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Sent: Friday, January 29, 2021 8:10 PM EST
To: records@americanoversight.org <records@americanoversight.org>
Subject: Public Records Request - 20210121 - Re: Council Member Martinez

EXTERNAL SENDER

Austin R. Evers,

In response to your public records request dated January 21, 2021 regarding correspondence related to Council Member Jessica Martinez the City has compiled the following responsive records:

Request 1 - 2) Attached.

Request 3) The City has no responsive records and is not claiming to have records which are exempt from disclosure.

This concludes the City's response to your CPRA request.

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From: [Ti Mo](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: 1/6/21
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:59:33 PM

Hi Jessica

My name is TinaNicole Mosqueda. I am a resident of Whittier. I was asked to sign a petition to have Yoli removed from office on the basis that you participated in what I consider to be a homeland terrorist attack on a capital.

I am aware of the fact that you participated in the protest on Jan. 6th in Washington, but I am believing at this point that a woman voted into office here in our city did not participate in this particular part of events.

Can you please take the time to enlighten me?
I ask because I will not sign such a petition if you did not. And in fact I will really against it and stand with my city council woman.

Thank you for your time.

TinaNicole Mosqueda

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From: [Rigo Garcia](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#); martinezdj@gmail.com
Subject: 4 Points
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 8:30:46 PM

1. Used platform (social media) to spread conspiracy that undermine the presidential election including urging the arrest of members of the press for their presidential election coverage
2. Violated LA County stay at home order by going to DC.
3. City Council is a nonpartisan position and she violation of oath with her actions.
4. Advocating and attending the Stop the steal event, the court never agreed with the claims and therefore it incites violence and would by supporting the stop the steal that is problematic.

From: serod1105@gmail.com
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: A Call for Your Resignation.
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 8:44:38 PM

Good evening Councilmember Jessica Martinez,

I am Sophia Rodriguez, a citizen of the city of Whittier. I am emailing you tonight to call for your resignation. Your actions in our nation's capital have shown you not only do not care about Democracy, but that you also do not care for the people of Whittier. Your support of President Donald Trump, and your willingness to blatantly disregard facts and election results prove only a fraction of your ignorance, which is why you must resign from your position immediately.

You have disappointed me, and the rest of the city of Whittier with your disgusting actions. You do not deserve your position, nor do you deserve to hold any political power ever. You are wholeheartedly un-American. I hope for your swift removal from the city council. The fact that you were able to earn this position in the first place is beyond me. I genuinely hope you lose your job. You are utterly despicable. As a student of color, your actions have shown me that you do not care about me, or the many other students of color in this city. You are on the wrong side of history. Wake up.

Get well soon,
Sophia Rodriguez.

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From: [Trina Miller](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Cc: [Isabel Haro](#)
Subject: A Caller
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 12:13:37 PM

Hi Jessica!

I took a call from Joseph Panz....(the rest of his name was cutoff on the screen and he just told me, "Joe") who resides in Baldwin Park. He heard about you on the news last night. He wanted you to know that he supports you, commends/praises you for going to the rally and supporting Trump. You did nothing wrong and he felt it was ludicrous that you had to defend yourself against your colleagues. He did leave his phone number:

818-281-7244

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From: [Charles Durrett](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: A Solution to Homelessness in your Town
Date: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:05:40 PM
Attachments: [image.png](#)
[Book Flyer 201222.pdf](#)



Dear Councilor Jessica Martinez, City of Whittier,

Thousands and thousands of people want to address the challenge of homelessness in our time; especially for seniors, especially for homeless Vets. **Valley View Senior Housing** is one of the most exciting communities in the USA to address and fulfill this burgeoning need. Today, governments know the **why**; now they can know the **how**. Homelessness challenges us nationwide, and its solution can be approached through local governments, as shown here. If you are motivated to get a new affordable housing project built in your locale, *A Solution to Homelessness in Your Town: Valley View Senior Housing, Napa County, California*, is the place to start.

To support this colorful, well-documented and, most importantly, effective book, please consider purchasing a copy. The more copies of this book distributed, the more people that will be housed. Herein describes how the small town of American Canyon, CA, prepared, launched, and fulfilled their intention to healthfully house folks otherwise without housing.

Charles Durrett is an advocate for affordable, socially responsible housing, who has made major contributions to community-based architecture. He has designed over a hundred affordable housing projects and has consulted on many more worldwide. He is the principle housing specialist at The Cohousing Company, based in Nevada City, CA. His work has been featured in *Time*, *New York Times*, *LA Times*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *The Guardian*, *Architecture*, *Architectural Record*, *Wall Street Journal*, *The Economist*, and a wide variety of other publications. He has spoken twice in front of the U.S. Congress regarding affordable housing. He devotes his time, vision, and activism to new affordable housing developments. He has authored about a dozen other popular books about housing.

Durrett wrote *A Solution to Homelessness in Your Town* right in the middle of the Covid-19 pandemic. While an inordinate number of homeless people in this country are already extremely

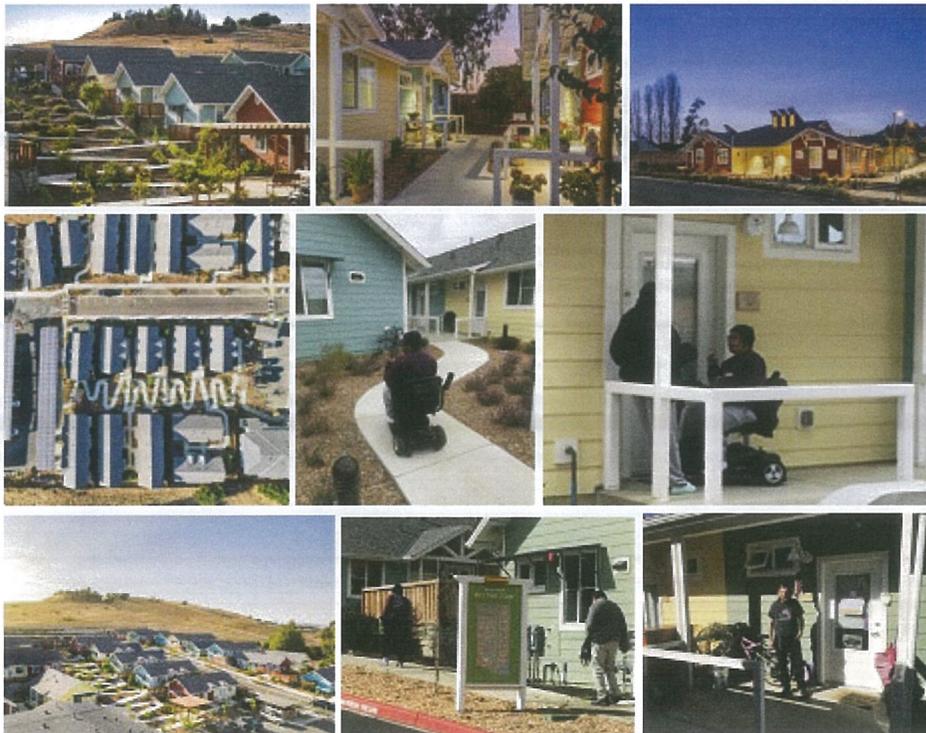
vulnerable, for them, Covid-19 has been horror on top of horror. After all, those in homeless straits have no place to shelter-in-place.

Built in 2019 in American Canyon, CA, Valley View Senior Housing is an affordable senior housing community consisting of 70 cottages with an average of 500ft². It would not be surprising if no resident dies from the effects of Covid-19 at Valley View Senior Housing because they have come into a healthy place to shelter, practice distancing, but not isolated, and within a community setting that encourages each other to stay healthy. Residents are successfully sheltering-in-place—because they have a place. On the day of this writing, 70 residents of a homeless emergency shelter in San Francisco tested positive for Covid-19. On this same day, Governor Gavin Newsom has announced that, in total, 60,000 homeless in California will be ill-affected by the virus.

All 16 funders of Valley View Senior Housing came to the groundbreaking, giddy to be a part to this critical solution. One new resident bespoke at the grand opening, “you know that freeway you guys drove in on? I was under that freeway for more than six years, and I’m a Vietnam veteran, and now I have a home.”

We invite you to help us launch this ground-breaking book, and by extension, it’s important work by ordering it at <https://www.oroeditions.com/product/a-solution-to-homelessness-in-your-town/>, it is 30% off using code “solution” till Jan 31, 2021.

This replaces the front photos



Thank you for your interest and consideration.

Charles R. Durrett
AIA, Architect Emeritus

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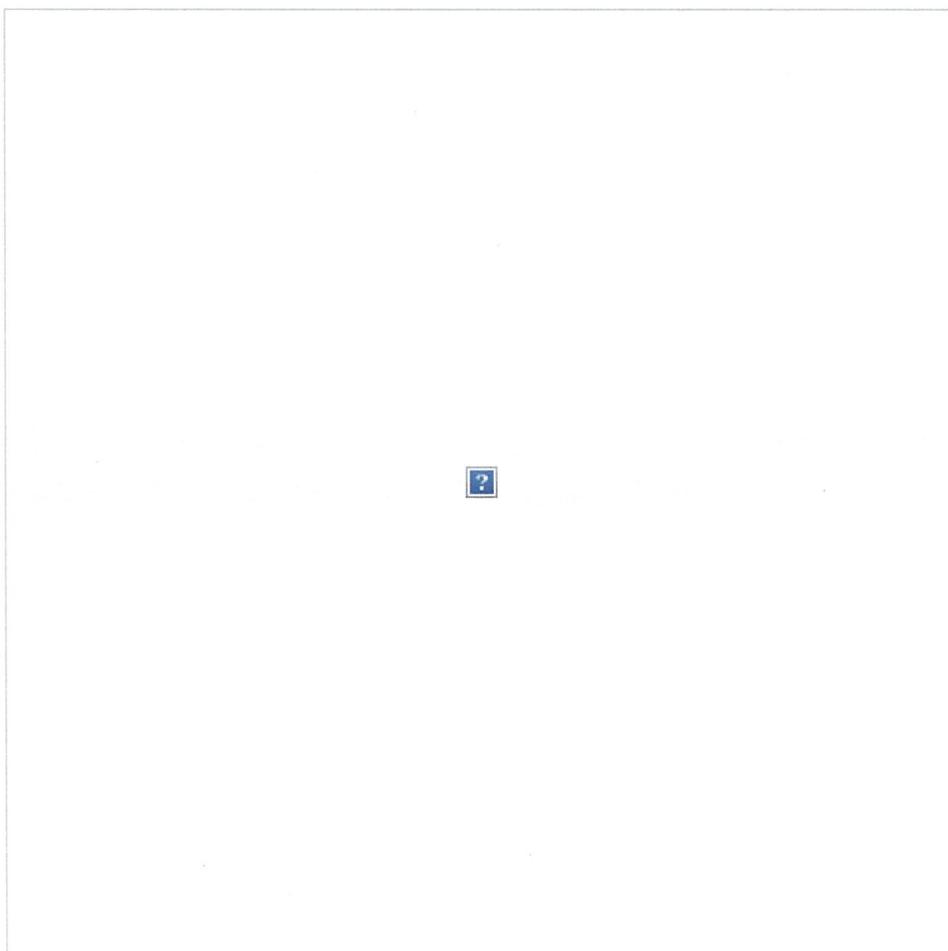
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From: [Yolanda Diaz](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Attendance at our Capitol
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 2:50:51 PM

What a shame that we have a representative such as yourself. I am embarrassed to even admit that you are a representative of our city. Spreading and supporting baseless facts is not only wrong, but shows a simple lack of character. Please resign.

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From: [Mike Jones, Change.org](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Breonna Taylor
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 2:47:19 AM



Jessica,

Up to 50,000 no-knock warrants are issued in the United States each year. **And they can be deadly.** Police officers used this kind of warrant **to justify breaking into Breonna Taylor's apartment last year, killing her.**

The officer who sought the warrant for Breonna Taylor's apartment has since been fired. **But that's not stopping a growing**

nationwide movement to ban no-knock warrants, and seek justice for Breonna Taylor's death.

In October, Virginia banned no-knock warrants. Kentucky is now considering a ban, as are Pennsylvania and Tennessee. There's also federal legislation – the Justice for Breonna Taylor Act – **and now might be the moment it sees real momentum in Congress.** And you can help.

Petition starter Lorelei HoJay is working to secure passage of the Justice for Breonna Taylor Act. She's spoken to Members of Congress, and both Democrats and Republicans support ending no-knock warrants.

[Add your name to Lorelei's petition, demand justice for Breonna Taylor, and help end dangerous no-knock warrants nationwide.](#)

Sign now with a click.

"If this bill passes in Congress, no-knock warrants will be federally banned – and no one will have to die the way Breonna did, ever again," Lorelei says. **"Get this legislation passed not only for Breonna, but to save the lives that we will lose senselessly to no-knock warrants."**

President-elect Biden and Vice President-elect Kamala Harris have pledged to overhaul no-knock warrants once they're in office. With a new Congress taking shape, getting a bipartisan ban on no-knock warrants through the House and Senate has never had a more realistic path. But your lawmakers need to hear from you.

That's why Lorelei needs your help to get a ban on no-knock warrants on Biden's desk in his first 100 days in office.

Sign now with a click.

This March will mark one year since Breonna Taylor was killed. Millions want action, and do not want to wait any longer for meaningful legislation to pass to help deliver justice.

Loralei and millions like her believe now is the time for Congress to act. You can help them send that message by adding your name to this petition now.

Thank you for taking action,

Michael Jones

[Read the full petition here.](#)

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From: [Trina Miller](#)
To: [Council](#)
Cc: [Brian Saeki](#); [Rigo Garcia](#)
Subject: Call from Ethan Rodriguez
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 12:51:44 PM

Council:

Just received a call from Ethan Rodriguez who would like Jessica “off the Council.” He feels it’s awful that she went to DC on Wednesday and feels she should come off Council and has signed a petition. He asked that I pass along to Council.

562-842-6534

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From: [Blanca G. Rangel](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Capitol
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 3:32:24 PM

SHAME ON YOU.
STEP DOWN, IMMEDIATELY.

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From: [W.R](#)
To: [WebMail - CCD](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Cathy Warner](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Censure of Jessica Martinez
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 5:20:24 PM
Attachments: [PublicComment Jan. 12, 2021.docx](#)

I have attached my public comments for Whittier City Council Meeting on January 12, 2021.

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From: [Adria Jimenez](#)
To: [WebMail - Admin](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Cathy Warner](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Council Member Martinez's Disrespectful Actions
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 3:28:38 PM

Honorable Mayor and Council Members:

As a 45-year resident of Whittier, I am embarrassed, disgusted, and disappointed by Council Member Martinez's attendance and participation in the riots on Wednesday and destruction of our nation's sacred Capitol. In the history of this City, we have NEVER had a council member behave as selfishly and unprofessionally as Jessica Martinez.

Ms. Martinez was elected by the hardworking families of District 1 to represent them and be a spokesperson for our City. Elected officials are public servants for the people; her actions and participation in destruction of property and an attempt to overthrow our government - our democracy - is unethical, immoral, and quite frankly, illegal.

The events that unfolded on Wednesday resulted in the death of a police officer, a police officer just like those who keep our Whittier community safe. She should be ashamed of herself.

Unfortunately, this is not the first time she has disregarded her constituents for her own personal gain, and I do not expect this to be the last time.

As the voters of District 1 work towards recalling Jessica Martinez, I urge Mayor Vinatieri and the other Council Members to take formal action condemning Jessica Martinez's actions.

I request this email be read, in full, into the record by the City Clerk during Oral Communications at the next City Council Meeting.

Thank you,
Adria Jimenez

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From: [Dalila Barillas](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: DalilaBarillas
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 12:26:19 PM

Hi Jessica,

I want to start by thanking you for all your hard work and tireless fight against these progressive, socialist, communist left who are trying to break down the fabric of what makes our beautiful country; and for standing up for most of us who are the silent majority in Whittier. We are not loud and intolerant like many in the left...You represent many of us and I want to thank you for standing up against these tyrants who are trying to remove our freedoms and rights; speaking of Henry Bouchot.

I know there will be a City Council meeting this coming wk and I want to make a stand to have Henry Bouchot removed from city council for hatefully attacking another member of the City Council that was voted in by the people. He has insight hate, trying to use the fraudulent events from these past Presidential Elections to advance his own agenda. We the American people are sick and tired of these tyrants. We must remove any person who purposely using social media to defame, attack and go against the people who voted you in. This type of censorship and intolerance should not be allowed in the City of Whittier. We need to be the example of that city that sits on a hill and that will not be shaken. Our founding fathers, given by God, gave us our constitutional rights of freedom of speech, freedom of religion and the freedom to be free in this country. By Henry Bouchout attacking you because you don't stand by what he believe in, he is removing your rights and our rights as Americans. This is not communist China, nor Cuba or any other communist country. We need to take a really good look at at Henry Bouchot's actions and agenda, he is trying to make our Whittier be and extension of China and communist countries that many of us or parents left for a land of freedom. If the council takes our freedoms away like what we saw in the last months in our government, there is no hope for America any longer.

Please Jessica, fight the good fight of faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confessions in the presence of many witnesses.

Sincerely,

Dalila Barillas
6050 Washington Ave
Whittier, Ca, 90601

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From: [Mr and Mrs Mosqueda](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Did you participate?
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 3:11:38 PM

Hi Jessica

My name is TinaNicole Mosqueda. I am a resident of Whittier. I was asked to sign a petition to have Yoli removed from office on the basis that you participated in what I consider to be a homeland terrorist attack on a capital.

I am aware of the fact that you participated in the protest on Jan. 6th in Washington, but I am believing at this point that a woman voted into office here in our city did not participate in this particular part of events.

Can you please take the time to enlighten me?

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Thank you for your time.

TinaNicole Mosqueda

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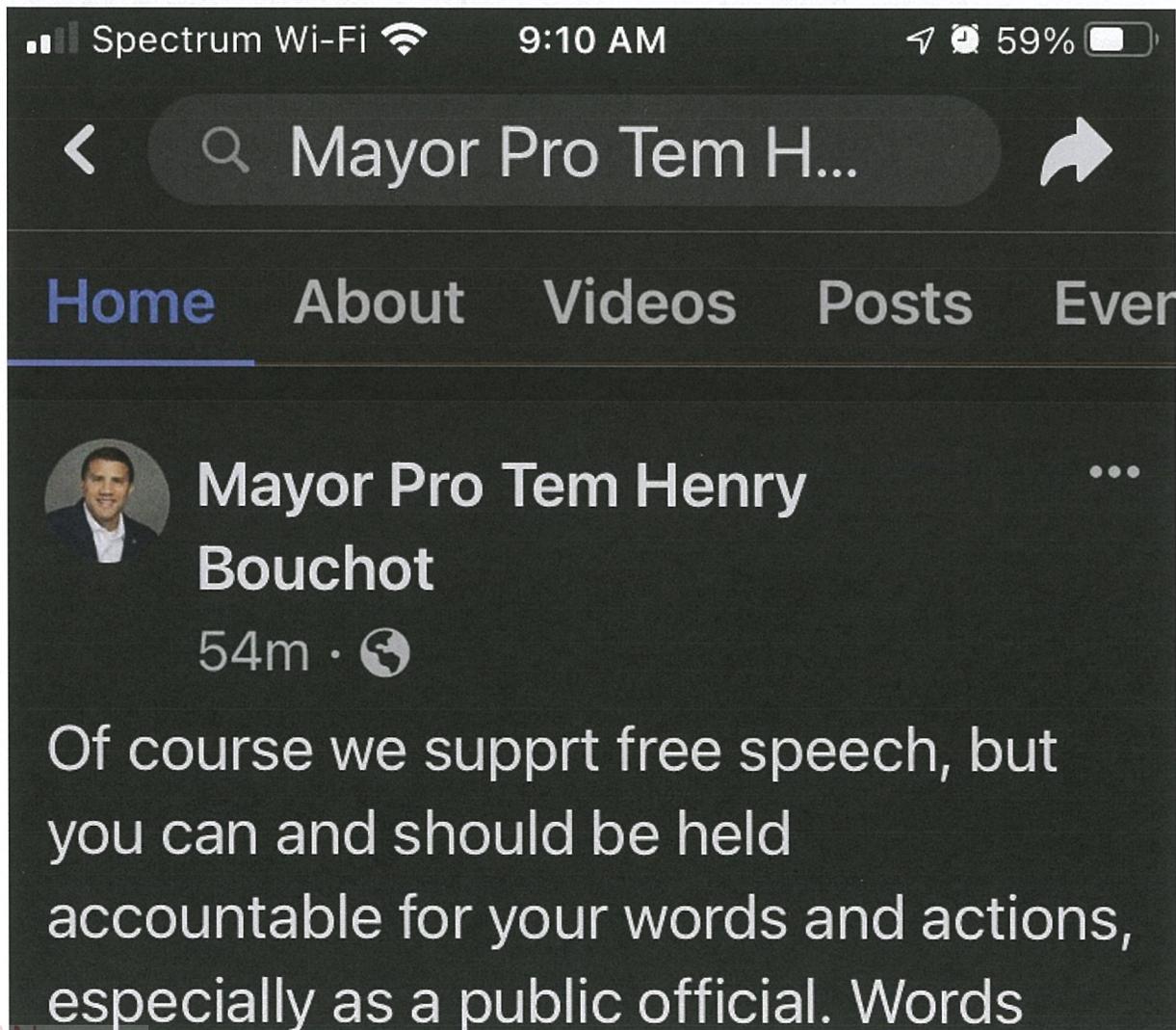
From: [Veronica Wilkerson](#)
To: [WebMail - CCD](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Cathy Warner](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Distressing posts
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 9:20:03 AM

Good morning I am following up on the email I sent yesterday. Mr. Bouchot continues to post self serving and self righteous posts regarding the atrocity that occurred at our nation's Capitol last week. WITHOUT A SHRED OF EVIDENCE OR PROOF the spirit of Mr. Bouchot's posts have put Mrs. Martinez directly in the halls of Capitol Hill and her presence at the rally is enough for her to be censured tonight and from others to step down from the council or to be removed. Is that how democracy works now?

I am expecting to hear from someone before tonight's meeting.

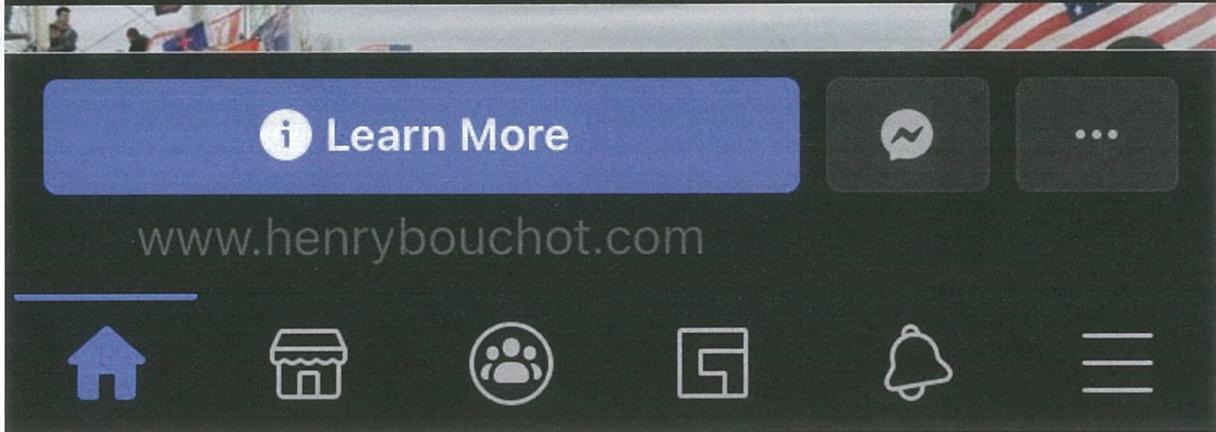
Regards,

Veronica Wilkerson
6257 Comstock Ave Apt A
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have meaning. Words have consequences.

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From: [CFR: The World This Week](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Domestic Terror Strikes the U.S. Capitol - How Dangerous Are New COVID-19 Strains? - The Problem With a 50-50 Senate
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 9:10:45 AM

Image



The World This Week

January 8, 2021

Domestic Terrorism Strikes the U.S. Capitol

Bruce Hoffman

Image

An explosion caused by a police munition is seen while supporters of President Donald J. Trump gather in front of the U.S. Capitol Building in Washington, DC, on January 6, 2021. (Leah Millis/Reuters)

The breaching of the U.S. Capitol and disruption of the presidential succession by a pro-President Donald J. Trump mob has inflicted lasting damage on the nation's image as a bastion of democracy. [Read the brief](#)

How Dangerous Are New COVID-19 Strains?

The global distribution of COVID-19 vaccines is underway, but the emergence of new coronavirus strains threatens to make the pandemic far worse before it gets better. [Get the quick take](#)

The United States Grapples With Insurrection Fallout

How Mob Violence Came to Washington

Daniel Byman via *Foreign Affairs*

Law enforcement was apparently unprepared for the mix of white supremacists, anti-government extremists, and conspiracy theorists who openly organized to overturn an election at the behest of the president. [Read the article](#)

Nigerians React to the Assault on the U.S. Capitol

John Campbell

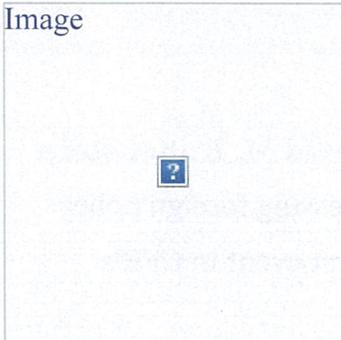
American prestige in Nigeria is in the gutter, and American soft power in the world's second largest continent is evaporating. [Read more on Africa in Transition](#)

What Does the U.S. National Guard Do?

This week, the National Guard was called on to restore order after a pro-Trump mob stormed the U.S. Capitol. The Guard is a special part of the U.S. military that answers to both state governors and the president. [Get the background](#)

Podcast: The Changing Landscape of Domestic Terrorism

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On this [episode](#) of [The President's Inbox](#) from June 2020, CFR Senior Fellow for Counterterrorism and Homeland Security **Bruce Hoffman** sat down with host **James M. Lindsay** to discuss domestic terrorist entities, groups, and movements. Listen on [desktop](#) and subscribe on [iOS](#) or [Spotify](#).

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The Problem With a 50-50 Senate

Yascha Mounk

Control of the Senate create serious difficulties for Democrats—and might even make it less likely for Biden to win reelection. [Read the op-ed](#)

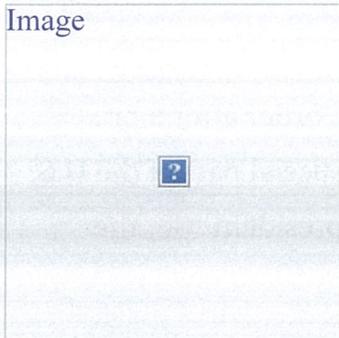
Russia Pounced on U.S. Cyber Weaknesses

Robert K. Knake via *Foreign Affairs*

The incoming administration of President-Elect Joe Biden must not only improve the United States' ability to detect and disrupt hacking campaigns but also respond to Russia's intrusion in a way that deters future cyber-aggression. [Read the article](#)

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From: [Gina Pellizzon](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: FUCK DONALD TRUMP
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 3:32:25 PM

Sent from my iPhone

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From: [WebMail - Admin](#)
To: [Council](#)
Cc: [Brian Saeki](#); [Rigo Garcia](#)
Subject: FW: Removal of council member Jessica Martinez
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 10:15:05 AM

Council:

From our Admin Webmail

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From: German Lara <laragerman777@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, January 8, 2021 9:53 AM
To: WebMail - Admin <Admin@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Removal of council member Jessica Martinez

Hello all who read this. I hope today finds you well.

I am writing to you, as a lifelong Whittier resident. And as a community member peacefully fighting for a better world. The events of January 6 at the capitol building will be remembered in history. It is now our civic duty to hold all accountable. In our neck of town, we require the city of Whittier and it's government representers that we remove council member Jessica Martinez from city council of Whittier, effective immediately.

Due to her participation on Capitol Hill on January 6 2021, and the rhetoric she continually spills against our Black and Brown community. I would like to add that there is video evidence of her in DC on January 6th, furthermore. We recognize that council member also blocked a rent moratorium back when covid first hit. We do not forget. As we speak AD57 Dems are busy filling out the petition for Martinez's removal. As you will soon receive.

I implore Joe V. And the Whittier council to do the right thing. And fire Jessica Martinez!

Respectfully, - German para, lifelong Whittier resident.

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From: [Trina Miller](#)
To: [Council](#)
Cc: [Brian Saeki](#)
Subject: FW: WRD Discussion of Hiring an Interim General Manager - CIP Committee this Thursday 11:00
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 4:33:00 PM

City Council:

I've been asked to forward this email on to you from the Director of WRD.

Trina Miller | Executive Assistant to City Manager

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From: rob katherman <rob.katherman@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:20 AM
To: Trina Miller <tmiller@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: WRD Discussion of Hiring an Interim General Manager - CIP Committee this Thursday 11:00

Hi Trina,

I hope all is well with you and your family.

I am emailing everyone that commented on the hiring of Albert Robles as WRD General Manager. As you know our Board has been attempting to hire Mr. Robles first as Assistant General Manager and then as permanent General Manager. The Board President finally proposed hiring Mr. Robles as Interim General Manager. This was disapproved by the Board on December 17, 2020 after 2 members left the meeting.

At our Board meeting last Thursday, the WRD Board President proposed selecting Mr. Robles as General Manager in a closed session agenda item but pulled the item from consideration just before going into closed session. In addition, last week, our General Counsel issued an opinion that our current General Manager Robb Whittaker could not retract his written notice to the Board that he was retiring in March of this year. I would prefer to keep Robb as General Manager during a recruitment search, but that isn't the wishes of our Board majority.

We need a new General Manager as soon as possible given Mr. Whitaker's imminent retirement. The Robert's Group Search firm which was paused on November 5, 2020 by a Board majority estimates that once they are restarted, it will take 4-6 months to hire a new General Manager.

Consequently, I propose that we to hire Mr. Stephan Tucker as Interim General Manager on a month to month basis not to exceed 6 months commencing on Mr. Whitaker's retirement.

Mr. Tucker is a retired former Assistant General Manager who has more than 33 years of experience with the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. In 2019, Mr. Tucker applied with WRD for the Assistant General Manager position and was a finalist to be selected as the Assistant General Manager/Chief Operating Officer. Mr. Tucker also has more than 14 years of experience with LADWP as Manager of the Project and Construction Management Section and as Manager of the Capital Improvement Program. He also served as Manager of Strategic Planning for more than a year.

Since Mr. Tucker is currently an employee of the Cordoba Corporation. I am proposing to hire him on a month to month basis with his employer, Cordoba Corporation, not to exceed 6 months commencing on Mr. Whitaker's retirement. Mr. Tucker, as a contract Interim General Manager, will assist WRD in the recruitment of a permanent General Manager and manage the WRD's \$34 million PFAS Remediation Program to clean up contaminated wells in the Central Basin as well as the Brackish Water Reclamation Program for the West Basin. He will not be a candidate for the permanent General Manager position.

I welcome you to direct any questions you may have to me via email or by phone. I also invite you to call in to the Capital Improvements Project Committee meeting this Thursday at 11:00 AM. Our conference call line:

Conference Call Phone Number: (800) 309-2350. Conference ID: 9215521#

Please pass tis email on to the City Manager and Council.

Regards,

Rob Katherman, Director

Water Replenishment District

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310.383.0451

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From: [Nitro Nick](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: For the Traitor Jessica Martinez that Attacked the Capital
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 7:14:23 AM

Voicemail transcription:

Ms Martinez

As one of your constituents I am livid that You chose to attack our most sacred government building.

While I don't believe your lies you "weren't at the citadel", it is clear by your participation in such a rally you do not respect my vote or our democratic process.

Resign immediately, traitor. You should be tried for treason and sedition. I am beyond livid that my local council took part in this disgusting display.

Please make note I am initiating proceedings for your immediate recall. Whittier has no place for Benedict Arnolds like you.

Turn yourself in for your literal crimes against the United States.

It is horrifying to see you are a literal fascist and it will not be tolerated in Whittier nor in the United States.

I hope you know how appalled and disgusted the community is with you.

You are literally human slime. The worst kind of human.

You'll notice there's no threats of violence here. simply informing you what a traitorous piece of shit you are, and that you need to resign TODAY or face demonstrations and a humiliating recall.

And you deserve to be humiliated for your decisions here, and deserve to have your life and career ruined. Think harder next time before deciding to attack the United States, traitor.

Check your messages, because I'll be leaving them for you until you get the message: resign. You're an embarrassment to this community.

This isn't a threat, but an ultimatum: you MUST accept responsibility for your actions and resign. Or you WILL face recall. Again. Not a threat, a statement of FACT. You WILL be recalled.

Feel free to call me to discuss your treason so that I may verbally dog walk you what you've done.

I hope you feel good about participating in the mob murder of a DC police officer. I can't wait for Whittier PD to find out you participated in the mob murder of a brother in blue. Blue lives sure matter to you, don't they?

Nick Gregson
(562) 481-1072

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From: [Erik Bottema](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Fwd: So disappointed
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:17:58 AM

Jessica,

Here is the email I wanted to share with you. Fernando is not your friend nor a friend to a true republican. He is the "problem" with the Republican Party.

Erik

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Fernando Dutra** <fdutra@cityofwhittier.org>
Date: Wed, Jan 13, 2021 at 6:01 AM
Subject: Re: So disappointed
To: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>

Erik,

I'm not a "blind " follower and as a result decided to exercise my 1st Amendment right as well. Once again, as a councilperson we hold "Non- Partisan" positions. Jessica Martinez holds a non-partisan position, by advertising her political beliefs on social media she is drawing a line in the sand between her and her constituents not affiliated with the Republican party.

I will gladly defend my republican party support & record against anyone.

I'm happy to disagree with you on this issue.

Happy New Year

Fernando Dutra
City of Whitter Councilmember
562.325.3946

From: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 10:10 PM
To: Fernando Dutra <fdutra@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: So disappointed

Fernando,

Just finished watching the meeting and after spending time at many events at the Women's Republican Club with you and your family there. Glad to always know we still have some

Republican's on our council who support our values. I was disgusted to see how you would trample the 1st amendment rights of a fellow Republican, Jessica Martinez. You decided to side with Henry Bouchet, a complete weasel, stay at home father who has never amounted to anything productive in his life. He will sell you out in a heartbeat on the next issue and will use you as an example of a "fractured" Republican Party. You are a perfect example of what is wrong with the Republican party, willing to sell out your own for political gain.

-Erik Bottema

Retired LASD, True Patriot, Business Owner and Whittier resident

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From: [Mary-Joy Coburn](#)
To: [Truc Dever](#); [Mark Daniel](#); [Susanne Kluh](#); [Mary-Joy Coburn](#); [Carolyn Weeks](#); [Allison Bradley](#); qbarrow@rwglaw.com
Cc: [Maria Weinbaum](#); [Anais Medina Diaz](#)
Subject: GLACVCD Board Agenda Packet for the January 14th Meeting
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 7:47:05 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
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[image003.png](#)
[image004.png](#)
[Coverletter-1-14-21.pdf](#)
[ARTICLE IV Trustee Bylaws.pdf](#)
[Committees 2020 & 2021.pdf](#)
[Committee Interest Form for 2021.xlsx](#)

Good morning GLACVCD Board of Trustee members,
Happy New Year!

The January Board Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 14th at 7pm.
Please pre-register for the meeting in advance using this link.
<http://bit.ly/GLACVCD-BoardMtg-Jan2021-PreReg>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Below are the links to the documents:

- [Full Agenda Packet](#)
- [Staff Reports](#)

Also, the Agenda for this month's Committee meeting is linked below.
Please click on the Agenda for the meeting information.

- 6:00 PM – Nominating Committee ([Agenda](#))

Other Items:

The Committee Interest Form and the Bylaws regarding Committees are also attached. You will find that there is a PDF as well as an excel sheet for the Interest form; please use the excel sheet to sign up for the Committee(s) of your choice. Kindly review the documents. Additional information will be provided regarding submissions at a later date.

Please let me know if you have any issues with the links, or if you have any questions.

Thank you and take care,

Mary-Joy Coburn

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From: [Evan Martinez](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Give Up Your Job
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 9:00:14 AM

Hello Jessica, there's no room for terrorists like you in our community. If you really want to give your life to "take back this country" then you really should so you can leave us alone with your cancerous thoughts you fat pig.

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From: [Brian Walker](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Good job
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 9:10:07 AM

Hopefully someone just does to you what others got.....Karma has your address!!!
Fuck Trump and Fuck you and your wimpy husband !

Brian

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From: [Ramirez Adriana](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: How was DC?
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 10:53:32 AM

Jessica (with a Spanish accent)

Not sure what you were thinking but your actions and thoughts bring disgust and sadness. How dare you take part in the desecration of our US Government! Demonstrations, rallies or marches are far from illegally entering a US Government building - how dare you act like a gang member while serving the City of Whittier!

Adriana Ramirez

562.393.2191

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From: [Chris Davis](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Hypocrite/MAGA Maiden
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 5:09:20 PM

Time to resign. Interestingly, though not surprising, you are anti-immigration and a Trump MAGA maiden. Traveling to D.C. to participate in the Trump coup to overtake the United States government makes you someone who has aided and abetted the hostile overthrow of the United States. Not a very smart or career-interested move, Jess. Nonetheless, you decided to do it, right? Time to resign. Hard to own it, right? You can lie about too. Time to resign.

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From: [Wigglesworth, Alex](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Interview with L.A. Times re: DC trip
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 8:57:40 AM

Hello,

I'm a reporter with the Los Angeles Times, and I'm working on a story about your reported trip to DC on Jan. 6. I saw that Mayor Pro Tem Henry Bouchot is calling for you to be censured and was wondering if you'd be available to discuss this morning or afternoon in a brief telephone interview.

Please feel free to reply with the best way to get in touch, or to give me a call at 424-405-1595. I am working on a deadline of about 3 p.m.

Thanks for your time,
Alex Wigglesworth

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From: [Irina A. Faskianos](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Invitation to CFR 1/15 State and Local Officials Webinar: The COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 10:27:42 AM

Alternate text



State and Local Officials Webinar

The COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout

Dear Council Member Martinez:

On behalf of the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), I write to invite you to participate in the next CFR State and Local Officials Webinar on the COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout via Zoom on Friday, January 15, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. (ET).

[Vin Gupta](#), chief medical officer of global COVID-19 response at Amazon.com; [Margaret \(Peggy\) Hamburg](#), former commissioner of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration; and [Clarion E. Johnson](#), co-chair of the public-private partnership initiative of the National Academies' Global Health Board, will discuss the COVID-19 vaccine rollout across the United States. A question-and-answer session will follow their remarks. Please note that the webinar will be on the record.

Invitee

Jessica Martinez, Whittier, California

Date and Time

Friday, January 15, 2021
1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. (ET)

[Register or Decline](#)

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To respond, click the *Register* or *Decline* button. We will send you the meeting access instructions prior to the event. This invitation is transferable, but limited to state and local officials and their staffs. If you are not the original recipient but would like to join the webinar, please email stateandlocal@cfr.org with your name, professional title, and affiliation. I look forward to your participation.

Best regards,
Irina

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From: [Josie Mellen](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: January 6, 2021 - capitol hill
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 10:55:22 AM

Hello:

I'm a property owner in Whittier. There is a petition being circulated for your removal on the basis of your involvement in the insurrection of Capitol Hill.

Many of my neighbors would like to know more information about your involvement?

From the internet it appears you are a Trump supporter and naturally, we think you are involved in the insurrection? Not sure why anyone would visit DC in the winter for a rally, travel during COVID-19 restrictions or be in close proximity to others at a rally. Were you there on personal or representing Whittier?

Thank you in advance for your response!

Josie Mellen
13930 LaCuarta street
90602

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From: [Brittany X. Martin](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Los Angeles Mag Question
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 1:58:49 PM

Councilmember Martinez:

I'm a journalist with Los Angeles Magazine, working on a story about your alleged involvement in the Capitol incident last week.

I am hoping you can answer a few questions for me.

Here's what we would be interested in learning:

1. Were you in fact present at the Capitol in Washington DC on January 6?
2. If so, can you explain why you wanted to participate in the event?
3. Did the event unfold as you expected when you made plans to attend?
4. Do you have any comment regarding the apparent violent and criminal acts that took place?
5. Are you aware of a petition calling for a censure or perhaps even removal of you from the city council in connection with this event? What do you believe will come of that campaign?

Thanks very much,
Brittany

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Brittany Martin
Los Angeles
She/Her | 5900 Wilshire Blvd., 10th floor | Los Angeles, CA | 90036 | lamag.com<<http://lamag.com/>>

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From: [Delphin Martinez](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 5:03:10 PM

I want to make it clear.
I strongly condemn the violence and insurrection that took place. It is totally wrong and those who did that should be held accountable for their actions.

I was never at Capitol Hill on January 6.
I was elsewhere in Washington D.C. exercising my constitutional right of free speech at a rally and immediately began heading home after it concluded.

Councilmember Bouchot did not bother to learn the facts and instead recklessly slandered me to our community with lies and insinuations that I participated in the “mayhem.”
He could have called me to verify any rumors but instead made a political calculation to serve the special interests he is beholden to by slandering me.

I work for the people of Council District One and am committed to them.

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From: [Jose Villar](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 3:57:59 PM

Are you a racist? Did you storm the capitol building? Need answers now!!!!

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From: [Paul Josephson](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#); [Paul Runner](#)
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 5:17:26 AM

Hi, Jessy. I will wager that you are getting lots of emails these days for your promotion of violence to overturn a legal and just election. Just because you believe in conspiracies doesn't make them true. But for an elected Nazi to threaten violence makes your ignorance and viciousness even worse. You are, like the orange scrotum Trump, unfit for office. And, by the way, would you want Trump alone in a room with your daughter? He's a rapist. He pays pornstars to be quiet about his tiny dick, he buddies with dictators, he squeezes pussy.

So, just resign, you're unfit, too.

Hugs, Paul

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From: [Emily Hoeven, CalMatters](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Newsom recall battle reaches boiling point
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 6:07:53 AM

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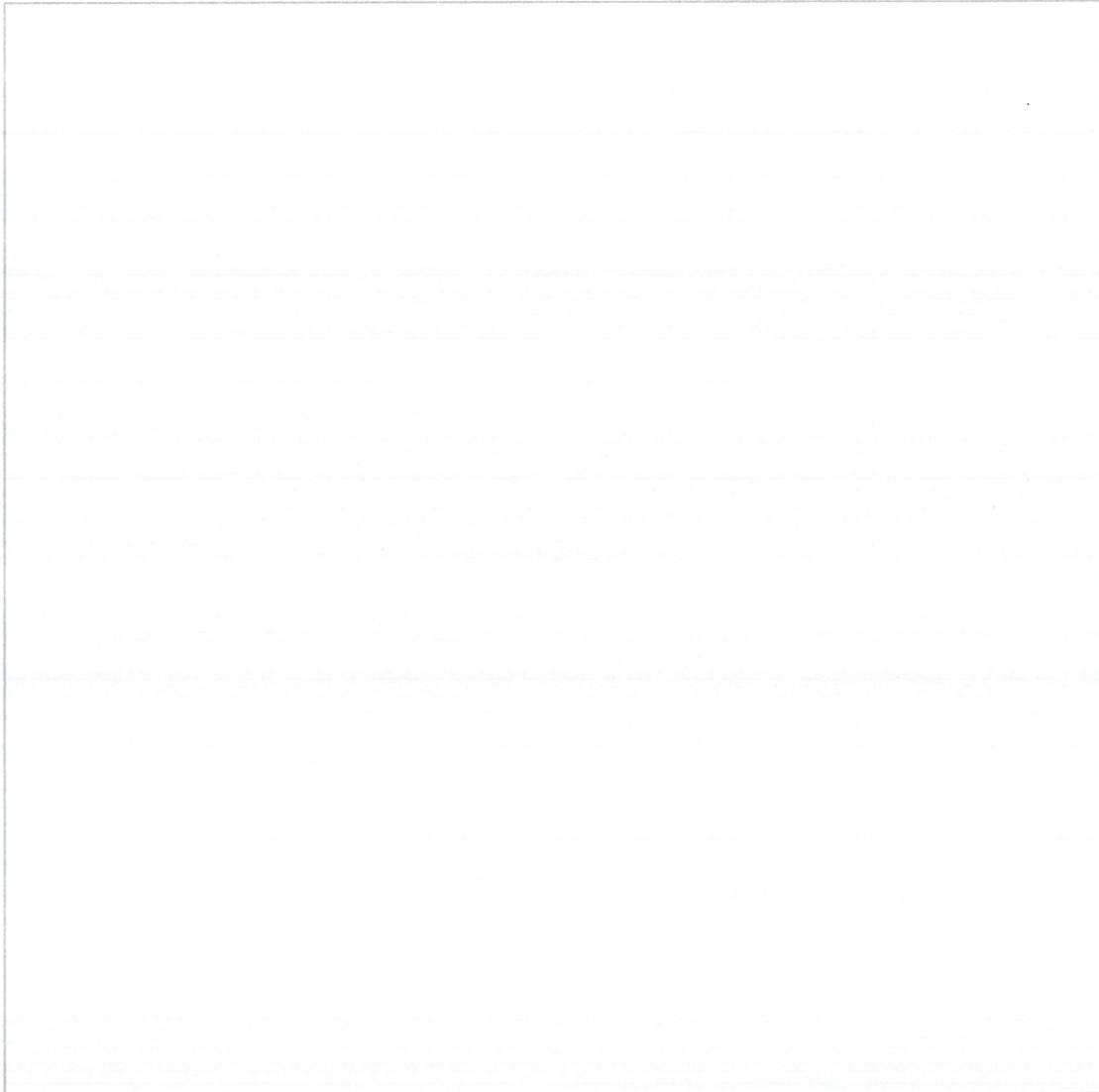
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CALIFORNIA POLICY AND
POLITICS BY
EMILY HOEVEN

Presented by California Biotechnology Foundation and California Teachers Association

Good morning, California. It's Wednesday, January 13.

Dems affix 'coup' label



Volunteers with the Recall Newsom 2020 campaign hold a petition signing event at SaveMart in Sacramento on Jan. 5, 2020. Photo by Anne Wernikoff for CalMatters

In a sign that the movement to recall Gov. Gavin Newsom is increasingly perceived as a serious threat, the California Democratic Party took the extraordinary step Tuesday of branding it as a “coup” and alleging that its backers were linked to the violent mob who [stormed the U.S. Capitol last week](#).

- [Party Chairman Rusty Hicks](#): “This recall effort, which really ought to be called ‘the California coup,’ is being led by right-wing conspiracy theorists, white nationalists, anti-vaxxers and groups who encourage violence on our democratic institutions.”
- [Randy Economy, a recall spokesperson](#): “Our recall effort is tied to all

Californians. Jesus Christ, they're going to go there? That's how bad the Democratic Party is in California.”

The press conference marked the party's first attempt to combat the recall effort, which has gained steam in recent weeks amid [a series of high-profile endorsements](#) and [cash infusions](#). Organizers [said last week](#) they had collected more than 1 million of the 1.5 million signatures needed to prompt a recall election, underscoring [Democratic strategists' warning](#) that Newsom shouldn't ignore the effort.

But although Democrats attempted Tuesday to “draw a straight line from the horrible events of last week in Washington, D.C., to current events here in California” — [in the words of San Diego Mayor Todd Gloria](#) — they were unable to provide proof that white supremacists or other extremists were linked to the Newsom recall. Hicks also acknowledged the “legality” of the recall, which, unlike a coup, is a democratic mechanism written into the California constitution that allows voters to remove an elected official by popular vote, as [CalMatters' Ben Christopher reports](#).

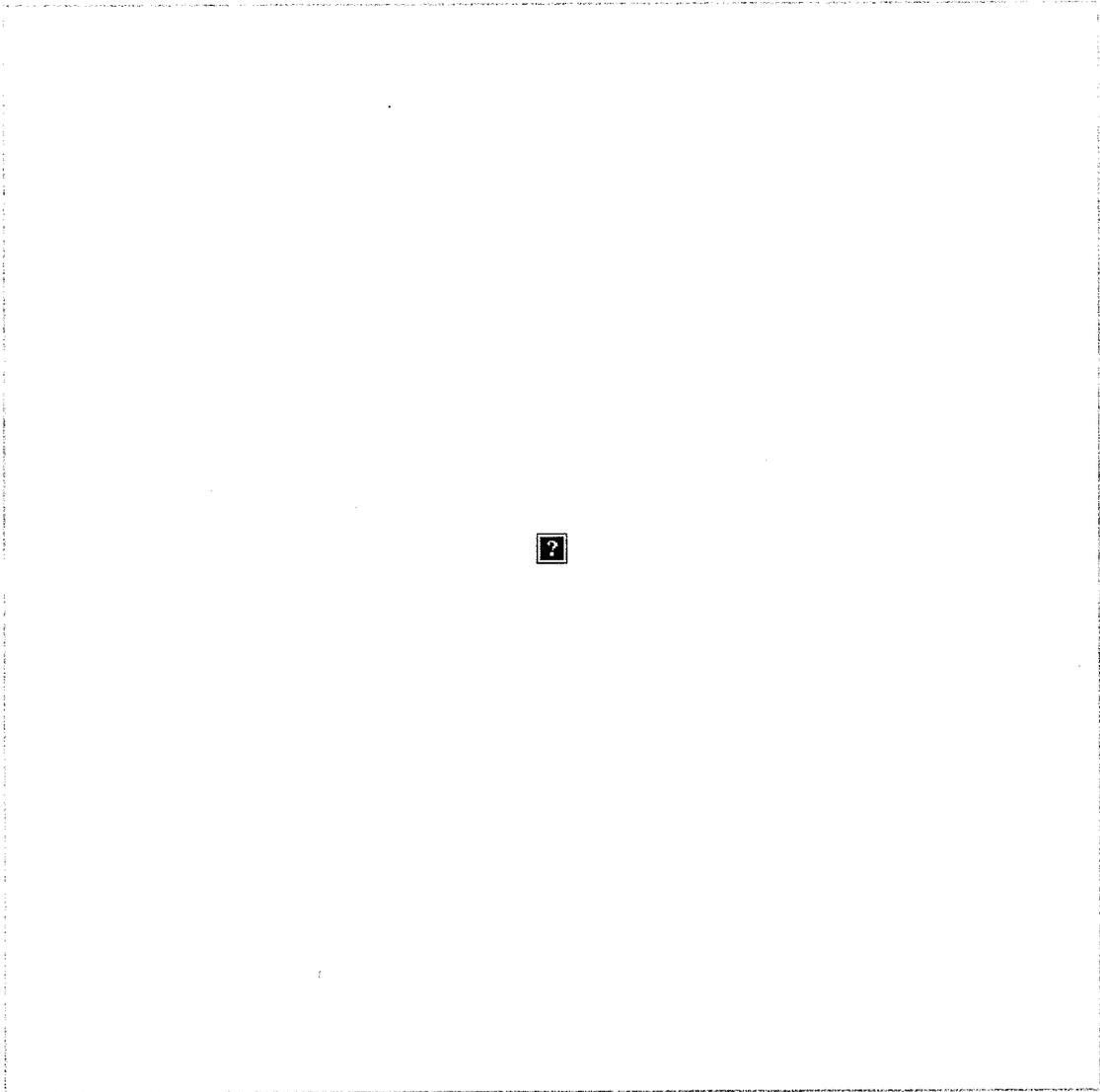
Several Democrats also accused former San Diego Mayor Kevin Faulconer, a Republican who [last week](#) launched a gubernatorial exploratory committee, of trying to “exploit” the recall to revive a “flagging political career.”

- [Faulconer](#): “Comparing the capitol attack on our democracy to a recall effort allowed under the state Constitution, signed by 1 mil. people across the political spectrum, is absolutely disgraceful.”

The coronavirus bottom line: As of Tuesday, California had **2,747,288** confirmed cases (**+1.3% from previous day**) and **30,513** deaths (**+1.8% from previous day**), according to [a CalMatters tracker](#).

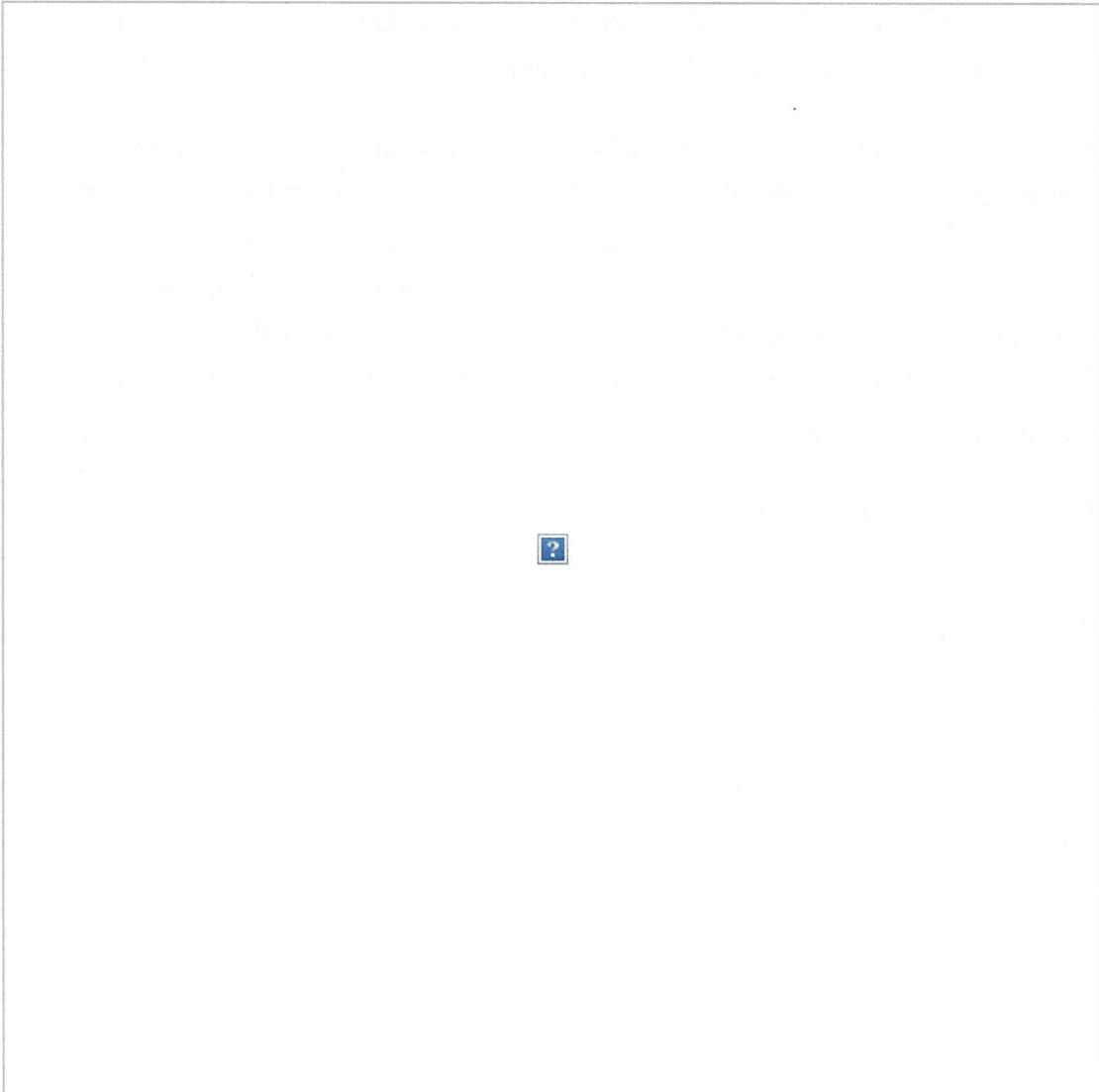
Also: CalMatters regularly updates this pandemic timeline tracking the [state's daily actions](#). And we're [tracking the state's coronavirus hospitalizations by county](#).

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Other stories you should know

1. Capitol increases security ahead of protests



The California Capitol. Photo by Anne Wernikoff for CalMatters

California law enforcement is on high alert following [the FBI's recent warning](#) of potential attacks on state capitols in the days leading up to President-elect Joe Biden's Jan. 20 inauguration. A group called Let Freedom Ring is seeking to hold [a 3,000-person event](#) at the California Capitol on Sunday to protest the election results, which Congress certified last week. Though the protest is billed as "peaceful," it will likely be met with [beefed-up security measures](#), including additional barricades and a greater law-enforcement presence. Trump supporters have gathered near the state Capitol every weekend since the election to protest the results, [frequently clashing violently with counterprotesters](#).

- [State law enforcement, emergency management and military leaders in a Tuesday statement](#): "Our collective agencies are working closely

together and remain vigilant to respond to potential threats that may occur anywhere in the state, including the Capitol.”

Meanwhile, anger over the U.S. Capitol attack continues to simmer. A group of elected officials and veterans [called Tuesday](#) on state lawmakers to expel Republican Assemblymember Randy Voepel from the Legislature for his [incendiary comments about the Capitol violence](#). Meanwhile, a former Democratic Assembly candidate [was arrested Monday](#) for refusing to leave Rep. Kevin McCarthy’s Bakersfield office while livestreaming herself calling for the Republican to resign.

2. Vaccine, virus update

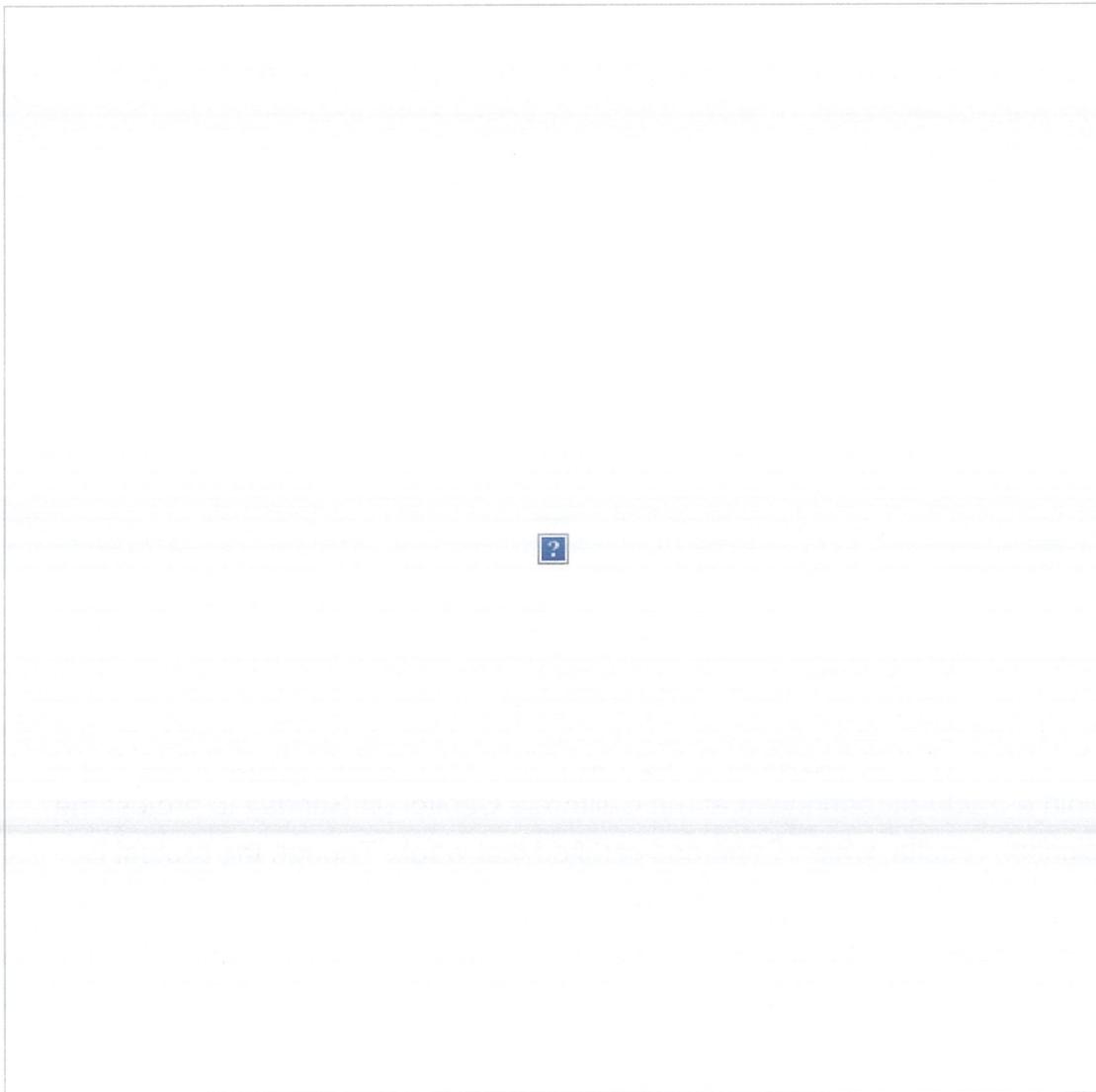


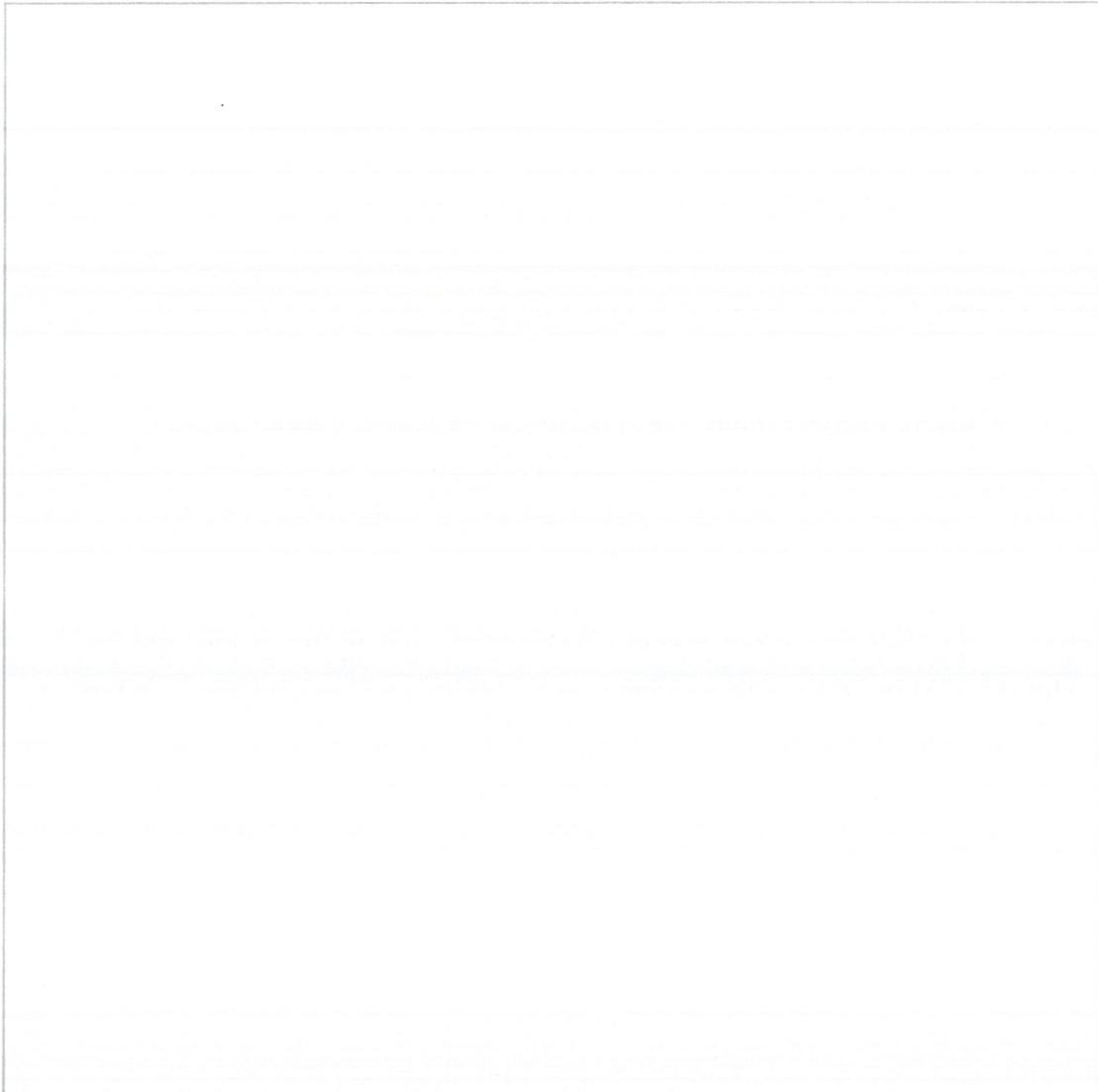
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In a major change to California's vaccine rollout, the state will tomorrow reveal how it plans to comply with new federal guidelines ordering that vaccines be made available to people 65 and older, [the San Francisco Chronicle reports](#). But some counties aren't waiting for the state, and began Tuesday to [inoculate older residents](#). The new policy could help speed up California's vaccine rollout, which is [one of the slowest in the nation](#) and whose critics say is bogged down by unnecessary restrictions. But it could also create new difficulties for providers as they rush to adapt to a new set of guidelines.

- [Dr. Marty Fenstersheib, vaccine officer for Santa Clara County](#):
“Constantly changing state and federal guidance has been a major issue.”

Also Tuesday, Greater Sacramento became the first region to [exit Newsom's regional stay-at-home order](#) tied to ICU capacity, giving the green light for restaurants to resume outdoor dining and hair salons, barbershops and other businesses to reopen. [Remaining under the stay-at-home order](#) are the Bay Area, the San Joaquin Valley and Southern California.

3. Bullet train hits more delays



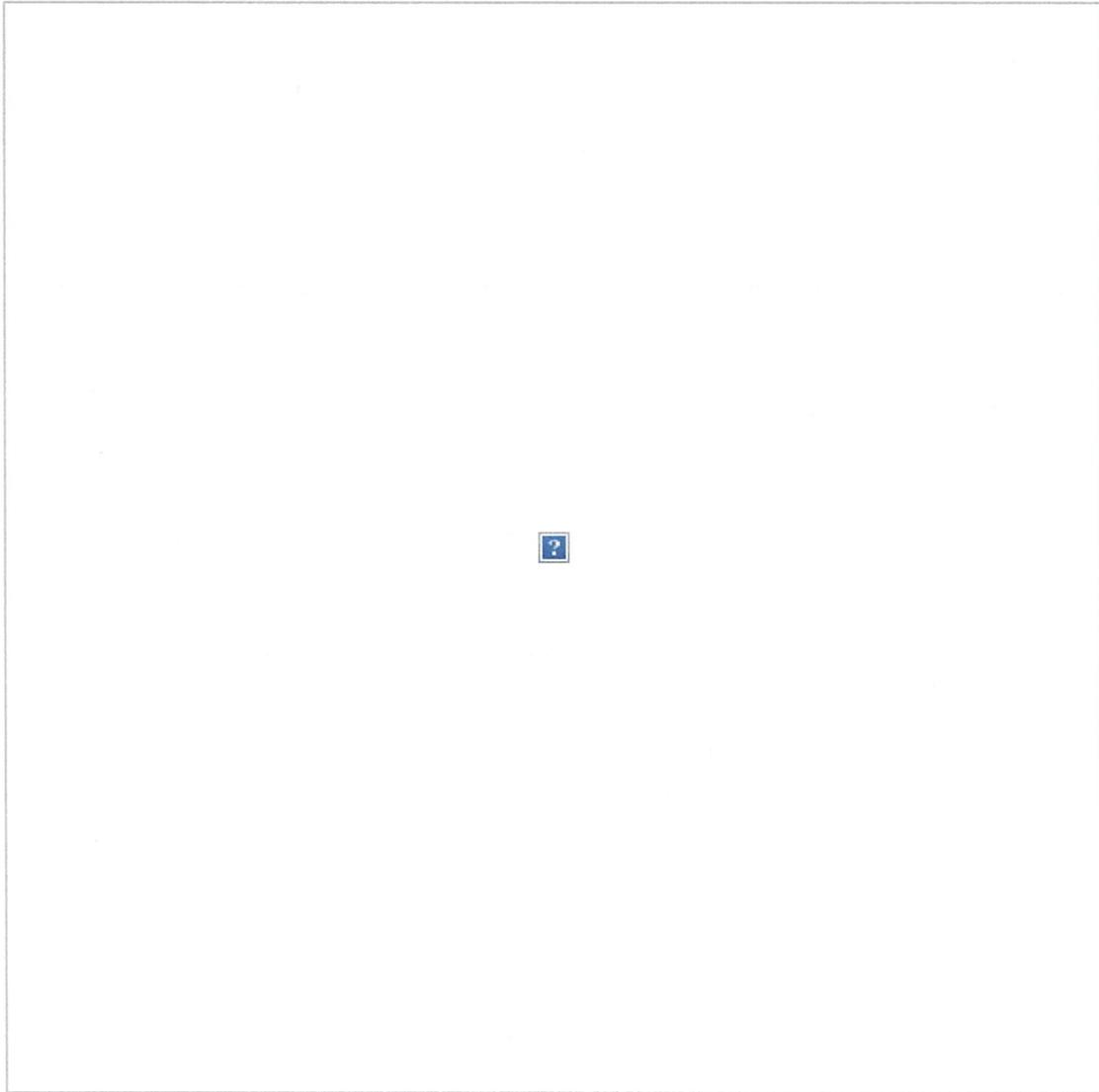
A conceptual illustration of California's bullet train. Image by NC3D via Flickr

Don't count on boarding California's bullet train anytime soon. A key 31-mile segment of the already significantly downsized project likely won't be completed until at least November 2023 — six years after the original deadline, according to a scathing letter one of the project's top contractors sent last week to the California High Speed Rail Authority. The letter, [obtained by the Los Angeles Times](#), says the project's other two segments are also behind schedule — directly contradicting state officials [who in December said](#) the project was making good progress. The delays, which the contractor alleges are due in part to the state's failure to obtain necessary land parcels, will likely add billions of dollars in costs to a project already running [billions of dollars over budget](#).

- [Ghassan Ariqat, vice president of operations for contractor Tutor Perini:](#)

“It is beyond comprehension that ... more than 2,600 calendar days after (official approval to start construction) that the (rail) authority has not obtained all of the right of way” for the land.

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[CalMatters columnist Dan Walters](#): California’s stumbling vaccination program is — as it should be — highly embarrassing for Newsom.

Inside California’s Master Plan on Aging: It’s a framework for action that starts today, with an online summit on steps we can take in the next 100 days,

[writes Kim McCoy Wade of the California Department of Aging.](#)

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Los Angeles students must get COVID vaccine when available, superintendent says. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

Homelessness could triple in Los Angeles due to COVID-related job losses, report finds. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

This California city just ended chronic homelessness. // [Fast Company](#)

City Administrator Naomi Kelly to resign amid City Hall scandal. // [San Francisco Chronicle](#)

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From: [Carol Crosby](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: PPP Round 2 - what you need to know
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 3:19:12 PM
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Hello Chamber members,

Below is information about the new **PPP Round 2**. The Chamber will be hosting a **free webinar** on this topic this Friday, January 15 at 10 a.m. with Friendly Hills Bank President and CEO Jeff Ball. Jeff is very knowledgeable about the PPP and will guide you through the eligibility requirements and things you need to know about the application and loan forgiveness process. You do not have to be a client of Friendly Hills Bank to join this webinar. Visit <http://bit.ly/WC-PPPLoan2021> to sign up.

PPP Round 2: What small business owners need to do right now to get help

The \$900 billion stimulus relief bill contains \$284 billion for a second round of loans to small businesses under the federal government's Paycheck Protection Program.

The U.S. Small Business Administration approved 5 million PPP loans, totaling \$500 billion, in the first round of the program, which ended Aug. 8. The program helps businesses harmed by the economic shutdowns during the coronavirus pandemic and to avoid layoffs.

The SBA has issued [rules](#) for the second round which opened today.

Here's what business owners need to know:

Can a business apply for a second loan if it received one in the first round?

Yes, businesses can receive a second loan — called a second draw — if they have spent the entire amount of the first loan on or before the date the second loan is disbursed, and they still need help.

When and how can businesses apply?

The loans will be made through SBA-approved lenders and guaranteed by the SBA. So businesses must apply to those lenders by filling out the application forms provided by the bank. It's a good idea for applicants to check first with banks they already have relationships with to see if they will be making PPP loans. They can also check the [SBA's list of lenders participating in the PPP program](#).

When can borrowers apply?

Community financial institutions will be able to make first draw loans (loans to businesses that have not previously received a PPP loan) starting on Monday, Jan. 11, and second draw loans (loans to businesses that have previously received one) starting on Wednesday, Jan. 13. The program will open to all participating lenders shortly thereafter.

The Economic Aid Act defines community financial institutions as four types of lenders: community financial development institution, minority depository institution, community development corporation and microlender intermediary.

What is the deadline for applying?

The program will end on March 31, 2021, or earlier if the money runs out like it initially did during the program's first round.

What businesses are eligible?

For businesses seeking their first PPP loan, the requirements are generally the same as they were in the first round.

First draw loans are generally limited to businesses with a maximum of 500 employees (including domestic and foreign affiliates). Certain types of businesses are excluded from the second round, including publicly traded companies, businesses primarily engaged in political or lobbying activities, and China-affiliated businesses.

Businesses seeking a second draw loan can employ no more than 300 people (500 employees for restaurants and hotels) and must demonstrate at least a 25% reduction in gross revenue between one comparable quarter in 2019 and 2020. Alternatively, a borrower may submit annual tax forms showing a reduction in annual revenue of 25% or greater in 2020 compared to 2019.

How much can a business borrow?

Loans are capped at 2.5 times an applicant's average monthly payroll costs in the one year prior to the loan being issued (3.5 times for restaurants and other eligible hospitality businesses).

Loans are limited to a maximum of \$10 million for first time PPP borrowers and \$2 million for second time borrowers.

What can the money be used for?

The loan proceeds can be used to cover a business's payroll and certain other expenses, including operations expenditures, property damage costs, supplier costs, and worker protection expenditures.

What about loan forgiveness?

If a business uses at least 60% of the loan on payroll expenses and maintains its employment levels during the covered period of the loan, it can apply to have the loan forgiven. Otherwise, the loans carry a 1% interest rate and a maturity of five years.

Forgiven PPP loans are not considered income for federal tax purposes.

What is the covered period of the loans?

The second PPP round provides more flexibility, allowing businesses to select any period between eight and 24 weeks.

Will the loans require collateral or personal guarantees?

No, the loans will be 100% guaranteed by the U.S. Small Business Administration and will require neither collateral nor personal guarantees.

[PPP Borrower Application Form](#)

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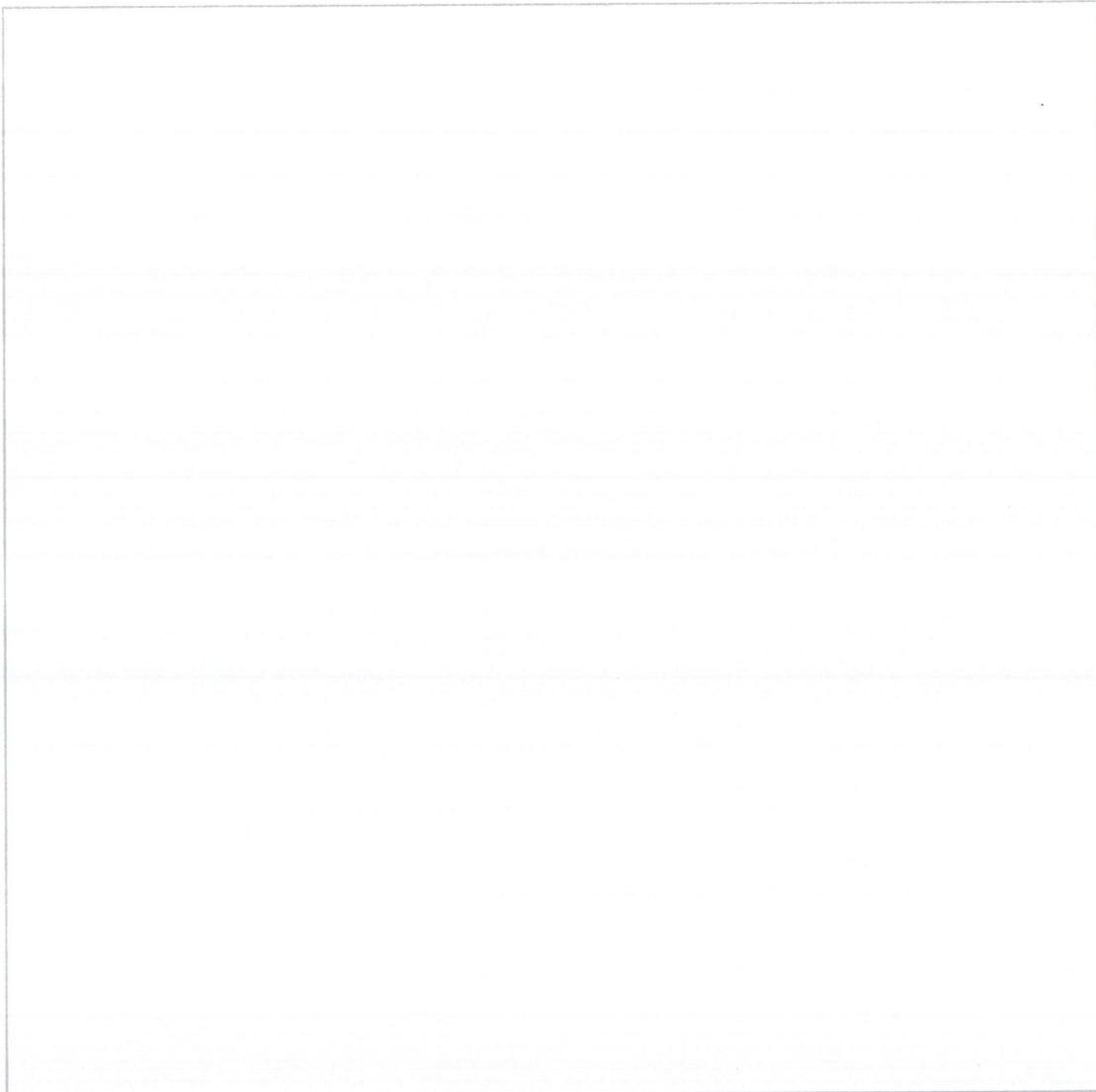
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Good morning, California. It's Friday, January 8.

McClintock to speak in Sacramento



Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi at the Capitol in Washington, Jan. 7, 2021.
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Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, Sen. Dianne Feinstein and Senator-designate Alex Padilla were among the prominent California officials who called for President Donald Trump's removal from office Thursday, a day after [a mob of his supporters stormed the U.S. Capitol](#).

[Pelosi](#), [Feinstein](#) and [Padilla](#) demanded Vice President Mike Pence invoke [the 25th Amendment](#) and declare Trump incapacitated, which would elevate Pence to acting president for the remainder of Trump's term. But Pence [is apparently opposed to doing so](#), prompting Pelosi to threaten introducing articles of impeachment — [co-sponsored](#) by Democratic Rep. Ted Lieu of Los Angeles — against Trump, a little over a year after [the House of Representatives impeached him](#) for abuse of power and obstruction of

Congress.

- [Pelosi](#): “We are in a very difficult place in our country as long as Donald Trump sits in the White House. ... While it’s only 13 days left, any day can be a horror show for America.”

Though Congress voted early Thursday morning to confirm the Electoral College results and uphold President-elect Joe Biden’s victory — which Trump [acknowledged](#) Thursday evening — [almost all of California’s Republican delegation](#) voted to reject the results from Arizona and Pennsylvania. Rep. Tom McClintock of Elk Grove was the only member who voted to accept the results from both states.

- [McClintock](#): “If the Congress can refuse to count electoral votes — for whatever reason — then it has the inherent power to seize the decision for itself and render the Electoral College superfluous.”

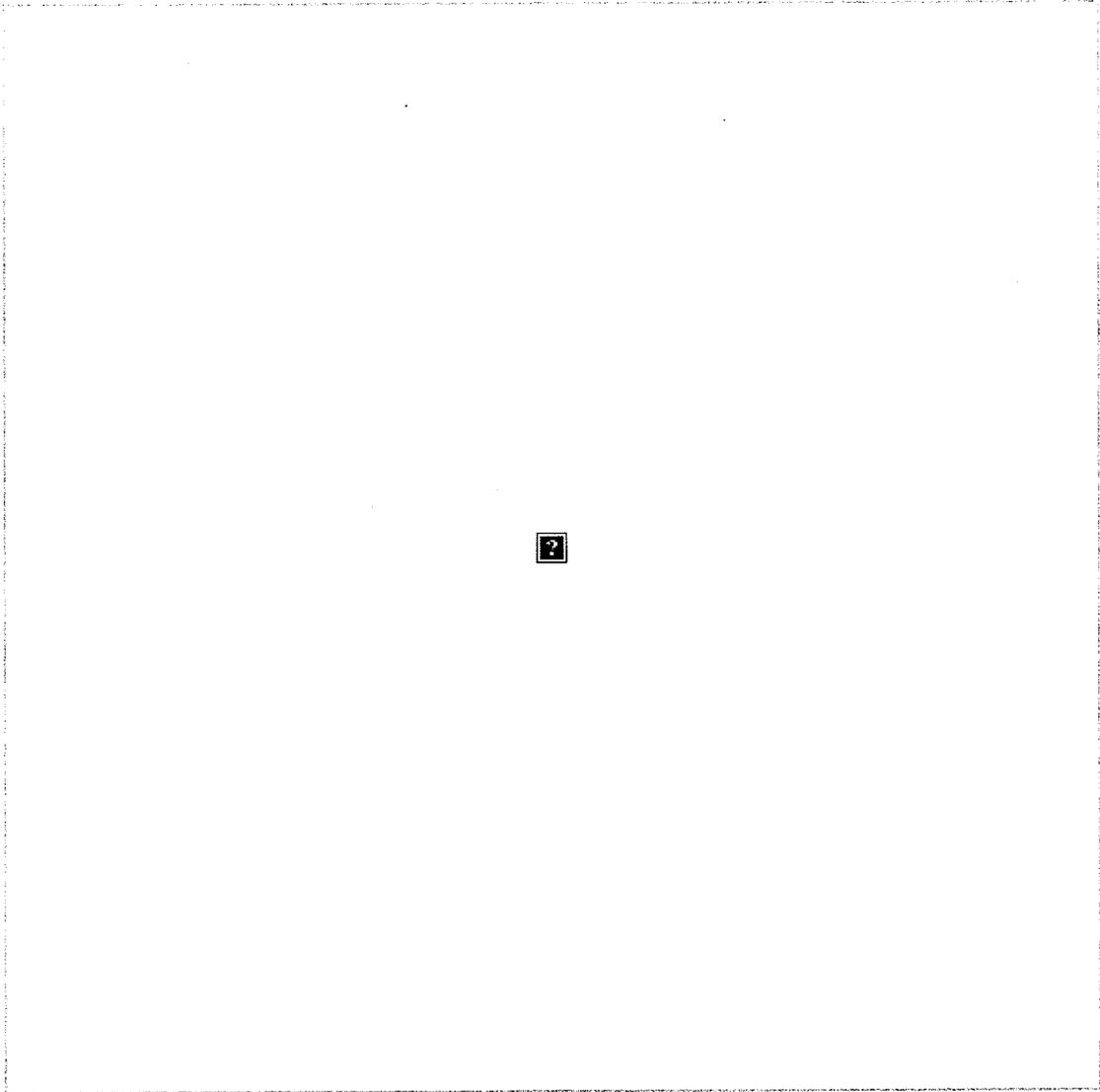
McClintock will make an appearance in Sacramento today as the keynote speaker of [Re-Open Cal Now](#). The conference, which has [drawn the censure of Sacramento County’s public health officer](#), involves panels on the economic, social and mental-health impact of Gov. Gavin Newsom’s coronavirus restrictions, as well as a protest at the state Capitol. [As first reported in this newsletter](#), State Treasurer Fiona Ma had been scheduled to speak on a small-business panel at the conference, but backed out Wednesday.

- [Ma](#): “Since it is now clearly political I have declined to participate.”

The coronavirus bottom line: As of Thursday, California had **2,518,611 confirmed cases (+1.5% from previous day)** and **28,045 deaths (+2.1% from previous day)**, according to [a CalMatters tracker](#).

Also: CalMatters regularly updates this pandemic timeline tracking the [state’s daily actions](#). And we’re [tracking the state’s coronavirus hospitalizations by county](#).

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Other stories you should know

1. EDD suspends 3.3 million claims

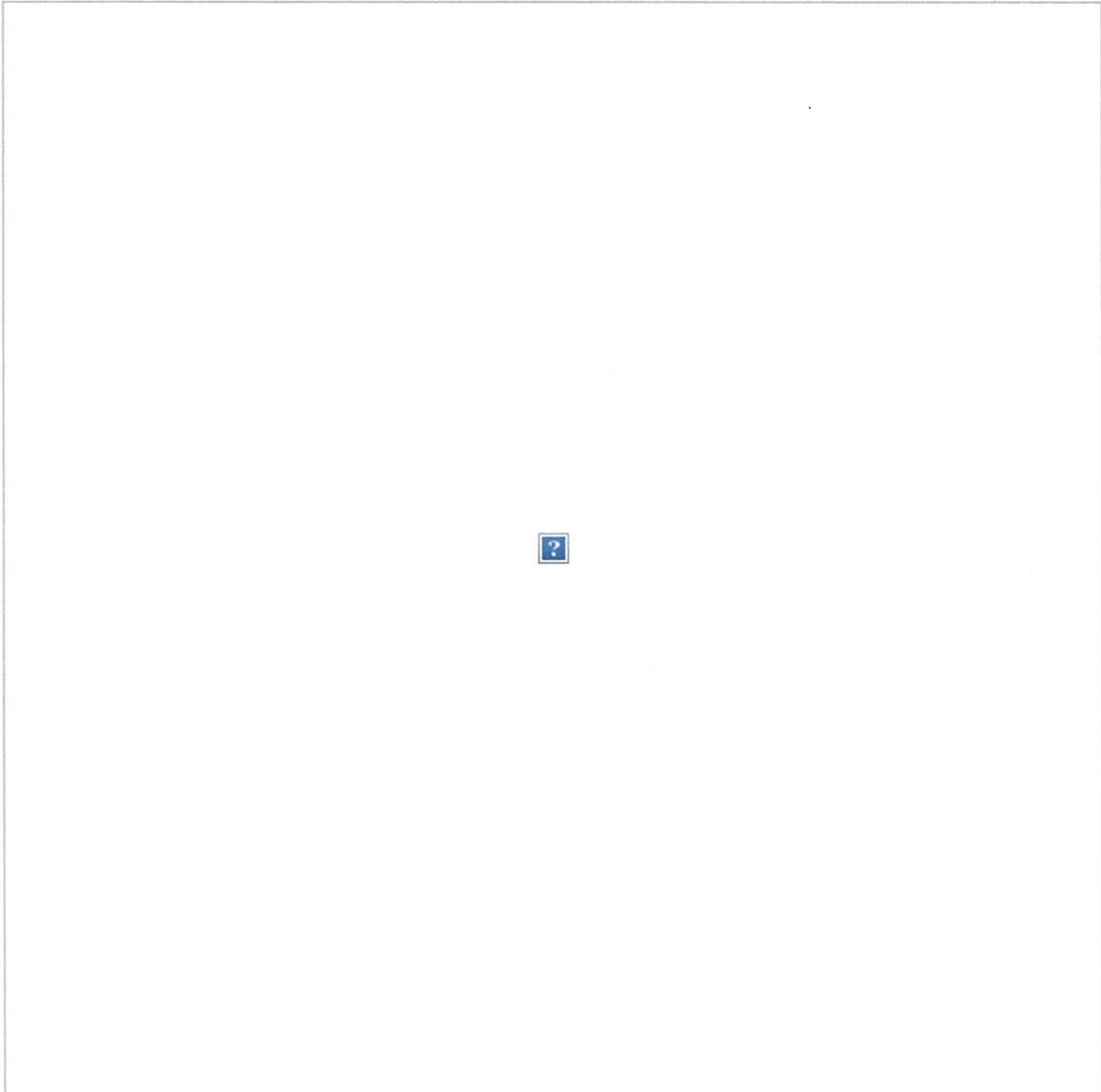


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California's beleaguered unemployment department has [suspended payment](#) on a staggering 1.4 million claims in an attempt to reduce fraud — and disqualified another 1.9 million, suggesting that one-third of all claims submitted amid the pandemic could be fraudulent, [the San Francisco Chronicle reports](#). The shocking statistic comes two days [after prosecutors estimated](#) the Employment Development Department may have paid up to \$4 billion in fraudulent claims, including nearly \$100 million to out-of-state jail and prison inmates.

Given that 780,000 unemployment claims [remained backlogged](#) as of Dec. 31 — and around 1.4 million people will have to go through another round of identity checks — it could take months for many Californians to access their benefits. EDD's new identity-verification and fraud-detection tool, ID.me —

which [took the department two weeks to implement](#) — is apparently so plagued with complications that some Californians are [reverting to filing paper claims](#).

- [Daniela Urban of the Center for Workers' Rights](#): “Based on the slow processing of claims throughout the pandemic, and the current backlog of claims that remain, we know that EDD cannot reinstate legitimate claims in a timely manner.”

2. Is CA underreporting COVID cases?

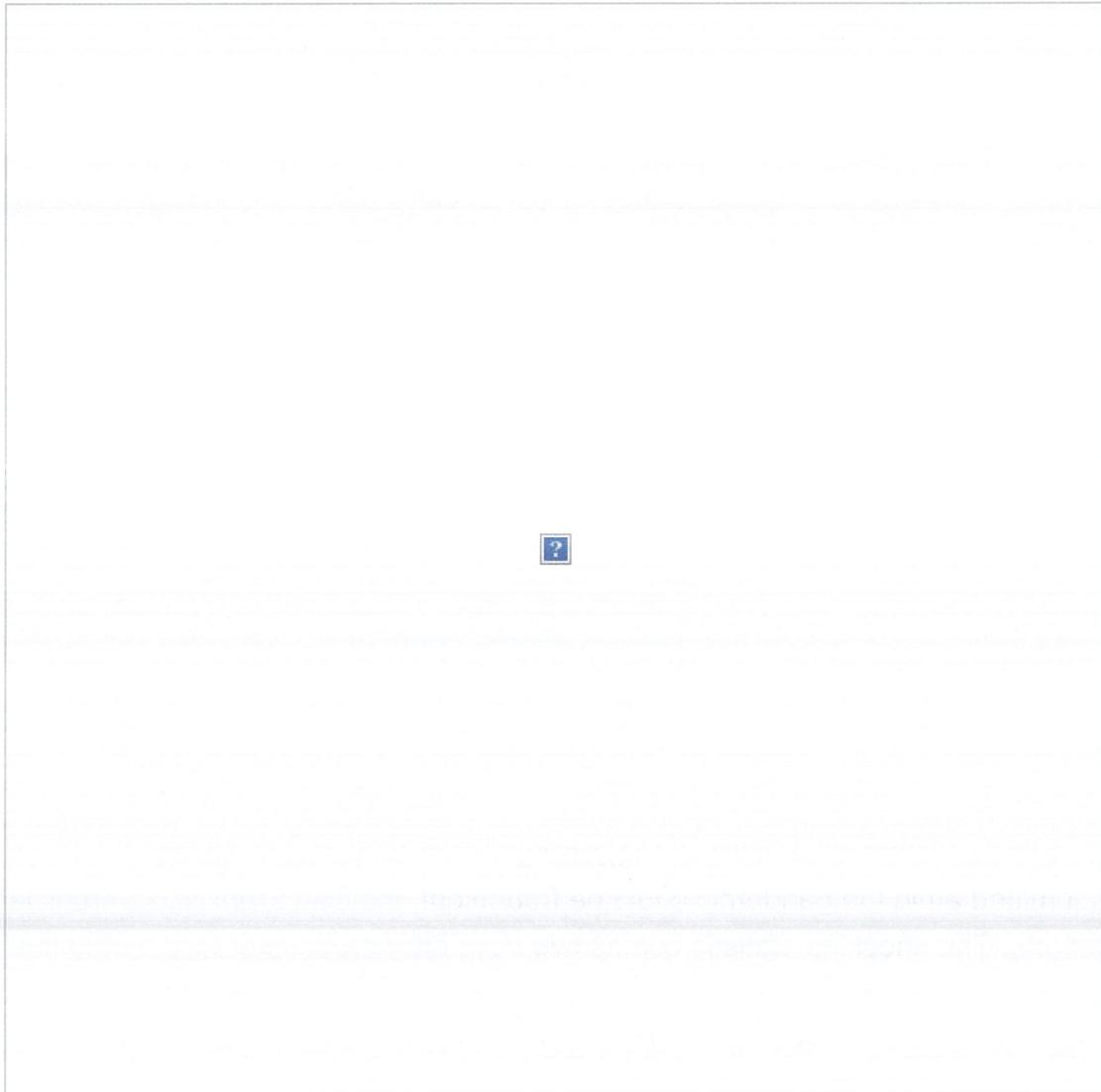
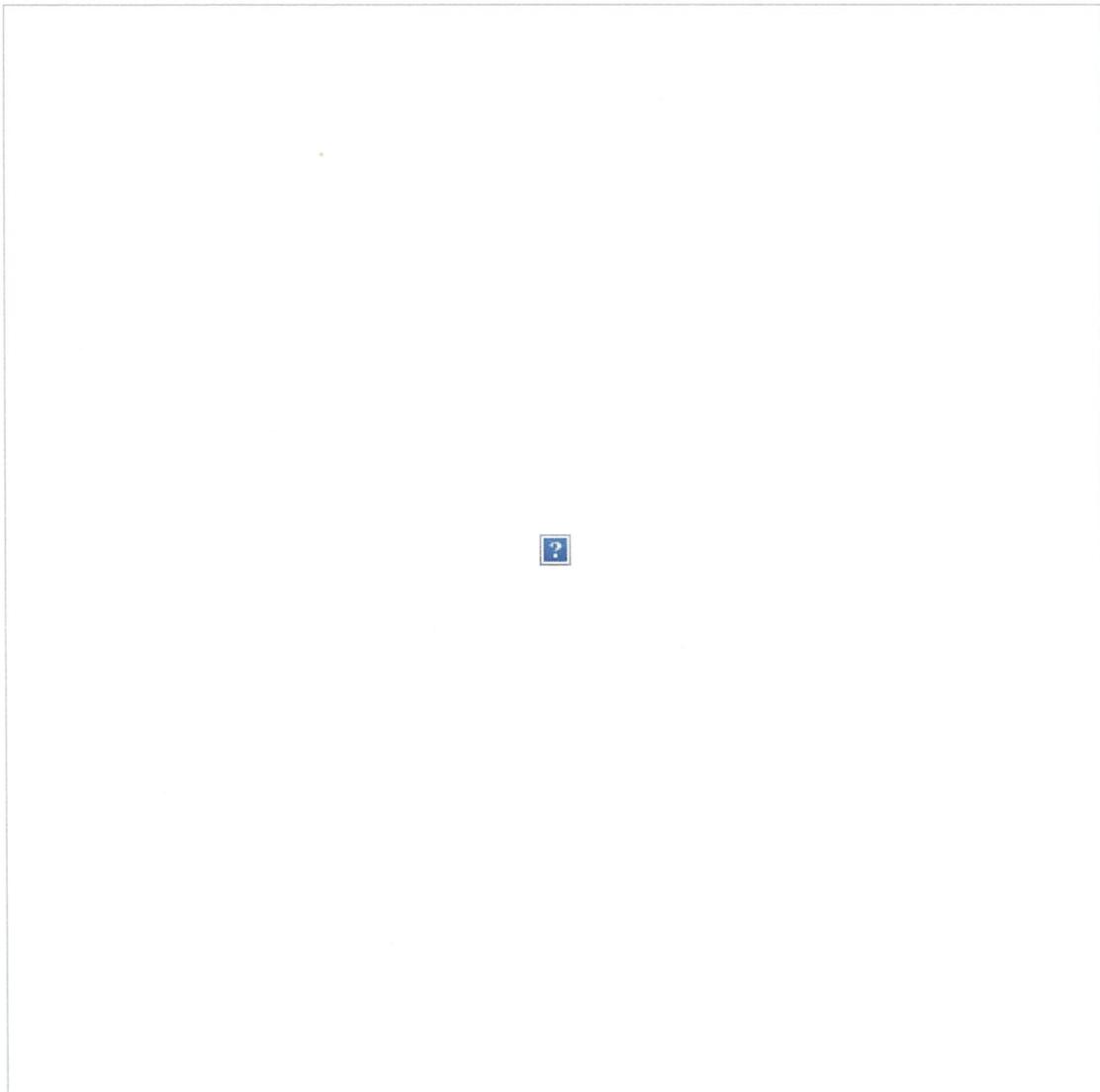


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The [largest processor](#) of California’s coronavirus tests, a [1-year-old Silicon Valley startup](#) called Curative, may be producing inaccurate results,

“particularly false negative results,” according to [a warning issued Monday by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration](#). The warning — which suggests that California may be underreporting coronavirus cases — throws into question the accuracy of the data shaping the state’s coronavirus response at a critical moment in the pandemic, with [ICU capacity at dangerously low levels](#) and a more infectious strain of the virus [spreading](#). Amid record-level [hospitalizations](#) and [deaths](#), the state on Thursday [activated](#) “a mass fatality management plan” that provides county coroners with body bags and refrigerated trailers to help handle a surge in fatalities. The state this week also [ordered](#) hospitals with open beds to accept intensive care patients from overloaded hospitals and ordered others to cancel some elective procedures.

3. State sets new vaccination goal



Dr. Sergio Urcuyo, left, prepares to get a COVID-19 vaccine from Registered

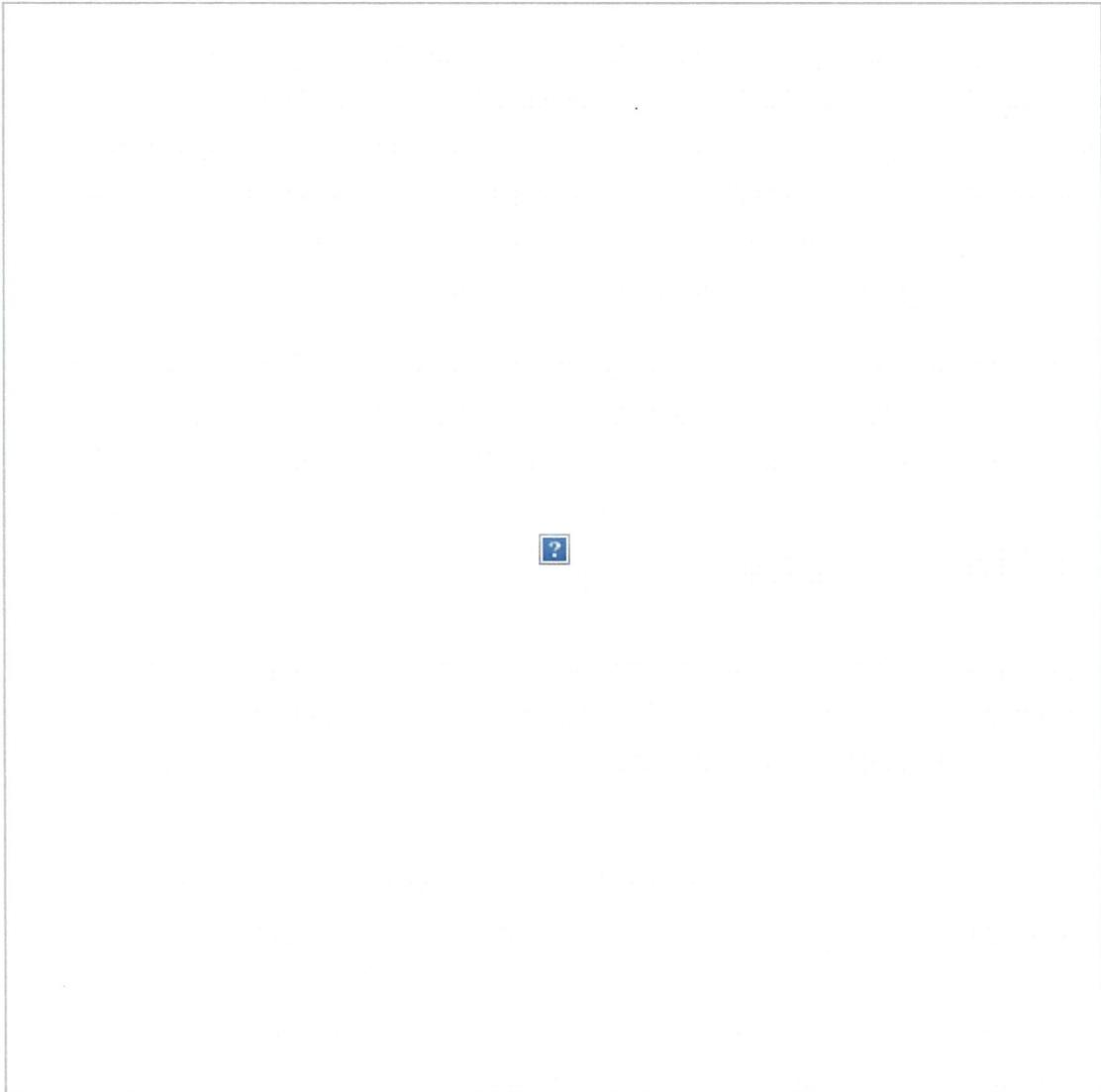
Nurse Kathy Ferris, left, on Dec. 15, 2020. Photo by Jane Tyska, Bay Area News Group

California health officials on Wednesday set an ambitious goal of vaccinating 1 million people within 10 days — a seemingly uphill battle, as the state has only administered around 530,400 doses of the more than 2 million it's received, [CalMatters' Barbara Feder Ostrov reports](#). The Golden State's [sluggish vaccine rollout](#) has been plagued by logistical challenges: Some health care staff and other frontline workers [have refused the vaccine](#), resulting in extra doses sitting in storage even as other doctors complain about a lack of access. Meanwhile, [some Californians have managed to jump the line](#).

The state on Wednesday also unveiled new priorities for which Californians should be vaccinated after health care workers and nursing home residents, though the recommendations have yet to be finalized. [The suggested next three tiers are:](#)

- Californians over the age of 74, teachers, childcare workers, food industry and agriculture workers, and non-medical first responders
- Californians over the age of 64; prisoners; the homeless; and essential transportation, manufacturing and construction workers
- Californians over 49 years old; those between 16 and 64 with chronic conditions or disabilities; and essential workers in the water, defense, energy, communications, financial and government sectors, among others

4. Padilla-Yee standoff intensifies



California Secretary of State Alex Padilla; State Controller Betty Yee. Photos via Wikimedia Commons

A scoop for you: State Controller Betty Yee appears to have further dug in her heels on [refusing to approve payment](#) of a controversial \$35 million voter education contract Secretary of State Alex Padilla’s office awarded to SKDKnickerbocker, a public affairs firm involved in Joe Biden’s presidential campaign. In a Tuesday court filing [responding to a lawsuit from the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association](#), Yee’s attorneys wrote:

- “The Controller ... reiterates that, based on the information currently available to her, she is not authorizing amounts requested by the SOS for payment of invoices under the SKDK contract. Accordingly, the Controller is not aware of a future basis for authorizing payment of the SKDK contract during the pendency of this lawsuit.”

This seems to pose problems for Padilla and Newsom, [both of whom vowed in December](#) to get the \$34.3 million invoice paid soon. Padilla's office in November [asked the Department of Finance](#) to transfer federal funds to pay for the contract, but the department still hasn't acted on the request, Finance spokesman H.D. Palmer told me Thursday. Representatives for Padilla and Newsom did not respond to requests for comment.

- **Heather Wilson, head of SKDKnickerbocker's California office, told me:** "We remain confident that we will be paid for our work on the nonpartisan — and successful — Vote Safe California campaign."

CalMatters commentary

Investigate California's unemployment department: Taxpayers deserve a full accounting of where their money has gone, and it's past time the state partners with Silicon Valley to find solutions, [argues Assemblymember Megan Dahle, a Republican from Bieber](#).

Californians deserve breathable air: The economic benefits of investing in a clean agriculture system are as large as the economic costs of pollution, [writes environmental activist Caty Wagner](#).

Other things worth your time

California prison union to gather in Las Vegas for board meeting amid COVID surge. // [Sacramento Bee](#)

California hotel workers renew push for recall rights, job protections. // [CalMatters](#)

Reopening plans stall as 1 in 3 students test positive for COVID-19 at some Los Angeles schools. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

California education issues to watch in 2021. // [EdSource](#)

California DMV postpones in-person driving tests until February amid COVID surge. // [Sacramento Bee](#)

Rife with infighting, Oakland community college district at risk of losing

local control. // [EdSource](#)

More homeless Orange County residents died last year than any other, coroner says. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

Can California fix its broken relationship with the animal kingdom? // [Sacramento Bee](#)

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To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Cc: [Joe Vinatieri](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Cathy Warner](#); [Fernando Dutra](#)
Subject: Please resign from the Whittier City Council | Constituent E-Mail
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 9:42:35 AM

Friday, January 8, 2021

Dear Councilwoman Martinez—

It has come to our attention via [your Twitter posting](#) that you were present during the domestic terror attack on the Capital Building in Washington, D.C. on January 6th. —*on Three Kings Day of all days!*

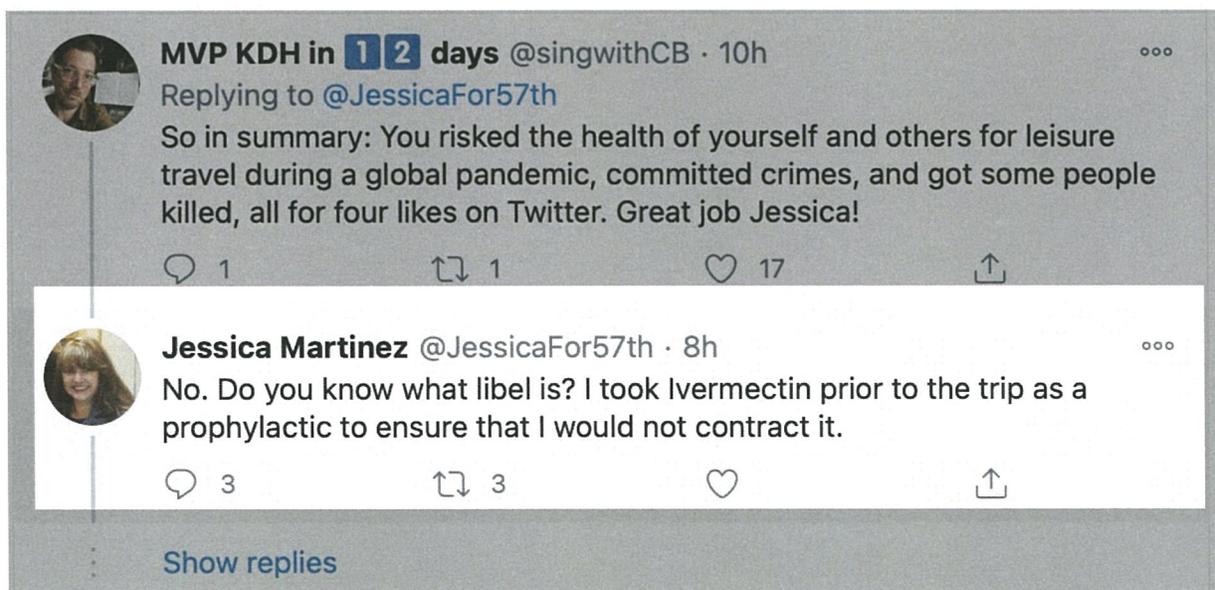
We are truly beside ourselves with horror and grief over the attack on our nation's capital, not least of which to discover that one of our own here in Whittier was party to it. —*see below/attached*

Your actions speak for themselves and we cannot in good conscience stay silent on it; you have truly disgraced yourself, your office, and our beautiful city.

The only honorable thing left for you to do at this point is resign.

John & Lena Bradshaw
Whittier, California

CC: Mayor Joe Vinatieri, Mayor Pro Tem Henry Bouchot, Council Member Cathy Warner, and Council Member Fernando Dutra



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From: [Jackie Childress](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Please resign.
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 5:40:25 PM

Dear Jessica,

Please resign your position as Council Member, you do not represent the decent people of Whittier. Your participation in the "rally" in Washington D.C. is a true disgrace to all those who have supported you. Any involvement in the ridiculous endeavor to overturn the election by ignoring valid votes from your fellow Americans is the antithesis of Democracy. If you do not have the awareness of mind to realize you have been radicalized over the last 4 years of the Trump regime, then you too are unfit to serve.

You are a disgrace to this Nation. Please do not reply, I have no intention of communicating with terrorists and those who support the abomination which occurred during your "peaceful protest" on the Capitol. Thanks.

Sincerely,
Jacqueline Childress

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From: [Richard Tellez](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Question for you from a whittier resident.
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 9:34:08 AM

Hi Councilwoman,

I am a proud Whittier resident and came across information that you attended the Trump rally on Jan 6th but wanted to get an answer from you directly. Is it true you were in Washington DC on the 6th in attendance?

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From: [Wendy Saenz](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: RESIGN IMMEDIATELY
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 7:18:43 AM

RESIGN IMMEDIATELY. WHAT GREAT SHAME AND EMBARRASSMENT YOU BROUGHT TO OUR CITY BY PROMOTING VIOLENCE AND OVERTHROWING OUR NATIONS CAPITOL. YOU ARE NOT A TRUE AMERICAN. YOU ARE AN EMBARRASSMENT TO THIS ENTIRE COUNTRY AND TO THE CITY OF WHITTIER. YOU STAND FOR RACISM. A FORMAL LETTER WILL BE SENT TO THE MAYOR ASKING FOR YOUR RESIGNATION ALONG WITH A PETITION. TRULY WHAT A SHAME.

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From: [Ryan R.](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: RE: Participation in insurrection
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 2:11:59 PM

Council Member Martinez,

I have recently become aware of your participation in the insurrection that occurred in the Capitol through several notable sources and political action networks. An insurrection that resulted in 5 deaths and likely many more to come from COVID-19 spread.

I do not intend to mince words here, I am demanding your resignation from your position as a Whittier City Council Member.

I grew up in the area, and have had the honor of working for Whittier High School Union District in the past. I know your actions do not represent the people of Whittier, but as an elected official your continued occupancy of a seat on the City Council only serves to harm the community.

So, I say again take responsibility for your poor choices and resign from your position.

Sincerely,
Ryan Redondo

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From: [Mendoza, Erick \(NBCUniversal\)](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: RE: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 5:44:48 PM

Received. Thank you Councilmember Martinez.

Is there any possibility of a Zoom interview today before 8:30pm?

Thank you,

Erick Mendoza | Assignment Editor

Telemundo 52 | @e_a_mendoza

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From: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Sent: Friday, January 08, 2021 5:09 PM
To: Mendoza, Erick (NBCUniversal) <Erick.Mendoza@nbcuni.com>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08

Hi Erick!

Thank you for reaching out to get a statement.
Please let me know if you need anything else.

Jessica Martinez

Here it is:

I want to make it clear.

I strongly condemn the violence and insurrection that took place. It is totally wrong and those who did that should be held accountable for their actions.

I was never at Capitol Hill on January 6.

I was elsewhere in Washington D.C. exercising my constitutional right of free speech at a rally and immediately began heading home after it concluded.

Councilmember Bouchot did not bother to learn the facts and instead recklessly slandered me to our community with lies and insinuations that I participated in the "mayhem."

He could have called me to verify any rumors but instead made a political calculation to serve the special interests he is beholden to by slandering me.

I work for the people of Council District One and am committed to them.

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From: Mendoza, Erick (NBCUniversal) <Erick.Mendoza@nbcuni.com>

Sent: Friday, January 8, 2021 2:14:20 PM

To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>

Subject: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08

Good afternoon,

I am reaching out to check if you are available for an interview in Spanish via Zoom or have a statement regarding social media reports that you allegedly participated on Wednesday's riots in Washington DC.

People on social media are citing your social media posts. Were you in Washington DC and did you participate?

There is an online petition calling for your removal from office. Any comment to this petition?

My deadline is 7pm PST tonight.

Thank you.

Erick Mendoza | Assignment Editor

Telemundo 52 | @e_a_mendoza

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From: [Ti Mo](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: 1/6/21
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 12:30:11 AM

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Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:15:54 AM

Thank you TinaNicole!

God bless you. I need all the prayer I can get. Have a great day!

Jessica

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Charles Durrett](#)
Subject: Re: A Solution to Homelessness in your Town
Date: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:02:08 PM
Attachments: [image.png](#)
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Dear Charles,

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From: Charles Durrett <charles.durrett@cohousingco.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:05:33 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: A Solution to Homelessness in your Town



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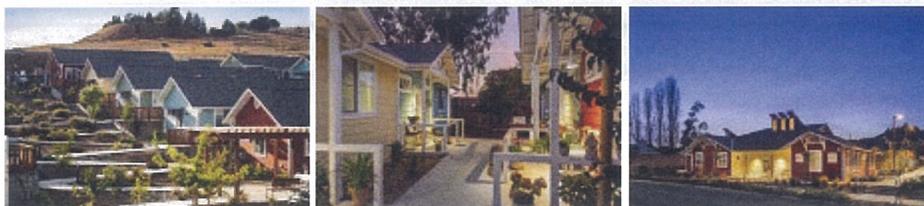
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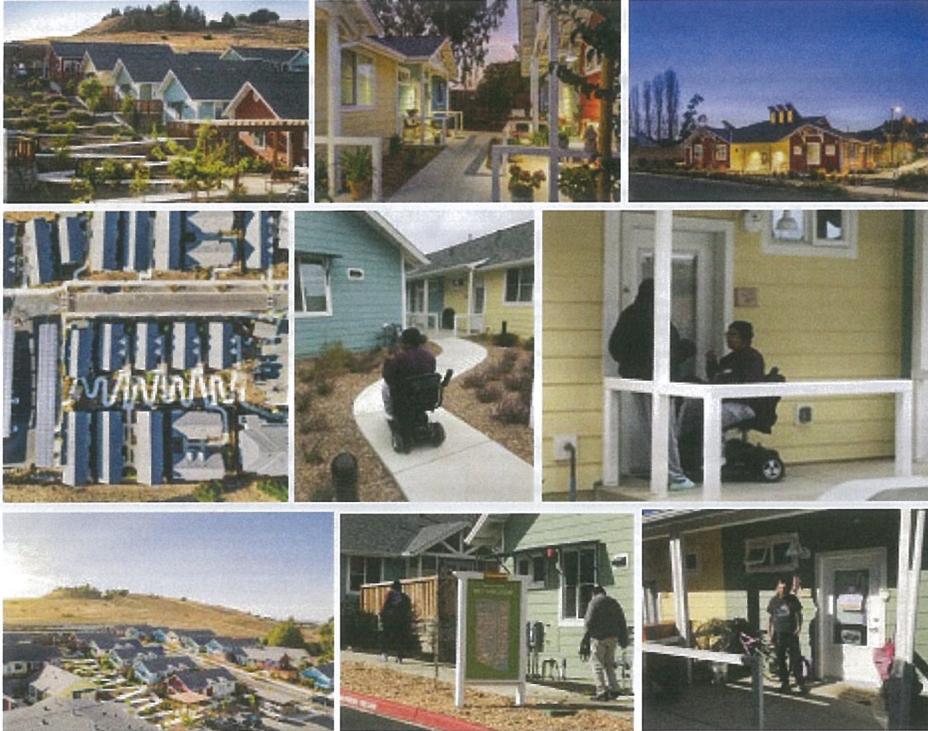
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From: [Dalila Barillas](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: DalilaBarillas
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 3:09:54 PM

Correction on *incite and *our through the email

On Sunday, January 10, 2021, 12:23:50 PM PST, Dalila Barillas <dalilabarillas@yahoo.com> wrote:

Hi Jessica,

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6050 Washington Ave
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Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:55:00 PM

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To: [Mr and Mrs Mosqueda](#)
Subject: Re: Did you participate?
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 9:53:15 PM

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Mosqueda,

I appreciate your email. It would have been an unlawful act for anyone to break into the Capitol building.

I was not a participant in any such unlawful act and only participated in a peaceful assembly at the Washington Memorial and left immediately afterward. The accusations made against me are entirely slanderous and defamatory.

Thank you for your earnest desire to hear the truth and not make a rush to judgement. I am proud to serve levelheaded people such as you and your spouse.

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From: Mr and Mrs Mosqueda <mosquedagang@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 11, 2021 3:11:24 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
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To: [Evan Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: Give Up Your Job
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 9:07:59 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:52:10 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Give Up Your Job

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From: [Evan Martinez](#)
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Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 9:15:45 AM

I agree with you too and condemn violence or harassment, but the actions that you decided to take as a representative of Whittier is dumbfounding.

You're not a human being, you're a fat pig that needs to live on a farm with the rest of the Trump supporters that attended the insurgence at the capitol. You are a terrorist like the rest of them.

Give up your life by giving up your job Jessica, there's no hope for people who think like you.

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From: [Bruce Iversen](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: He's looking out for us???
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:07:23 PM

God and truth will prevail, karma will be visiting Henry an Dutra some day soon.
Be safe Bruce Iversen

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 29, 2020, at 3:48 PM, Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org> wrote:

Trump must win.

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From: Bruce Iversen <bb.bruce@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Wednesday, October 28, 2020 6:26:22 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Fwd: He's looking out for us???

Not Good !

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Laurie Hidalgo <laurie@downeyescrow.com>
Date: October 28, 2020 at 12:53:49 PM PDT
To: bb.bruce@sbcglobal.net
Subject: **FW: He's looking out for us???**

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Bruce Iversen](#)
Subject: Re: He's looking out for us???
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:20:26 PM

Thank you Bruce! God bless you!

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From: Bruce Iversen <bb.bruce@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:07:12 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Re: He's looking out for us???

God and truth will prevail, karma will be visiting Henry an Dutra some day soon.
Be safe Bruce Iversen

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On Oct 29, 2020, at 3:48 PM, Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org> wrote:

Trump must win.

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From: Bruce Iversen <bb.bruce@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Wednesday, October 28, 2020 6:26:22 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Fwd: He's looking out for us???

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From: Laurie Hidalgo <laurie@downeyescrow.com>
Date: October 28, 2020 at 12:53:49 PM PDT
To: bb.bruce@sbcglobal.net
Subject: FW: He's looking out for us???

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Wigglesworth, Alex](#)
Subject: Re: Interview with L.A. Times re: DC trip
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 6:59:15 PM

Alex,

I am sorry but I didn't see your email. If you decide to do a follow up please call me.
562 339 3138.

Take care,

Jessica Martinez

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From: Wigglesworth, Alex <Alexandra.Wigglesworth@latimes.com>
Sent: Saturday, January 9, 2021 8:57:35 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Interview with L.A. Times re: DC trip

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Please feel free to reply with the best way to get in touch, or to give me a call at 424-405-1595. I am working on a deadline of about 3 p.m.

Thanks for your time,
Alex Wigglesworth

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From: [Wigglesworth, Alex](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: Interview with L.A. Times re: DC trip
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 12:22:27 PM

Thank you, I certainly will! I appreciate it.

From: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Sent: Sunday, January 10, 2021 6:59 PM
To: Wigglesworth, Alex <Alexandra.Wigglesworth@latimes.com>
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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Josie Mellen](#)
Subject: Re: January 6, 2021 - capitol hill
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 12:03:40 AM

Dear Josie,

Thank you for caring about truth. I went to Washington as a private citizen. I was not present for any violence and would not have gone to Washington if I had thought anything criminal would happen.

There were about 500,000 to a million people that were peaceful and did absolutely nothing wrong. I was saddened that because of a few people who committed criminal acts of violence, everyone else who was there peacefully are now being treated like criminals.

I appreciate your email. Please reach out in future if you have a concern.

Thank you so much!

Jessica Martinez

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From: Josie Mellen <josiemellen@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, January 9, 2021 10:55:08 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: January 6, 2021 - capitol hill

Hello:

I'm a property owner in Whittier. There is a petition being circulated for your removal on the basis of your involvement in the insurrection of Capitol Hill.

Many of my neighbors would like to know more information about your involvement?

From the internet it appears you are a Trump supporter and naturally, we think you are involved in the insurrection? Not sure why anyone would visit DC in the winter for a rally, travel during COVID-19 restrictions or be in close proximity to others at a rally. Were you there on personal or representing Whittier?

Thank you in advance for your response!

Josie Mellen
13930 LaCuarta street
90602

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Brittany X. Martin](#)
Subject: Re: Los Angeles Mag Question
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:50:57 PM

Dear Brittany,

Thank you for contacting me! I was in Washington but did not go to the Capitol building. I had an early flight to catch so I had to leave before the a President finished speaking.

The event ended tragically with lives lost. I was saddened by the actions of a few violent people who committed crimes. Between 500,000 to a million and a half behaved peacefully and because of a few people that did terrible things, everyone who was there was painted with the same brush. Had I known that anything like that would happen, I would not have been there.

I hope I answered all of your questions. The reckless and slanderous allegations made about me were baseless and the council did not censure me after they heard my defense.

There will likely be a recall effort but in the meantime I am committed to serving the City of Whittier.

Thank you so much!

Jessica Martinez

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From: Brittany X. Martin <Bxmartin@lamag.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 1:58:43 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Los Angeles Mag Question

Councilmember Martinez:

I'm a journalist with Los Angeles Magazine, working on a story about your alleged involvement in the Capitol incident last week.

I am hoping you can answer a few questions for me.

Here's what we would be interested in learning:

1. Were you in fact present at the Capitol in Washington DC on January 6?
2. If so, can you explain why you wanted to participate in the event?
3. Did the event unfold as you expected when you made plans to attend?
4. Do you have any comment regarding the apparent violent and criminal acts that took place?
5. Are you aware of a petition calling for a censure or perhaps even removal of you from the city council in connection with this event? What do you believe will come of that campaign?

Thanks very much,
Brittany

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Brittany Martin

Los Angeles

She/Her | 5900 Wilshire Blvd., 10th floor | Los Angeles, CA | 90036 |

lamag.com<<http://lamag.com/>>

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From: [Richard Tellez](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: Question for you from a whittier resident.
Date: Friday, January 15, 2021 10:47:08 AM

Dear Jessica,

Thank you for your response. I watched the council meeting and have some additional questions for you.

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From: richardtellez@gmail.com <richardtellez@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 4:54:09 PM

To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>

Subject: Re: Question for you from a whittier resident.

So you don't respond to your constituents?

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To: [Richard Tellez](#)
Subject: Re: Question for you from a whittier resident.
Date: Friday, January 15, 2021 2:59:44 PM

Richard,

Thank you for your email. I have already stated I was not at the Capitol building and was on my way to the airport at the time of the violence. It is unfortunate that you do not believe me.

I wish you well,

Jessica Martinez

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From: Richard Tellez <richardtellez@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, January 15, 2021 10:46:54 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Re: Question for you from a whittier resident.

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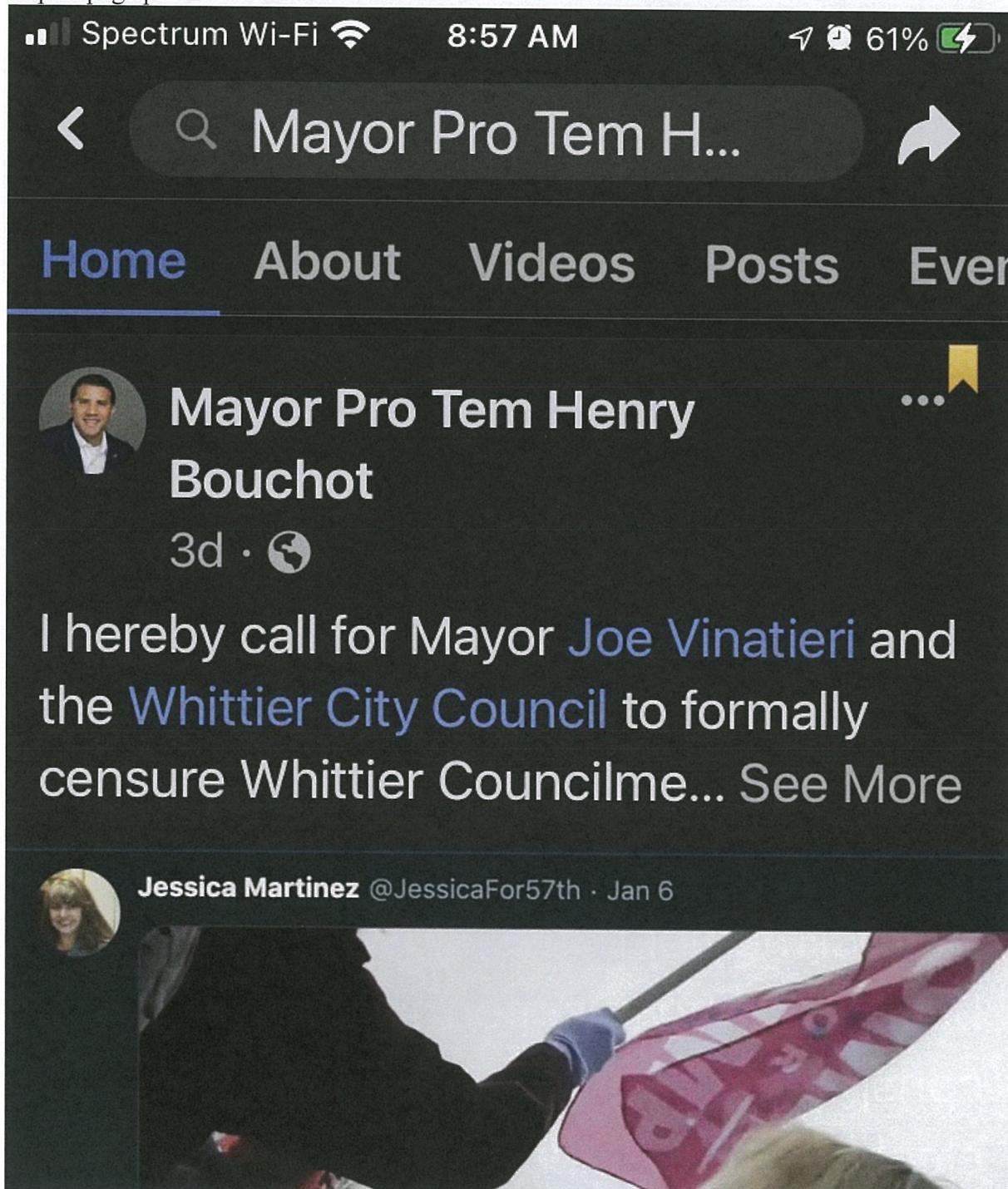
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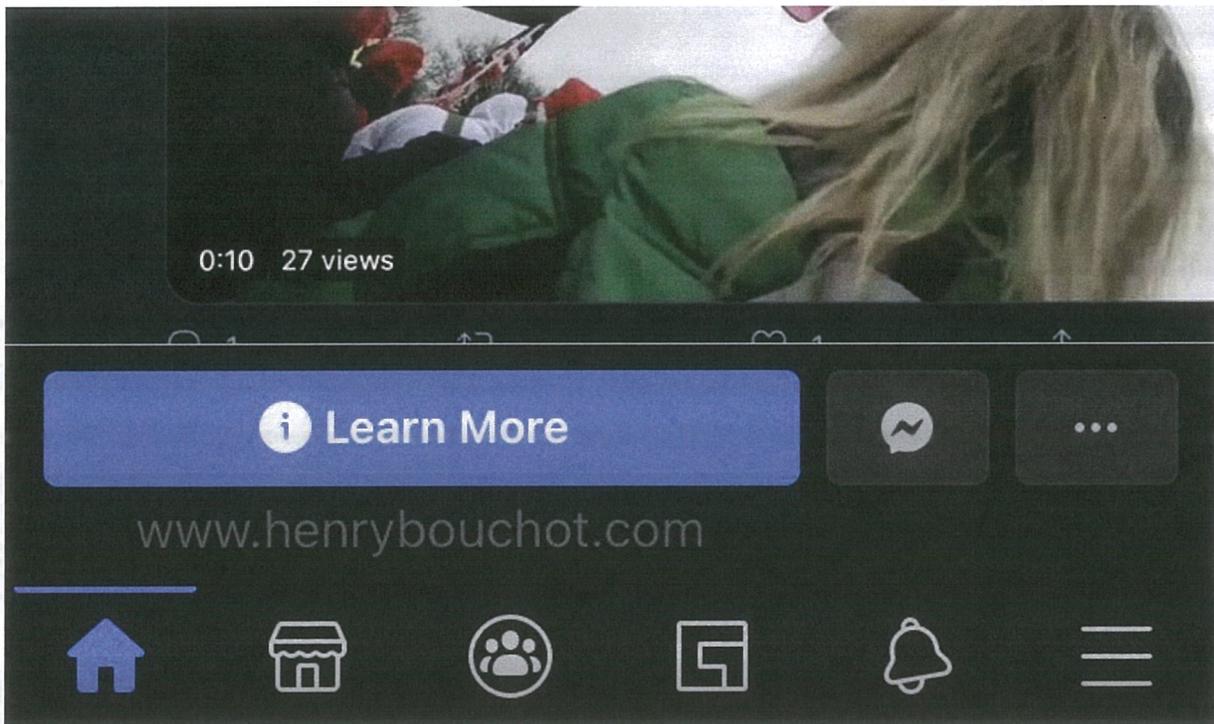
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From: [Veronica Wilkerson](#)
To: [Cathy Warner](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [WebMail - CCD](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: Self Serving Assertions
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 1:23:48 PM

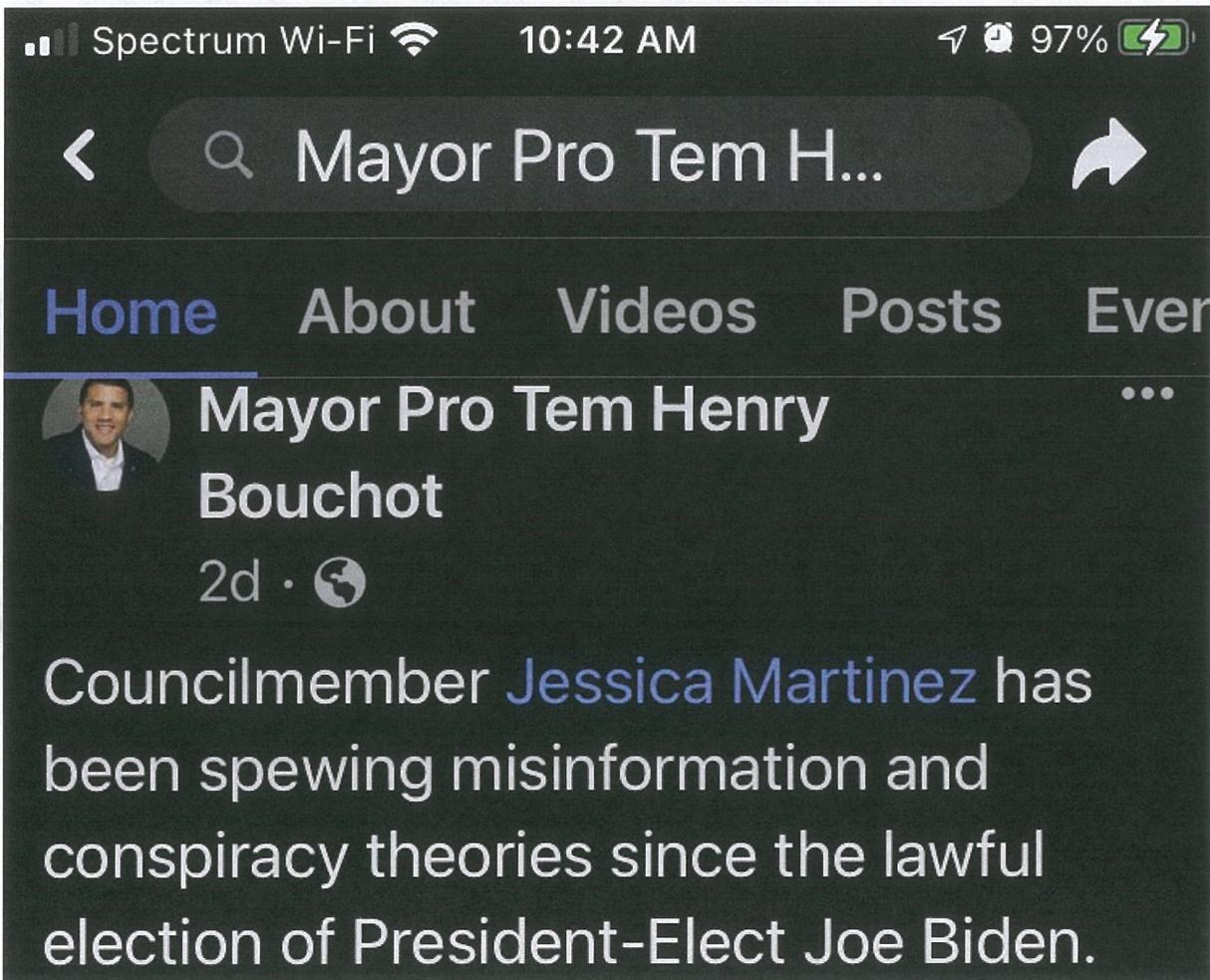
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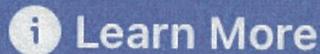




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Pardon the language, but this is the sort of thing we're dealing with now. Yes, a few of us Rileys attended the Trump

rally in DC. No, we would never "breach the building," hurt law enforcement officers, or destroy property -- just like the vast majority of the MILLIONS of people who were there, we chose to peacefully engage in a very old form of American activism, the political protest. We're very sorry that some of you choose to assign guilt by association.

An extended member of our family, maybe more than one, peacefully participated in BLM rallies. Those were marred by violence and death as well, but the "guilt by association" card was not played.



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It's time for you to think before you

Speak..

New ticket

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Die

Jesus Christ (killrileysfarm@gmail.com)

Fri, 01/08/21 10:37 am

Message: Should have died along with that stupid bitch Babbit. The world will be a better place once your entire family is dead and your farm is burned to the fucking ground. Fuck Trump and fuck your entire family and its name.

Ticket created while on:

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Drawing a straight line -

Mayor Pro Tem Henry Bouchot's Post



Author

Mayor Pro Tem Henry Bouchot



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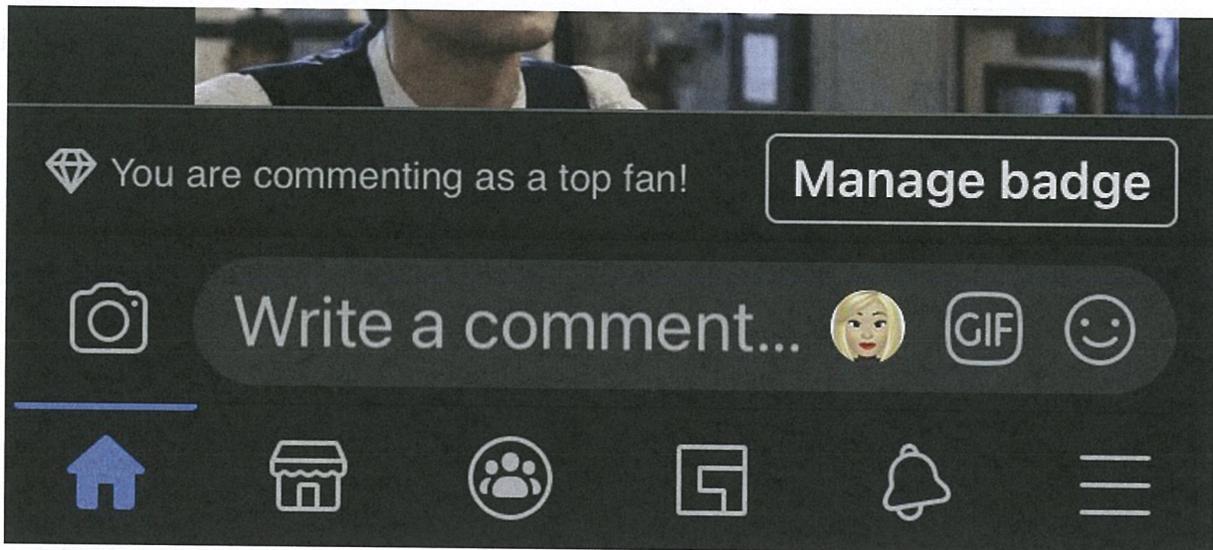


Roger Ramirez Replied · 4 Replies



Frank Romo





On Mon, Jan 11, 2021 at 1:16 PM Veronica Wilkerson <veronicav.wilkerson@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Mr. Mayor and city council members,

I send you this latest email in despair and distress over the divisive post made by Mayor Pro Tem, Henry Bouchot about the participation level of co-council member, Jessica Martinez during last week's atrocities we all witnessed at our nation's capitol last week. This self serving post has done NOTHING to bring neighbors together but rather Mr. Bouchot's post has only deepened an already mighty fracture between families, friends, and neighbors.

Mr. Bouchot has requested, almost demanded that Mrs. Martinez be censured for: "her participation in the mayhem at our nation's Capitol yesterday. In promoting the violent overthrow of our nation and in undermining free and fair elections through the perpetuation of baseless, discredited conspiracy theories, Councilmember Martinez has brought discredit to herself and our city. I take this action in furtherance of my oath to defend the Constitution of the United States."

I find these assertions offensive and posted only to further a political career that starts with Whittier. I have no doubt that Mr. Bouchot will make an amazing politician, he is already exhibiting the operating procedure required by his political affiliation.

Not only did Mr. Bouchot create this post, but he pinned it to the top of his page:



Mr. Martinez was then forced to respond to the ridiculous assertion that she participated "in the mayhem". You would think it would stop there but it didn't:



Here is the full text:

Councilmember Jessica Martinez has been spewing

misinformation and conspiracy theories since the lawful election of President-Elect Joe Biden. She promoted the arrest of members of the press and described the election as a hoax despite courts finding no credible evidence of widespread fraud. She tweeted that she would be in DC on 1/6. She pledged to give her life to take back the country. On the morning of 1/6, she uploaded a video of the “Stop the Steal” rally without audio. There was only one such rally. It started near the White House and ended at the Capitol. When I called for censure, she took to Twitter to pin the riot on BLM and Antifa. Only after 24 hours did she take to Facebook to claim she was “elsewhere” in Washington, deleting her previous tweets. At least we agree on one thing. Those responsible should be held accountable. Starting with her.

The self serving, and baseless assertions do not match up with the majority of who was there, why, and their participation in breaching the Capitol building. This is one Southern California business owners post about what is happening now:



Before my email that I started this morning, I was going to suggest to Mr. Bouchot that to draw a straight line between a passionate but peaceable protest and the atrocity that was committed in the halls of our nations Capitol is borderline slanderous, but he did just that by posting a graphic of the location:



The fact that Mrs. Martinez was there has caught the attention of other progressive but respected members of the political community and Mr. Bouchot is sharing their outrage:



Not one time that I can see has Mr. Bouchot expressed his concern that Mrs. Martinez should quarantine for 10 or is it 14 days since she has indeed traveled out of state, not one. But rather, Mr. Bouchot has a death grip on his string of pearls and is acting like Mrs. Martinez painted her face and put on a ridiculous horned costume and breached the halls of the Capitol.

His only call to action is for an immediate censure by the mayor.

If someone can assure me and the community that Mrs. Martinez will indeed quarantine for the time period that local health mandates require then that will satisfy my “outrage and shock” at her choice to be a part of a peaceful protest and rally, I think it is just as egregious that this protest like the BLM peaceful protests were hijacked by extremist groups.

Where was the outrage last year when even our city was visited by a protest march that boarded up stores and restaurants who were previously shutdown because of the pandemic? Then we had the circus of a “protest” on our very own city hall lawn!

Here is a post by a community activist:

<https://www.whittier360newsnetwork.com/post/overreaction-hits-whittier-as-people-demand-whittier-councilmember-resign-for-attending-rally-in-dc?fbclid=IwAR34QqBNpCJKpb-NXM18mUapze3gWROK09EeZKy9PcSeN6isEfwW9cSD6Oo>

The temperature drops when we ALL stop posting everything that offends our delicate sensitivities, and that starts with YOU MR. BOUCHOT!

Veronica Wilkerson
6257 Comstock Ave, Apt A
Whittier, CA 90601
562-325-7632

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Erik Bottema](#)
Subject: Re: So disappointed
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:25:39 AM

Thank you Erik.

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From: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:17:43 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: Fwd: So disappointed

Jessica,

Here is the email I wanted to share with you. Fernando is not your friend nor a friend to a true republican. He is the "problem" with the Republican Party.

Erik

----- Forwarded message -----
From: **Fernando Dutra** <fdutra@cityofwhittier.org>
Date: Wed, Jan 13, 2021 at 6:01 AM
Subject: Re: So disappointed
To: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>

Erik,

I'm not a "blind " follower and as a result decided to exercise my 1st Amendment right as well. Once again, as a councilperson we hold "Non- Partisan" positions. Jessica Martinez holds a non-partisan position, by advertising her political beliefs on social media she is drawing a line in the sand between her and her constituents not affiliated with the Republican party.

I will gladly defend my republican party support & record against anyone.

I'm happy to disagree with you on this issue.

Happy New Year

Fernando Dutra
City of Whittier Councilmember
562.325.3946

From: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 10:10 PM
To: Fernando Dutra <fdutra@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: So disappointed

Fernando,

Just finished watching the meeting and after spending time at many events at the Women's Republican Club with you and your family there. Glad to always know we still have some Republican's on our council who support our values. I was disgusted to see how you would trample the 1st amendment rights of a fellow Republican, Jessica Martinez. You decided to side with Henry Bouchet, a complete weasel, stay at home father who has never amounted to anything productive in his life. He will sell you out in a heartbeat on the next issue and will use you as an example of a "fractured" Republican Party. You are a perfect example of what is wrong with the Republican party, willing to sell out your own for political gain.

-Erik Bottema
Retired LASD, True Patriot, Business Owner and Whittier resident

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From: [Eduardo Tarin](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Re: Support
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 8:21:31 PM
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Jessica Martinez

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Thank you so much Eduardo! Bless you!!!!

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From: [Mendoza, Erick \(NBCUniversal\)](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: RE: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 5:44:48 PM

Received. Thank you Councilmember Martinez.

Is there any possibility of a Zoom interview today before 8:30pm?

Thank you,

Erick Mendoza | Assignment Editor

Telemundo 52 | @e_a_mendoza

100 Universal City Plaza, Bldg 2120, Universal City, CA 91608

o. 818.684.5710



From: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Sent: Friday, January 08, 2021 5:09 PM
To: Mendoza, Erick (NBCUniversal) <Erick.Mendoza@nbcuni.com>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08

Hi Erick!

Thank you for reaching out to get a statement.
Please let me know if you need anything else.

Jessica Martinez

Here it is:

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From: Mendoza, Erick (NBCUniversal) <Erick.Mendoza@nbcuni.com>

Sent: Friday, January 8, 2021 2:14:20 PM

To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>

Subject: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08

Good afternoon,

I am reaching out to check if you are available for an interview in Spanish via Zoom or have a statement regarding social media reports that you allegedly participated on Wednesday's riots in Washington DC.

People on social media are citing your social media posts. Were you in Washington DC and did you participate?

There is an online petition calling for your removal from office. Any comment to this petition?

My deadline is 7pm PST tonight.

Thank you.

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To: [Erik Bottema](#)
Subject: Re: We support you
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:19:03 AM

Erik,

I want to thank you for your email. It was so good to read your words. Thank you for your support and encouragement! It means a lot to me.

God bless you,

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From: Erik Bottema <edbottema@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:15:37 AM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Erik Bottema](#)
Subject: Re: We support you
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:20:42 AM

I think you are right about my final remarks. Thank you for your honesty. I do appreciate it.

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From: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
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To: [gonzalezhayes](#)
Cc: [Barbara Gile](#); [Paula Ocampo](#); [Cuocco, Patricia](#); [Susan Halliday](#); [Kaye Kidwell](#); [Kathy Adams](#); [Andrea Schmid](#); [Maura Greeley](#); [Dotti Andersen](#); [Ann J. Topjoh](#); [Jeannie Williamson](#); [Maggie Bernal](#); [Sharon Heck](#); [Carole Restovich](#); [Priscilla Villa](#); [Laurie Baccus](#); [Karen Bjorkquist](#); [Melanie Bickley](#); [Kay Clark](#); [Patricia Dudley](#); [Mandy Knight](#); [Ann Chambers](#); [Denise Fasheh](#); [Cynthia Nickell](#); [Deirdre Shatzen](#); [Katherine Dowling](#); [Wendy Kreider](#); [Karen Van der Baan](#); [sharon Heck](#)
Subject: Re: [External] Whittier council
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 10:23:57 AM
Importance: High

Dear Friends,
Please check the facts before you put out false information!
Jessica Martinez was not part of the mayhem in Washington DC.

These are strange times and there are many rumors floating around.
Most of them are not true. Some are made to make us angry.

Hopefully, the members of AAUW will be known for their style and grace when it comes to political issues.

We need to respect each other and tell the truth.

Let's be sure we have the facts before we send out wrong information.

Peace, Barbara Gile

On Jan 9, 2021, at 3:29 PM, gonzalezhayes <gonzalezhayes@aol.com> wrote:

Patricia,

Here's the link from the Mayor Pro Tem asking the Mayor to reprimand Martinez.

https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=696073857757079&id=123548795009591

Sent from my Sprint Samsung Galaxy S9.

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From: Paula Ocampo <pocampo@aol.com>

Date: 1/9/21 3:26 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: "Cuocco, Patricia" <pcuocco@fullerton.edu>

Cc: Susan Halliday <sbathalliday@yahoo.com>, Kaye Kidwell <kayedana@aol.com>, Kathy Adams <ktouch52@gmail.com>,

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Subject: Re: [External] Whittier council

Jessica Martinez is councilmember for my district. There was talk of recalling her back in April due to her stance on immigration. At that time, they had to wait until she had been a councilmember for 90 days. I think COVID sidelined that effort.

I would sign a petition to recall her now.

Paula Ocampo

<https://www.whittierdailynews.com/2020/04/30/whittier-councilwoman-faces-wrath-for-suing-to-block-financial-aid-to-undocumented-immigrants/amp/>

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On Jan 9, 2021, at 2:55 PM, Cuocco, Patricia

<pcuocco@fullerton.edu> wrote:

I don't get a lot of stuff here in Nevada. I would appreciate anyone sending me any links or information on where to sign to recall her and/or where/how I might vote. I'm still a legal California resident and registered to vote in CA. I'm beyond disgusted.

Patricia

From: Susan Halliday <sbathalliday@yahoo.com>

Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 at 1:50 PM

To: Kaye Kidwell <kayedauna@aol.com>, Paula Ocampo <pocampo@aol.com>, Kathy Adams <ktouch52@gmail.com>, 'Andrea Schmid' <andrea@stmatthiaswhittier.org>, "Maura Greeley (Adamo)" <greeleym@aol.com>, Dottie Andersen <dottie.andersen@gmail.com>, Topjon Ann <atopjon@whittier.edu>, Jeannie Williamson <jeanminnie@aol.com>, Dolores Gonzalez-Hayes <gonzalezhayes@aol.com>, Maggie Bernal <mberna1957@aol.com>, Sharon Heck <s.heck4peace@gmail.com>, Carole Restovich <bruinclr@yahoo.com>, Barbara Gile <barbaragile@me.com>, Priscilla Villa <priscilla@bgcw.org>, Laurie Baccus <lbaccus140@gmail.com>, Karen Bjorkquist <bjorkquistkb@verizon.net>, Melanie Bickley <melbickley@gmail.com>, Kay Clark <kayclark310@gmail.com>, "Cuocco, Patricia" <pcuocco@Fullerton.edu>, Pat Dudley <kpudley2002@yahoo.com>, Mandy Knight <mandyknight24@gmail.com>, Ann Chambers <chambersann6@msn.com>, Denise Fasheh <microdeni00@yahoo.com>, Cynthia Nickell <cynthia.d.nickell@gmail.com>, "DeDe (Deidre) Shatzen" <lsecret@earthlink.net>, Katherine Dowling <kldowling3@hotmail.com>, Wendy Kreider <drwendy06@verizon.net>, Karen Van der Baan <vanderbaan@aol.com>

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So very sad to see that one of our City Council persons (Jessica) participated in the sad historic 'March' on the Capitol on Wednesday. Lots of copies of her tweets etc out...& a couple of pictures. I'm thinking Michigan Park Neighborhood group is trying to keep politics off their site. There is a recall going on I'd love to see our City Council Meeting this coming Tues... but we're not able to get the channel.... Definitely a sad sad day in our nation,& city.

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [L Perez](#)
Subject: Re: request for comment CBS 2 & KCAL 9
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 11:27:31 PM

Laurie,

Thank you for contacting me. I was NOT at the Capitol building and left early to catch an early flight out

After disproving all of the false allegations made against me, I was not censured. I was falsely accused by Mr. Bouchet.

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From: L Perez <lauriepereztv@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 7:40:39 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: request for comment CBS 2 & KCAL 9

Hi Councilmember Martinez - -

I am following along tonight and see the motion to censure you set to be heard at the end of the meeting. Can we get a comment tonight or, better yet, a zoom interview with you about this?

Can you clarify whether or not you were at the rally at the Capitol?

If so, did you enter the building?

If not, will you share with us where you were instead?

What's your reaction to this effort to censure you?

Thanks very much.

Laurie Perez
Reporter
CBS 2 & KCAL 9
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lauriepereztv@gmail.com
lperez@cbs.com

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [raul cuevas](#)
Subject: Re: statement
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 3:27:02 PM

Thank you Raul!

I will be releasing a statement today.

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From: raul cuevas <raulcuevas562@gmail.com>
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To: [raul cuevas](#)
Subject: Re: statement
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 5:10:36 PM

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From: [Melissa Marie Munoz](#)
To: [WebMail - CCD](#); [Jessica Martinez](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#)
Subject: Regarding Jessica Martínez
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 6:15:37 PM

Dear Mayor Vinatieri and City of Whittier Council,

I am a resident of the city of Whittier who is writing to you regarding Councilmember Jessica Martinez's role in the protest at Capitol Hill. In this country we still believe “innocent until proven guilty.” Was she actually inside the Capitol Building? Or was she standing outside peacefully? Please do not forget that she too has the right to freedom of speech. Without further proof I do NOT believe her act is domestic terrorism and should NOT disqualify her from participating in this city council. I urge you to explore her actions before you censure her participation in council proceedings.

Thank you,
Melissa Diaz

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From: [whambo rambo](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Resign.
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 7:24:24 PM

Good Evening Councilwoman Martinez,

I am emailing you in regards to the video you tweeted showing you at a trump rally in DC. While you claim that you never participated in the insurrection, you most certainly did participate in the event, in which the president of the United States dog whistled for one. Not only did you do that, but you are also responsible for inciting the events of January 6th. You have publicly perpetuated the president's false claims of fraud on your twitter.

As a resident of the city of Whittier, I am ashamed to call such an anti-American woman my representative. You have gotten away with way too much. I, along with many others, have not forgotten your heartless attempts to block financial relief to tax paying undocumented immigrants. Additionally, we have not forgotten your racist and islamaphobic remarks, which is why I call for your resignation from your position as councilwoman of the city of Whittier.

Wishing you the best of luck at saving your political career,

Joanne Cosina

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From: [Veronica Wilkerson](#)
To: [Cathy Warner](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [WebMail - CCD](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Self Serving Assertions
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 1:17:11 PM

Dear Mr. Mayor and city council members,

I send you this latest email in despair and distress over the divisive post made by Mayor Pro Tem, Henry Bouchot about the participation level of co-council member, Jessica Martinez during last week's atrocities we all witnessed at our nation's capitol last week. This self serving post has done NOTHING to bring neighbors together but rather Mr. Bouchot's post has only deepened an already mighty fracture between families, friends, and neighbors.

Mr. Bouchot has requested, almost demanded that Mrs. Martinez be censured for: "her participation in the mayhem at our nation's Capitol yesterday. In promoting the violent overthrow of our nation and in undermining free and fair elections through the perpetuation of baseless, discredited conspiracy theories, Councilmember Martinez has brought discredit to herself and our city. I take this action in furtherance of my oath to defend the Constitution of the United States."

I find these assertions offensive and posted only to further a political career that starts with Whittier. I have no doubt that Mr. Bouchot will make an amazing politician, he is already exhibiting the operating procedure required by his political affiliation.

Not only did Mr. Bouchot create this post, but he pinned it to the top of his page:



Mr. Martinez was then forced to respond to the ridiculous assertion that she participated "in the mayhem". You would think it would stop there but it didn't:



Here is the full text:

Councilmember Jessica Martinez has been spewing misinformation and conspiracy theories since the lawful election of President-Elect Joe Biden. She promoted the arrest of members of the press and described the election as a hoax despite courts finding no credible evidence of widespread fraud. She tweeted that she would be in DC on 1/6. She pledged to give her life to take back the country. On the morning of 1/6, she uploaded a video of the "Stop the Steal" rally without audio. There was only one such rally. It started near the White House and ended at

the Capitol. When I called for censure, she took to Twitter to pin the riot on BLM and Antifa. Only after 24 hours did she take to Facebook to claim she was “elsewhere” in Washington, deleting her previous tweets. At least we agree on one thing. Those responsible should be held accountable. Starting with her.

The self serving, and baseless assertions do not match up with the majority of who was there, why, and their participation in breaching the Capitol building. This is one Southern California business owners post about what is happening now:



Before my email that I started this morning, I was going to suggest to Mr. Bouchot that to draw a straight line between a passionate but peaceable protest and the atrocity that was committed in the halls of our nations Capitol is borderline slanderous, but he did just that by posting a graphic of the location:



The fact that Mrs. Martinez was there has caught the attention of other progressive but respected members of the political community and Mr. Bouchot is sharing their outrage:



Not one time that I can see has Mr. Bouchot expressed his concern that Mrs. Martinez should quarantine for 10 or is it 14 days since she has indeed traveled out of state, not one. But rather, Mr. Bouchot has a death grip on his string of pearls and is acting like Mrs. Martinez painted her face and put on a ridiculous horned costume and breached the halls of the Capitol.

His only call to action is for an immediate censure by the mayor.

If someone can assure me and the community that Mrs. Martinez will indeed quarantine for the time period that local health mandates require then that will satisfy my “outrage and shock” at her choice to be a part of a peaceful protest and rally, I think it is just as egregious that this protest like the BLM peaceful protests were hijacked by extremist groups.

Where was the outrage last year when even our city was visited by a protest march that boarded up stores and restaurants who were previously shutdown because of the pandemic? Then we had the circus of a “protest” on our very own city hall lawn!

Here is a post by a community activist:

<https://www.whittier360newsnetwork.com/post/overreaction-hits-whittier-as-people-demand->

[whittier-councilmember-resign-for-attending-rally-in-dc?fbclid=IwAR34QqBNpCJKpb-NXM18mUapze3gWROK09EeZKy9PcSeN6isEfwW9cSD6Oo](https://www.facebook.com/whittier-councilmember-resign-for-attending-rally-in-dc/?fbclid=IwAR34QqBNpCJKpb-NXM18mUapze3gWROK09EeZKy9PcSeN6isEfwW9cSD6Oo)

The temperature drops when we ALL stop posting everything that offends our delicate sensitivities, and that starts with YOU MR. BOUCHOT!

Veronica Wilkerson
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Veronica Wilkerson

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From: [Veronica Wilkerson](#)
To: [Cathy Warner](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [WebMail - CCD](#); [Fernando Dutra](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Something to think about
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 9:27:13 AM

I will follow up with my previous two emails with this. I expect to hear from someone regarding the self-serving, self-righteous, slanderous, pearl clutching post and assertions made by Henry bushel against Jessica Martinez.

It would be a shame if Mr. Bouchot were to be sued for making these baseless assertions against Ikko council members character.

Remember in 2011 when tens of thousands of Democrats surged on the Wisconsin Capitol building in Madison and physically occupied it for more than two weeks? We were told, "This is what democracy looks like."

Remember in 2016 when Obama was President and hundreds of BLM blocked interstate highways and violently accosted police (even killing several)? We were told, "To assign the actions of one person to an entire movement is dangerous and irresponsible."

Remember in 2018 during the Kavanaugh hearings when a mob of Democrats stormed the U.S. Supreme Court building in Washington, DC, and pounded their fists in rage on the door. We were told, "It's understandable."

Remember this summer's riots in major cities across the country when groups of Democrats marched in the streets, set buildings on fire, looted businesses, assaulted and even killed bystanders and police? We were told, "These are mostly peaceful protests."

Remember when Democrats seized several blocks of the Capitol Hill neighborhood in downtown Seattle, declaring it an autonomous zone? Remember the guns, deaths and utter destruction? We were told, "It's a block party atmosphere."

Remember when a crazed mob gathered after the Republican National Convention and attacked Rand Paul, a sitting U.S. Senator? We were told, "No justice, no peace."

Remember how police were told to stand down, governors refused to call in the national guard, and Democrats paid bail for violent protesters who were arrested? We were told, "This is the only way oppressed people can be heard."

I have condemned violent protests and lawlessness every single time they've been reported. I condemn the actions of those who stormed the Capitol. But I refuse to condemn hundreds of thousands of peaceful protestors because a handful (52 arrested) chose to be lawless and to defy everything the vast majority of the crowd stood for. Conservatives are defenders of the Constitution, the police, and the rule of law. Because a relatively few people decided to do something stupid doesn't nullify the concerns of the many.

The real culprit here? The mainstream media has been telling us for years that violence is the only way people who feel oppressed can be heard, it's the only way to get justice, and this is what democracy looks like. Apparently, a few who were in the crowd on Wednesday listened

to them.

The inflammatory rhetoric of the Left caused this, and it's about time Democrats and the mainstream media took responsibility for dividing Americans and attempting to humiliate those who support President Trump or any conservative ideals. They have pushed people to the brink, even while claiming, "It's time for unity." Hypocrisy at its finest.

Regards,

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From: [Eduardo Tarin](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Support
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 11:56:37 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Hello Ms. Martinez:

My name is Eduardo Tarin, and I own a small business in Whittier. I have been sitting on the sidelines for way to long, and complaining without being involved. This ends today. I'd like to learn more about you, and attend any meetings you may have. I stand for conservative values, and I follow Jesus Christ.

My cell phone number is 213-595-9152 or you can call my office at 562-360-1985.

Eduardo Tarin

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From: [Mendoza, Erick \(NBCUniversal\)](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Telemundo 52 Request 01/08
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 2:14:35 PM
Importance: High

Good afternoon,

I am reaching out to check if you are available for an interview in Spanish via Zoom or have a statement regarding social media reports that you allegedly participated on Wednesday's riots in Washington DC.

People on social media are citing your social media posts. Were you in Washington DC and did you participate?

There is an online petition calling for your removal from office. Any comment to this petition?

My deadline is 7pm PST tonight.

Thank you.

Erick Mendoza | Assignment Editor

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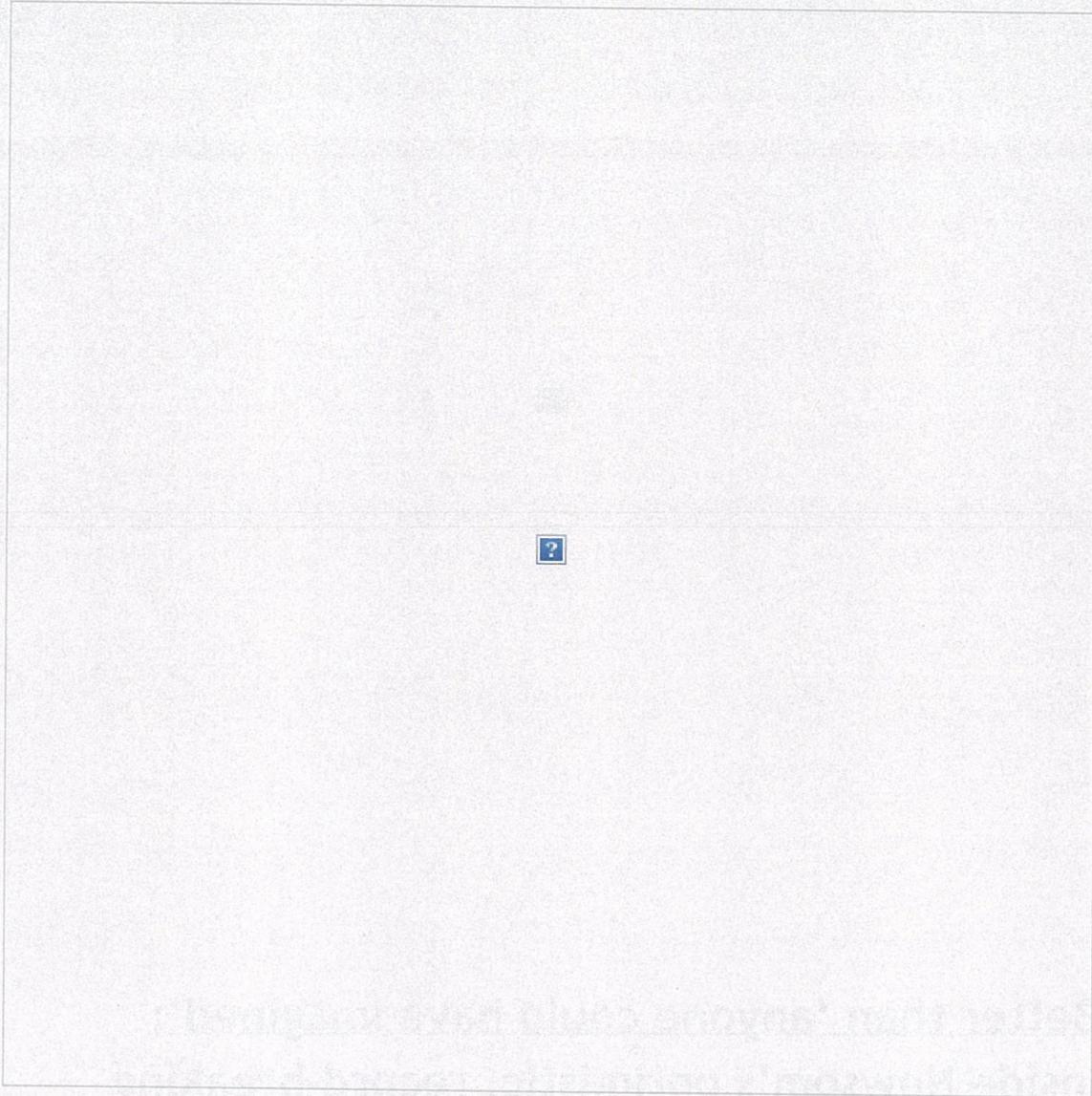
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From: [CalMatters](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: The Week's Top Stories
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 8:18:57 AM



The Week's Top Stories



Better than ‘anyone could have imagined’: Inside Newsom’s optimistic, record-breaking budget proposal

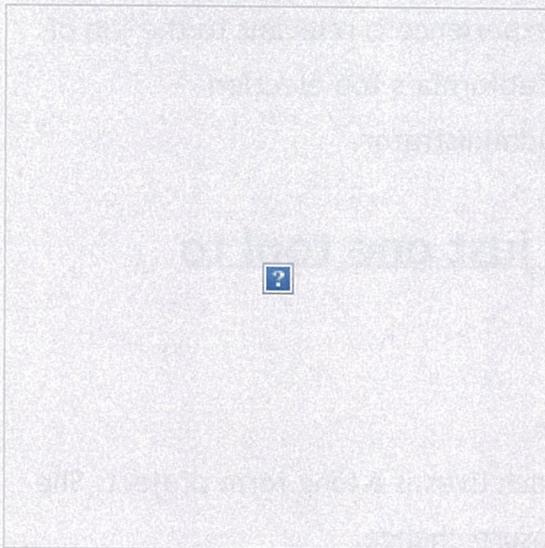
By Ben Christopher

More than last year’s budget. More than the year before. More than any California budget ever. Despite — or maybe because of — the last 10 months of arrested economic activity and unchecked viral contagion, Gov. Gavin Newsom introduced a record-breaking \$227 billion spending plan.

[Newsom wants extra \\$600 stimulus for low-wage Californians](#)

By Nigel Duara

The governor proposes a \$600 stimulus for low-income Californians on top of the recent federal stimulus aid. He also wants to extend California's eviction moratorium, which is currently set to expire Jan. 31.



[Amid DC violence, these California Republicans voted to reject Biden's election](#)

By Lewis Griswold

In a futile maneuver, almost all Republican members of Congress from California voted to challenge the election results from Arizona and Pennsylvania.

[As Trump supporters stormed Capitol, students watched history unfold in real time](#)

By Janelle Marie Salanga, Maddie Beck, Julianna Domingo, Hannah Getahun, Ryan Loyola and Marisa Martinez

Some said the attack dented their faith in American democracy. Others viewed it as the inevitable result of a rise in right-wing populism.

[Next secretary of state aims to show "how fragile the democracy](#)



is”

By Ben Christopher

Shirley Weber’s appointment was not widely anticipated. But her life experience is relevant to the job of California’s top election administrator.

This activist says voting is just one tool to improve Black lives

By Michael Lozano

Helen Jones knows her work to improve Black lives is a long term project. She firmly believes that voting is one way to ensure change.

COVID dangers intensify: California now in 'deep dark part of the tunnel,' top official says

By Barbara Feder Ostrov

As a new, highly infectious coronavirus variant appears in California, state health officials try to speed up vaccine distribution.

Hospitals seek relaxed rules for nursing, patient discharge

By Barbara Feder Ostrov

As ICUs are overwhelmed, California hospitals ask the state to loosen rules related to nursing and where patients are discharged. But nurses say hospitals already have too much leeway. “This is not the time to be cutting back on standards of nursing care,” said registered nurse Gerard Brogan.

California’s new goal: Vaccinate a million people in 10 days

By Barbara Feder Ostrov

Acknowledging that vaccinations have been too slow, state officials aim to ramp up the pace. But many questions remain about expanding to the next groups of Californians, and, in the meantime, some doctors complain that they still haven’t been vaccinated.

[Even more contagious? Here's what you need to know about the mutating virus now in California](#)

By Ana B. Ibarra and Barbara Feder Ostrov

The new variant so far has been detected in six people in the Golden State, after its initial discovery in the U.S. in a Colorado National Guardsman.

[Will COVID spur California to ease food stamp applications?](#)

By Jackie Botts

In a state that has long struggled to get federal food assistance to those who qualify, one senator hopes the third time's a charm for his bill to ease application hurdles for CalFresh.

[Hotel workers renew push for recall rights, job protections](#)

By Orlando Mayorquin

California hotel employees are anxious to see if state lawmakers may revive a “right to recall” proposal to rehire based on seniority, or propose new help. Many also worry additional federal aid won’t help them.



[Five things I've learned covering California's](#)

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By Matt Levin

Lessons from three years covering the politics, policy and absurdity of trying to fix one of the state's most vexing problems.

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[Newsom budget spends windfall on pandemic victims](#)

By Dan Walters

Gov. Gavin Newsom wants fast legislative action on emergency aid to low-income families and small business. Is it genuine concern or fear of a burgeoning recall campaign?

[As attorney general, Justice Goodwin Liu would be a good advocate for California workers](#)

By Eliseo Medina, former national VP of United Farm Workers

California needs an attorney general who recognizes the realities facing low-wage workers and has the experience to change those realities.

[Legislature needs to hold investigative hearings into California's mass unemployment fraud](#)

By Assemblymember Megan Dahle

Legislators and constituents deserve a full accounting of where taxpayer money has gone in Employment Development Department scandal.

[Californians deserve safe and breathable air](#)

By Katy Wagner, environmental activist

If we can rethink our habits of polluting the air that we breathe, we can improve our air quality in California and the Central Valley.

[Assembly Republican leader: Now is the time for the Legislature to lead by solving problems](#)

By Assemblymember Marie Waldron

The focus on COVID-19 has left many issues either overlooked or ignored; our duty is to make the changes needed to get California moving again.

[California needs to repair the damage from its history of systematic sterilizations](#)

By Janelli Vallin, UCSF

California needs to acknowledge the systematic sterilizations of immigrant women and rectify the wrongdoing.

[Budget proposal can send a clear signal on clean transportation](#)

By Assemblymember Phil Ting and John Boesel

Gov. Newsom should prioritize clean transportation and incentive funding for buyers of zero-emission vehicles to achieve his executive order.

[Put students first - return \\$12.5 billion in deferrals to schools](#)

By Bill Lucia, CEO of EdVoice

It is time for the governor and the Legislature to put money back where it belongs so schools can give students an equitable opportunity to learn.

[Employment Development Department another name for titanic disaster](#)

By Dan Walters

The California Employment Development Department has been a titanic disaster of late and Gov. Gavin Newsom bears the onus of its failures.

[State senator and pandemic expert call for strict lockdown](#)

By Sen. Steve Glazer and Yaneer Bar-Yam

It is time for a strict lockdown. We need a four-week shelter-in-place lockdown that allows only truly essential human interaction.

[To help address learning disparities, boost internet access for low-income students](#)

By Niu Gao, Julien Lafortune and Laura Hill, Public Policy Institute of California

In considering how best to allocate resources, state and local policymakers should make expanding broadband internet access a priority.

[Will Gov. Newsom patch up the Local Control Funding Formula for schools?](#)

By Sarah Novicoff, 6th grade world history teacher

Without transparency, we cannot evaluate whether the Local Control Funding Formula is working for our most vulnerable students.

[Court upbraids Jerry Brown on ballot measure](#)

By Dan Walters

California's Supreme Court has upbraided former Gov. Jerry Brown for sloppily drafting his sentencing reform ballot measure.

[Conserving Tejon Ranch: A fight worth waging](#)

By Jane Braxton Little, independent journalist

The Tejon Ranch dispute threatens funding for cutting-edge science and innovative field applications to prevent ecosystem decline.

[Legislator needed to introduce Ellis Act reform bill to protect the state's most vulnerable tenants](#)

By Randy Shaw, Tenderloin Housing Clinic

Why do California legislators allow elderly, disabled and other long-term tenants to be evicted by real estate speculators?

[California's population may be declining](#)

By Dan Walters

California's 170 years of strong population growth have ended and the state may be in decline, with powerful economic and political effects.

[California's plan to bring many students back to school for in-person learning in careful stages](#)

By Linda Darling-Hammond, president of the California State Board of Education

It's time for California to boost its support for teachers' efforts with resources for getting and keeping schools open safely.

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From: [vietbond](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Trump rally
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 9:00:10 PM

Your statement that you would "give up your life" to "take back our country" is shameful and frightening.

You are in a cult.

Please consider this and reassess your views.

-a concerned citizen

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From: [Oscar Salmeron](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Trump supporter
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 1:29:33 PM

Hi Jessica

If you attended the rally to support Donald Trump on January 6/2021 in Washington DC, or any other demonstration at a local level, I urge you to resign from your position at the City of Whittier. Our city cannot tolerate the spreading of lies and false information that can ultimately have a negative impact to our residents, specially on issues of democracy to elect our public representatives.

Oscar Salmeron
Whittier Resident

Sent from my iPad

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From: [Walsh, Eileen](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Unfit for office
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 12:04:10 PM

Ms. Martinez:

This is to let you know that I am one of the residents calling your colleagues to censure you for violation of your oath of office. Your participation in a "rally" that turned into a riot is a violation of your constitutional oath of office.

The purpose of the "protest" was to "Stop the Steal" and to overturn the results of the 2020 election on refuted allegations of voter fraud. As you undoubtedly know, sixty-two (62) judges in swing states considered the allegations of voting irregularities and found no evidence of widespread fraud or irregularities. Fifty (50) state election official certified that the votes were result of a free and fair election. Eight-one (81) million voters chose Joe Biden. In fact, the lawsuits brought on behalf of the President, never alleged fraud because to do so would have been to risk the attorneys' licenses for making false statements to the bench. Any sentient being could logically put these facts together.

That you chose to believe the seditious lies and propaganda rather than consider evidence suggests you are not fit to serve in public office. This is not a matter of a difference of opinion. Rather, it is an Un-American act to push for overturning an election. You violated her oath of office by going to Washington D.C. on January 6th. It does not matter whether you personally desecrated the Capital building, your presence at the so-called rally is sufficient to attest that you wanted the election overturned. Unacceptable.

Shame on you. You embarrass the City of Whittier. When the recall movement gets underway, I will participate to rid the city of an ignorant and seditious council member.

Eileen T. Walsh
Professor Sociology

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From: [Emily Hoeven, CalMatters](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Urgency for pandemic solutions as lawmakers return
Date: Monday, January 11, 2021 6:05:19 AM

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Good morning, California. It's Monday, January 11.

Long to-do list



Gov. Gavin Newsom removes his face mask before presenting his budget proposal in Sacramento on Jan. 8, 2021. Photo by Rich Pedroncelli, AP/Pool

Lawmakers return to Sacramento today to kick off a new legislative session — but time is already running out to respond to some of the pandemic’s most pressing issues.

Around 2 million Californians [could lose their homes on Feb. 1](#) if lawmakers don’t extend the state’s eviction moratorium. [A similar number of people](#) currently can’t access their unemployment benefits due to [a massive claim backlog](#) and [apparently ill-targeted anti-fraud measures](#). Meanwhile, the vast majority of California’s 6.1 million K-12 students haven’t been inside a classroom in 10 months.

Gov. Gavin Newsom, who [proposed a record-breaking \\$227 billion budget](#) on

Friday, wants lawmakers to immediately act on a few key proposals that can't wait until June, when a final budget will be approved after months of negotiation. They include:

- [Extending the eviction moratorium](#) and distributing \$2.6 billion in federal funds for low-income renters and small landlords.
- **Approving \$2.4 billion** to send [\\$600 stimulus checks to 4 million low-income workers](#), including undocumented immigrants who pay taxes.
- **Approving a \$2 billion plan** that would [incentivize schools to reopen campuses](#).
- **Approving \$575 million** in [small-business grants](#).
- **Approving \$250 million** to [help build permanently affordable housing](#).
- **Approving \$70 million** in [small-business fee relief](#).

Other issues likely to dominate the legislative session include increasing housing production and decertifying bad cops — [bills on both topics failed last year](#) — expanding broadband access, revamping the unemployment department and [banning fracking](#).

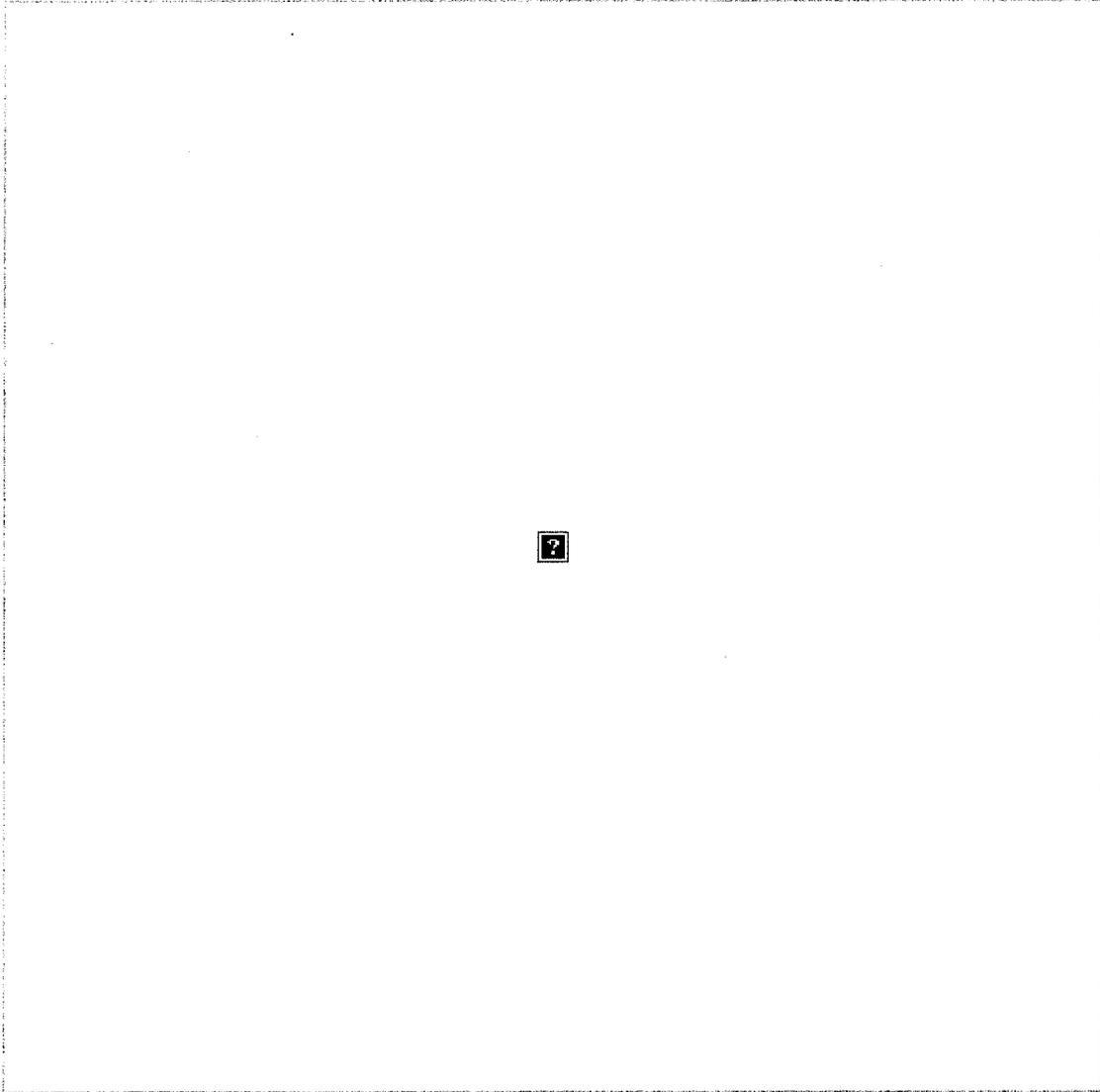
But the ultimate test for both Newsom and lawmakers will be school reopenings, [CalMatters' Laurel Rosenhall reports](#). Teachers unions [have already opposed](#) a Democratic bill that would force schools to reopen when infection rates drop, and when Newsom hinted Friday that the state might intervene if unions and schools boards can't agree on a reopening plan, the pushback was swift.

- [Jeff Freitas, president of the California Federation of Teachers](#): “We are in the middle of a devastating COVID-19 surge, and any discussion of returning to in-person instruction is premature.”

The coronavirus bottom line: As of Sunday, California had **2,670,962** confirmed cases (**+1.9% from previous day**) and **29,701** deaths (**+1.6% from previous day**), according to [a CalMatters tracker](#).

Also: CalMatters regularly updates this pandemic timeline tracking the [state's daily actions](#). And we're [tracking the state's coronavirus hospitalizations by county](#).

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1. Details of Newsom's budget

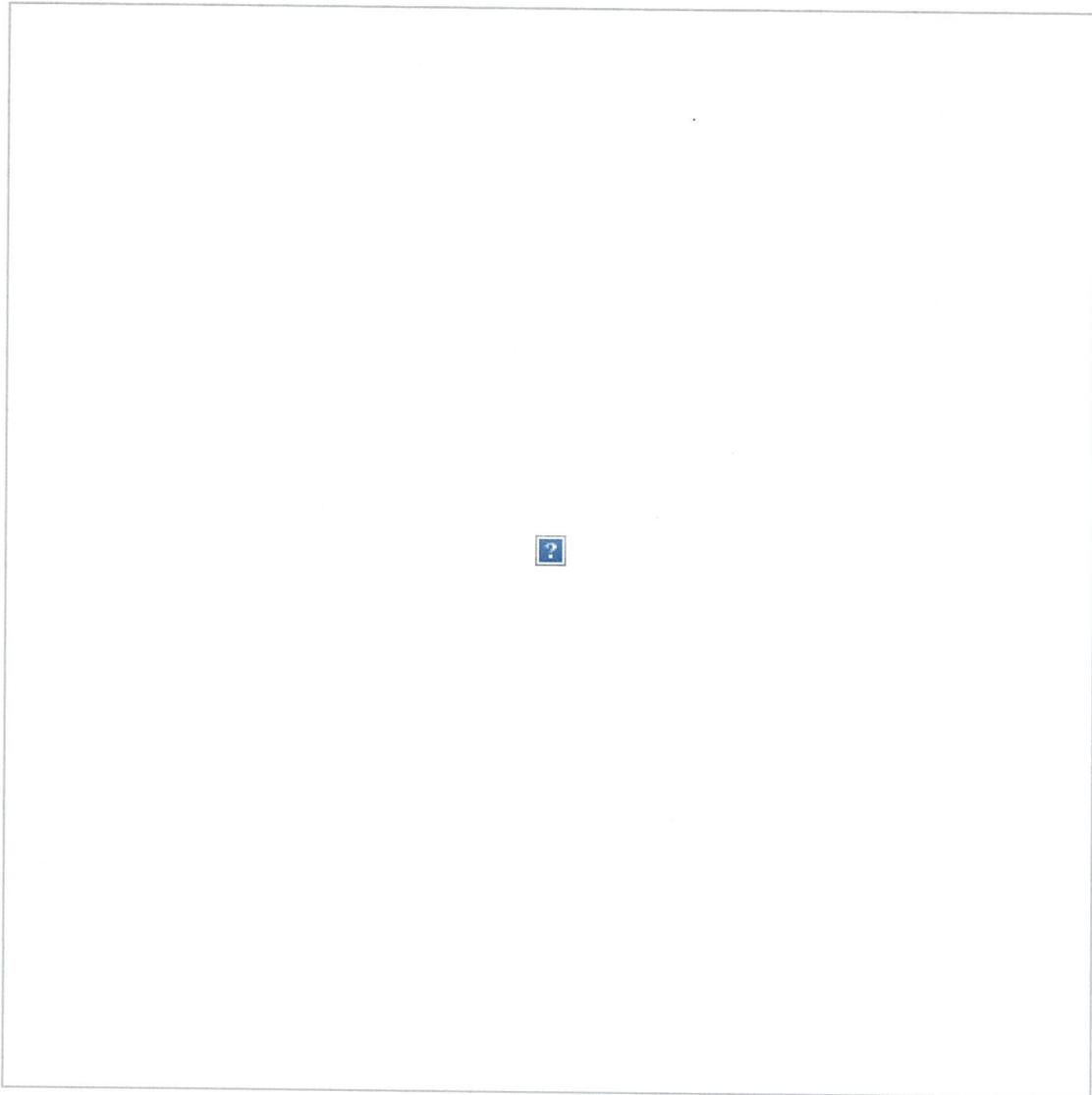


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Here's a closer look at Newsom's [proposed 2021-22 budget](#), which at \$227 billion is the largest in state history. This is primarily due to [the gains posted by the state's top earners amid the pandemic](#), which were so high that the state could issue taxpayer rebates of about \$1.70 per person next year, [CalMatters' Ben Christopher reports](#). But it's a one-time surplus, meaning it will be difficult for Newsom or the Legislature to introduce permanent new programs or expand existing ones without raising taxes on the wealthy — something Newsom [said](#) is “not part of the conversation.”

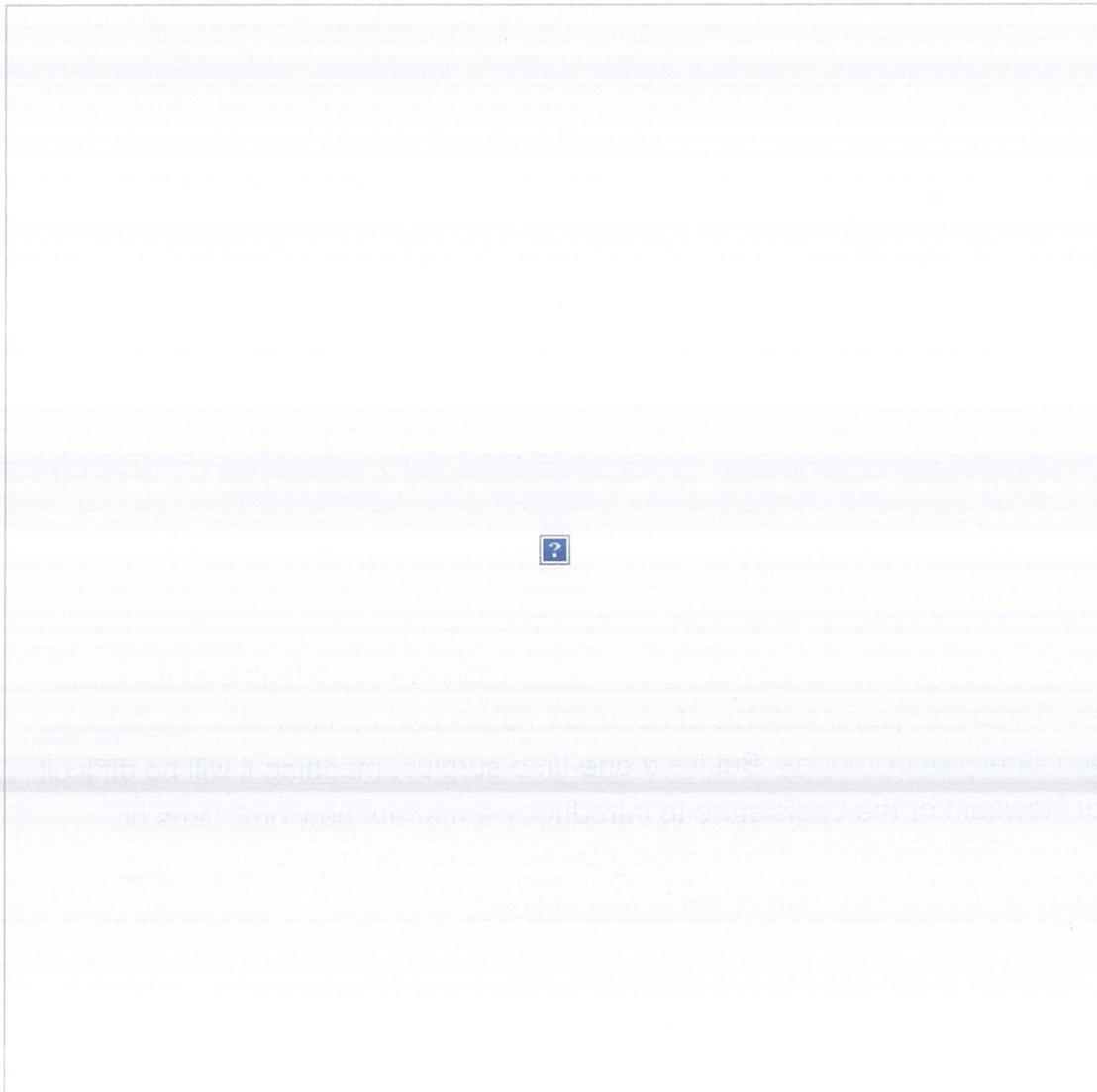
In addition to the early-action proposals above and Newsom's [\\$4.5 billion economic recovery plan](#), the budget includes:

- **Around \$90 billion** for schools — the most in state history.

- **\$34 billion** in budget reserves.
- **\$1.75 billion** to expand [Project Homekey](#), Newsom’s effort to permanently house homeless Californians in motels.
- **\$1 billion** for wildfire and forest resilience.
- **\$786 million** for the University of California and California State University, with plans to keep tuition and fees flat in 2021-22.
- **\$500 million** for low-income housing tax credits.
- **\$372 million** to accelerate vaccine distribution.
- **\$300 million** to clean up toxic sites.

Notably absent from the budget: a proposal to expand Medi-Cal to undocumented seniors and increased investment in child care.

2. How many legislators are like you?



Assemblymember Lorena Gonzalez speaks on the floor on Aug. 31, 2020.
Photo by Anne Wernikoff for CalMatters

With the state Legislature returning to Sacramento today, it's the perfect time to find out how many lawmakers share your demographics [via CalMatters' interactive tool](#). Spoiler alert: If you're a woman, if you aren't white, if you make less than six figures and if your name isn't Bob, Jim, Kevin or Steve, odds aren't there aren't very many. Although California is among the most diverse states in the nation, that diversity isn't quite reflected in the state's halls of power — though it's getting closer.

Here are some [quick facts](#) about California's 119 legislators:

- Their average age is 52.
- 41% are straight white men.
- 19 are Latina — a record high.
- 13 were born outside the United States.
- 8 identify as gay, lesbian, bisexual or queer.

3. Tech glitches plague vaccine rollout



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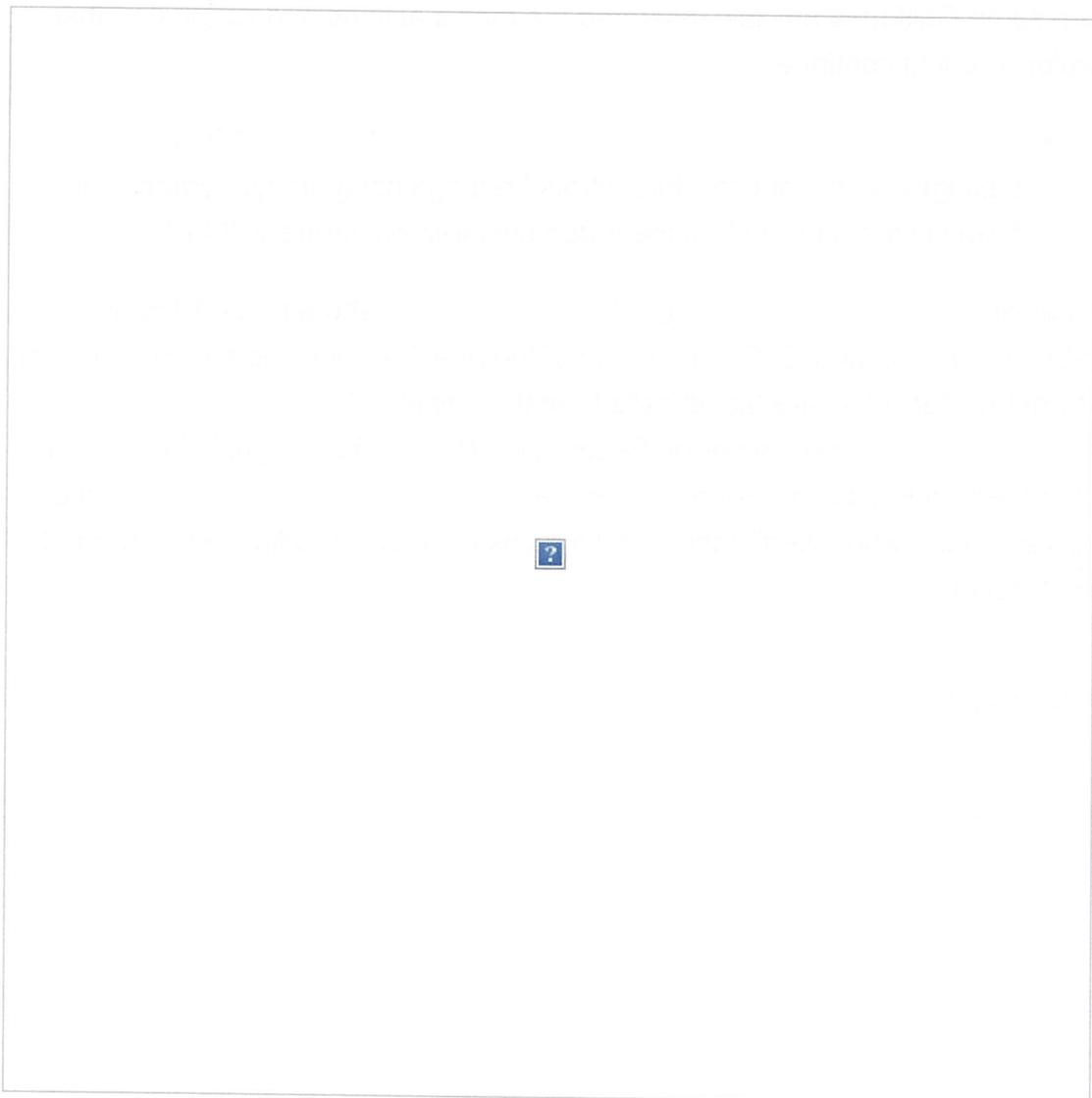
California’s sluggish vaccine rollout is partly due to technical problems with the software program the state is using to coordinate distribution — [the latest tech glitch](#) to impede the Golden State’s pandemic response. The system, PrepMod, has limited providers’ ability to access vaccine registry waitlists and monitor inventory, [the Los Angeles Times reports](#) — potentially complicating [the state’s goal](#) of vaccinating 1 million people within 10 days. (In the [past month](#), California has [administered around 734,000 doses](#) of the 2.2 million doses it’s received.) The state Department of Public Health [described](#) PrepMod as an “interim solution” and said it is working on developing new systems.

The news comes at an especially critical moment in the pandemic. California reported a record [695 deaths from the virus](#) on Saturday as [hospitalizations](#)

[skyrocketed](#) to nearly 27,000, with nearly 5,000 patients requiring intensive care. California hospitals on Friday begged state officials to loosen staffing and patient discharge requirements that they say are hampering care — a move vehemently opposed by the state’s nurses union, [CalMatters’ Barbara Feder Ostrov reports](#).

- [Carmela Coyle of the California Hospital Association](#): “We find we are standing on a beach and watching a tsunami approach. Yet we are still having to deal with regulations that ... in times of crisis need to be set aside.”

4. Fallout from Capitol attack



Trump supporters rally on Jan. 6, 2021, at the Capitol in Washington. Photo by John Minchillo, AP

Reverberations of [last week's attack on the U.S. Capitol](#) are still rippling through California. In [a video](#) released Sunday, former Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger — a Republican who was born in Austria two years after World War II — compared President Donald Trump's supporters storming the Capitol to [Kristallnacht](#), a deadly Nazi attack on German Jews.

- [Schwarzenegger](#): “Growing up, I was surrounded by broken men drinking away their guilt over their participation in the most evil regime in history. ... President Trump ... sought a coup by misleading people with lies. My father and our neighbors were misled also by lies, and I know where such lies lead.”

But some California officials defended the mob's actions and suggested that violence could continue.

- [Assemblymember Randy Voepel, a Santee Republican](#): “This is Lexington and Concord. First shots fired against tyranny. Tyranny will follow in the aftermath of the Biden swear-in on January 20th.”

Meanwhile, [at least two Southern California officials](#) who attended Trump rallies in Washington, D.C. on the day of the attack — but who say they did not storm the Capitol — are facing calls to resign, as is [a Santa Clara County Republican leader](#) who wrote on Facebook, “The war has begun! Citizens take arms!” And the Oakland Police Department [has opened an investigation](#) into police officers who “liked” social media posts by a former officer who stormed the Capitol.

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CalMatters commentary

[CalMatters columnist Dan Walters](#): Is Newsom proposing immediate economic relief for businesses and low-income Californians because of genuine concern, or because he wants to stave off a growing recall movement?

Goodwin Liu for attorney general: No one is better suited to replace Xavier Becerra than Liu, a California Supreme Court justice and staunch advocate for workers, [argues Eliseo Medina of the Service Employees International Union](#).

Preserve authenticity of ethnic studies: The education establishment is attempting to dilute and redefine ethnic studies in California, [argues Roberto Cintli Rodriguez of the University of Arizona](#).

Prevent Big Tobacco from cashing in: We must protect kids by defeating Big Tobacco's attempt to overturn California's flavored-tobacco ban, [writes Monica Caffey of the San Bernardino Behavioral Health Commission](#).

Other things worth your time

A day before Capitol attack, pro-Trump crowd stormed government building, threatened officials in rural California. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

Capitol attack gave California students a real-life history lesson. // [CalMatters](#)

San Diegan Ashli Babbitt's journey from Capitol 'guardian' to invader. // [Washington Post](#)

As California is desperate for health care workers, Newsom's volunteer corps dwindles. // [Associated Press](#)

State argues mentally ill patients must stay put at Patton State Hospital amid outbreak. // [Orange County Register](#)

Los Angeles County to stop using Curative coronavirus test after concerns from the FDA. // [Los Angeles Times](#)

Tech unions in Silicon Valley have been rare. Here's why that's changing. // [San Francisco Chronicle](#)

Several Orange County cities ask to lower housing goals. // [Orange County Register](#)

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To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Vaccine rollout a critical test for Newsom
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 6:07:09 AM

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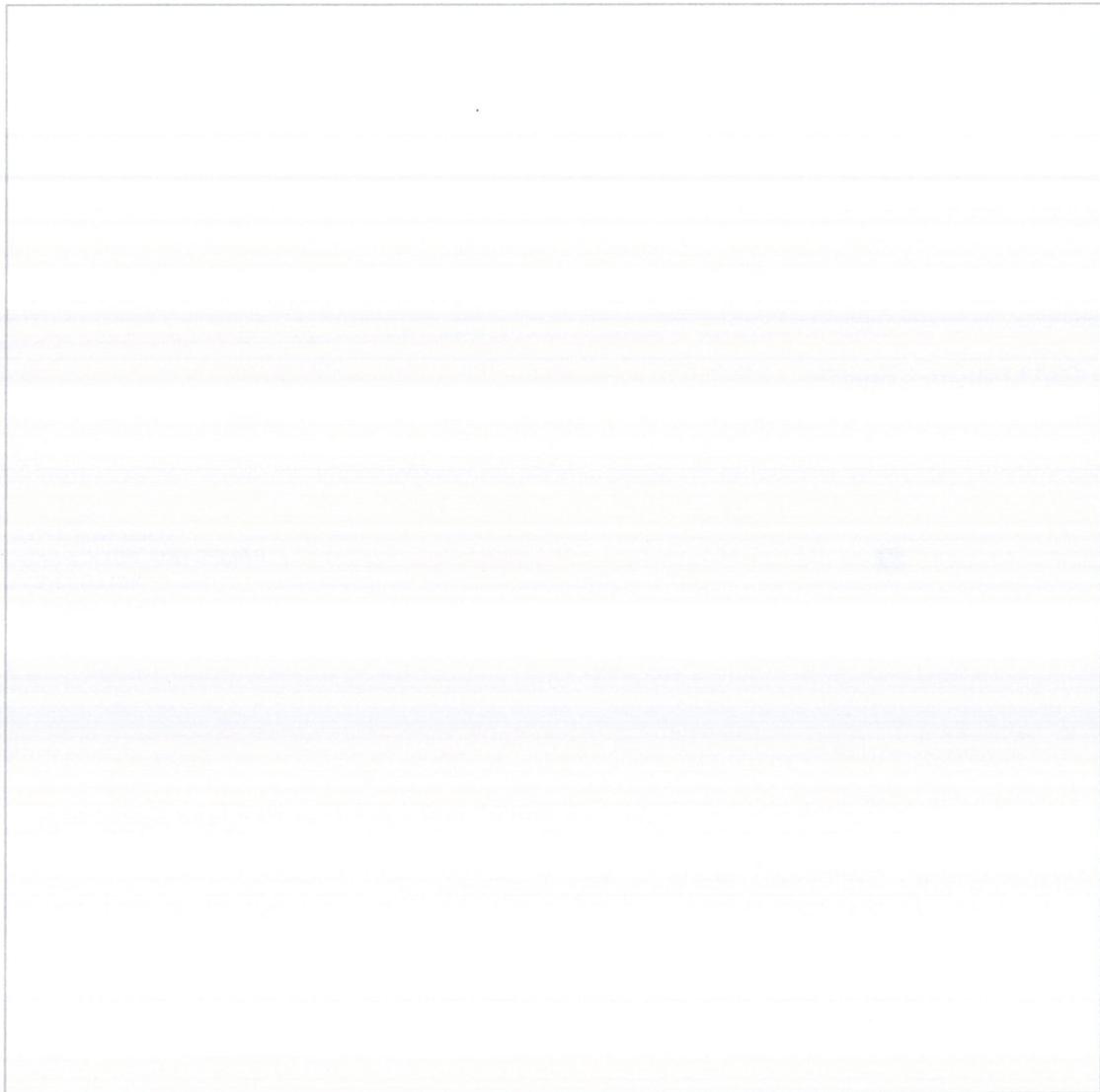
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YOUR GUIDE TO
CALIFORNIA POLICY AND
POLITICS BY
EMILY HOEVEN

Presented by California Biotechnology Foundation and California Teachers Association

Good morning, California. It's Tuesday, January 12.

Only 27% of doses used



Registered Nurse Matthew Brenner receives a COVID-19 vaccine from Registered Nurse Kathy Ferris at the Contra Costa Regional Medical Center on Dec. 15, 2020. Photo by Jane Tyska, Bay Area News Group

Gov. Gavin Newsom has a lot of political capital riding on his goal of [vaccinating 1 million additional Californians](#) by this weekend.

Apart from school reopenings, no issue looms larger for Newsom's [third year in office](#) — and his ability to fend off a growing recall movement — than the rollout of the coronavirus vaccine, which has so far been plagued with [logistical](#) and [technical problems](#). Only [eight states](#) have administered fewer doses per capita than California, which as of Sunday had [administered](#) only 27% of its nearly 3 million doses — a decline from [the 35% rate](#) the state notched last week.

- **Newsom in a Monday press conference:** “We recognize that the current strategy is not going to get us to where we need to go as quickly as we all need to go.”

To help pick up the pace, [Disneyland Resort in Anaheim](#), [Dodgers Stadium in Los Angeles](#), [Petco Park in San Diego](#) and [Cal Expo in Sacramento](#) are being converted into vaccination sites for frontline workers and, eventually, the general public. The state also recently [loosened its vaccination guidelines](#) to ensure that doses don't go to waste if [refused by high-priority groups](#). The guidelines — developed by [numerous working groups](#) — were intended to prevent well-connected Californians from accessing the vaccine before those in need.

But former Assembly Speaker and San Francisco Mayor Willie Brown argued in [a recent San Francisco Chronicle column](#) that the state should be administering the vaccine to as many people as possible.

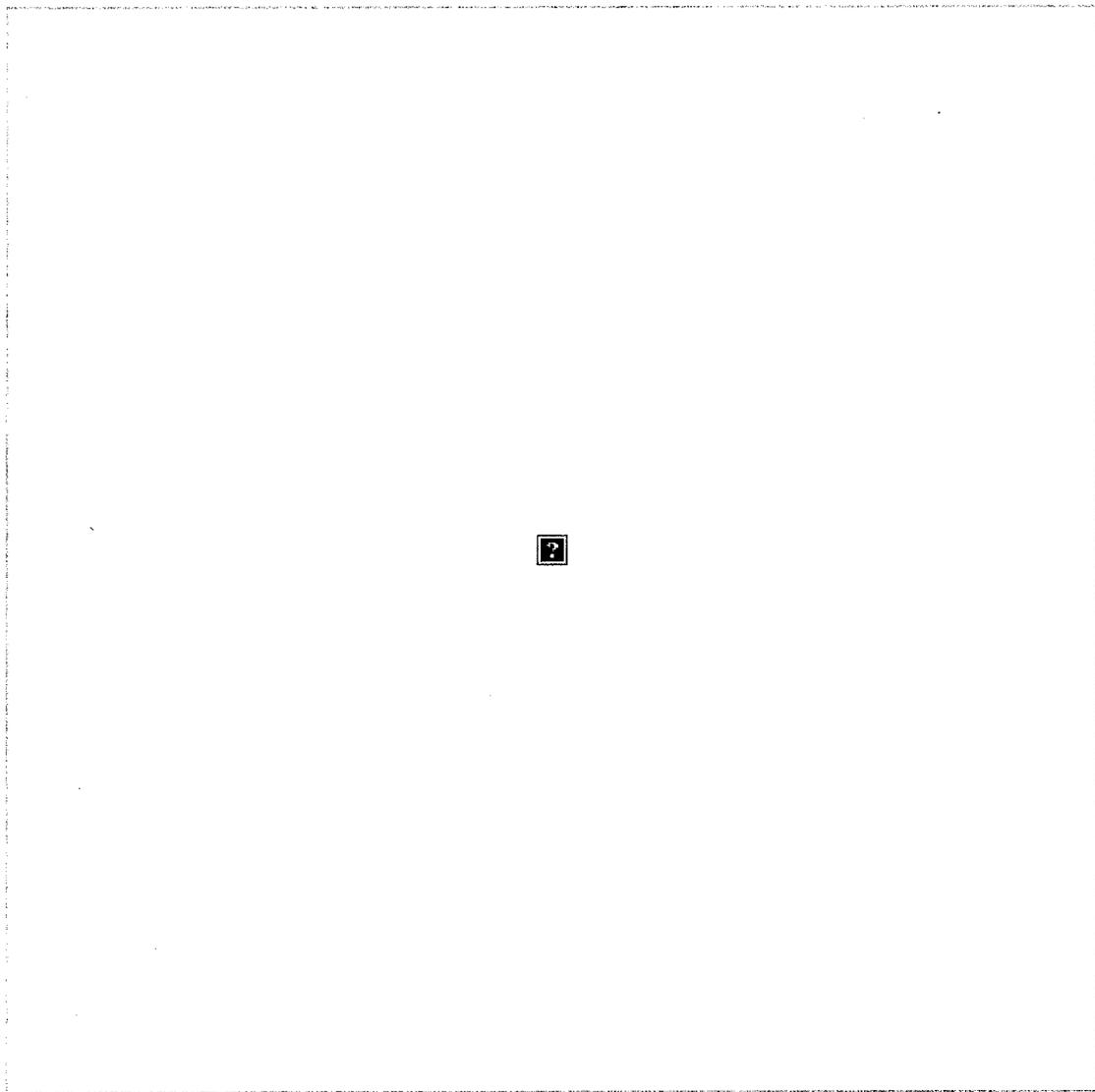
- **Brown:** “It would be for everyone — no Phase 1A, Phase 1B and other confusing classification categories. And Gov. Gavin Newsom: Such a program would end the recall talk overnight.”

In other coronavirus news, [hospitalizations and intensive-care admissions](#) are beginning to level off — “a point of some optimism” Newsom attributed to the regional stay-at-home orders. And, in a signal 2021 will be no less chaotic than 2020, [two gorillas at a San Diego Zoo park](#) have tested positive for COVID-19.

The coronavirus bottom line: As of Monday, California had **2,710,801** confirmed cases (**+1.5% from previous day**) and **29,965** deaths (**+0.9% from previous day**), according to [a CalMatters tracker](#).

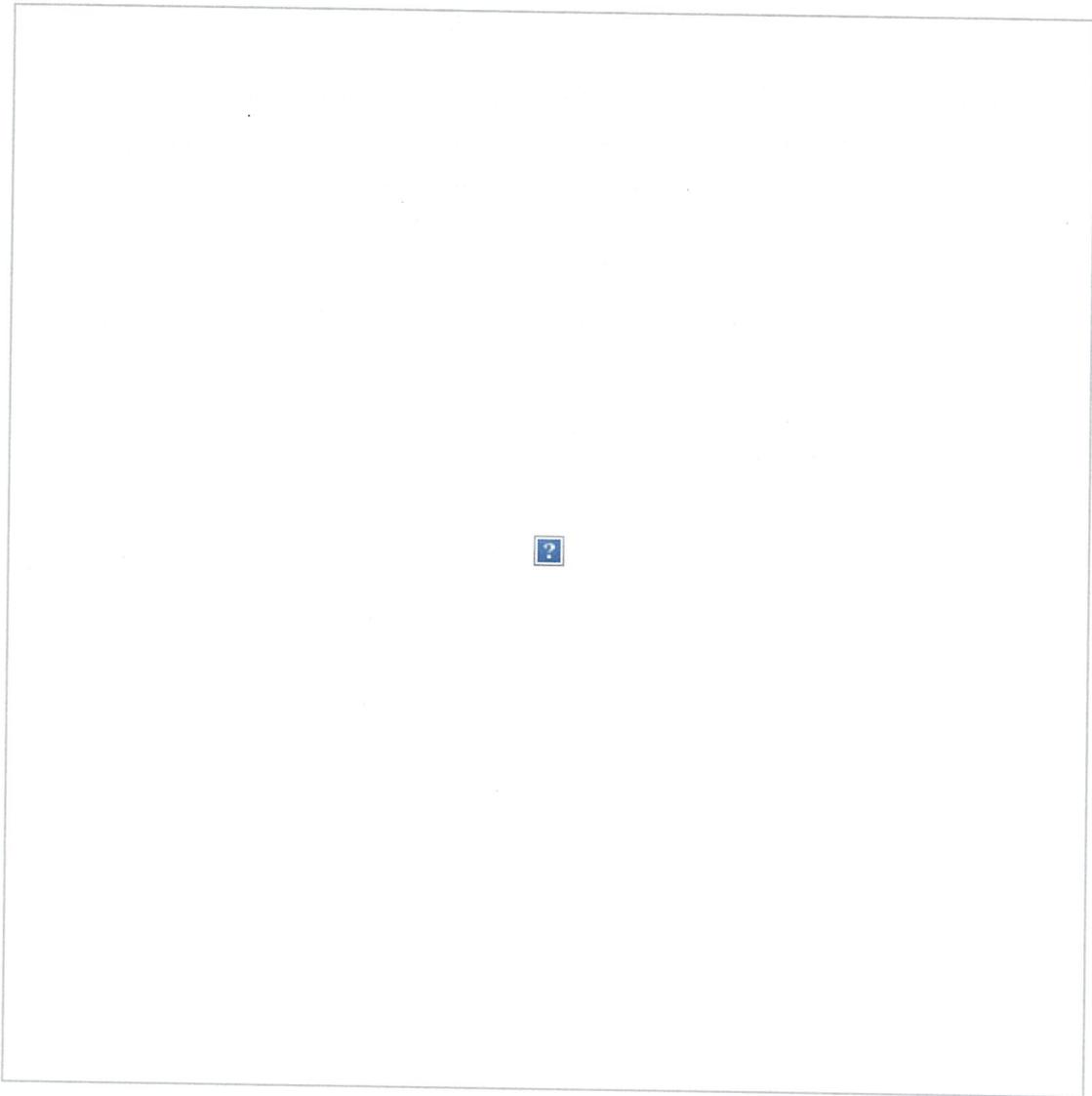
Also: CalMatters regularly updates this pandemic timeline tracking the [state's daily actions](#). And we're [tracking the state's coronavirus hospitalizations by county](#).

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Other stories you should know

- 1. Newsom's school reopening plan criticized**



Teacher Kylie Shannon answers student questions at Sunnyvale Christian School on Aug. 27, 2020. Photo by Randy Vazquez, Bay Area News Group

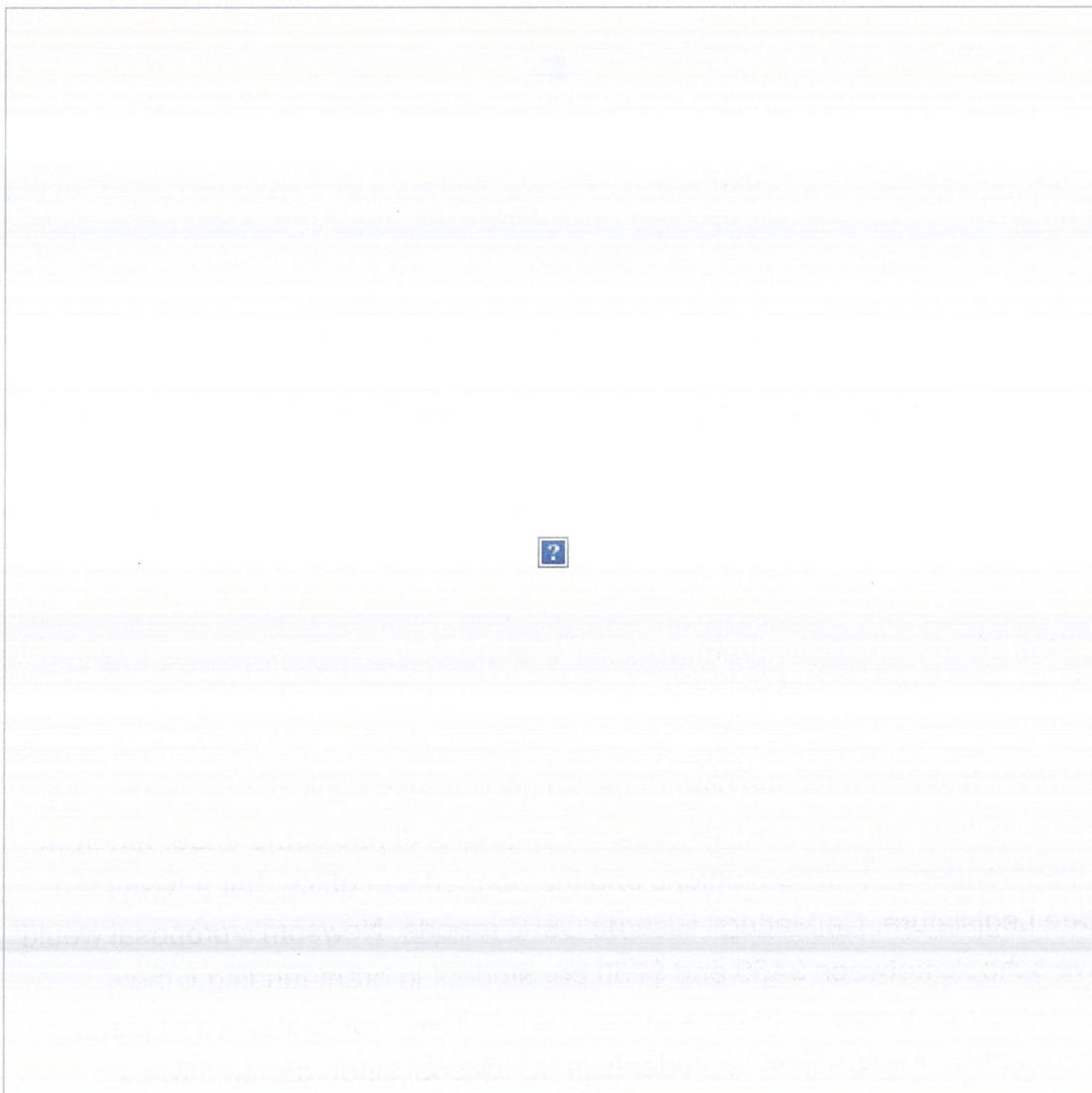
Newsom has an ambitious plan to get some students back into the classroom as early as next month — but his \$2 billion proposal has come under fire from superintendents, teachers unions and the nonpartisan office that advises the state Legislature, [CalMatters' Ricardo Cano reports](#). Newsom's proposal would give schools between \$450 and \$750 per student in grant funding if they submit reopening plans to the state by Feb. 1. They would then be required to offer in-person instruction to students in transitional kindergarten through second grade by Feb. 16 and to third- through sixth-graders by March 15. But critics say the plan fails to set a statewide standard for safe reopening and shuts out many of the state's largest districts — generally located in harder-hit communities — from receiving grant money. And [the independent Legislative](#)

[Analyst's Office](#) said the “proposal sets unfeasible time lines.”

If there was any remaining doubt that school reopenings would be [one of the biggest political battles this year](#), the California Teachers Federation called Monday for a four-week shutdown of in-person instruction.

- [CFT President Jeff Freitas](#): “We cannot put our own lives, the lives of our students and our communities at risk during what is clearly an escalating crisis in our state.”

2. Assembly calls for Trump’s removal



Assemblymember Chad Mayes wears a mask on the Assembly floor on Aug. 31, 2020. Photo by Anne Wernikoff for CalMatters

In the first vote of the [new legislative session](#), the state Assembly on Monday

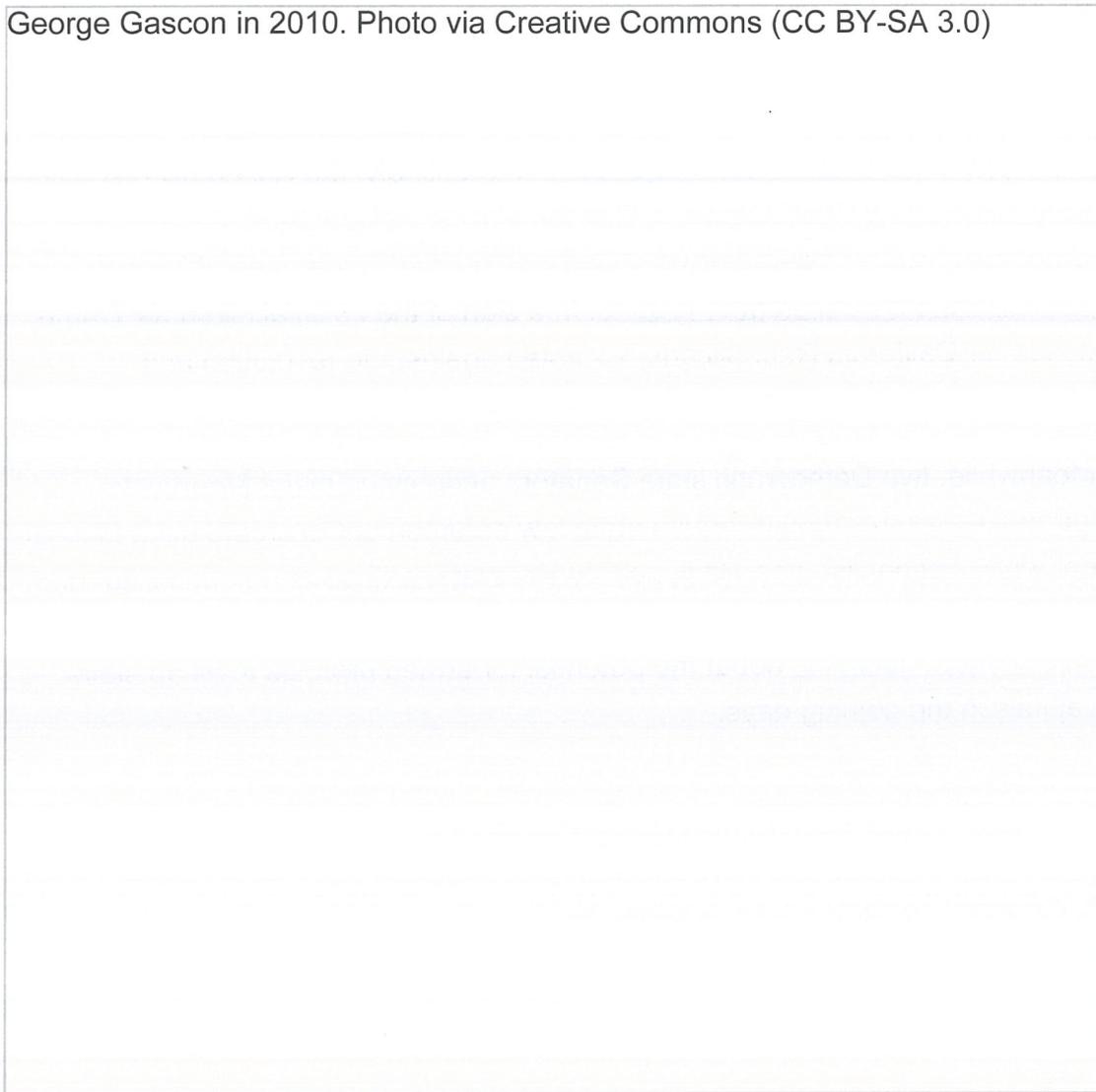
passed [a nonbinding resolution](#) calling for the removal of President Donald Trump from office — the same day House Democrats, led by Speaker Nancy Pelosi, introduced [an article of impeachment](#) against the president for inciting his supporters to [storm the U.S. Capitol](#). Interestingly, the Assembly resolution was authored by Chad Mayes, a Rancho Mirage independent [who left the GOP early last year](#) due to frustrations with his party's defense of Trump, [CalMatters' Ben Christopher reports](#). In a sign of the [political dilemma](#) Trump poses for California Republicans, six voted against the resolution and 11 abstained. All of the Democrats who were present voted to pass the resolution.

Meanwhile, two Democratic state Senators [announced plans Monday](#) to introduce bills that would require state law enforcement to create units focused on “white nationalist, neo-Nazi, neo-confederate, anti-government militia” and similar groups. The news came the same day [the FBI warned local law enforcement agencies](#) about the potential for armed protests in all 50 state capitals in the coming days.

- **Newsom:** “Everybody is on high alert ... I can assure you we have a heightened, heightened level of security.”

3. Gascón's policies take another hit

George Gascon in 2010. Photo via Creative Commons (CC BY-SA 3.0)



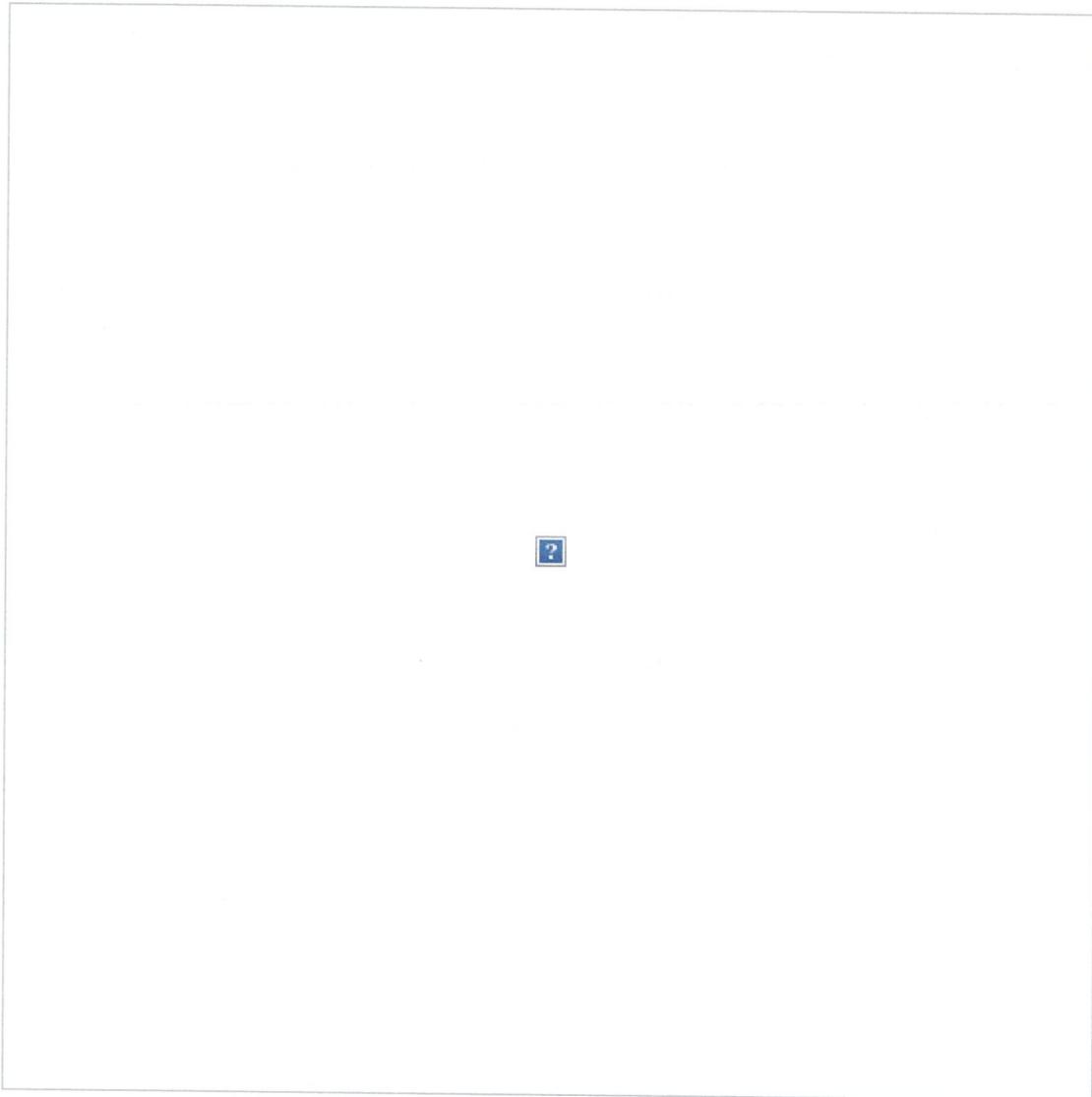
George Gascón in 2010. Photo via Creative Commons (CC BY-SA 3.0)

In the harshest rebuke yet of Los Angeles County District Attorney George Gascón's [progressive policies](#), a superior court judge [took the unprecedented step Monday](#) of giving San Diego County District Attorney Summer Stephan control over five armed robbery charges filed in Los Angeles connected to a crime spree that left two people dead. Stephan had [filed a motion](#) to allow her office to prosecute the charges instead of Gascón's due to his ban on enhancements — which, if proved, lengthen defendants' prison sentences under certain circumstances. Also Monday, Sacramento County District Attorney Anne Marie Schubert [sent a scathing letter](#) to Gascón denying him jurisdiction over crimes in her region as long as his policies remain in place.

Gascón's enhancements ban has proved so controversial that the union representing his own deputy district attorneys [sued him two weeks ago](#),

prompting Gascón to allow enhancements for hate crimes, sex trafficking, financial crimes, and elder and child abuse. The strong pushback suggests that California is [still at a crossroads](#) when it comes to the role district attorneys should play in criminal justice reform.

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Criminal justice reforms needed: It's time to reduce California's corrections budget and overturn extreme sentencing laws, [argues Jay Jordan of Californians for Safety and Justice](#).

Other things worth your time

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From: [Erik Bottema](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: We support you
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 8:15:52 AM

Jessica,

We have never met, I am the neighbor of Janet and Wayne Campfield who I believe you know through the OC Republican club and possibly the women's republican club. Just wanted to share my support of you and your cause. You have done nothing wrong, do not apologize to these people. It's like them smelling blood. Henry Bouchet has never accomplished anything productive in his life, he's a stay at home dad who needs to run a business before telling others how to run theirs. His law office is no more since he cannot be successful. He's not a true Marine otherwise he wouldn't be a millennial punk (this is coming from myself who is from the same millennial generation). I'm happy to see Cathy and Joe stood up for you. I'm going to forward you an email regarding my correspondence with Fernando who is nothing but a RINO. He only strengthens weasels like Henry with his support last night. If you need anything let me know- I'm a retired LA county sheriff and business owner.

My only advice for you is at the end I think you should have had a better final remark instead of saying I'll try to not say things on social media, etc. you should have said I have the first amendment right to free speech like Henry- but will do within my power to serve the people of Whittier in a Non partisan way during my hours working on city matters, unlike Henry does on a daily basis.

Basically, fight fire with fire. Don't let up on Henry or he will burn you in the end

Thanks
Erik Bottema
818-426-1700

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From: [Pierce Singgih](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Whittier Daily News – Quote on DC Capitol
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 12:57:21 PM

Hi Ms. Martinez,

My name is Pierce Singgih, I'm a reporter for the Whittier Daily News, filling in for Mike Sprague today. Your Twitter account indicates that you were in DC on Wednesday, Jan. 6. Can I ask to what extent were you there? And any other things you have to say about that. You can also reach me by cell at 951-375-2978.

Sincerely,

Pierce Singgih
Freelance reporter
University of Oregon, MA MMJ '22
On Twitter [@piercesinggih](#)

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From: [Apolonio Morales](#)
To: [WebMail - CCD](#); [Joe Vinatieri](#); [Henry Bouchot](#); [Cathy Warner](#); [Fernando Dutra](#)
Cc: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Whittier Latino Coaliton: Public Comment Letter Submission Regarding Councilmember Martinez" Participation in Coup Attempt - 1/12/2021
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 4:16:36 PM
Attachments: [Whittier City Council - Call for Jessica Martinez to Resign.pdf](#)

January 12, 2021

To: Mayor Joe Vinatieri, Mayor Pro Tem Henry Bouchot and Whittier City Council Members Cathy Warner and Fernando Dutra.

We write this letter to you in response to the recent coup attempt in Washington D.C. and Whittier Councilmember Jessica Martinez' participation in a day that will live in infamy.

In the past, Councilmember Martinez' racist, homophobic and Islamophobic views were deemed by Mayor Vinatieri and Councilmembers Cathy Warner and Fernando Dutra as her own personal freedom of speech and not representative of the Whittier City Council. This time however, her actions have gone too far.

We know for a fact, based on her livestream, that Councilmember Martinez flew to Washington D.C. and willingly participated in undermining our democracy. When asked what she would do to ensure a Trump win, she clearly stated she was willing to "lay her life". Her participation in the rally turned coup resulted in 5 deaths, including the death of Capitol Police Officer Brian Sicknick who was hit in the head with a fire extinguisher defending Congress from domestic terrorists. At the time of writing this letter, there are three Members of Congress who have contracted COVID-19 because they sheltered in place during the coup attempt with fellow Republicans who refused to wear masks. We have seen similar behavior with Councilmember Martinez as she too has put her own beliefs over science by refusing to wear a mask for months. We believe Councilmember Martinez' actions run counter to the spirit of our City and she must be held accountable.

For this reason, we believe that Councilmember Martinez violated the oath of office she took to uphold the constitution of the United States. Her actions have spoken louder than her words. We also call on Mayor Joe Vinatieri and the Whittier City Council to censure Councilmember Martinez and immediately remove her from her City Ad Hoc Committee assignments and City Council Appointed Organizations. We also call on Councilmember Jessica Martinez to do the right thing and resign.

Sincerely,

Angie Medina Apolonio Morales
Whittier Latino Coalition Whittier Latino Coalition

Polo Morales
apolonio.morales@gmail.com

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From: [Vikki Bouck](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Wow- you need to step down ASAP!
Date: Sunday, January 10, 2021 5:32:04 AM

If you support the capitol insurrection that happened on Wednesday- and clearly you do- you have a mental health problem that needs to be addressed ASAP. Any follower or supporter of this dangerous, malignant narcissist in our highest office clearly suffers from some sort of mental affliction. GET YOURSELF SOME HELP- NOW! You can't serve the public if you're *this unwell.

You're a sad story and your constituents regret getting you into office.

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From: [Jennifer Mitchell](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: You should be ashamed of yourself
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 3:19:45 PM

Jessica Martinez, you are an embarrassment to the city of Whittier. You've shown an utter disregard for the rule of law, and a complete lack of common sense. What kind of example are you setting for your students, your children? What happened to your degree in ethics? If you think the election was won unlawfully, how is an even more unlawful act meant to correct that? You've proven that you are unfit to be a politician. I can't believe we ever trusted you to manage our city. You can't even manage your own life.

Honestly, I hope you get arrested in DC and have to stay there. Don't come back to Whittier, we don't want you.

Sincerely,
A concerned citizen

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From: [James Reo](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Your Recent Trip to Washington Exercising Your Right to Free Speech
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 6:57:52 PM

Honorable Jessica Martinez,

I just recently learned that you traveled to Washington DC this last week to exercise your right of free speech.

Shame! How can you hide behind such a statement? You are an elected official of the City of Whittier, in the State of California, which is a city of one of the most populous states of the United States of America. There is no justification you can rationalize for your participation in this insurrection!

You need to resign now! There is no excuse for your support of these conspiracy theories that you have chosen to hide behind. A line was crossed on January 6th that can never be justified by your excuses.

Save your soul and let the nation heal - resign now!

James A. Reo
(818) 667-9538

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From: [Mary Hyde-Arnold](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: Your Seditious Activities in Our National Capitol
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 5:47:02 AM

Your recent participation in the seditious riot at our Nation's Capitol has been duly noted.

I will be filing a formal complaint against you with the appropriate governing bodies and will make certain that everyone possible is made aware of your traitorous activity.

You are a disgrace to your position and an utterly unsuitable representative for this community. I will venture to say you have, by this repugnant display, disqualified yourself from holding any public office.

You should be ashamed, Madame.

Sincerely,
Mary Hyde-Arnold

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From: [Matty Morissette via Change.org](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: [Content warning] Proud Boys
Date: Saturday, January 9, 2021 6:43:23 AM



Warning: The following contains references to violence.

Jessica — In the wake of violence and terror in Washington, DC this week, there are renewed calls to stop hate groups. One of those groups, the Proud Boys, has been instrumental in fomenting violence in DC. Petition starter Matty believes it's time to declare the Proud Boys a terrorist organization. They've rallied over 250,000 supporters on this petition, as President-elect Joe Biden prepares to take office. Matty hopes to send a loud message that the Proud Boys should be labeled a terrorist organization.



Declare the “Proud Boys” a Terrorist Organization.



192,492 have signed Matty Morissette's petition. Let's get to 200,000!



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The Proud Boys, a radical, dangerous, racist, transphobic group were called to arms by President

Trump to “Stand Back and Stand By” during the first Presidential political debate of 2020 on 9/29/2020. This was a call for National Terrorism. Within an hour this group had the slogan printed and were thrilled to be given direction by their leader. This vile group must be declared a Terrorist Organization before more deaths occur. Below is a history of the organization:

The Proud Boys was formed in 2016 by VICE Media co-founder, Gavin McInnes. In an op-ed in the far-right outlet Taki’s Magazine—notorious for its regular contributors, which included white supremacist Jared Taylor—McInnes announced the foundation of the group, describing its members as “Western chauvinists who refuse to apologise [sic] for creating the modern world,” and who “long for the days when ‘girls were girls and men were men.’” According to McInnes, the Proud Boys, whose name is taken from a song in the musical Aladdin, are a response and opposition to “politically correct culture.” McInnes’ orders were “We need more violence from the Trump supporters. Choke a bitch. Choke a tranny. Get your fingers around the windpipe. Get a gun.”

During the last three years, the Proud Boys have established themselves as a dominant force within the alt lite. Easily recognizable, thanks to their black and yellow Fred Perry polo shirts and red Make America Great Again baseball caps, members are regulars at far-right demonstrations and Trump rallies. After several years of forging alliances with members of the

Republican political establishment, the Proud Boys have carved out a niche for themselves as both a right-wing fight club and a volunteer security force for the GOP. Despite their associations with mainstream politicians, Proud Boys' actions and statements repeatedly land them in the company of white supremacists and right-wing extremists. Jason Kessler, the primary organizer of the deadly 2017 Unite the Right Rally in Charlottesville, is a former Proud Boy. Several members attended the violent August 12, 2017 demonstration that ended in the death of counter-protestor Heather Heyer.

During an October 2018 brawl outside the Metropolitan Republican Club in Manhattan, for which two Proud Boys members were convicted and sentenced to substantial prison terms, and seven others pled guilty, the Proud Boys were joined by the 211 Bootboys, an ultra-nationalist and violent skinhead gang based in New York City. In October 2019, members of the Denver chapter of the Proud Boys marched with members of Patriot Front and former members of the now-defunct neo-Nazi group Traditionalist Worker Party. These relationships show the Proud Boys to be less a pro-western drinking club and more an extreme, right-wing gang. Ideologically, members subscribe to a scattershot array of libertarian and nationalist tropes, referring to themselves as anti-communist and anti-political correctness.

Please sign so we can let our government know we will not stand for such injustice!

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From: [Ahern1348 Ahern](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: last nights council meeting
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 10:14:16 AM

Dear Councilwoman Martinez, my name is Brian Ahern, I live in Bouchot district. I am very happy the council failed to censor yourself.

Although I am a supporter of President Trump, he had lost this past election, as did Clinton the election before. Even though it was fine for her to call names and broadcast I am in the "RESISTANCE ", President Trump and his follower are considered the unAmerican folk.

You going and doing whatever as a private citizen is your privilege as an American Citizen. I do ask that since the city has been working on grants to help our local businesses.

Perchance a small thing to help individuals households would be to temporary eliminate the water meter fee on the utility bill. It would only be about \$80 every 2 months but a little may help a lot.

Since that fee Is not part of the city budget, but a stand alone budget for water infrastructure, and most projects are shutdown. Leave the fee money in the citizens pocket, not the banks. wishing you the best.

Sincerely

Brian Ahern (818-714-4407)
5817 Rockne ave
Whittier 90606

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From: [L Perez](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: request for comment CBS 2 & KCAL 9
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 7:40:47 PM

Hi Councilmember Martinez - -

I am following along tonight and see the motion to censure you set to be heard at the end of the meeting. Can we get a comment tonight or, better yet, a zoom interview with you about this?

Can you clarify whether or not you were at the rally at the Capitol?

If so, did you enter the building?

If not, will you share with us where you were instead?

What's your reaction to this effort to censure you?

Thanks very much.

Laurie Perez

Reporter

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From: [raul cuevas](#)
To: [Jessica Martinez](#)
Subject: statement
Date: Friday, January 8, 2021 1:49:03 PM

will you be making a statement to defend yourself or to defend yourself you're all over social media if you made one already let me know where it's at so I could share

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From: [Jessica Martinez](#)
To: [Trina Miller](#)
Cc: [Isabel Haro](#)
Subject: Re: A Caller
Date: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 1:14:33 PM

Thank you so much Trina!!!!

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From: Trina Miller <tmiller@cityofwhittier.org>
Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 12:13:35 PM
To: Jessica Martinez <jmartinez@cityofwhittier.org>
Cc: Isabel Haro <iharo@cityofwhittier.org>
Subject: A Caller

Hi Jessica!

I took a call from Joseph Panz....(the rest of his name was cutoff on the screen and he just told me, "Joe") who resides in Baldwin Park. He heard about you on the news last night. He wanted you to know that he supports you, commends/praises you for going to the rally and supporting Trump. You did nothing wrong and he felt it was ludicrous that you had to defend yourself against your colleagues. He did leave his phone number:

818-281-7244



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Jessica Martinez @JessicaFor57th · Jan 10

God bless you who have supported and encouraged me.



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Jessica Martinez @JessicaFor57th · Jan 8

He could have called me to verify any rumors but instead made a political calculation to serve the special interests he is beholden to by slandering me.

I work for the people of Council District One and am committed to them.

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Jessica Martinez @JessicaFor57th · Jan 8

Councilmember Bouchot did not bother to learn the facts and instead recklessly slandered me to our community with lies and insinuations that I participated in the "mayhem."

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Jessica Martinez @JessicaFor57th · Jan 8

I was elsewhere in Washington D.C. exercising my constitutional right of free speech at a rally and immediately began heading home after it concluded.

 **Jessica Martinez** @JessicaFor57th · Jan 8

Yes actually. Thank you for helping me spread this information to your followers. It may help them.
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 **Jessica Martinez** @JessicaFor57th · Jan 7

Some have a short memory. We are still witnessing antifa riots, occupations and arson but not a peep from the left decrying that. Didn't antifa occupy senate chambers not long ago? I don't remember any talk about heinous actions then.

 **Lauren Anderson** @laurnanderson · Jan 7

Whittier friends who voted for Jessica Martínez are complicit in this heinous siege on American democracy and blatant disrespect to the livelihoods of Black and Brown people. Shame on @JessicaFor57th, and anyone who continues to affiliate themselves with Trump and the GOP
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Once again you only hear what u want to hear and u don't even know the color of my skin GTFOH

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Don't speak for the entire city we don't ALL feel that way. We needed someone like her that has an actual backbone. Let me guess you were ok with BLM living at city hall 🙄🙄

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Has Las Vegas paid out the bet on who will be the next president?

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It's how they roll. I had an event at a well known restaurant. A year later, the owner was harrassed and interrogated by elected dem officials. He was made to show proof that he hadn't given me money, just the use of one of his rooms. They bullied him.

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