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Meet Gloria Molleda—Rosemead's new City Manager

By Chris Ventura

Molleda began her role as City Manager in January of this year, but she has many years of experience in local government. She began her career with the City of Vernon, serving as Assistant City Clerk for four-and-a-half years. Molleda then served as Deputy City Clerk for the City of Alhambra from 2006 through 2007 and as Chief City Clerk for the City of San Gabriel from July 2015 through January 2018. She is very familiar with the City of Rosemead as Molleda previously held the position of City Clerk and Director of Communications for Rosemead for over 7 years, stretching from late December 2007 through the middle of 2015. Molleda has now returned to City Hall and is settling in—eager to serve the community in her new position.

During Molleda's previous service as City Clerk for Rosemead, she helped to sort out issues with the city elections that had been occurring prior to her taking over the position. As Molleda explained, at that time, The City of Rosemead had been placed under a consent decree by the Justice Department.

A Los Angeles Times article from July 16, 2005 notes Rosemead among three local cities that were found to have failed an audit by the Justice Department that year (2005). The charges were that the City of Rosemead had failed to provide election materials fully translated into languages spoken by the majority of residents in the community as required by the Voting Rights Act. This required the City of Rosemead to provide all voting materials to be provided not only in English, but also in Spanish, Chinese and Vietnamese.

Through her efforts and diligence, Molleda made sure that the elections were in compliance and was able to have the consent decree lifted from the city.

"In addition, I was able to promote transparency for the city and we were able to put, online, all of our agreements, resolutions, ordinances, and a lot of other documentation that the community can read by visiting our website," Molleda said.

The City Manager serves as the

city's CEO and is appointed by the City Council. The City Manager is responsible for recommending policy actions while implementing City Council policies and decisions by utilizing the resources of the various departments of the city.

Fiscal responsibility is a key role of the City Manager and each year, the City Manager provides a Budget Message for the fiscal year. The Budget Message explains the financial state of the city. It explains where money is coming from, what it has been spent on or what it will be spent on, explains what comprises the current budget (taxes, state and federal funding), discusses strategic plans and goals, the results of implementing community outreach programs, and the city's financial long-term outlook.

As the city transitions to a new City Manager, Molleda says her first month was in more of an observational role as she gets up to speed and begins to lay the groundwork for the future of the city. When asked about the possibility of her modifying plans and agendas set forth by previous staff, she said that upon her initial review there was nothing that needed immediate attention.

Furthermore, Molleda congratulated the Rosemead City Council and former City Manager on their efforts and success in economic development and various public works projects completed throughout the city.

Molleda's latest action for Rosemead was to recommend the City Council conduct a public hearing and receive public testimony on The Garvey Avenue Specific Plan and adopt a resolution which would certify the Final Environmental Impact Report with Reports, Findings of Fact, Statements of Overriding Consideration, and a Mitigation Monitoring Program.

According to a city council memo, The Garvey Avenue Specific Plan "establishes allowed land uses, development standards, policies and guidelines to create an attractive and desirable neighborhood 'main street' focusing on creating a vibrant corridor with visible pedestrian activity."

The Plan is an ambitious undertaking,

covering 88 acres—153 land parcels along Garvey Avenue. The Plan puts forth the development of nearly 1.18 million square feet of commercial development, 892 units of housing, and development of aesthetically pleasing open spaces. The Plan also includes improvements to Garvey Avenue which would see lane reconfigurations, the addition of bike lanes, and landscaping—beautifying the city's main road and improving its support for automobile traffic, bicycles, and pedestrians.

Molleda is ready for the ups and downs of being a City Manager. As she says, a lot of the ups and downs come by way of the current economic climate, but those challenges can be overcome by continuing to pursue new economic development, motivating staff, staff retention, and fiscal responsibility.

During the time in which the state was undergoing a budget crisis, redevelopment funds were cut, and a lot of cities faced problems where they had to do without. Molleda said that the City of Rosemead has been very fiscally responsible—providing the city with a balanced budget and reserves. Because of this, during an economic downturn, when the state slashed funding for redevelopment projects, the City of Rosemead was able to proceed with plans and complete a variety of projects which in turn helped to continue the city's economic growth and improve the quality of life for residents.

She noted the completion of improvement projects at several city parks, recreation centers, commercial development, new businesses, Rosemead City Hall improvements, and the ongoing Rosemead Specific Plan.

"I see [Rosemead] as a thriving community with a lot of economic development coming through...mixed-use projects which will have residents and new businesses coming in," Molleda said. "We're really working on economic development and will be working with the Chamber to help bring in new businesses."

Molleda says that she is currently working closely with the Community

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PUBLIC POLICY UPDATE

Board of Supervisors Approves Grant to Develop Active Transportation Plan in the East San Gabriel Valley

Following a push by Los Angeles County Supervisor Hilda L. Solis, the California Department of Transportation awarded a Sustainable Communities grant to develop the East San Gabriel Valley Active Transportation Plan. Today, the Board of Supervisors approved acceptance of this grant and moved 21 East San Gabriel Valley communities closer to implementing a modern active transportation network.

“Sustainable, walkable communities improve quality of life for all residents,” said Supervisor Solis. “This funding will encourage the development of sustainable communities by soliciting resident feedback, enhance active transportation options like walking and biking, improve safety and air quality, and reduce traffic. It is my hope that our successes in the East San Gabriel Valley can provide a blueprint to promote 21st century communities in all unincorporated County neighborhoods.”

The scope of this project is to develop a comprehensive active transportation plan to promote walking, biking, and transit use among the 21 unincorporated County communities in the East San Gabriel Valley. The Plan will solicit community input, coordinate with neighboring cities, develop a scalable model, create a prioritized list of potential project corridors, and recommend intersection improvements.

The total development of the Plan is estimated at \$500,000 and will take approximately 21 months to complete. The County was awarded a \$325,000 planning grant from Caltrans via the Senate Bill 1 Sustainable Communities Program in December 2017. The remaining \$175,000 will be matched locally from the First District’s Transportation Improvement Programs in the Proposition C Local Return Fund and Measure R Local Return fund, among others. This grant, and the local match, was approved today by the Board of Supervisors.

Senate Health Leader Introduces Bill to Ban Medicaid Work Requirements

SACRAMENTO – Senator Ed Hernandez, O.D. (D-West Covina) introduced Senate Bill 1108 to prohibit work requirements as a condition to receive Medi-Cal. Earlier this year, the Trump Administration invited states to revise their Medicaid policies by imposing restrictions that will only lead to fewer people with health insurance. This bill ensures that California says NO to this invitation, and continues to prioritize access to health care for some of our lowest-income residents.

“The Trump proposal to make health insurance coverage contingent on work requirements is backwards. Now is the time to focus all efforts on covering more people, not less,” said Senator Hernandez, chair of the Senate Health Committee. “I’ve introduced SB 1108 to ensure that in California, our focus is on continuing to reduce the number of uninsured, not increasing it. I hope other states join California in saying no to this misguided and mean-spirited attempt to take coverage away from those who need it most.”

On January 11, 2018, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) issued a State Medicaid Director Letter giving guidance on waiver proposals for states to implement work requirements for Medicaid recipients.

This new policy is a dramatic shift away from previous Democratic and Republican Administrations.

“Whether someone works or not has no bearing on their need for health care,” said Jen Flory of Western Center on Law & Poverty, SB 1108’s sponsor. “Sadly, this is just another cynical proposal from the Trump Administration to pit people against each other. California is right to reject it.”

States instituting work requirements in Medicaid may bring more harm to individuals, including, reducing low-income families’ access to care, worsening health outcomes and making it more difficult for them to maintain health care coverage.

So far, CMS has approved a work requirement waiver in Kentucky and nine other states have submitted proposals. As of mid-January, Arkansas, Arizona, Indiana, Kansas, Maine, New Hampshire, Utah and Wisconsin have pending waiver requests.

SB 1108 prohibits the Department of Health Care Services from seeking or obtaining a Medicaid demonstration project or waiver requiring:

- 1) Work or community engagement activities as a condition of Medi-Cal eligibility;

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Assemblymember Chau Introduces Legislation To Limit The Use Of Chemical Spray Restraints In Juvenile Detention Facilities


SACRAMENTO – Assemblymember Ed Chau (D–Monterey Park) introduced Assembly Bill (AB) 2010, to align California with the majority of the nation as it relates to the use of chemical agents in juvenile detention facilities. California is one of only five states that permit staff to carry OC spray, commonly known as pepper spray, on their persons.


“The use of OC spray on young people not only produces physical and mental health effects, but it also interferes with their rehabilitation, because it can have serious effects on the relationship between youth and staff,” said Assemblymember Ed Chau. “By limiting the use of chemical sprays in juvenile detention facilities, we are adopting accepted professional practices that will provide a safe and supportive environment for rehabilitation.”

The Council of Juvenile Correctional Administrators conducted a national survey of correctional administrative staff in 2011 and found that only 12% of agencies surveyed authorized staff to carry chemical spray in secure facilities and only 29% of agencies authorize the use of chemical restraints

at all. Further, the health impacts of chemical restraints cannot be ignored. Studies indicate that individuals with compromised respiratory systems, such as those suffering from asthma or bronchitis, may be at particular risk for respiratory arrest resulting from chemical spray exposure, and chronic exposure to chemical spray may result in chronic respiratory ailments. These risks may be exacerbated by mental illness, insufficient air circulation, and repeated exposure – all conditions that exist in juvenile facilities.

Specifically, AB 2010 would prohibit staff in juvenile detention facilities from having chemical spray in their possession. This bill would provide exceptions for staff to obtain and use chemical spray in order to suppress a riot or in situations when de-escalation tactics have failed, or are not reasonably possible. Lastly, AB 2010 would require that all situations involving the use chemical spray be documented and include information related to the reason for use, the authorization of use, decontamination procedures, and follow up visits with medical professionals.



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C.E.R.T training is offered free of charge.
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Class size is limited. Applications will not be accepted after April 20, 2018.

*Students must complete all 20 hours of the course to receive a certificate of completion.
Note: All students must be at least 18 years of age

COMMUNITY



Hope Is Within Reach

For over 20 years, I had a loving family. I married my high school sweetheart and we raised a beautiful, clever daughter. I worked hard to take care of my family and be the best wife and mother I could be. But life doesn't always follow the path we think it will. In my life, my challenge was mental illness.

My husband was only 41 years old when he died from alcoholism. My daughter and I felt this loss deeply. Soon after his death, my daughter was admitted to the hospital with psychosis and was diagnosed with bipolar disorder. She went to the hospital four times in five months.

I was crushed. I couldn't stop crying and always felt panicky and extremely anxious. I was afraid to leave the house. For an entire week, I could not sleep. I collapsed with what I thought was a heart attack. Worst of all, I experienced suicidal ideation and wanted to take my daughter with me. Eventually, I was diagnosed with a panic disorder and depression.

Reflecting On My Husband's Life
After listening to my family history, my daughter's physician told me that my husband likely also had bipolar disorder since college. He was probably using alcohol as a way of self-medicating. Unfortunately, during our 20-year marriage, I never realized what was wrong.

Looking back now, I can identify the symptoms. My husband would often say that he could accomplish projects that other people could not, but at other times, he would be very down and unwilling to do anything. I didn't recognize the symptoms then, nor was I aware that alcoholism is a mental health problem. I never sought professional help for him.

If he received help when he needed it, our family tragedy might have been avoided. In the years since, I have often blamed myself for not noticing the signs. To this day, I still feel guilty. But at least I learned from this tragedy how to support both my daughter's and my own mental health.

Helping My Daughter And Myself
After my husband died, I discovered the NAMI in Chinese programs at my local affiliate. I latched onto this opportunity to gain knowledge about mental illness and how to support my daughter.

I became actively involved in her life, including dealing with her school, seeking professional help, monitoring her medication and making sure she kept her weekly therapy appointments.

I kept a record of her progress and helped her rebuild her social network by enrolling her in a support group for teenagers with bipolar disorder. Most importantly, I tried to be supportive and understanding. With time, her symptoms have improved.

After learning more about mental illness for my daughter's benefit, I realized that I needed to seek professional help for myself as well. And through taking medication and attending therapy weekly, I gradually recovered as well.

Spreading The Word
After my experiences, I knew I wanted to help increase awareness of mental health in the Chinese community. It's my hope that if I can get these NAMI programs into the Chinese community, what happened to me won't happen to others. I've been a NAMI volunteer for four years now and I have helped establish the NAMI Chinese Community Service Committee in the San Francisco Bay Area. More than 10,000 people benefit from our free programs every year.

During my years of volunteer work, I have been constantly reminded that I'm not alone. After struggling on my own and feeling helpless for a long time, I now know that there are so many people experiencing similar struggles.

Recently, my daughter got her driver's license. Three days later, she happily drove her grandma to a medical appointment. It's incredible what a difference I can see in her life. Just four years ago, she was supervised in a psychiatric hospital 24-hours a day. My daughter and I are living proof that treatment works and recovery is possible. And NAMI can help get you there.

Elaine Peng is a dedicated mental health advocate and educator. She provides education to reduce public prejudice against mental illness, decrease stigma among caregivers. She has started five Chinese support groups and developed the first NAMI Chinese website www.namichinese.org in the U.S. Elaine is a leader and developer of multiple NAMI programs for the Chinese Community. As a consumer and family member she helps to promote mental health services and provide peer support within the underserved Chinese Community. She was the recipient of the 2016 NAMI National's Multicultural Outreach Award and the 2017 NAMI California's Multicultural Outreach Award.

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- 3) Any other condition of Medi-Cal eligibility or coverage not authorized by state law or federal statute or regulation.
- According to 2016 data from the Kaiser Family Foundation, most non-disabled, non-elderly adult Medi-Cal beneficiaries are in a family with a full-time (69%) or part-time worker (14%). Reasons for not working among these individuals were because of illness or disability (28%), caretaker responsibilities (36%), or attending school (18%).

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Development Director to put in place new policies and procedures to assist business owners in obtaining permits and plan approvals. She wants to work to expedite those processes for them.

In the future, Molleda would also like to be able to promote local businesses through the city's social media and the city's website.

Molleda has lived in nearby Alhambra for the past 15 years. She is delighted with the opportunity to come back to Rosemead and serve as the new City Manager. Despite leaving two-and-a-half years ago, Molleda had maintained regular contact with the City Council. She said that it was an easy decision to return and is thankful for the support of the Council.

"it's a great feeling working for the City of Rosemead," Molleda said. "Rosemead gave me my first opportunity as a department head by being their city clerk. They've now given me another opportunity and they've put their trust in me to be their City Manager, so I'm looking forward to giving back to the community. I want to work really hard on our residents' needs. I know there is a desire for more open space. Our community wants a community garden and we are working on that as well."

Molleda donates to Relay For Life and hopes to see the city work more with that and other charitable organizations. She will soon be joining the Kiwanis Club and says she will be participating more with the Rosemead Chamber of Commerce.

Molleda was originally a sociology major, attending Cal State Long Beach. She changed her major to Business Management and received a Bachelor of Arts from Woodbury University in 2004. Her son currently attends a local college and is pursuing a career in law enforcement.

Running is something that Molleda enjoys doing in her free time. She admits to being a bit of a 'workaholic' which has left little time for much else in terms of hobbies. She is also currently considering working on her master's degree in public administration.

Rosemead's former City Manager Bill Manis has become the City of Upland's incoming City Manager. Upland City Council unanimously voted to appoint Manis to the position in a decision made by the Upland City Council in December of last year.

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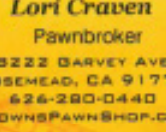


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The Joint Chiropractic located in the Rosemead Place Shopping Center celebrated their one-year anniversary on February 10, 2018, where they gave out free adjustments and exciting prizes



EDUCATION



SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE





The Rosemead School District provides a challenging academic learning environment which encourages lifelong learning. In partnership with parents and community, our mission is to nurture the intellectual, aesthetic, physical, emotional and ethical growth of each child to be prepared for new horizons.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Superintendent’s Office at 626-312-2900 x 212.

Sincerely,
Dr. Amy Enomoto-Perez
Superintendent

Ms. Nancy Armenta
Board President

IMPORTANT DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS:

For more information on any event listed below, please visit the Rosemead School District website at www.rosemead.k12.ca.us.

March 2018:
Thurs., Mar. 1 – Board of Trustees’ Meeting
Fri., Mar. 9 – Professional Development/Student Free Day (No School)
Thurs., Mar. 15 – Board of Trustees’ Meeting
Thurs., Mar. 29 – Janson Leadership Day 8:30 a.m.

April 2018:
Mon., Apr. 2 – Fri., Apr. 6 – Spring Break (No School)
Thurs., Apr. 5 – Board of Trustees’ Meeting
Mon., Apr. 9 – School Reopens – Students Return
Thurs., Apr. 19 – Board of Trustees’ Meeting
Wed., Apr. 25 – Muscatel Open House 5:00 p.m. / Leadership Day

Dear Rosemead School District Community,

We here in the Rosemead School District are all very saddened by the recent news of school violence that occurred in Florida recently.

We want to assure you that our district has ongoing emergency and disaster training. During our professional development days these trainings are provided to all staff districtwide. These trainings include active shooter scenarios. We provide training to our staff on a regular basis.

In these difficult times, public school districts are cooperating and sharing information and resources. To that end, the Orange County Department of Education has provided information via following link for our use. We hope you will find the information contained within most helpful.

<http://newsroom.ocde.us/five-things-to-keep-in-mind-when-helping-kids-cope-with-crisis/>



Marshall, Rosemead, Sparks Basketball Make 1,179 Sandwiches for Hungry People

ROSEMEAD -- Recently two high school girls frosh soph basketball teams joined forces with Los Angeles Sparks president and made 1,179 sandwiches for hungry people.

Marshall won a non league game 29-21, then after the game, Christine Simmons, president and chief operating officer of business operations for Sparks, three-time champions of Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA), spoke to the crowd about developing great character, being respectful and setting goals. Simmons talked about doing good in school and the importance of developing good traits while earning good grades.

Simmons also talked about and challenged each player, coach and fan to name three words that best describes them self as they set goals and realize how special is each person on the Earth. That was her homework assignment.

Then players, coaches, and fans from Marshall and Rosemead and Simmons worked together in less than two hours to make 1,179 sandwiches for hungry people.

Another major reason Marshall and Rosemead Volunteer Day was a huge success

was because of the participation of two local Rosemead businesses. Oroweat on Temple City Boulevard just north of Valley Boulevard, donated 100 loaves of bread. Target (department store) in Rosemead Plaza at Rosemead Boulevard just north of the 10 freeway, donated dozens of jars of peanut butter and jelly. Additional supplies were paid for by Rosemead girls basketball teams fundraising done in recent months.

Both teams then shared pizza lunch with lots of food donated by the players from both schools.

Rosemead's girls junior varsity basketball team also helped make the sandwiches.

After the sandwiches were placed in zip lock bags, and boxed, God First Native American Food Bank in South El Monte provided transportation and delivered the sandwiches to places locally and in Los Angeles for hungry people.

Rosemead girls junior varsity basketball Coach CJ Joe Duran, RIP, provided Rosemead earlier in the season a contact with Sparks, before he passed away, to help get Sparks involved in Marshall and Rosemead Volunteer Day.



COMMERCES

Exact Tax hosted tax reform seminar on tips to save money with the 2018 tax reform.

To stop worrying about tax compliance and deadlines, and concentrate on the joy of growing a successful company. The presenters were Emilio Campos, Mary Wong, Jerry Liang, and Deliang Lei at the Ken Locke Hall at University of the West.



*Captions in same sequence as images

Jerry Liang, EA & Deliang Lei, EA share how the Tax Reform may affect tax payers

2-8-2018 Tax Reform Seminar in English

Mary Wong, EA & Principal, Deliang Lei, EA Present at 26 Tax Reform in Cantonese

Exact Tax Presenters take Questions from Attendees

Presenters at the 28 Tax Reform Seminar



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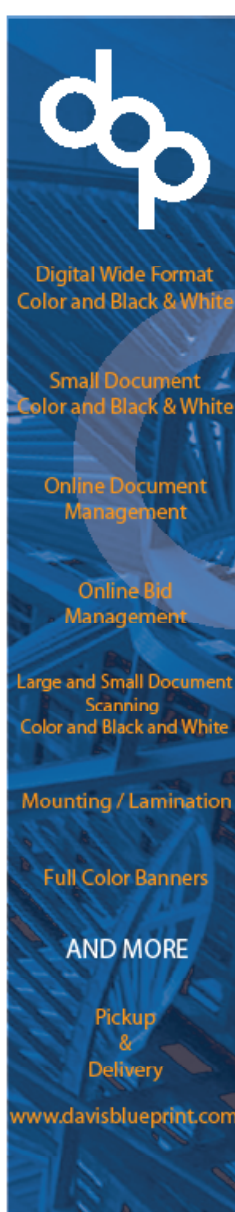
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