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COUNCILMAN, THIRD DISTRICT

THE ZINE LINE

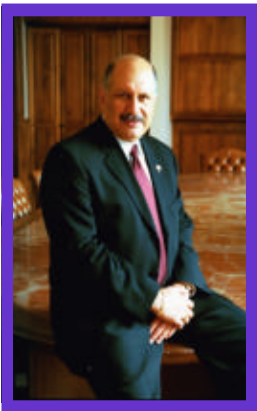
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ZINE Stands FIRM Against 101 Freeway Preferred Strategy!



Dear Friends,

Thank you for your correspondence regarding the 101 Freeway corridor. Earlier this month, the "Preferred Strategy" was announced. It called for widening the 101 Freeway to add two carpool lanes in each direction (four total) from Route 23 to Route 134 in Studio City at a cost of \$3.6 billion. In doing so, it would require the destruction of up to 800 homes, 250 businesses

and numerous schools, churches and parkland along the freeway - as well as tearing down the new sound walls, many of which are still being built today.

At a community meeting held on May 12, I vehemently opposed this strategy for the following reasons:

- This strategy does not come close to what my constituents and other valley residents have expressed at community meetings.
- It has already been stated that by the time the carpool lanes are constructed, perhaps some twenty years from now, we will be facing the same traffic congestion

and gridlock we are facing today.

- Stopping improvements at the 134, 170, 101 interchange will create a severe bottleneck.
- Condemnation of so many homes and businesses for something that will not solve our traffic problems is not something I can in good conscience support.

I still oppose the plan. Workers spend more time in gridlock commuting to work than they do on vacation during the year. A broken transit system creates undo stress on drivers, employers, workers and families. It must be solved. However, a segmented project by project solu-

tion such as this study proposes is not the answer. I can only see the problem being solved on a regional level stretching from county line to county line and incorporating all modes of both public and private transportation. I hope you join me in this vision.

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WANTED
\$25,000 REWARD



The Los Angeles City Council has approved a reward for anyone who provides information leading to the arrest and conviction of this dangerous sexual assault predator.

The suspect is described as a male Latino, 5'6" to 5'9", 190-210 pounds, and 20-29 years of age. He has a chubby build and has been described as having a moustache and goatee. He is bilingual and speaks English without an accent. The suspect was seen in one incident driving a red, older model Chevrolet S-10 Blazer with a tire mounted on the rear with a black cover.

The suspect has been targeting lone females in the western Valley area since January 2001. The suspect has forced some of his victims into a vehicle and driven them to a secondary location; others were kidnapped off of the sidewalk and walked to a secluded area. In one incident the suspect entered a residence.

Anyone with information is urged to contact:

Day: Det. Antenucci or Det. Alviani

Robbery-Homicide Division, Rape Special Section, 818-756-8309

Night: Detective Information Desk, 877-LAWFULL (877-529-3855)

CITY COUNCIL OVERRIDES MAYOR'S BUDGET VETO

I have been asked about my reasoning for overriding the Mayor's budget proposal for hiring more police officers.

Let me begin by saying that it is of utmost importance to me that our city be a safe place to live, work and raise our children. I would do nothing to jeopardize the safety of our city.

Having said this, let me explain the rationale behind my decision. The LAPD is expanding more than ever before. Attrition is down and resignations and terminations have slowed from hundreds to just a few. Retirements have fallen from a high of 350-400 to approximately 130 a year.

I did not vote to postpone hiring police officers. The 2003-2004 budget that the City Council approved will allow LAPD to continue to hire officers at a rate of 66 a month, for the next seven months. This is 400 officers and an increase over the Mayor's proposed rate of 60 officers a month.

The budget approved by the City Council also:

- Maintains the Mayor's proposed overtime salary level for LAPD - a \$3.4 million increase over last year.
- Provides funding for the LAPD Valley Dispatch Center, which was not funded in the Mayor's proposed budget.
- Provides additional funding for the City Attorney's office to prosecute misdemeanor crimes.
- Provides an additional \$939,000 to address the backlog in DNA lab analysis.
- Provides funding for the Los Angeles Fire Department to implement year 3 of the five-year Emergency Medical Services Deployment Plan, providing additional firefighters & paramedics to local fire stations.
- Provides 12 month funding for 18 LAPD Lieutenant positions to implement the Department's Gang Impact Teams, already approved by the City Council's Public Safety Committee.

I believe that I had no choice but to act in a prudent manner. With the uncertainty of the state's budget and how it will affect Los Angeles, in all good conscience, it is best to wait until we have a clearer picture of where we stand fiscally before we spend money we may not ever see.

I am confident that the Mayor and the City Council can and will move forward, working together for the betterment of our city.



NEWS FROM

COUNCILMAN DENNIS P. ZINE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 2003

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ONCE A COP....

ZINE CITES HOME DEPOT FOR NOT SECURING GRAFFITTI SPRAY PAINT CANS

CITY ATTORNEY, BUILDING & SAFETY FILE CHARGES AGAINST RETAIL GIANT

Once a cop, always a cop. So it seems with cop-turned-Council member Dennis P. Zine who has just caused retail giant Home Depot to be cited for violating city law.

"Whether it's an individual or a huge corporation, no one is exempt from maintaining our quality-of-life," stated Council member Zine.

City Attorney Rocky Delgadillo has issued a complaint citing nine counts in the Superior Court of Los Angeles against Home Depot USA. (Case #3PN02805 Misdemeanor Complaint).

"If we are serious about eradicating the scourge of graffiti blight in our neighborhoods, then we must attack the problem at the source," said Delgadillo.

"Thanks to Councilman Zine's sharp eye and quick action, we are sending a clear message that all neighborhood stakeholders - including corporations - need to be active partners in crime prevention," added Delgadillo, "the City's spray paint ordinance is there to protect our neighborhoods. My office will hold all violators accountable," Delgadillo said.

The case was filed this morning in Van Nuys Superior Court, Division 101. Arraignment is scheduled for July 9. The City attorney filed nine separate misdemeanors, each punishable by a maximum of six months in jail and a \$1,000 fine.

Home Depot is being charged with not securing its spray paint display as required by ordinance to prevent the sale of spray paint cans and markers to minors bent on destroying public and private property with illegal graffiti.

According to Zine, Home Depot has been the subject of past warnings over the last six months and received a letter from the Council member warning the company of the violations. This latest incident occurred on May 29, 2003 when Zine went shopping.

“When I just happened to walk into the Home Depot at Variel Avenue to shop as always I checked the spray can case,” said the 33 year LAPD veteran, “and what did I see but an open, publicly accessible spray paint display without a single employee in the vicinity to monitor it.”

Zine quickly contacted Building and Safety (Code Enforcement Bureau) Senior Inspector Frank Bush, who rushed to the store, interviewed the store manger and issued a citation.

Prior inspections by Building and Safety inspectors in December, 2002 and January 2003 found the same violations in Home Depot outlets at 21818 Roscoe Boulevard, 16800 Roscoe Boulevard and now the store at 6345 Variel Avenue.

In another crime-busting incident on May 31, Zine, who is also an active LAPD Reserve Officer, observed a man in his district illegally posting signs on public property advertising an illegal sale of clothing in a vacant lot.

The Simi Valley resident had the law explained to him and he signed and accepted the Notice to Appear.

“I organized my P.O.S.S.E. to train residents to stop violations of the quality-of-life in the district,” said Zine, “so when I saw this man at Sherman Way putting signs on city light poles I confronted him and detained him until Building And Safety Inspectors arrived to photograph the crime and issue a citation.”

Zine’s People Organized for a Safe, Secure Environment (P.O.S.S.E.) has trained 125 people to monitor and report quality-of-life crimes.

Concluded Zine, “All of us have to be diligent in being the eyes and ears of the police and the city agencies that are dedicated to keeping the city clean and safe.”

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You are cordially invited to meet

DENNIS P. ZINE

Los Angeles City Councilman, Third District



Please join us

Councilman Dennis P. Zine & Staff

Saturday, June 28, 2003

at

Whole Foods Market

21347 Ventura Blvd., at Canoga Avenue

Woodland Hills, CA 91367

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Councilman Zine lives and works by the following philosophy – “UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY.” Through community involvement and meaningful dialogue we can make our neighborhood a cleaner, safer place to live and work.

For more information, please call my District Office at (818) 756-8848.

The Wireless Race to the Rooftops?

By Marianne King, Planning Associate

A proposed citywide ordinance has been introduced to allow wireless telecommunication facilities (WTF's), which are antennas and accessory apparatus used mainly for cell phone service, to be allowed "by right" on the rooftops in all of our commercial and industrial zones. Presently all WTF applicants have to apply for a conditional use permit with the exception of some industrial zones that do have the "by right" use. A "by right" status means that it is an allowed land use for that zone, therefore public notices and public hearings are not required as long as applicable requirements are satisfied. In this case, design, height and rooftop coverage of WTF's come into play.

Councilman Zine expressed his concerns and recommendations for changes with the proposed ordinance on May 8th before the City Planning Commission. He will continue to do so as it comes before the Planning and Land Use Management Committee and, thereafter, to the City Council.

His concern, in brief, is that it's not all about design, as the proposed ordinance would lead one to believe.

He wants to ensure that the city receives sufficient information which would reveal (1) that there is a measurable significant need for a proposed WTF, (2) that effort has been made to co-locate the WTF, (3) that the

radio frequency emission of the WTF and cumulative emissions within a given radius does not exceed Federal Standards, and (4) that WTF's do not interfere with the city's emergency service systems.

What the Councilman is asking for is no different than what other cities presently require and receive, even on a conditional use basis. In short, additional information, oversight, and provisions to deal with problematic issues are the prudent steps he wants to see implemented *before* allowing this "by right" status. We will update you as this issue moves forward.

311

Make One Call To City Hall

Residents may access information and any non-emergency service 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The 311 call center is equipped to serve the hearing impaired and information in more than 150 languages.

Zine At Nine

Join Councilman Zine

At Nine on Live Call In Program

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TO PROTECT, TO PRESERVE AND TO PROVIDE

Planning and Land Use Issues in the Community

By Tom Henry, Planning Deputy

Zine Saves Dirt Mulholland!

In April, Councilman Zine discovered that the Department of Public Works had plans to pave Mulholland Drive from Saltillo Street to Santa Maria Road: a stretch of road fondly known as “Dirt Mulholland” to many people in the community. Further, it was found out that the paving was going to take place the following week.

Quickly, the Councilman dispatched his staff to find out how this got on the Public Works agenda. It was discovered that it was part of a program to pave dirt alleys and roads throughout the city. Knowing that it was in the community’s best interest to keep “Dirt Mulholland” free for hiking, other recreation, and limited auto use, Councilman Zine quickly requested that the District Engineer halt all plans to pave this scenic stretch.

We are now in the process of working with the Woodland Hills/Warner Center Neighborhood Council to use the funding

that was earmarked for this project to be used in other parts of Woodland Hills, particularly in the area known as the Girard Tract.

Councilman Zine is committed to keeping our hillside park areas as pristine open space for all people to enjoy.

Zine Works Out Compromise with Developer, Residents and Businesses.

After intense negotiations with residents, business owners, and the property owner/developer, a deal was struck on how best to utilize the land located at 5257 Avenida Hacienda, located just south of Ventura Boulevard in Tarzana. The property is currently in a run-down condition, but being utilized as a 76 space parking lot for the nearby businesses. However the land has been zoned for single family residential use since the 1980's.

The proposal at the initial hearing was to build 4 single family houses and provide 27 parking spaces. This did not sit well with the nearby businesses or the Tarzana Property Owners Association who correctly noted that there is a severe parking shortage in the area for residents. The case was appealed to the South Valley Area Planning Commission.

However, prior to the Commission having to make a decision, Councilman Zine intervened, worked with all parties concerned and forged an agreement to the mutual satisfaction of everyone. The project will now be 3 single family homes and 55 parking spaces. There will also be a gated private street, attractive landscaping along the perimeter of the property, and fancy iron fencing separating the parking lot from the private street.

Special acknowledgment needs to go to Kathy Delladone of the Tarzana Property Owners Association and Shawn Evenhaim, the owner of the property, for their efforts in making this project happen.

Zine reaches out to Latino Community

By Marisol Espinoza, Field Deputy
Serving the Communities of Tarzana & Winnetka

Did you know that Los Angeles is now the second largest Spanish speaking city in the world? Yes, this is true. Second only to Mexico City, and before Madrid and Barcelona, Spain, the City of Angels has now become a place where the Spanish language is flourishing. According to the 2000 United States Census figures, there are currently about 50,200 individuals of Latino descent living in Councilman Zine's district. Because of the growing population of this ethnic group within the City of Los Angeles, Councilman

Zine has made a decision to expand his POSSE training. In order to meet the concerns and emerging needs of these residents, the Council office is currently developing a POSSE training specifically for Spanish speaking constituents in the West San Fernando Valley. We are planning to invite bilingual representatives from all the City Departments in an effort to reach out to this group of constituents. It is our mission to keep the community informed on ways to better our neighborhoods, whether it be taking down illegal signs, increas-

ing public safety, or repairing those potholes. Therefore, the Councilman is seeking an inclusive and proactive system to get *all* of the community involved in the process. The only way to improve our quality of life is for all members of the community to educate themselves on city government and to learn that these departments do in fact exist. We expect this to be a great success in our community. If you know someone who might be interested in this program, please contact Marisol Espinoza at (818) 756-8848.



The Los Angeles Film Festival comes to Encino



On Wednesday, June 18th discover a new filmmaker, a new movie and a new experience at an exclusive presentation of three of the best films from the 2003 IFP Los Angeles Film Festival.

Screening at the Laemmle Town Center: Located at 17200 Ventura Blvd., Encino, between Balboa Blvd. & White Oak Avenue .

Featured Films & Times:

Frescoes 5:00pm

Some Secrets 7:15pm

Bomb the System 9:30pm

Tickets are now on sale. For tickets, more information and descriptions about the films call 1-866-Filmfest or visit



By Sheree Adams, Field Deputy
Serving the Communities of West Hills & Woodland Hills

Councilman Dennis P. Zine sponsored a booth at the [West Valley Jewish Community Center's Intergenerational Health Fair](#), held on Tuesday, May 13, 2003. I was able to meet many new constituent's and assist them with their concerns. I also had the pleasure of meeting and interacting with quite a few children from our community schools. There was something for the whole family including safety hints, finger printing ID for children, drumming for health and Tai Chi for all ages. Also, various health screenings for memory, nutrition, blood pressure, body fat testing, carotid artery, pulmonary and chiropractic were offered. Admission was free and door prizes were given. It was a fun and eventful day!



Pictured L-R : Charlotte Afriat (WVJCC), Sheree Adams, Zine's Field Deputy & Seville Poursh (WVJCC) at the WVJCC Intergenerational Health Fair.

Councilman Zine for the second year in a row had the honor of attending and being the Auctioneer at our [ONEgeneration's Annual Fashion Show Luncheon and Silent Auction](#) on Saturday, May 10, 2003 at the Woodland Hills Marriott.

Councilman Zine auctioned off one of Vanna White's dresses from Wheel of Fortune and brought in a great donation to the ONEgeneration Intergenerational Center.



Zine with Laura Chick, City Controller, at the ONEgeneration Fashion Show.

Laura Chick, City Controller, narrated the Fashion Show with great passion and was loved by all! Blue Shield of California won the Community Service Award and was represented by Lisa Rubino.

State Senator Richard Alarcon, 20th District won the Civic Leadership Award and Della Reese won the Legacy Award.

THE BEACH BUS!

Coming Monday,
June 23, 2003
with a new more
convenient route.



For more information,
please call the Office of
Councilman Dennis P. Zine
at (818) 756-8848.



Zine Gives Major Revitalization to Winnetka

By Tom Henry, Planning Deputy

Good News! Soon the eyesore vacant lot and illegal used car dealership located at 20237 Saticoy Street in the heart of Winnetka will be replaced by a fabulous new apartment building. At Councilman Zine's urging, the City Council unanimously approved the necessary zoning regulations to allow for a 95 unit apartment complex with more than 200 secure parking spaces, lush landscaping, and wonderful amenities for the residents that will live there.

This vacant lot has been a plague for both the business and residential community for years. This new complex will be a major revitalization for the

area. Working with neighbors, the developer, and with the support of the Winnetka Chamber of Commerce, Councilman Zine was able to ensure that this project will have the necessary features for quality housing and adequate protection, such as reduced building height, fencing, and room for all deliveries and passenger loading be done on site so as not to cause any adverse impact on the nearby community.

"This project will certainly enhance the quality of life for an area of Winnetka that has been long neglected," Zine said, "We will continue to work together to improve our community."

Friends of P.A.T.H. and Pierce College Theatre Arts Department presents [A Night of Cabaret](#), a fun raising event on Saturday, June 21, 2003 with a Reception at 7:30 p.m., Showtime at 8:30 p.m. Selections from American Musical Theatre Repertoire. Onstage Seating \$50 donation, General Seating \$35 donation (includes wine and cheese reception).

For Reservations and additional information, please call (818) 719-6488 or (818)703-0826.



1-800-342-5397

RESEDA CLEAN UP

By Michael Besem, District Director
Serving the communities of Reseda & Canoga Park



The community of Reseda came together for the “Celebrating a Clean Community” action day and environmental fair on May

31, 2003 co-sponsored by Councilman Dennis P. Zine and the Department of Public Works. Funded by L.A. Resource and the State Department of Conservation, the action day began with a community clean up targeting three areas of Reseda. Over a hundred community activists participated by picking up trash and debris around their neighborhood with the assistance of the Clean & Green volunteer crews from the Los Angeles Conservation Corps.

Accomplishments:

- Hundreds of bags of trash and debris were collected by the volunteers.
- Building & Safety inspectors cited multiple locations with violations.
- Sanitation removed tons of bulky items from the parkways
- Lot Cleaning Division, Bureau of Street Services removed tons of illegally dumped items from the alleys of the cleanup area.
- 850 gallons of used motor oil and one 55 gallon drum of used filters were collected and disposed of properly.
- The Reseda Neighborhood Council brought an electric leaf blower to assist with trash.



ABC Channel 7 interviews Councilman Zine at the Reseda Clean Up on Saturday, May 31st..

The clean up event culminated with a huge Environmental Resource Fair and free lunch at Reseda Park.

The Environmental Resource Fair was a success with participation from many City of Los Angeles Departments involved with conservation, environmental groups, local community groups and local elected officials. The Reseda Neighborhood Council and the Reseda Village Business Improvement District had booths at the fair to introduce the community to their activities and to invite the local residents and merchants to join their organizations.

Councilman Zine sincerely thanks all of the volunteers from the local community and organizations who participated in the event with a special acknowledgment to Iglesia Poder De Dios’s Royal Rangers, Outpost 263.

ZINE IN MOTION!

INJURY ON DUTY!

One of the City's major fiscal concerns is workers' compensation. The current fiscal year estimates the workers' compensation cost to be \$130 million. The proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2003-04 includes \$142 million in estimated workers' compensation payments.

When an employee can no longer work because of an injury, that person's work must be spread to other members of the office to complete. Staff who suffer a work-related injury or illness, and are certified off-duty, are classified as Injured On Duty (IOD). When staff are designated IOD, they are not available for work, but they receive some portion of their salary. In addition to this fiscal burden, there is a greater strain on productivity in providing service to the public. When the vacancies due to injury are combined with vacancies due to the hiring freeze, then the productivity obstacles facing the City are magnified.

In order to tackle this problem head-on it is imperative that Council request the Personnel Department to report on how to improve workplace safety to reduce injuries, review all options to return as many IOD cases to work, in any capacity, not just in their original position, and to reduce the fiscal impact to the General Fund. Personnel should seek the assistance of the following representatives: Los Angeles Police Department, Los Angeles Fire Department, CAO, Controller, City Attorney, Los Angeles Police Protective League, United Firefighters of Los Angeles, and Council District 3. This working group will be asked to review all policy issues related to IOD cases and make recommendations for immediate and future implementation.

I THEREFORE MOVE that Council request the Personnel Department, to review and make recommendations to the Personnel Committee on improving the City's Injured On Duty (IOD) policy within 60 days with the assistance of the following: Los Angeles Police Department; Los Angeles Fire Department; CAO; Personnel Department; Controller; City Attorney; Los Angeles Police Protective League; United Firefighters of Los Angeles, and the Office of the Chair of Personnel Committee.

ZINE IN MOTION!

CHILD CARE MOTION

It is a reality in today's world that children grow up in households where their parent or parents work very long hours. This reality has made quality child care a true necessity. The City has created some award-winning examples of child care centers including the Joy Picus Child Care Center in the Civic Center, yet the need for this service across the state has never been greater.

Over the past several years, various departments and agencies have attempted to improve the availability of quality child care for City employees, finding various degrees of success. In light of the current budget crisis in the City and State of California, a coordinated effort must be launched to maximize the power of every dollar committed to child care.

I THEREFORE MOVE, that the Personnel Department report to the Personnel Committee within 20 days on the current and relevant past efforts to create work-site or regional child care facilities for City workers.

I FURTHER MOVE, that this report be created in cooperation with the: Chief Legislative Analyst; City Administrative Officers; the Commission for Children, Youth and Their Families; Commission on the Status of Women; the various employee unions; and any specialized group or association within the various departments such as the Los Angeles Women Police Officer Association.

Presented by Councilman Dennis P. Zine, Third District on June 3, 2003.



NEWS

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City of Los Angeles – Department of Animal Services www.LAAnimalServices.com
419 South Spring Street, 14th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90013

Daylight Savings Time Lights Up the Lives of Shelter Animals

Beginning June 22, all Los Angeles City Shelters will be open to the public on Sundays from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM, in addition to the regular weekly schedule that runs daily from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Tuesdays through Saturdays.

“Our extended Sunday hours will continue throughout the Daylight Savings Time Period as part of continued commitment to provide hope to our rescued animals and increase services to the citizens of Los Angeles,” said L.A. Animal Services General Manager Jerry Greenwalt.

“Extra hours on Sunday will provide pet owners with more opportunity to locate their lost companion animals” It will mean extra hours for the public to avail of our services—from purchasing animal licenses to microchipping pets or just looking for a new companion animal. The extra hours will give our homeless animals a better chance at being adopted,” Greenwalt added.

L.A. Animal Services has six shelters and can be reached by calling the 234-hour automated line: 1-888-4LA-PET1/1-888-452-7381 (TTY Hearing Impaired: 877-875-8205) or by logging onto the Department’s Website: www.LAAnimalServices.com

SHELTER	ADDRESS	HOURS
West Valley	20655 Plummer St., Chatsworth	Sunday 11am—5pm
East Valley	13131 Sherman Way, No. Hollywood	Monday—CLOSED Tuesday—Saturday—8am—5pm

***Animals are accepted & Services for emergencies are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.**

L. A. Animal Services rescues, houses and cares for some 70,000 lost and abandoned animals annually, enforces animal related laws and acts to prevent cruelty to animals.



RESIDENTIAL SPECIAL MATERIALS COLLECTION AND E-WASTE RECYCLING EVENT IN WOODLAND HILLS

CONTACT: Way Omokawa

PHONE: (213) 473-7761

In a continuing effort to protect its neighborhoods from environmental pollutants, the City of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works will be in Woodland Hills on Saturday, June 21st to Sunday, June 22nd for a community roundup of household chemicals and electronics waste.

The Bureau of Sanitation will hold a mobile Residential Special Materials Collection event from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at L.A. Pierce College's Parking Lot No. 44 on Mason Avenue at Victory Boulevard (East of De Soto Avenue). Participants should enter from Mason Avenue at Victory Boulevard.

The Residential Special Materials Collection Team will accept paint products, automotive products (oil and antifreeze), aerosol cans, household chemicals, garden chemicals such as pesticides and fertilizers, car batteries and pool cleaners.

The Electronics and Computer Waste (E-Waste) Collection Team will also be collecting computers, monitors, printers, network equipment, cables, telephones, televisions, video games, cell phones, radios, stereos, VCRs and electronic toys. Software is not accepted.

The event is free and drive-through service means you don't have to get out of your car or handle the materials. All Los Angeles City and County residents are encouraged to participate.

Please do not bring business waste, ammunition, radioactive material, biological waste and tires. This is not a bulky item drop-off, so furniture, refrigerators, washing machines/dryers, microwave or conventional ovens will not be accepted. Be aware that it is illegal to transport more than 15 gallons or 125 pounds of household chemicals to a household hazardous waste event.

For more information, call the City's hotline at 1-800-988-6942 (for TDD, 213-473-5664) or visit our website at www.LArecycles.org. The hotline is staffed with operators from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Department of Public Works is responsible for the construction, renovation, and operation of public facilities and infrastructure; and for providing services ranging from refuse collection and graffiti removal to maintenance of sidewalks, bridges, sewers and streetlights; and management of wastewater treatment plants and building design.

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Constituent Satisfaction Survey

My goal is to improve the quality of life in our district. Please take a moment to fill out this questionnaire so that we may serve you better.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City & Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Address of Complaint: _____

Date of complaint: _____

Nature of complaint: _____

TYPE OF COMPLAINT

_____ **Abandoned Vehicles**

_____ **Building & Safety Violations**

_____ **Graffiti**

_____ **Illegal Dumping**

_____ **New Business Development**

_____ **Sanitation/Trash Collection**

_____ **Sidewalk Repairs**

_____ **Speeding Enforcement**

_____ **Street Lighting**

_____ **Street Resurfacing**

_____ **Tree Trimming**

_____ **(add your choice here)**

Please leave your Constituent Survey Form with the Deputy staffing the booth or

Email to: zine@council.lacity.org

Fax to: (818) 756-9179

Mail to: Councilman Dennis P. Zine

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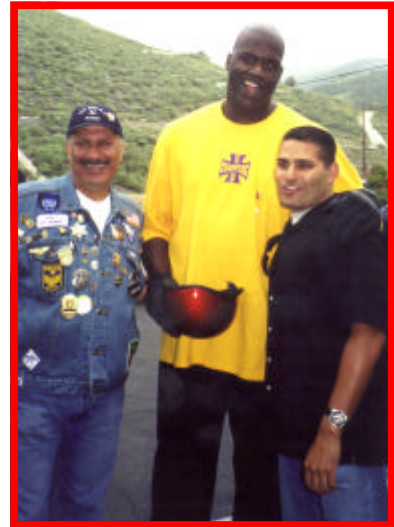
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8:00 am-6:00 pm

ALL AROUND TOWN



Councilman Zine with actor Eric Estrada at the VICA Business Advocacy Awards Dinner Gala.



Councilman Zine and his son Chris with Shaquille O'Neal (L.A. Lakers) at the Choir Boys Crush Against Domestic Violence Ride to help raise money for the Haven Hills Battered Womens' Shelter.



Military Fighter Jets flyover Canoga Park announcing the start of the 15th Annual Canoga Park Memorial Day Parade.



The Canoga Park Memorial Day Parade begins.



Councilman Zine (Honorary Parade Chair) with Assemblymember Lloyd Levine.



LAPD Motorcycle Drill Team performs at the Canoga Park Parade and at the Choir Boys Crush Domestic Violence Motorcycle Ride raising money for Haven Hills Battered Women's Shelter.

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Mayor James Hahn, Councilmember Jancie Hahn, Councilman Dennis P. Zine and his son Chris at the Dodgers Opening Day.



Councilman Dennis P. Zine, City Attorney Rocky Delgadillo, Retired Astronaut Buzz Aldrin and Councilman Alex Padilla.



Councilman Zine with Sports Announcer Jim Hill.



Councilman Zine, LAPD Officer Chris Zine and Access Hollywood Entertainment Reporter Nancy O'Dell.



Councilman Zine plants tree at Reseda Clean-Up.



Councilman Zine with the Coral Springs, FL Fire Dept. at National League of Cities, Public Safety Crime Prevention Week.