installing new mains and laterals for a sewer replacement project. **Proven Management**



Operator **Arsenio Arias** and Apprentice **Omar Ayar** are working on a \$16.9 million track replacement project for Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART). **CF&T Concrete Pumping** Operator **Armando Garibay** is using a 58-meter Schwing boom pump on the project. On the other end of town, **Conquest Contractors** is working on a \$1.6 million reclaimed-water project that includes 31 tie-ins throughout Hayward. Operators include **Samuel Aguila**, **Marco Hernandez** and Superintendent **Rodney Homer**. We wish everyone a safe and healthy winter.

K Pump Operator Armando Garibay works for CF&T Concrete Pumping.

District	Number	Address	Phone Number	District Representative
BURLINGAME	01	828 Mahler Road, Suite B, Burlingame, CA 94010	(650) 652-7969	Charles Lavery
Title				

Billion-dollar Pier 70 project puts members to work

Report

In San Francisco

In the South of Market (SOMA) neighborhood at Mission and First streets, crews are working on the Oceanwide Center project, which consists of two mixed-use towers. (One is 910 feet, and the other is 605 feet.) Webcor has tower crane operators Virgili Delantar, Shawn Frazer and Alvaro Becerra and Lift Operator **Doug Green** onsite, with more lifts coming soon. Silverado has excavator operators Felipe Guillen and Bertin Fierros removing old shoring lagging so backfill can be placed next to the new foundations. Also in SOMA, at 1064 Mission St., Cahill Contractors is working on an affordable housing project that will include a medical facility, a dental facility and a kitchen. The project was initiated by Mayor London Breed and is being funded by the City. Members with **Silverado** are also working on the project, and Bigge Crane and Rigging has Crane Operator Dave Cottrell setting cages for columns with a 90-ton Rough Terrain (RT) crane.

Local 3 members will be working for several years on the over \$1 billion, 69-acre Pier 70 project, which is located in an area identified as a future National Historic District due to 150 years of continuous ship building and repair operations. Plant Construction is the general contractor on the project. Anvil **Builders** is installing a 48-inch storm drain with operators Brian Pereira and Apprentice Javan Gaut. Excavator Operator Ian Wells is onsite performing site clean-up for Silverado. Bauman Landscape and Construction has Operator Alejandro Ochoa drilling holes for new light posts and Excavator Operator Steve Argue making grade. New signatory Ground Control, **Inc.** will be working on the proposed seawall in the area. At Hillcrest Elementary school on Silver Avenue, Sheeran Pipeline, Inc. has Operator Enrique Pena installing 500 feet of six-inch sewer line with 30 laterals. Ground improvements are underway at the Hall for Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 38 on Market Street. BKF Engineering has surveyors Joseph Grimshaw and Giovanni Guzman setting stakes. Condon-Johnson has Drill Operator Rustom Ebalo using a triple auger drill to add cement mix to the soil. Apprentice Jared Noe is running the concrete and mucking out the spoils. Condon-Johnson also has Crane Operator Donny Ogawa onsite using an RT crane and fork lift.

In San Mateo County

ARB, Inc. has operators Ronald B. Orman and Nathan M. Morrill performing strength tests on gas transmission lines in various locations. In Burlingame, BHM Construction, Inc. is building the new \$50 million, 36,000-square-foot Burlingame Community Center, which will also include new playgrounds and sports fields. Drill Tech has operators John E. Leffler, Spencer B. Shupe, Nick C. Michalowski and Pete Leavitt installing 70 auger-cast piles. In Half Moon Bay, Sukut Construction, LLC. is working on the high-density polyethylene (HDPE) liner system at the Ox Mountain Landfill with operators Ronald K. Montgomery, Jason A. Shepherd, Garrett T. Worthington, Kris M. Costa, Cornell A. Keeles, Miguel Castro Becerra, Steven M. Morgan and Ramiro Garcia.



YUBA CITY

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Phone Number (530) 743-7321 District Representative **Ron Roman**

Projects set to keep members working through winter

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Work is still going strong, and multiple projects will keep operators working through the winter, weather permitting. **DeSilva Gates** is working in Live Oak on Hwy. 99. **Flatiron, Inc.** is working on the bridge for the Hwy. 20 realignment project. **Mowbray's Tree Service** continues to work on the Butte County emergency tree removal project. **Myers and Sons** is in Quincy working on the \$43 million water treatment plant. **Q&D Construction** is replacing the covered bridge on Honey Run Road in Chico. **Teichert Construction** is working on two projects on Hwy. 20. **Omni Pipelines** has been putting Foreman **Dan Gilchrist** to work running private and public works projects in Willows, Chico, Yuba City, Orland and Live Oak. In addition to performing their essential functions to keep our roads open and safe for the public, our Unit 12 members have been working hard, long hours prepping equipment for snow removal season.

Please contact Dispatcher **Chuck Adamson** to register on the Out-of-Work list or for updates about ongoing and upcoming work. Have a safe and happy Thanksgiving!





Phone Number (707) 429-5008

District Representative

Operators repair storm-damaged culvert in Angwin

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Report

FAIRFIELD

Work in Solano County continues to keep Operating Engineers busy. **ARB, Inc.** currently has 12 operators installing new high-pressured gas lines for Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) off Gold Hill Road in Fairfield. Maggiora & Ghilotti has members performing tidal and levee work on 850 acres, as part of the Grizzly Island project in Suisun City. Crews have also raised and capped Grizzly Island Road for the winter and will pave from Hwy. 12 to Hill Slough next spring. Teichert Construction is keeping crews busy with private work in the area. This includes work on the Village Estates project in Fairfield and a housing development and warehouse project off Midway Road and Fry Road in Vacaville. In Angwin, Team Ghilotti has members paving and installing new slip lining, retaining walls, irrigation and landscaping on an \$800,000 project on Brookside Drive over Conn Creek. The project started in late June with operators performing the earthwork and removing and clearing sections of the old culvert, which had been damaged by previous storms.



DISTRICTREPORTS

SACRAMENTO

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Bridge, overlay and paving projects continue

Report

Members with **Security Paving Company, Inc.** are working on the Hwy. 50 Camino project in El Dorado County, which started this summer and is scheduled to be completed by next July. The project, which is currently keeping about 10 operators busy, is from the Mosquito Road undercrossing to the Schnell School

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Road undercrossing. It will involve the installation of a concrete median barrier to improve safety on Hwy. 50 in the Camino corridor. This would restrict left-turns at intersections, rehabilitate deteriorated culverts and provide for wildlife crossing. Collision rates along this segment of the highway are higher than the statewide average, and the culverts have exceeded their intended designlife. The project will also maintain local and regional access to and from the north and south sides of Hwy. 50, while providing safe east-west access on and off the highway. Other contractors working on this project include Tyrell Inc., M&M Electric and Marina Landscape.

Mercer-Fraser continues to work on a \$45 million, Rubberized Hot Mix Asphalt (RHMA) overlay and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant ramp project on Hwy. 99 in Sacramento County. Construction began in June with an injection of



\$5.5 million in funding from Senate Bill (SB) 1 and is currently keeping 12 operators working. The project will involve the installation of rumble strips, upgrades to curb ramps and sidewalks and improvements to 70.5 lane-miles of Hwy. 99 from the Sacramento/San Joaquin County line to Simmerhorn Road

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and from south of Elk Gove Boulevard to Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard. Crews will also construct auxiliary lanes on north and southbound Hwy. 99. **Anrak Corporation**, which is the oldest family-owned asphalt milling company in the United States, has worked more than 60 days on this project, running two asphalt grinders. The project is currently keeping up to 12 members employed and is scheduled to be completed in April 2021.

Members with **Granite Construction** are working on the \$63 million Cosumnes Bridge project. The bridge is a major part of the seven-phase \$167 million project in Sacramento County. The project will replace the Hwy. 99 bridges over the Cosumnes River and replace an existing railroad overpass and underpass with a single overhead bridge. The project will also require the partial realignment of Hwy. 99 South.

EUREKA 40 1330 Bayshore Way, Suite

1330 Bayshore Way, Suite 103, Eureka, CA 95501

Phone Number (707) 443-7328 District Representative
Jeff Hunerlach

Work continues, despite impact of pandemic and wildfires

Addres

Report

As of this writing, our region is struggling with wildfires in Del Norte and Humboldt counties. As a result, **Mercer-Fraser**, **Jensen Drilling** and **Golden State Bridge** (**GSB**) have shut down work on the Hwy. 36 project due to smoke and the

proximity of the August Complex fire. Hwy. 199 was closed due to the Slater fire that threatened Gasquet and Happy Camp. Many people living in smaller communities near Ruth Lake have lost everything. Our hearts go out to these residents, and we thank all the firefighters who have come to help and save our communities, many of whom live outside of California.

Wahlund Construction continues to work on the College of the Redwoods project and infrastructure projects in Scotia. Mercer-Fraser is keeping operators working in Fortuna and Arcata. Steelhead Constructors is working on an environmental mitigation project in Arcata. S. T. Rhoades is paving on Hwy. 101 near Crescent City. American Civil Constructors has members performing bridge repairs up and down Hwy. 101. **GSB** is doing emergency work on the Last Chance Grade project on Hwy. 101. Due to the unpredictable North Coast rains, this ongoing project involves a level of risk and danger that our

members are well-equipped to handle. **GSB** is also working on the \$23 million Panther Creek project in Del Norte County and the Gannon Slough project.

The General Election is this month, so don't forget to vote and VOTE UNION! Normally, we'd be talking about our Annual Crab Feed, which would be in just a few months, but as of right now, all plans for the Crab Feed are up in the air. Look for more details in the coming months, as we adapt to the latest information, guidelines and restrictions surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic.

Have a happy Thanksgiving! We have a lot to be thankful for, though it may not always seem that way. It's been a tough year, but we've endured, which is something we can all be grateful for.



MORGAN HILL

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District Representative
James Riley

Projects funded by SB 1 keep operators working

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Report

In Santa Clara County, members with **Granite Construction** just finished a \$14 million project in Gilroy funded by Senate Bill (SB) 1. The project included grinding, resurfacing and upgrades to traffic signals and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) curb ramps. (The work was on Leavesley Road and Monterey Road and continues down First Street to Santa Teresa Boulevard.) Crewmembers **Hector Rubalcaba**, **Joseph Combs**, **Arturo Perdomo**, **Michael Masters**, **Robert Sanchez**, **Trevor Wenger**, **Ryan Odell** and **Janea Greco** laid down 10,000 tons of asphalt concrete and capped it off with 10,000 tons of Rubberized Hot-Mix Asphalt (RHMA). **St. Francis Electric** was also heavily involved, relocating and installing new signal lights, electrical loops, vehicle detection technology and traffic cameras. A ribbon-cutting ceremony was held last month for the project.

In San Benito County, members with **Granite Construction** are working on a \$4 million grinding and paving project funded by SB 1 and Measure G funds on Union Road from Hwy. 156 to Hwy. 25. **Graniterock** is working on \$2.7 million worth of paving projects on Hwy. 156 in Hollister and on Hwy. 152 in Gilroy. There are currently several projects being done under Project Labor Agreements (PLAs) in Santa Clara County. These include **DeSilva Gate**'s \$4.61 million Capitol Expressway pavement rehabilitation project in San Jose, **MCK Services** \$1.8 million Uvas Road repair project in Morgan Hill and **MCK Services** \$1.17 million Almaden Expressway repaving project in San Jose.



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UTAH	12	8805 South Sandy Parkway, Sandy, UT 84070	(801) 59

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District Representative
Brandon Dew

First-of-its-kind project gets underway on Hwy. 89

Report

Project spotlight

The stretch of Hwy. 89 between Farmington and Hwy. 84 is nearly 100 years old and in failing condition, which is why it's great to report that **Oak Hills Constructors**, a Joint-Venture (JV) between **Granite Construction** and **Ralph L. Wadsworth Construction**, has finally started work on its long-awaited (and long overdue) Hwy. 89 project in Weber and Davis counties. The project will be the first of its kind for the Utah Department of new interchanges, two additional bridges and the rehabilitation of two more. Upon completion, the project will keep traffic uninterrupted and free-flowing through this congested part of the highway. The project will also involve the relocation of over 150 miles of utilities, adding an additional 20 miles of new storm drain and over 250,000 tons of new asphalt. The plan also includes improvements to side roads, a new frontage road, two new pedestrian bridges and a multi-use trail. Have a happy Thanksgiving!

Transportation (UDOT), as it will be done as a Progressive Design-Build (PDB). A PDB combines the benefits of a Design-Build (DB), which includes single-point accountability, with the benefits of a Construction Management at Risk (CMAR), which includes preconstruction services and owner input throughout the project. As a result, a PDB provides owners with more innovative designs and more control over the process, while still guaranteeing schedule, price and performance.

The \$348 million project will improve safety, mobility and keep Operating Engineers busy until the fall of 2023. The nine-and-a-half-mile project includes widening Hwy. 89 from two lanes to three in each direction and the addition of four





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Phone Number (808) 845-7871 District Representative
Ana Tuiasosopo

Local 3 adapts to COVID pandemic

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Report

On Oahu, **Hensel Phelps** and **Goodfellow Brothers** are working on a \$54 million hangar project at the Kaneohe Marine Corps Base. **Goodfellow Brothers** is also working on the \$4.2 million West Loch Golf Course project and the \$6.7 million IMX intersection project. **Nan, Inc.** continues to work on the \$146 million airport improvements project. **Mira Image** has been awarded a \$13 million pier improvements project.

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On the island of Hawaii, **Nan, Inc.** is working on the \$17.5 million Papaikou Transit pipeline project. **Close Construction** is working on the \$2.5 million demolition of quonset huts. **Isemoto Contracting** is working on Palamanui improvements and continues to work on the play court at Chiefess Kapiolani Elementary School.

On Maui, **Hawaiian Dredging** is working on the \$2.1 million Kahului Drain pipeline project and **Mira Image** was awarded the \$9 million Keokea Waiohui subdivision.

During this COVID-19 pandemic, Local 3 has been adapting to overcome this crisis. For union staff, protecting members and helping them keep their families safe has continued to be a first priority. The district representative, business representatives, dispatchers and staff have continued to serve, protect, represent, negotiate and organize during these harsh times. The training facility's administrator and the instructors and coordinators have been working hard to keep members' and apprentices' skills up to par. The Hawaii Operating Engineers Industry Stabilization Fund (HOEISF) Executive Director, lobbyist, compliance officers and staff are policing nonunion activity and engaging with politics. The Trust Funds department is solving the issues and concerns of our members when it comes to their benefits. OE Federal Credit Union's branch manager and staff have continued to meet every financial need. Thank you to Retirees, the backbone our union has been built on. May you be in good health and have a prosperous future due to the retirement you've earned.

Remember to vote on Nov. 3, and when you do, VOTE UNION and VOTE STRONG! Happy Thanksgiving to you and your Ohana!



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District Representative
Wyatt Meadows

Solar projects, PLAs boost work opportunities

Report

Renewable energy projects just keep coming to the Central Valley, and Fresno County and Kings County have been a hot bed for solar projects over the last few years. This upcoming year will be no different, and our members will continue to benefit. Multiple projects are already underway in the South Valley, including the Little Bear Solar project, the Mustang Solar project and the American Kings Solar project. These projects have created some great long-term work in our district, employing up to 50 operators per jobsite. Those projects will soon be joined by the 3,800-acre, 400-megawatt Slate Solar project in Lemoore and Granite Industrial's Luciana Solar project. Like most of these solar projects, both will be done with Project Labor Agreements



(PLAs) in place. With the ever-growing cost of electricity and the need for energy alternatives here in California, we do not see this kind of work slowing for some time.

In partnership with Local 3, the Fresno, Madera, Tulare and Kings County Building Trades Council (BTC) has accomplished a lot through PLA projects in all areas of construction. Currently, the BTC is negotiating the first-ever, city-wide PLA for the City of Fresno, ensuring that all city projects go union. We have the votes, so look for this to increase the market share for union employers and provide more work opportunities for our members. If you have any questions about these upcoming projects, please contact your business agent or call the District Office.

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Scott Fullerton

Progress continues on reinstating mining contract after NLRB decision

Report

From Reno

Ames Construction and Q&D Construction are ramping up work on the \$170 million Spaghetti Bowl project. Q&D **Construction** has also set up an export pit for a \$28 million water and sewer rehab project in Yerington and is keeping crews busy with mass grading for the Stonebrook subdivision project in Sparks. Granite Construction has members working on the \$61 million Reno-Tahoe International Airport project, the Turquoise Ridge Solar farm and the Mustang-Holder job at USA Parkway. In addition, Granite Construction was the low bidder on a \$9 million Hwy. 93 project north of Wells. **Road and** Highway Builders (RHB) is finishing up \$4 million worth of culvert work in Mineral County. **RHB** was also the low bidder on a \$21 million project on I-80 near Lovelock. Sierra Nevada **Construction** (**SNC**) is working on pavement rehabilitation projects for the Washoe County School District and the City of Sparks. Aspen Developers is working on the \$4 million Golden Valley lift station. KG Walters is busy on a \$48 million sewer plant upgrade. Ames Construction is performing the grading. Have a happy and safe Thanksgiving!

winter so crews can return in the spring. **Granite Construction** has been steadily picking up projects in the area. Members with **N. A. Degerstrom** have returned to the Gold Bar mine in Eureka, and those with **Canyon Construction** and **Remington Construction** have been busy working at the mines.

At the time of this writing, gold is being reported at \$1,954.40 and we have been having productive meetings with **Nevada Gold Mines (NGM)** regarding the National Labor Relations Board's (NLRB's) recent ruling in favor of Local 3. We will continue meeting with the company to resolve all issues and reinstate the contract our members secured before the merger. Please stay safe and keep following social distancing and other COVID guidelines, so we can show the public this can be done and we can continue working. If you have questions, comments or concerns, please call the Elko Office at (775) 753-8761 or contact your individual agents. For construction, contact **Phillip Herring** at (775) 432-5037. For surface mining, contact **Josh Jauer** at (775) 399-3773. For underground mining, contact **Lyman Hatfield** at (775) 401-1622.

From Elko

With social distancing guidelines in place to protect members and staff, the Elko Office has been up and running for the past few months, taking dues payments and conducting daily business. Let's continue to follow the latest health guidelines, so we can defeat this pandemic and get back to our normal!

Work in the Elko area is looking good, as our members are being recognized as essential workers and getting steady hours. Our signatory employers are doing well and bidding on upcoming work, including a number of projects on I-80 and numerous projects in town and in our outlying areas. **SNC** is doing slurry seal on various streets for the City of Elko. **Q&D Construction** is finishing the first phase of the 2.8-mile Southwest gas line project and has an overlay project on Hwy. 278. The company has another overlay project in Ely on Hwy. 50, which is wrapping up for the



REDDING

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District Representative

Caltrans members keep roads safe and open for holiday travel

Report

Steve Manning Construction is working on the Hwy. 36 West curve improvement project near Platina. J. F. Shea is working on Hwy. 44 East near Viola. Mitchell Johnson Construction is working on a drainage rehabilitation project covering various locations on Hwy. 96. Cox and Cox is working on a water and sewer project in Redding. Bridge work continues in many locations throughout the district, including projects on Hwy. 96, Hwy. 36 and I-5.

Thanks to our brothers and sisters with Caltrans, many of us will be traveling safely to visit friends and family members this holiday season. These Unit 12 members



perform many tasks to make our travel safe, from paving and clearing debris to plowing snow. Please show your appreciation for what these union brothers and sisters do by ensuring their safety. Remember to Slow for the Cone Zone!

The winter season is a great time to register on the Out-of-Work List and add any new certifications you have. Call the Hall for information about upcoming Hazmat eighthour refresher courses and other classes. Have a happy, healthy and safe Thanksgiving!

From left: Members Korey Wygal and Rodney Webb work on a new Caltrans Maintenance Station in Adin.

Director of ARP gets real about COVID's impact on our industry

Q: What does ARP stand for?

A: ARP stands for the Assistance and Recovery Program, which is a benefit offered to Local 3 members as a recovery resource.

Q: What does 'recovery resource' mean?

A: We provide assessment, treatment center placement and recovery coaching for formal and voluntary referrals. If a member tests positive on a drug screen, ARP works directly with the employer and apprenticeship programs providing formal contracts and Substance Abuse Professional (SAP) services. Depending on the severity of the individual's substance use, we set up the best treatment, review insurance coverage and track how well the person is doing in treatment with the goal of him or her returning to work and/or having a healthy life.

Q: Since COVID, have you received more phone calls?

A: Yes. When COVID first hit, people were getting laid-off, and so we didn't see the positive drug tests. But when work opened up, we saw more positive tests, because people had been home. Part of their coping skills with the isolation was to drink more or use substances. There has also been an increase in people who didn't have any substance abuse or alcohol issues prior to COVID and have now developed an addiction issue. The progression from abuse to dependence appears to be much faster right now. People are dealing with a new life. They have no escape. They can't go to the gym; they can't go interact with their friends, go to church, or do all the things that they've built their lives around. Consequently, they turn to other means to cope.

Q: How else has COVID impacted our membership?

A: The financial toll has played a major role in how people are handling this crisis. Some people are laid-off and can't make ends meet, or their spouse has been laid-off. This can create tumultuous relationships. Suicidal ideations have gone through the roof. We are getting a lot more calls from people who are toying with the idea of treatment, but they are refusing to go, because they don't want to get COVID. There has been a lot of relapse since COVID too, which is heartbreaking. Some of these are people with many years of sobriety.

Q: How do you handle that?

A: We move forward. There is no room for judgment and no room to chastise another human being for taking a step back. What good does that do?

COVID has also affected how we can treat people, because I have to assess them, while they are wearing a mask. (It's difficult to read how people are doing, when you can't see their faces.) Also, due to restrictions and county guidelines, formal referrals have been changed to Zoom meeting assessments. This removes the personal aspects of an assessment. Part of my job is doing a check-in on clients who have been in treatment for three weeks. Because of COVID, I am no longer able to do this. I can't wait to get back to the way it used to be, because treatment is more effective when we are able to develop real relationships on a recovery basis with our members.

Q: What's the best part of your job?

A: The best part is the "ah ha!" moment, when the light goes on ... when I got to meet those clients (before COVID) at the three-week mark and I got to sit across from them, remembering how desperate they were, the walls were closing in, and at three weeks, they have a light in their eyes, they have hope and they have this plan of action. They want something different and they see it's possible.

Q: What happens in treatment in those three weeks?

A: For someone who uses every single day, they are mentally and emotionally broken. They don't know which way is up. In three weeks, the substances are cleared out of their system and they've eaten a few good meals, so their bodies are working again. Their heads clear, their cravings have subsided so that every moment of every day isn't about, "How do I get more?" They get to be a funnel for the good stuff, counseling, therapy and routine, and they have that light in their eyes again.

The other best part of my job is when I get calls from people (I still have some who call me every week, going on three years), and they're still doing good. They tell me about things that seem inconsequential to other people, like they went to back to school night for their children, or they had a conversation with their mom, who they haven't talked to in a year. They want to call and share those milestones.

Q: What's the worst part of your job?

A: The worst part is losing someone to the disease of addiction, because then there is no hope for change. (A living and breathing person can change.) I've lost people in my five years here to suicide, to overdose. Their families may live the rest of their lives blaming themselves for not being able to save the person, or blaming the person for being too weak.

Q: Hasn't the stigma about addiction and mental health improved in the last decade?

A: Within this industry, the stigma is still there. People say, "If I was just tougher or if I had a stronger will, then I wouldn't be struggling." The one positive from COVID is that there is now a global conversation about mental health. I'm a big proponent of bottom lines. You can stay miserable and attach to your stigma or you can choose to take the road less traveled and get help. Seeking help isn't a weakness. I tell all of my in-patient clients that they have more courage in their pinky than most people have in their entire bodies. They are agreeing to give up their friend (their substance), go to a place they've never been for 30 days, leave their homes, their families and their jobs, and trust me, the person they've met for an hour, as I'm plucking them from their lives and dropping them into an alternate universe. How much courage does that take?

Q: What are the main takeaways for someone who is reading this?

A: Reach out, if you're struggling. You are never alone. The ARP hotline is available 24 hours a day. Call us after hours at: (510)462-2415. Or call during business hours: (510)748-7444 or (800)562-3277.

Note that plans may be different in other states, so contact your Trust Funds provider about your state-specific benefits. Also, you don't have to call us. Call anyone who can help. There's the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at (800)273-8255 or the Mental Health Crisis line at (877) 726-4727.



DISTRICT MEETINGS ALL MEETINGS CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19

NOVEMBER 2020 No meetings scheduled.

DECEMBER 2020



JANUARY 2021 No meetings scheduled.

*Look for Local 3 information, including previously filmed meetings at our official YouTube page: www.youtube.com/c/ operatingengineerslocal3



Retirees with 35 or more years of service in Local 3 are eligible for Honorary Membership. To find out if you are eligible, please contact your district office or the Recording-Corresponding Secretary (RCS) Office at (510) 748-7400.

The following Retirees have 35 or more years of membership in Local 3 as of Sept. 1, 2020 and have been determined to be eligible for Honorary Membership effective Oct. 1, 2020, unless otherwise noted.

THOMAS COLE	1800346
District 99: Out of Are	ea
Kelly Grange	1769041
District 12: Utah	
Henry Horne	1229840
District 12: Utah	
GARY JENSEN	1440245
District 12: Utah	
John Kleier	2226189
District 60: Yuba City	
Rex Melton	1972307
District 30: Stockton	
John Reilly	1374184
District 01: Burlingan	ne
HENRY RUIZ	1975488
District 90: Morgan H	[ill
DIANE SORENSON	1934989
District 12: Utah	
Joseph Stoddard	1728049
District 12: Utah	



In honor and remembrance of years of service in Local 3, service pins are available to members with 25 or more years of membership. These pins come in five-year increments from 25 through 75 years of service. Please contact your district office to receive your pins.

TOWN HALL MEETINGS ALL MEETINGS CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19

NOVEMBER 2020 No meetings scheduled.

DECEMBER 2020



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10[™] DISTRICT 17: KONA Meeting: 6 p.m. Marriott King Kamehameha Kona Beach Hotel 75-5660 Palani Road Kona

11[™] DISTRICT 17: MAUI Meeting: 6 p.m. Maui Arts and Cultural Center Alexa Higashi Room One Cameron Way Kahului

JANUARY 2021 No meetings scheduled.



Please contact your District Office to get the latest information on office hours.



Bartlebaugh, Kyle	CA
Bassillio, Rick	CA
Bauman, Richard	CA
Borce, Loreto	HI
Cavaco, John	HI
Cox, Randall	UT
	CA
Davis, Michael	
Drummond, Myron	CA
Engell, Steven	CA
Estrada, Paul	CA
Faltersack, Kirk	CA
Fisher, David	CA
Fitzgerald, Kevin	CA
Foord, James	CA
Gallego, Joselito	HI
Gardner, Dale	CA
Graham, John	AZ
Hannan, Jerald	CA
-	CA
Hasegawa, Steven	
Hayashida, Jaymes	HI
Higgins, Fred	NV
Hsu, Gary	TX
Hulett, Mark	HI
Johnson, Steven	UT
Johnson, Donald	CA
Kam, Kenneth	HI
Kelly, Roger	CA
Leano, Alex	HI
Legan, Kenneth	CA
Luna, Miguel	CA
Mathews, Nick	CA
McWilliams, Leslie	CA
Miller, James	UT
	CA
Moore, Pamela	
Mothorn, John	CA
Ostler, Donald	CA
Parker, Warren	HI
Payne, Mark	WA
Penman, Robert	CA
Reed, Gary	CA
Reno, David	CA
Riedell, Alan	CA
Rivera, Michael	HI
Ruzicka, Richard	CA
Sanchez, Randy	CA
Soares, Brian	HI
	CA
Steffes, Henry Stripling James	
Stripling, James	CA
Vandor, Steve	CA
Williams, Brete	CA
Williams, Sean	CA
Williams, David Jr.	CA
Woolsey, Robert	CA
Woolstenhulme, James	UT

*Reported from September; may have different effective dates.

LOCAL 3 SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION CONTEST RULES FOR 2021

The Local 3 Officers, Executive Board and the Scholarship Board of Directors understand that the workplace is rapidly changing, and many jobs require skills that can be attained only with a good education. Local 3 is dedicated to giving our young people the opportunity to succeed by providing them with the chance to further their education and training. For this reason, Local 3 awards annual scholarships to children, stepchildren and foster children of Local 3 members.

Local 3 awards two types of scholarships: Academic Scholarships (winners are judged based on academic qualifications) and Merit Scholarships (winners are selected through a random raffle drawing).

Please note: Academic Scholarship applicants who do not win are <u>automatically</u> entered into the Merit Scholarship raffle drawing (at the July Executive Board Meeting). Please do not submit multiple applications.

All applications <u>must</u> be <u>postmarked</u> <u>on or by March 31, 2021.</u>

WHO MAY APPLY

Children (including stepchildren and foster children) of Local 3 members may apply for the scholarships. The parent of the applicant must be a member for at least one year immediately preceding the date of the application. Grandchildren are only eligible to apply if their grandparent (member) is their legal guardian. Children of deceased members are eligible to apply for the scholarships if the parent of the applicant was a member for at least one year immediately preceding the date of death.

WHERE TO GET APPLICATIONS

OE3 Academic and Merit Scholarship applications are available at the local's district offices, OE Federal Credit Union branches and online at www.oe3.org.

How to submit scholarship applications

It is the responsibility of the applicant to see that the application is completed in full and that all of the required items are received on time. **If any items are missing**, **the applicant risks ineligibility.** Send to:

James K. Sullivan Recording-Corresponding Secretary Attn: Scholarships Operating Engineers Local Union No. 3 1620 South Loop Road Alameda, CA 94502

If you have questions, please call the RCS Office at (510) 748-7400.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Six Academic Scholarships will be awarded to children of Local 3 members.

» 1st place - \$15,000 total

Two scholarships of \$6,000 each will be awarded to the first-place female and male applicant, with an additional \$3,000 each for the second, third and fourth years of college if they remain a full-time student.

» 2nd place - \$12,500 total

Two scholarships of \$5,000 each will be awarded to the second-place female and male applicant, with an additional \$2,500 each for the second, third and fourth years of college if they remain a full-time student.

» 3rd place - \$10,000 total

Two scholarships of \$4,000 each will be awarded to the third-place female and male applicant, with an additional \$2,000 each for the second, third and fourth years of college if they remain a full-time student.

These scholarships can only be used for study at an accredited college or university located in the United States and will not impose restrictions of any kind on the course of study. Recipients may accept any other grants or awards that do not rule out scholarship aid from other sources. Winners must submit proof of full-time enrollment to receive payment.

Academic Scholarship applicants must be a graduating high school student who has, or will be, graduated at the end of either the fall semester (beginning in 2020) or the spring semester (beginning in 2021) in public, private or parochial schools. They must plan to attend an accredited college or university anywhere in the United States during the academic year and be able to meet the academic requirements for entrance into the university or college of their choice. Students selected for a scholarship must have achieved not less than a 3.0 ("B") weighted grade point average in their high school work.

AWARDING ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Upon receipt of the application package, the membership of the parent will be verified. The application will then be submitted for judging to the University of California Berkeley Scholarship Selection Committee, an independent outside group composed entirely of professional educators.

Apart from verifying the eligibility of the applicant, Local 3 will not indicate in any way that one applicant should be favored over another. The University of California Berkeley Scholarship Selection Committee will submit their selected finalists to the Scholarship Foundation's Board of Directors for approval. Academic Scholarship winners will be notified by Local 3 and posted on www.oe3.org.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

The following items must be submitted together by the applicant (unless it is the policy of the school to submit the Report on Applicant and Official Transcript directly).

- 1. Application filled out by student
- 2. Essay written by student
- **3. Report on applicant** filled out by authorized school representative
- 4. Official transcript from school (signed or stamped)
- 5. Letters of recommendation one to three letters from teachers, community leaders, family friends, or others who know the applicant must give information about the applicant's character and ability

Note: Winners will be contacted for a photograph to be used in *Engineers News*.

MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

In addition to the six Academic Scholarships, Local 3's Scholarship Foundation will award 25 Merit Scholarships in the amount of \$2,000. Children (including stepchildren and foster children) of Local 3 members who are currently attending or planning to attend college or trade school full-time in the next year may apply for the scholarship.

Awarding Merit Scholarships

Upon receipt of the application and required essay, the membership of the parent will be verified. Apart from verifying the eligibility of the applicant, Local 3 will not exercise any choice among the various applicants. The Merit Scholarship winners will not be judged on academic qualifications but will instead be selected through a raffle drawing held at Local 3's July Executive Board meeting. Previous Merit Scholarship winners and applicants may re-apply each year. Applicants need not be present to win; winners will be notified by Local 3 and posted on www.oe3.org. Winners must submit proof of full-time enrollment to receive payment.

REQUIREMENTS FOR MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

The following items must be submitted together by the applicant.

- 1. Application | filled out by student
- 2. Essay | written by student





2020CADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP

WINNERS

FIRST PLACE \$15,000 Tom J. Stapleton Memorial Scholarships

Winners will receive \$6,000 for the first year and an additional \$3,000 per-year stipend for the second, third and fourth years of college, provided they remain full-time students.



HAILEY HIGGINS Soledad, CA District 90 Parent: Robert Grover Reg. # 2620962



ISAIAH Vasouez

Salinas, CA District 90 Parent: Joaquin Vasquez Reg. # 2206892

SECOND PLACE \$12,500

Winners will receive \$5,000 for the first year and an additional \$2,500 per-year stipend for the second, third and fourth years of college, provided they remain full-time students.



Sofia Flores BARRAGAN Rohnert Park, CA

District 10 Parent: Victor Flores Reg. # 2198222



Ryan RUTHERFORD

Sparks, NV District 11 Parent: Mike Rutherford Reg. # 2533129

THIRD PLACE \$10,000

Winners will receive \$4,000 for the first year and an additional \$2,000 per-year stipend for the second, third and fourth years of college, provided they remain full-time students.



AAMANI SHARMA

Union City, CA District 20 Parent: Swathi Pathak Reg. # 4283081



RISTIN Косн

Loyalton, CA **District 60** Parent: Monique Koch Reg. # 4158385

COPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL UNION NO. 3 SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION 2020 \$2,000 MERIT SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Winners were randomly drawn at the Oct. 11, 2020, Executive Board Meeting

CYNTHIA BRYNDA

North Ogden, UT District 12 Parent: John Brynda

JISELLE CARDENAS

Kerman, CA District 50 Parent: Jesus Cardenas

JORDAN CASS

Pine Grove, CA District 30 Parent: Richard Cass

JANELLE CORREA

San Lorenzo, CA District 20 Parent: Manuel Correa

SHELBY CURTIN

Jamestown, CA District 30 Parent: John Curtin

ASHLEE DUCKWORTH

Anderson, CA District 70 Parent: Joel Duckworth

KAYLA HAMMITT

Citrus Heights, CA District 80 Parent: Michael Gaza

GIOVANNI HERNANDEZ

Oakland, CA District 20 Parent: Sergio Hernandez

KATE HOLMES

Tracy, CA District 30 Parent: Brian Mathe

CAMILA KRENN

Pacifica, CA District 01 Parent: Phillip Krenn

AUSTIN MANERS

Santa Rosa, CA District 10 Parent: Dan Maners

TANIA MARTINEZ

Galt, CA District 80 Parent: Saul Martinez

CADEN MCBRIDE

Wheatland, CA District 60 Parent: Chris McBride

RAQEEB MOHAMMED

Santa Clara, CA District 90 Parent: Habeeb Mohammed

NOAH NEUNER

San Carlos, CA District 01 Parent: Mitchell Neuner

PHOEBE POOLE

Castro Valley, CA District 20 Parent: James Poole

AERIONNA PROVENCE

Cottonwood, CA District 70 Parent: Anthony Provence

TYLER QUINTANILLA

Windsor, CA District 10 Parent: Jason Quintanilla

FABIAN RANGEL

E. Palo Alto, CA District 01 Parent: Miguel Perez

ASHLYN RODGERS

Antioch, CA District 20 Parent: Lance Willis, Sr.

CHLOE SOLIS

Napa, CA District 04 Parent: Rich Solis

KENDRA VALENCIA

Santa Rosa, CA District 10 Parent: Jose Valencia

CRISTINA VANCE

Los Banos, CA District 50 Parent: Charles Vance

TYLER VANDAL

Clayton, CA District 20 Parent: Patrick Vandal

ILIANA ZAPIEN

Oakley, CA District 20 Parent: Carlos Zapien

DEPARTED MEMBERS*

Eagle Mountain, UT

Maciel, Alejandro

Mamola, Edward

Santa Clara, CA

Livermore, CA

Lundgreen, Joel

8-13-20

8-27-20

8-14-20

Barker Ir., Rufus Cross Plains, TX 8-10-20

Caldwell, Larry Gunnison, UT 8-31-20

Cardenas, Michael Antioch, CA 8-27-20

Centeno, Oscar Manteca, CA 8-31-20

Cruz, Adolf Citrus Heights, CA 8-18-20

Deharo, Anselmo Tracy, CA 8-5-20

Dubois, Graham Rio Vista, CA 9-8-20

Dorton, John Golden Valley, AZ 8-9-20

Eagen, Richard Los Gatos, CA 8-19-20

Gines, Gordon Taylorsville, UT 8-15-20

Gottfredson. Paul Springville, UT 8-16-20

Hagemann, Johnny Honolulu, HI 9-2-20

Hoomanawanui, MelvinHonolulu, HI 8-11-20

Huebner, Robert Livingston, TX 8-25-20

Jimenez, Robert Sebastopol, CA 9-1-20

Jurich, Paul Millville, CA 8-12-20

Kaniaupio, Francis Kapolei, HI 8-30-20 Keathley, Paul Anchor Point, AK

8-2-20

Patterson, CA 8-13-20

8-17-20

Knivila, Gary Santa Rosa, CA 8-25-20 Knott, Stephen

Kaheaku, James

Kanekoa, Reginald

Mililani, HI

Waipahu, HI

8-31-20

8-12-20

Leffler, Keith Clearlake Oaks, CA

Lema, Edward Oakdale, CA 8-25-20

Margaroni, John San Mateo, CA 8-16-20

> Marino, Charles Sonoma, CA 8-3-20

> > McArthur, James Jamestown, CA 8-7-20

Medeiros, Ted Atwater, CA 8-23-20

Melton, Gordon Apache Junction, AZ 8-23-20

Mivahara, Richard Wahiawa, HI 8-9-20

Morrow, Harold Grass Valley, CA 8-3-20

Nye, Duane Clearfield, UT 8-26-20

Palmgren, James Pinecrest, CA 8-25-20

Parish, Mark Benicia, CA 8-9-20

Perez, Pedro Indio, CA 8-11-20

Ramirez, John Yuba City, CA 8-25-20

Ramos, George Castro Valley, CA 8-18-20

Scagliola, James Petaluma, CA 9-3-20

Short, James Walnut Creek, CA 9-3-20

Smith. Garrett Portland, OR 8-5-20

Thorpe, Taylor Mapleton, UT 8-31-20

Turner, Cyril Walnut Creek, CA 9-3-20

Vogt, Mickey McKinleyville, CA 9-10-20

Wall, Edward El Cerrito, CA 8-4-20

8-5-20 White, Harold Martinez, CA 7-30-20

Washington, Leamon

Vallejo, CA

Williams, Erland Eastsound, WA 8-22-20

Withers, Thomas Herriman, UT 8-8-20

Wright III, Charles Montgomery, TX 7-24-20

DECEASED DEPENDENTS

Carter, Gwyneth Spouse of Carter, Bernard 8-14-20

Church-Wilberg, Ioann Spouse of Wilberg, Fred (dec) 8-15-20

Dalton, Cleone Spouse of Dalton, Thomas (dec) 8-24-20

DellaMaggiore, Priscilla Spouse of DellaMaggiore, Sam 8-20-20

Donahue, Mary Spouse of Donahue, Edwin (dec) 8-12-20

Duarte, Bernice Spouse of Duarte, Leonard (dec) 8-16-20

Etheridge, Eileen Spouse of Etheridge, Don (dec) 8-13-20

Filippini, Emma Spouse of Filippini, Ernest (dec) 9-4-20

Finn, Margaret Spouse of Finn, Peter (dec) 8-16-20

Geyer, Mary Spouse of Geyer, Milo (dec) 8-24-20

Godinez, Catarina Spouse of Godinez. Jose (dec) 8-18-20

Grisby, Rita Spouse of Grisby, Patrick 8-21-20

Haymond, Betty Spouse of Haymond. L. Wood (dec) 8-16-20

Hooks, Connie Spouse of Hooks, Kenneth (dec) 8-8-20

Irish, Marcella Spouse of Irish. Kenneth (dec) 7-4-20

Spouse of Kahue. Howard (dec) 8-25-20

Charles (dec) 7-9-20

Kitchen, Janet Spouse of Kitchen, Robert 8-3-20

Lafrenierre, Dora Sposue of Lafrenierre, Wilfred (dec) 8-8-20

Leslie, Betty Spouse of Leslie. Robert 8-21-20

Lopez, Juanita Spouse of Lopez, Henry (dec) 8-20-20

Maraschin, Norma Spouse of Maraschin. Lino (dec) 8-15-20

Maye, Sandra Spouse of Maye, Lindwood 8-2-20

McCoy, Carol Spouse of McCoy, Jimmy 9-7-20

Meadows, Janene Spouse of Meadows, Steve 6-16-20

Moreno, Laura Spouse of Moreno. Adam (dec) 8-28-20

Pangorang, Emelita Spouse of Pangorang, Curtis 8-3-20

Perreira, Agnes Spouse of Perreira, Paul (dec) 8-14-20

Quindica, Yvonne Spouse of Quindica, Jonathan (dec) 7-1-20

Ramos, Julia Spouse of Ramos, Edward (dec) 8-20-20

Reagan, Judith Spouse of Reagan, Donald (dec) 8-26-20

Ricketts, Minta Spouse of Ricketts, Lex (dec) 8-30-20

Riolo, Carolyn Spouse of Riolo, Tim 6-8-20

Turner, Shirleen Spouse of Turner. Fred (dec) 8-26-20

Turner, Thelma Spouse of Turner. Glen (dec) 8-27-20

Withers, Patsy Spouse of Withers, Thomas (dec) 7-26-20

Wilkes, Yvonda Spouse of Wilkes, Robert 8-11-20

*MEMBER OBITUARIES

Family members of a recently deceased Local 3 member may contact the member's local district office for a brief obituary to be included in the Engineers News district section. Contact information for the district offices is on pages 18-23 in this edition.

Kahue, Nancy

Kahumoku, Sinclaire Spouse of Kahumoku.



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OR CALL: (916) 993-2047, ext. 2503

OR E-MAIL TO: rsparks@oe3.org

*All ads must include Member Registration Number.

FOR SALE: Gantry crane. One ton, 13' wide. Height adjustable. Telescopes 7'-12'. Steel castor whells. One-ton chain hoist included. Load beam removable with eight bolts. \$300. Call (916) 487-2201. Reg# 2046985.

FOR SALE: Harley Standard. \$6,500. Tilt-bed trailer. \$150. Double sheeps foot. \$1,500 obo. Craftsman 3hp air compressor, like new. \$100 obo. Electric BBQ on stand. \$100 obo. Old Shelby Flyer 20" bicycle. \$250 obo. Call (408) 316-3890 after 10 a.m. Reg# 1797514.

FOR SALE: Solid oak dining table with leaf insert and claw feet. Includes 4 chairs. Solid oak china cabinet with hutch. Solid oak TV console with shelves and claw feet. All in excellent condition. \$1500 for all. Call for information (916) 698-5606. Reg# 4279989. FOR SALE: Over 26 acres in Amador County with pasture and perfect building sites. Perfect for a getaway, camping or building dream home. Private and secluded. Easy access from Sacramento, Jackson, Placerville and Lake Tahoe. Electricity close by and wells in good area. Pond seasonal. \$299,900. Call (208) 755-0256. Reg# 1812603.

FOR SALE: "Blue Green" time share. Ownership worth \$23,000. One week resort time in summer months. Many resorts along the east coast. Double time during non-summer months. Resorts in Vegas, Daytona, Orlando, Myrtle Beach, Hawaii. \$8,000 OBO. Call (510) 483-4267. Reg# 1328354.

FOR SALE: 1956 Ford sixcylinder, 1-ton, stakeside, flatbed, dually project truck. Spare engine. 4-speed transmission with granny low gear. Looking for best offer. Call (925) 783-1246 or (925) 439-7646. Reg# 1355484.

FOR SALE: Troy-Bilt 4-cycle gasoline lawn edger with both cord cutter and blade cutter attachments. Manual included. Excellent shape. \$100. Troy-Built 4-cycle backpack blower. Model# TB4BP. Manual included. Excellent condition. \$150. Call or text (209) 931-2058. Reg# 1022395.

FOR SALE: 3.7 acres with 2000 sq. ft shop, insulated and sheetrocked, single and 3 phase power, 12x14 and 16x14 doors. Mobile home site ready for new 2 bedroom, existing well and 2 septics, Ponderosa pines in Scott Valley, Siskiyou County. Ready for a change? Farm community within sight of Marble Mountain Wilderness. \$160,000 obo. Call (530) 549-4289, cell (530) 227-0135. Reg# 2417794.

FOR SALE: Titan 5th wheel and '06 GMC Sierra 3500 SLT, 1-ton 4X4 turbo diesel truck. 32' trailer has all upgrade options, living room and bedroom slides and 5-yr old roof. Truck has 137k miles, leather heated seats, long bed. Both are well-maintained and clean. \$38,500 obo for both. Contact (510) 792-8187 or rkjck6053@aol.com. Reg# 1677704. WANTED: Enclosed cargo trailer. Ideally a 6x10 or 6x12. Email Kevin.c.lum@gmail. com or call or text (925) 588-9148. Reg# 4096977.

FOR SALE: Baldor industrial motor. 208-230 volts. 26.3 amps. RPM 1725, HZ60, PH1 Class F. Full load EFF 30%, PF 80%. 1-inch shaft. 5 HP. \$400. Call (209) 477-3606. Reg# 1590695.

FOR SALE: Craftsman Professional 10" table saw with stand and Align-A-Rip Fence. \$300 cash. Call Enrique (916) 408-5540. Reg# 1142732.

FOR SALE: Mobile mechanic tools. Snap-on, Mac, and other assorted name brands. Including ratchets and sockets, from ¼-inch to ¾-inch sets. Wrenches from ¼-inch to 2 inches. Multiple specialty tools. Air tools, cutting torch and tank set. Many more tools, too many to list. Selling all together for \$25,000. Call (707) 953-7804. Reg# 1654092.

FOR SALE: 1.25 acre wooded forest. Bear and deer pass through property. Seven miles from Shingletown behind Meadow Mountains Bible Camp. Close to Lake McCumber. \$30,000 obo. Call (530) 275-6882. Reg# 1956194.

FOR SALE: 2-ton heavy duty Hein Werner engine hoist. 8 ft adjustable boom and adjustable legs with wheels. Older model. Breaks down for storage. \$150. For more information or pictures, email tvmcdonald@sbcglobal. net or call Tom at (916) 742-5218. Reg# 2098655.

FOR SALE: Spectra Precision LL300 laser with HR350 receiver. Recently calibrated. Laserline rod and Crain Trimax tripod. As a set \$500, or can be sold separately. Other gradesetting tools are available for sale. Call (925) 285-3548. Reg# 2416600.

FOR SALE: 10 Dorper sheep. Animals on site and able to be viewed. 9950 Brittany Lane, Acampo, CA 95220. Call for pricing and viewing. (209) 365-1054. Reg# 1317611. FOR SALE: Leica GPS System, originally set up for a CAT 14H Motor Grader. Includes all parts: receiver, hydraulic hoses, valves, controller, and masts. \$10,000. Call (415) 517-4404. Reg# 1624521.

FOR SALE: Two parcels of land on the Big Island in Hawaii. 1.87 acres each for a total of 3.74 acres total. Parcels are side-by-side. Agricultural building set up as studio and workshop. \$165,000. Call (808) 968-8673. Reg# 2367339.

FOR SALE: Red 2009 Yamaha FX Cruiser SHO 3-seater Wave Runner. Perfect condition, less than 25 hours on it. Includes caravan trailer. Asking \$9,950 obo. Call John at (530) 925-0711. Reg# 1904078.

FOR SALE: 2005 Harley-Davidson Softail FLSTN with 12,532 miles and a lot of extras. Showroom quality. Must see to appreciate. Call (831) 578-5391 for more information. Reg# 1355113.

FOR SALE: 2009 Triumph Daytona 675. Remus full titanium exhaust, power commander V with auto tuner, headwork by Wes King. Very fast. \$6,500 obo. 2000 Indian Chief. Needs a little work but great bike. \$8,000 obo. 1985 Yamaha RZ350. Not started for a few years, but has clear and current Calif. registration. \$4,000 obo. Call or text (209) 810-2885. Reg# 2538327.

FOR SALE: 2003 F-150 XLT Super crew V8 4X4. Former fleet vehicle with the Contra Costa County Fire Department and regularly serviced. Super clean with mint interior and power locks, windows, seats, etc. \$5,500. Text Duffy at (530) 227-5252. Reg# 1785682.

FOR SALE: Drum set. Includes snare drum, two toms, bass drum and cymbals. \$500 OBO. (925) 229-0914. Reg# 0928228.

FOR SALE: 2003 Harley Davidson Softtail FLSTN with 12,532 miles, a lot of extras and in showroom quality. Must see to appreciate. Call (831) 578-5391. Reg# 1355113. FOR SALE: 12-foot Elgin boat trailer in excellent condition with new tires, tubes and wiring. Has Craftsmen 6.5hp chipper, shredder, low hours. \$200. Speedaire 2hp, 115-volt air compressor. \$100. Sears 2hp, 115-volt air compressor. \$75. McLane 2hp lawn edger. \$60. New process 435 4-speed transmission from early Ford 4X4. Excellent condition, \$350. Text (707) 315-2161. Reg# 2571106.

FOR SALE: Two boxes of various mechanic tools. Mostly Snap-On. Includes wrenches, sockets, etc. Located in Sacramento area. Call Arnold for more information at (916) 489-1227. Reg# 113290.

FOR SALE: Falcon 2 tow bar with 2 safety cables, drop hitch, electrical wires and 2 receivers. \$550 OBO. Call Ron at (209) 367-1142 or (209) 224-7697 (cell). Reg# 1737629.

WANTED: Rifles, shotguns, pistols and ammunition. From one to a whole collection. Call (559) 360-2345. Reg# 2123273.

FOR SALE: Ford 9N tractor, 3-point, PTO. Engine is weak. It's been sitting for a while, but can get it running. \$950/ offer. Have a few implements to be sold separately. Call Mark at (916) 756-6140. Reg# 1904007.

FOR SALE: Fully-loaded 2006 Ford Super Duty F-250 Lariat. Features: 6.0L diesel, 4x4, 6.75-foot bed, Banks 6-gun tuner, Banks super intercooler, Banks Big Horn intake, K&M cold air intake filter system, upgraded turbo, new halo headlights, and 2015 side power heated mirrors. 153,000 miles. \$16,500 OBO. For pictures, please email dmroge@frontiernet.net or call (916) 502-0638. Reg #2434282.

WANTED: Looking to purchase Operating Engineers Local 3 75th Anniversary belt buckle, in new condition. Silver or gold. Call (415) 748-2080. Reg# 2260246.



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