



Christmas decorations, made from local plant materials, on a church in Santa Maria del Arbol.

How we ended up with a second family in Mexico

By Barbara Wood

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Sometimes the smallest action can make a huge difference in many lives.

Nearly 20 years ago, we were living in Sonoma County with two children under the age of 2, when my husband tore an article from the newspaper he thought I would like to see. What caught my eye, however, was the ad on the back, looking for a home for a 17-year-old exchange student from Mexico.

We had a huge old farmhouse with an empty bedroom, and no reason not to do it, so Myrna moved in.

Although she spoke little English when she joined us, Myrna quickly became beloved by our whole family. When she wasn't at school, she spoiled the children and helped around the house. We taught her to cook American food and she taught us to cook Mexican food. We introduced her to Disneyland and San Francisco and the county fair, and her mother and youngest brother joined us for Christmas.

Myrna returned home a year later, with a remarkable grasp of English. Her family, the Moras, lived in Iguala, Guerrero, a small city halfway between Mexico City and Acapulco. Myrna's parents were both high school teachers and Myrna was the oldest of four children.

We missed Myrna immensely—

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The Fitzpatrick and Mora families after celebrating the arrival of the New Year. Top row, from left: Carlos Oliver Mora, Brenna Fitzpatrick, Rossana Mora, Julia Patino, Dan Fitzpatrick and Barbara Wood. Seated, from left: Emiliano Guzman Mora, Myrna Mora, Yuli Martinez Mora, Yoatzin Guzman Mora, Karla Martinez Mora and Brian Martinez Mora.

One Mexico for our daughters — another for us



At the Casona del Llano, a hotel in the colonial city of Oaxaca, are Dan Fitzpatrick, Myrna Mora, (in her arms) Yuli Martinez Mora, and (standing) Karla Martinez Mora.

I knew before we left for Acapulco in December that our two daughters, age 16 and 21, would not want to do the same things that my husband and I wanted to do during our trip.

What I didn't realize was how different our experiences would be.

We were staying with old friends from Christmas through New Year's, but had lots of unplanned time between the holidays. We were visiting two sisters we consider our Mexican daughters — each lived with us for a year in California as high school exchange students. The younger, Rossana, graduated from Woodside High in 1992 and is a politician representing Acapulco in the Guerrero state legislature. The older, Myrna, lived with us in Sonoma County in 1989 and is an English teacher in their hometown of Iguala.

There were 17 of us at Rossana's for Christmas dinner, including her mother, two brothers and two children, plus Myrna's family of five and a few friends.

The remodel of Rossana's new home was completed just before our visit. In fact, we later discovered, they had spent the entire night painting, putting glass in the windows and installing the light fixtures. (This

not being ready until the very last minute sounds suspiciously like something they learned living with me.)

There were still a few glitches — no hot water, rubble piled at the entry, and no rails on the stairs. But the glorious views from the house, perched on a hillside in the La Quebrada neighborhood, more than made up for any inconveniences. From the rooftop terrace we could see the ocean in one direction and homes crowding the hillsides in the other.

It was a five-minute walk to see the famous cliff divers and 15 minutes to a beautiful small beach. And if I waited until mid-afternoon to take my cold shower, when the day had warmed up, it wasn't all that bad.

After our Christmas Eve arrival, we ate a late dinner and stayed up past midnight, celebrating with tequila on the roof, watching fireworks go off in the distance.

In the following days, the whole group of us took in the highlights of Acapulco, including a nighttime cruise on a chartered boat. We cruised along the city shoreline and then out of Acapulco Bay and over to La Quebrada, where we had an unobstructed view of the cliff divers, especially the one who swam to our boat and climbed on board. We had a seafood feast at Rossana's favor-

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One-year-old Yuli Martinez Mora practices her walking skills in the massive courtyard at the Monte Alban archeological site, said to be a gathering place for ritual ceremonies and public markets.

'Rosanna promised me the girls would be safe because their protector was armed'

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ite restaurant, where the courses kept coming and coming until all of us were too stuffed to move.

We also began negotiating what to do with our unplanned time. I wanted to visit Oaxaca, which on the map is right next to Acapulco. But I decided it was too far to drive when I found out it had to be accessed via Mexico City because of a few pesky mountains in the way. But Myrna, who had visited the lovely historic city many times with her family, wanted to share it with us. So we decided that Dan and I, Myrna and two of her children, 1-year-old Yuli and 5-year-old Karla, would drive to Oaxaca in her SUV.

Caitlin and Brenna wanted to stay behind, but Rossana had to go back to work for a few days. She offered them one of her two bodyguard/drivers, who would accompany them to whatever they wanted to do in Acapulco.

Rossana promised me the girls would be safe because their protector was armed. When she realized this didn't really reassure me, she offered to have him leave the gun at home. I said that as long as he promised not to shoot my daughters if they became annoying, he might as well carry on as usual.

Besides, what mother doesn't secretly want a burly armed guard standing over her daughters at the beach?

The bodyguard didn't speak much English, but enough for the girls. "He knew 'beach,' 'mall' and 'seafood,'" they explained later. Meanwhile, it turned out that Myrna had been to Oaxaca many times; but that her husband, who couldn't come with us, had always driven. It turned out that she didn't really know the way.

We got off the very-expensive toll road between Acapulco and Mexico City (approximately \$90 each way) onto what on the map looked like a shortcut.

Alas, it was not — because of the "topes": Non-toll Mexican roads must be driven at a crawl because at each tiny town and village they are strewn with speed bumps (topes in Spanish). In addition to being so numerous, the topes are more often than not unmarked, either by paint or sign.

Dan drove so Myrna could soothe the crying baby. He said he soon realized that the sight of cars in



The Hall of Columns marks the entry to the main sanctuary in the Mitla archeological site, which has structures dating back as far as 200 A.D.

front of him going airborne meant "tope ahead."

It was nearly dark, and we were all exhausted, by the time we arrived at Izucar de Matamoros to spend the night. We ended up in what may be the worst hotel room I have ever slept in, and this only after we had turned down two others. The linens were so old it was impossible to tell if they were clean, and the toilet only worked when flushed with a bucket filled by a trickle from the shower.

But there was hot water.

Our room faced the zocalo, the busy town square, but Myrna assured me that since we were in a small town, the noise would die down early. It didn't. During the night, ash from sugar cane being burned at the town factory drifted in the louvered bathroom window to cover everything we had left out during the night, as well as the entire town.

In the morning I did not feel well. I threw up, got in the car and went to sleep. We drove for another six hours on the tope-strewn roads, me in the back seat with the two children. I tried some fresh squeezed orange juice, which about 10 minutes later I threw up all over myself because my head wouldn't fit out the back window.

I changed my pants on the road shoulder; pretty certain that no one I knew would see me.

In Oaxaca the first three hotels we checked were full. This had been another of my worries about our trip — we had no reservations and were going to a popular tourist destination a few days after Christmas.

This time, I was wrong. Our fourth stop was Casona del Llano,



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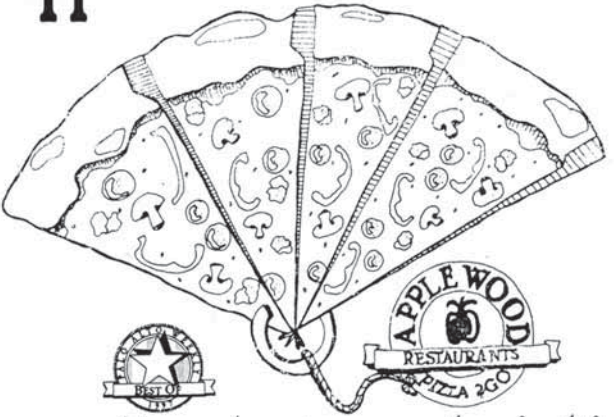
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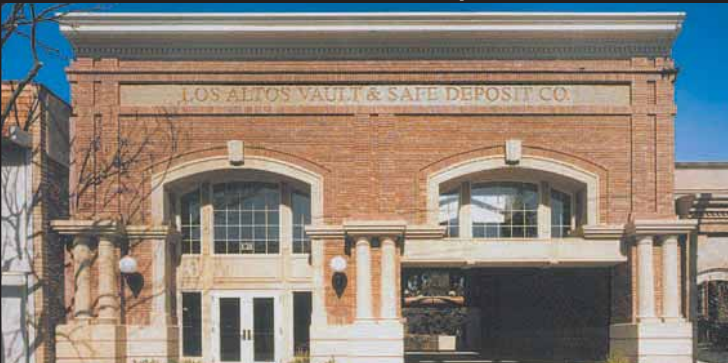
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'5-year-old Karla and I climbed alone up the ancient steps'

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near the town center and with a lovely, large, clean, quiet room with three double beds and a sofa, for \$80 a night. I have never been happier to have a hot shower and climb into bed, while the others went out to dinner.

In the morning I was nearly as good as new. We drove 20 minutes to Monte Alban, an impressive pre-Columbian archeological site. By then, however, Dan was coming down with whatever had stricken me and the baby was still fussy. So, 5-year-old Karla and I climbed alone up the scores of ancient steps that allowed us to view the entire magnificent complex at once while Dan, Myrna and Yuli rested under a tree.

Later, Dan went back to bed in the hotel while Myrna and I and the children walked to Oaxaca's center, passing beautiful colonial architecture, visiting the crafts

stalls, and finally settling at an outdoor restaurant facing the zocalo.

Dan continued to sleep that evening as the rest of us took in the Christmas decorations in the zocalo and visited the open air market to buy some Oaxacan specialties such as chocolate, sausages and extra-large crispy tortillas to take back to Acapulco.

The next day, with Dan nearly recovered, we visited another archeological site in nearby Mitla. Mitla is also famous for its hand-woven textiles, and we watched the weavers work their looms. We stopped in El Arbol del Tule, a beautiful small town centered physically and economically around a huge multi-trunked cypress tree estimated to be more than 2,000 years old.

We then headed to Mexico City on the tope-free toll road, arriving at Myrna's brother's apartment near midnight. We declined his invitation to go out again, and the next day we headed back to Acapulco in a two-car caravan, on the toll road.

We arrived to find Caitlin and Brenna asleep in a hammock next to the pool. In addition to excursions to the beach, mall and seafood restaurants, Rossana had arranged



A young boy throws sand into the air as the sun sets on New Year's Day on the Pie de la Cuesta.



Old and new clash in Oaxaca as a young jeans-clad woman on a cell phone passes a street vendor carrying her wares in a basket on her head.

massages, manicures and pedicures for them. They had also gone out to a nightclub, with Rossana, her mother, and both body guards.

We all welcomed the New Year together, eating 12 grapes and making 12 wishes at midnight. We stayed off the roof to avoid stray gunfire from some of the other celebrants.

The next day we joined thousands of Mexicans in the traditional New Year's Day trip to the beach, on the Pie de la Cuesta. We sat under palm-thatched cabanas, lounged in hammocks, watched whales cavorting off shore, and ate whole fish that had recently been caught and cooked for us.

On our last night, with a 7 a.m. flight coming up, Rossana convinced us we should go to the carnival. We all stayed up, from Grandma Julia to baby Yuli, until 1 a.m., going on rides, eating junk food and drinking the free beer included with our ticket.

And we still made it to the airport. ■

Barbara Wood is a freelance writer, photographer and gardener from Woodside. Her column runs the third week of the month.

SECOND FAMILY

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ly, so around 1990 when we were invited to come to Mexico for a visit, we jumped at the chance. Eight of us, including my parents, a younger sister and her daughter, spent several days in the Moras tidy stucco house and were spoiled beyond reason. The Moras even purchased an ancient Volkswagen van to haul all of us around, and then sold it after we left.

Soon after our visit, Myrna's younger sister, Rossana, came to spend a year with us and attend Woodside High School. By then we had three children to spoil, which Rossana did. She

thrived at Woodside, maintaining straight-A grades and fulfilling all the requirements for her diploma. We proudly attended her graduation, and her parent/teacher conferences.

We went back to Mexico twice more; once at Christmas, and once to attend Myrna's wedding, where we were honored guests.

While staying with the Mora family we were able to experience a Mexico the tourist rarely sees. We participated in Christmas posadas, were invited to a neighbor's quinceanera (a traditional girl's elaborate 15th birthday party), ate in tiny street-side restaurants, and watched the Mora family run their side businesses

— a small general store and a shop selling raw chickens.

Our son bought fireworks and set them off in the street, we bought local crafts from those who made them, and we accompanied the family on shopping trips to the open air market to buy ingredients for meals. Always, we were accompanied by skilled translators.

Last year Rossana invited us to return, this time to stay in her own home, and we once again jumped at the chance.

Who would have known that the long-ago unplanned impulse to share our family and our lives with these two girls would be repaid so many times over with such generosity and love? ■

'Magic of Reading' Saturday at Kepler's

A festival of music and kids' activities will celebrate "The Magic of Reading" on Saturday, May 3, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the plaza in front of Kepler's bookstore in Menlo Park.

The event, held annually for the last 14 years, is sponsored by the Friends of the Menlo Park Library and Kepler's to raise funds for the Belle Haven Library and local schools participating in the day's music program, including the Menlo-Atherton High School

orchestra and jazz bands.

Kepler's will donate 10 percent of store sales made that day to the Belle Haven branch of the Menlo Park Library, and will donate prizes for a raffle for young people at the event.

A separate raffle to benefit the schools whose bands provide entertainment that day will award gift certificates from local businesses, including Cafe Borrono, Carpaccio, the Left Bank, the Oasis, Cook's Seafood, Oak

City Bar and Grill and Round Table Pizza.

The fourth-grade orchestras of Oak Knoll and Encinal schools will kick off the event at 9 o'clock. Young musicians from Hillview Middle School will perform next, and will be followed by the M-A concert and jazz bands.

Kids can have their faces painted for free, courtesy of SCORE Learning Center.

For more information, call Kepler's at 324-4321.

Archaeologist shines light on key discoveries

Archaeologist Patrick Hunt, who wrote the book — literally — on 10 discoveries that rewrote history, will share his knowledge and insights on those discoveries in a free program on Saturday, May 3, at the Menlo Park Library.

The one-hour program starts at 11 a.m. in the downstairs meeting room.

Mr. Hunt, who has taught archaeology, mythology and art history in the Stanford Classics Department since 1994, published his book, "Ten Discoveries That Rewrote History," last year.

His presentation will focus on the discoveries, detailed in the book, that he says have changed the way we understand ancient civilizations and history itself.

On the list are the Rosetta Stone,

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Mark Schmidt is an American Board of Opticianry and National Contact Lens Examiners Certified Optician licensed by the Medical Board of California. He can be easily reached at Menlo Optical, 1166 University Drive, Menlo Park. 650-322-3900.

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Special Events

Old Woodside Store Day. San Mateo County Historical Assn. presents this annual family event that focuses on the history of the 1854 Woodside Store and the logging activities once prevalent in the area. noon-4 p.m. Free. Woodside Store Historic Site, 3300 Tripp Road, Woodside. Call 650-299-0104 ext. 28. www.historysmc.org

Big Bear Run at M-A. M-A High School will host its third annual Big Bear Run (5K). Proceeds from this event benefit M-A athletes. Sun., May 4, 8:30-10:30 a.m. \$20 for adults; \$10 for students under 18. Menlo-Atherton High School, 555 Middlefield Road, Atherton.

Zonta Club Annual Authors' Luncheon. Jesse Ziff Cool ("Simply Organic"), Kelly Corrigan ("The Middle Place"), Ann Packer ("The Dive from Clausen's Pier") and Michealene Cristini Risley. Sat., May 3, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. \$75. Holbrook-Palmer Park, 150 Watkins Ave., Atherton. Call 650-444-7560. www.zontasiliconvalley.org

On Stage

"The Light in the Piazza." Palo Alto Players presents the first regional production of this Tony award-winning musical love story. April 25-May 11. Thu.-Sat. at 8 p.m.; Sun. at 2:30 p.m. \$20-31.00 Lucie Stern Theater, 1305 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto. www.paplayers.org

Harmonies from China. Shanghai Jiaotong University Chorus. Award-winning 80-member chorus. Its Stanford concert will highlight folksongs from some of China's 56 ethnic traditions. Thu., May 1, 8 p.m. \$10/5. Dinkelspiel Auditorium, Stanford University. Call 650-725-2787. panasianmusicfestival.stanford.edu

The Complete Works of Shakespeare Abridged. Sixteen comedies, 11 tragedies, seven histories and assorted sonnets performed by three actors in tights in under two hours. Through May 3, 8 p.m. \$22-32. Bus Barn Theater, 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos. Call 650-941-0551. www.busbarn.org

"The Country Club." Douglas Carter Beane's fork-tongued comedy provides a foray into the WASP nest of an exclusive Pennsylvania country club. Directed by Dragon's Artistic Director Meredith Hagedorn. Thu.-Sat. 8 p.m.; Sun. 2 p.m. April 18-May 4, \$15-\$25. Dragon Productions, 535 Alma St., Palo Alto. Call 1-800-838-3006. www.dragonproductions.net



'Blue Deer Bowl'

This bowl was created by Eliza Wilson Thomas, a ceramics teacher at Peninsula School in Menlo Oaks for 28 years. She is among nine artists showing their works for the home at Coupa Cosas shop/boutique gallery at 536 Ramona St. in downtown Palo Alto. Their works will be on exhibit through May 3. For more information, call 322-0193.

Talks/Authors

"Global Food Crisis." A conversation with Raj Patel, author of "Stuffed and Starved: The Hidden Battle for the World Food System" and former policy analyst for Food First. He will discuss the trends and policies leading to the current exponential increases in food prices around the world. Tue., May 6, 7-8 p.m. Free. Community Media Center (Wheelchair accessible), 900 San Antonio Road, Palo Alto. Call 650-326-8837. <http://www.PeaceandJustice.org>

"Love Marriage." "One of the first novels to deal with Sri Lanka and its ongoing war, 'Love Marriage' examines decades of families suffering from the war and displacement." Reading and signing by author V.V. Ganeshanathan. Wed., April 30, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Aleksandar Hemon's "The Lazarus Project." "An embracing novel that intertwines haunting historical atmosphere and detail with sharp contemporary story telling." Wed., May 7, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Author Bill Damon. Stanford professor of education discusses "Path to Purpose: Helping our Children Find their True Calling in Life." Bill Damon investigates why so many young people are "failing to launch." Thu., May 8, 7 p.m. Books Inc Palo Alto, 855 El Camino Real #74, Palo Alto. Call 650-321-0600. www.booksinc.net

Firoozeh Dumas's "Laughing Without an Accent." "The author of Funny in Farsi returns with a warm and humorous autobio-

graphical story about being a citizen of the world in her American, Iranian, Parisian family." Mon., May 5, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Jennifer Sey's "Chalked Up." "An eye-opening, behind-the-scenes look at the brutal competition, dangerous training regimes, intense parental pressure, and pervasive win-at-all-costs attitude of professional gymnastics." Thu., May 1, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Roger Lowenstein's "While America Aged: How Pension Debts Ruined General Motors, Stopped the NYC Subways, Bankrupted San Diego, and Loom as the Next Financial Crisis." Tue., May 6, 7:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Ten Discoveries That Rewrote History. Professor Patrick Hunt author of "Ten Discoveries That Rewrote History" will discuss his book and show slides. 11 a.m.-noon. Free. Menlo Park Library, 800 Alma St., Menlo Park. Call 650-330-2512. www.menloparklibrary.org

Art

Vicki Coe Mitchell Art Exhibit. Vicki Coe Mitchell presents more than 30 original oils and pastels, many of local scenes. Also dozens of giclee prints on paper and canvas. Through April 30, Free. Allegro Framing and Art, 3056 Woodside Road (across from Roberts market), Woodside. Call 650-529-1800.

Watercolors by Katherine McGuire.

Exhibition of new contemporary watercolor paintings titled "San Francisco" by artist Katherine McGuire of Menlo Park. Exhibit runs through April 30, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Portola Art Gallery, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park. www.portolaartgallery.com

Exhibits

Open Studio in Menlo Park. View the work of several landscape artists at their open studio: Alice Weil (www.aliceweil.com) and Kim Holl (www.kimhollpainting.com). May 3 and 10, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Open Studio 2008, 856 Partridge Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-906-2045. www.AliceWeil.com

Benefits

Adolescent Counseling Service's Annual Gala. Dine and dance at the ACS Spring Sounds gala in support of ACS services, including counseling and substance-abuse treatment and prevention education for at-risk teens and their families. An evening of live music, auctions, dinner and dancing. Sat., May 3, 6:30-11 p.m. \$200. Sharon Heights Golf and Country Club, 2900 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park. Call 650-424-0852 ext. 106. www.acs-teens.org

Acterra's Party for the Planet. Acterra presents its annual Earth Day celebration. This carbon-free event benefits Acterra's local environmental programs. Organic dinner, live jazz, and live and silent auctions with guest auctioneer state Sen. Joe Simitian. Sat., May 3, 6:30-11 p.m. \$85. University Club of Palo Alto, 3277 Miranda Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-962-9876 ext. 346. www.acterra.org/earthday

Community Events

10th Annual VisionQuest Youth Program. Dinner, music, motivational speaker, door-prize drawing (laptops, gift certificates, A/V equipment, etc.) and more. Dinner: Hosted by Crime Prevention Narcotics Drugs Education Center. Wed., April 30, 5:30-9 p.m. Free. CPN-DEC Headquarters, 605 Hamilton Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-462-5921. www.cpndec.org

Bay Area Science Forum. An interactive dialogue with experts on the water issues of the San Francisco Bay Area. A discussion between David Freyberg, Stanford University, and Brent Haddad, University of California, Santa Cruz. Thu., May 8, 7:30-9 p.m. Free. Cubberley Audi-

torium, School of Education Building, Stanford. Call 650-725-2410. bayareascienceforum.org

Tainted Trials, Stolen Justice. Mid-Peninsula ACLU presents Rick Tulsy, reporter for the San Jose Mercury News, who wrote the investigative series, "Tainted Trials, Stolen Justice," and Natasha Minsker, ACLU Northern CA death-penalty policy director, in a panel discussion on the current state of the criminal-justice system. Sat., May 3, 2:30-5 p.m. Free. Includes free refreshments. Fireside Room, Unitarian Church, 505 East Charleston Ave., Palo Alto. <http://www.aclu-midpen.org/Events.htm>

Concerts

"We Are United: A Spring Musical." The Kids/Youth Music Ministry of Menlo Park Presbyterian Church presents their year-end concert. Sun., May 4, 6 p.m. Free. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. Call 650-323-8657. www.mppc.org

Concordia University Choir Concert. The music ensembles of Concordia University-Portland will give a concert: "Building Bridges - Serving Like Christ." The concerts will include repertoire selections composed or arranged by J.S. Bach, Samuel Barber, Anton Bruckner, William Byrd and more. Wed., May 7, 7-9 p.m. Free. Bethany Lutheran Church, 1095 Cloud Ave., Menlo Park.

Kids & Families

Celebration: The Magic of Reading. Join Kepler's and the friends of the Menlo Park Library for the 14th annual Celebration of the Magic of Reading. Kepler's will donate 10 percent of all store sales to the Belle Haven Library. Student bands from Encinal, M-A and other Menlo Park schools will provide entertainment all day. Sat., May 3, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Confident Kids/Confident Parents. "Making Wise Choices" is an eight-week workshop designed to build confidence and self-esteem in children of single parents and foster parents. In addition to the children's module, the program offers a parallel track for parents. Thursdays, 6:45-8:15 p.m. \$30 per family. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, Room A-25, 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. www.mppc.org

Day of the Books/Day of the Children. An English/Spanish day-long celebration with music from Victor Hugo Santos. Wed., April 30, 1:15 p.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147.

El día de los Libros. Portola Valley Library will be celebrating El día de los Niños/El día de los Libros with a special preschool bilingual storytime. Registration is limited to 40. Wed., April 30, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Portola Valley Library, 4575 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. www.smcl.org

Going Batty at the Woodside Library. Meet a few friendly bats and learn the truth about bat fact and bat fiction with Monique Lee of the California Bat Conservation Fund. Best for ages 5 and older. Wed., May 7, 3:30 p.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147.

Kirk Waller: Mime and Storyteller. Kirk Waller is an award-winning storyteller whose "style blends movement, music and high energy for a fun-filled and unforgettable experience." Thu., April 8, 4:30-5:30 p.m. Historic Schoolhouse, 765 Portola Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. www.smcl.org

Live Cooking Demonstration with Julia Myall. Myall picks from among the recipes featured in her book. Thu., May 8, 7 p.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

Lynn Hazen's "Cinder Rabbit." This local author unveils her new picture book. "Zoe is the star of her school play and is tickled pink that she will be leading her school in the Bunny Hop. When a classmate causes her to forget her talent, she turns to some special friends to help her remember that she really is a star." Sun., May 4, 11:30 a.m. Free. Kepler's Books, 1010 El Camino Real, Menlo Park. Call 650-324-4321. www.keplers.com

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mornings. 11-11:30 a.m. Portola Valley Library, 4575 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. www.smcl.org

Preschool Storytime @ Portola Valley Library. "Preschool age children are learning to sit for longer periods of time and may sit alone with caregivers close by. Storytellers will help develop preschoolers' attention spans and love of story by sharing longer books and using fewer movement and song breaks." Wednesdays, 1:30-2 p.m. Portola Valley Library, 4575 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. www.smcl.org

Toddler Musical Storytime. Finger plays, stories, songs and fun. For ages 18 months to 3 years. Wednesdays through April 30, 11-11:30 a.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147.

Toddler Time at Portola Valley Library. For children ages 18-36 months old. Tuesdays, 11-11:30 a.m. Portola Valley Library, 4575 Alpine Road, Portola Valley. Call 650-851-0560. www.smcl.org

Woodside Library Baby Musical Storytime. Rhymes, songs and lap-sit activities for parents and infants. For ages newborn to 2 years old. Wednesdays through April 30, 10-10:30 a.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Rd., Woodside. Call 650-851-0147.

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How to Build a Crystal Radio. Students build their own crystal radio sets: winding coils, drilling a mounting board, placing components on it, and wiring the set. Saturdays, May 3, 10, 17 and 31, 10 a.m.-noon. Members \$55/non-members \$65. Museum of American Heritage, 351 Homer Ave., Palo Alto. Call 650-321-1004. www.moah.org

Woodside Library Book Club. Discuss "The Sea Captain's Wife" by Martha Hodes. Based on 500 family letters that chronicles Eunice Connolly's life, her poverty-stricken upbringing in New England, marriage to a Southern man who fought and died during the

Civil War, marriage to a black sea captain, and move to the West Indies. Tue., May 6, 11:15 a.m. Free. Woodside Library, 3140 Woodside Road, Woodside. Call 650-851-0147.

Circle of Support Breakfast. Author Firoozeh Dumas will speak at the fifth annual Circle of Support Breakfast benefiting Family and Children Services about "Laughing Without An Accent: Building Bridges Through Humor." Susan Ford Dorsey will be presented with the annual award. Thu., May 8, 8-10:30 a.m. \$75; tables \$700. Crowne Plaza Cabana Hotel, 4290 El Camino Real, Palo Alto. Call 650-326-6576 ext. 5423. http://www.fcscservices.org

Menlo Park Presbyterian Church Cycling Fellowship. Regularly scheduled mid-week road ride covers 20-30 miles at a 15-17 mph pace in the Portola Valley, Woodside and Los Altos areas. Rain cancels. Departs from the parking lot directly behind Menlo Park Presbyterian Church. Wednesdays, 5-7:45 p.m. Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, 940 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park. www.mppcc.org

RESOLUTION NO. 1655 (2008)

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO ANNEX CERTAIN TERRITORY TO THE WEST BAY SANITARY DISTRICT ON-SITE WASTEWATER DISPOSAL ZONE

Lands of Duncan (080-085-060 & 080-085-360), Lands of Foster (080-085-230), Lands of Wheeler (080-085-150) and Lands of Blois & Schink (080-085-100)

The District Board of West Bay Sanitary District finds and determines as follows:

- A. This Resolution of Intention is adopted pursuant to the District's "Zone Master Annexation Resolution" ("ZOMAR"), which was adopted by the District Board on August 12, 1996. The provisions of ZOMAR are incorporated by reference into this Resolution of Intention.
- B. The District has received an application to annex a parcel of real property (the "Parcel") to the District's On-Site Wastewater Disposal Zone (the "Zone"). The Parcels are described in Exhibits "A-1 through A-5" attached to this Resolution of Intention and the description contained in the Exhibit are incorporated by reference. The name and address of the applicants and the number, type, volume and location of on-site wastewater disposal systems which are proposed to operate on the parcel to be annexed are described in Exhibits "B-1 through B-5" attached to this Resolution of Intention and the information contained in the Exhibits are incorporated by reference.
- C. The applicants have demonstrated to the satisfaction of the District Board that the Parcel constitutes "real property" for the purposes of Section 2(b) of ZOMAR in that:
- All of the conditions described in Subsections i., ii., iii., iv. and v. of ZOMAR Section 2(b) are satisfied; or
- Other conditions exist which demonstrate that the Parcel will benefit directly or indirectly from the activities of the Zone. If applicable, those conditions are also set forth in Exhibit "B" and are incorporated by reference.
- D. All of the conditions and requirements of ZOMAR Sections 2(a), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) have been fully satisfied.

In consideration of the foregoing findings and determinations,

IT IS RESOLVED by the District Board as follows:

- It is the intention of the District Board to annex the Parcel to the Zone pursuant to the provisions of ZOMAR and applicable provisions of law.
- In conjunction with a meeting of the District Board to be duly and regularly called and conducted, the Board will conduct a Public Hearing for the purpose of considering all matters pertaining to this Resolution of Intention.

The time, date and place of the Public Hearing are:

Date: June 11, 2008
Time: 7:00 PM
Place: West Bay Sanitary District Offices
500 Laurel Street
Menlo Park, CA 94025

At the Public Hearing, all interested persons will be heard.

- This Resolution of Intention shall be published and copies shall be delivered to the persons and entities as specified in ZOMAR Section 2(e)(i.).
- A true copy of this Resolution of Intention shall promptly be filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo.
- The District Manager shall cause the matters set forth in Sections 3 and 4 of this Resolution of Intention to be completed as directed.

Passed and adopted by the District Board of the West Bay Sanitary District at a regular meeting thereof held on the 23rd day of April, 2008 by the following vote:

AYES: Shepherd, Walker, Knight, Harrison

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT: Lomax

Attest:

President of the District Board of the West Bay Sanitary District of San Mateo County, State of California
Ronald Shepherd

Secretary of the District Board of the West Bay Sanitary District of San Mateo County, State of California
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- Main-level room with private bath for office or possible 5th bedroom
- Tremendous kitchen with top-of-the-line appliances and casual dining area
- Romantic upper-level master suite opens to a vast covered balcony deck
- Beautifully landscaped grounds of approx. ¼ acre back up to Westridge and feature a pool and cabana
- Excellent Las Lomas schools

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- Reception salon with wet bar and adjacent library
- Country French kitchen with white cabinetry, blue pearl granite counters, plus top-of-the-line appliances including a large-capacity wine cooler
- Family room with fireplace and home-theatre functionality
- State-of-the-art sound system inside and out
- Vast entertainment terrace with fountain, fireplace, and outdoor kitchen
- Pool and separate spa
- Fully fenced tennis court
- Two challenging putting greens with sand traps and spectator seating
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Elegant, inviting, remodeled townhome overlooking 13th Tee and 12th Fairway of Sharon Heights Golf Course with these added features:

- Three bedrooms, two & one-half baths
- New architect-designed deck with finest redwood used by artisan carpenter — creates an extra room for entertaining
- Living room fireplace redesigned with antique mantle
- Kitchen updates: new storage cabinets and bookshelves around new desk area, new high-grade gas range; new top-grade, powerful hood; new ovens, including combined microwave/convection oven; new sinks and fittings, new refrigerator; new granite counters
- Master bedroom faux painting by artist/painter; walk-in closet
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Asking Price: \$2,495,000



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9 REDBERRY RIDGE, PORTOLA VALLEY
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3 bed, 2 bath home on approx. 1.45 flat acre. Horse property with barn.
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4 BR 2.5 BA Privacy surrounds you in this Ladera home. Large windows open up to front & backyards providing natural light & garden views. Las Lomitas Schools.
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CHARMING ALLIED ARTS HOME \$1,195,000
Great downtown Menlo location. Sunny home with wood floors, large master suite, private stone patio area, separate dining, 2 car garage, MP Schools.
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505 N. CALIFORNIA AVE \$2,995,000
Stunning Early CA architecture w/Spanish influence. Hi-beamed ceilings in LR, distinctive decorative tile accents, formal DR. Lovely brick patio.
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444 LASSEN CT #7 \$549,000
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Walk to lattes! Granite, marble, stainless and private courtyard entrance in intimate 11-unit building. 1/1 + Den
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PREMIER PROPERTY \$6,995,000
6 BR 4 BA Superb cul-de-sac on aprx. 2+ ac in Pink Horse Ranch area w/private pond in park-like setting. Spacious 2-level res., gracious living & separate DR.
Diane Rothe 650.851.2666



POROLA VALLEY 3BR | 2.5BA

DISTINCTIVE WESTRIDGE ESTATE \$3,995,000
Sophisticated home, serene setting with spacious 1br, 1ba guesthouse, lovely grounds, pool and tennis on approx. 2 1/2 acres. Horses permitted.
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PRIME CIRCUS CLUB \$18,995,000
6 BR 5 full BA + 2 half Welcome to this three-story Country French estate home set on a double flag lot of approximately 2.42 acres. Excellent Menlo Park schools.
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STATELY GRAND ESTATE \$15,500,000
1 BR 4 BA 9,000+ SF of living space on nearly 2 ac. Lrg 1BR/2BA gst hse w/full basement. Regulation sized tennis ct&pool. Prime Menlo Circus Club area location
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ATHERTON ESTATE \$8,150,000
5 BR 4 BA 2 story home + basement, theater, wine cellar, den, library, gsthse, 4 car grg, pool & spa. On over 1 ac, prof. landscaped. Highest quality finishes.
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6 BR 4 BA Fantastic New England style home, approx. 8000 SF on oak-studded lot of almost 1 ac, elevator, spectacular FR/ gourmet kitchen & pantry, MP Schls.
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REBILT-NEW-FR, LGMSTR, POOL \$4,239,000
3 BR 3.5 BA Bright & Spacious with wood floors, open kitchen/ Family Room, Formal Dining, Large Master Suite, Patio, Pool & Spa & much more.
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4 BR 3.5 BA Exclusive Lindenwood Contemporary home. Architectural masterpiece of design & function. Thomas Church park-like gardens. Gourmet kitchen. Pool. Spa.
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5 BR 3 BA Ranch style appeal. Renovated kitchen, den, recreation rm. High ceilings, wood flrs, central A/C. Fully equipped pool hse. Priv lot. Excellent schls.
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FABULOUS 1920'S CHARMER \$1,395,000
2 BR 1 BA Located in the heart of Atherton, this storybook home features hardwood floors, lovely built-ins, delightful kitchen & cozy breakfast nook.
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ATHERTON PLACE END UNIT \$524,000
1 BR 1 BA Very desirable end unit in best location in Atherton Park complex. 1 level unit with hardwood floors & plantation shutters.
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SUNNY VIEWS OF MAVERICKS \$899,000
3 BR 2 BA Spacious, Sunny Highlands home w/ Mavericks Views, Hot Tub, indoor Sauna & Wood Burning fireplace - Hardwood floors.
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N LOS ALTOS CONTEMPORARY \$2,988,000
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NEW OASIS \$12,950,000
7 BR 7.5 BA Unparalleled luxury & landmark architecture await you at this gorgeous hm w/10,666sf on 1+ ac of exquisitely landscpd grounds. Moments from town-PA Schls.
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PRICE REDUCTION! \$3,998,000
4 BR 4 BA Amazing value in Los Altos Hills with Palo Alto School District. Newer, 4800+ sq ft hm set on a beautiful 1+ acre lot w/gated entrance & privacy.
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6 BR 4 BA Final plans submitted to building dept for 6BR/6BA, 5400sf Craftsman on 10,690sf lot. Designed by renowned architect Steve Pogue.
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ENGLISH COUNTRY STYLE \$3,825,000
4 BR 3.5 BA Remod. 2 story home on aprx. 1200 sf lot. Charm & high quality. Lg FR, kit + formal LR/DR. Quiet cul-de-sac location, close to Stanford & central MP.
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SPACIOUS CAPE COD HOME \$2,995,000
6 BR 4 BA This exceptional home has all the amenities one wants! Chef's kit & FR overlook picturesque garden with brick patio, lush lawn & pool.
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5 BR 3 BA Fabulous 20,000sf (approx) level sub-divided Menlo Park property presents unique opportunity to remodel existing 5BR 3BA 3340sf home OR build new!
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3 BR 2.5 BA Stunning townhouse with great Western Hills views. High ceilings & crown moldings. Superb master bdrm w/ enclosed porch. Great decks for entertaining.
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3 BR 4 BA Sale fell thru on this beautiful Tudor style home- approx 3000 SF in Las Lomitas! Priced reduced \$96,000! Rooms to roam! Best value!
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STUNNING BAY VIEWS \$4,950,000
5 BR 4 BA Elegant Cape Cod style home & 1br/1ba guest house. 3+acs, lovely gardens & vineyards. Walk to Arastradero Preserve. In Palo Alto School Dist., Gunn HS.
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SERENE RETREAT \$2,195,000
4 BR 3 BA Gorgeous western wvs & gracious gardens surrounding a beautiful pool & hot tub. Fully remodeled home w/ chef's kitchen, 2 family rms & built in study.
Francis Hunter 650.851.2666

SERENE SETTING \$2,125,000
4 BR 2.5 BA Updated home on approx. 1 acre in central Portola Valley with views of Windy Hill; 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 3 fireplaces, hardwood, kitchen/family combo.
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LADERA CONTEMPORARY \$1,699,000
6 BR 3.5 BA Secluded, woody setting on approx half acre. Formal LR, DR, FR/Kitchen. Indoor/outdoor living with extensive gardens. Walk to Ladera Recreation.
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STORYBOOK COTTAGE \$1,359,000
3 BR 2.5 BA Expanded & remodeled w/3 bd/2.5+office& bonus area. Woodland gardens, brick patio sunny yard, vegetable garden & kids play area, +views of Foothill Park
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WOODSIDE

COMPLETELY UPDATED \$13,995,000
5 BR 4 BA Extraordinary Woodside estate in prime location set on 4.5 flat acres w/Redwood groves. Guest/pool house, 6 frplc's, 4 car garage, pool, spa & sauna.
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40 IROQUOIS OPEN SUNDAY \$10,900,000
Private estate in Central WDS on nearly 9 acres, with amazing views of the Western Hills. Just minutes from Town & WDS Elem School. Pool and gsthse.
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CRAFTSMAN HOME \$8,250,000
4 BR 4 BA Fabulous new home being constructed in great central location. Walk to tennis, schools & shops. Designed by highly acclaimed architect Tim Chappelle.
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DRAMATIC 3 ACRE PROPERTY \$5,500,000
3 BR 2 BA Partial drawings for new home available to create a magical estate amidst stately oaks & redwoods. Peek-a-boo views of Western Hills. Close to town.
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LUXURY HOME IN WOODSIDE 4,799,000
4 BR 3.5 BA All the luxury and amenities of a five-star resort in Woodside Hills. Two four hole putting greens, tennis court, vegetable & cutting garden.
Tom LeMieux 650.323.7751

EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY \$4,695,000
3 BR 2 BA This flat parcel of aprx 2 ac enjoys excellent sun exposure & a secluded loc at the end of a prt lane. Existing stable for 4 horses. Wlk to tw/schtl.
Erika Demma 650.851.2666

SPLIT LEVEL HOME \$4,150,000
3 BR 2.5 BA 3.8 ac parcel set at the end of a private country lane. Beautiful oaks, pool, tennis ct., & guest house. Stanford leased land. Remodel or build new.
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READY TO BUILD \$3,995,000
2.91 acre building site. Rare flat lot and private setting down a long country lane.
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CHARMING NEIGHBORHOOD \$2,800,000
3 BR 2 BA Beautifully updated hm on almost one-half ac in WDS Glens. Sep liv/din rms, grmt kit + gst cottage w/full ba. Pvt outdoor patio & landscaped gardens.
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SAN FRANCISCO BAY VIEW! \$1,395,000
4 BR 3 BA Possible horse property. 1+ acre on cul de sac, backing on WDS trail system near Wunderlich Park. Well maintained 2 story home with huge solarium.
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BELMONT

STUNNING BELMONT BI-LEVEL \$949,000
3 BR 2 BA Updated country club home with gourmet kitchen. Stainless steel appl. Dual pane windows. Freshly painted. Newer roof. Professionally landscaped.
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GORGEOUS 3BR PRICE REDUCED! \$610,000
3 BR 2 BA Beautiful, spacious, remodeled Condo w/Wood Floors, DiningRoom, master suite, balcony & Designer Touches. Lots of Storage Space & Great location.
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BURLINGAME

VILLAGE CUL-DE-SAC! \$895,000
2 BR 2 BA Sunny split-level home, hardwood floors, formal dining, bonus room, fireplace, breakfast nook, fresh paint, new tile floor in kitchen, attached garage
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File No. 226110

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Edesigner, 2000 Crystal Springs Rd., #701, San Bruno, CA 94066: Erny Sarkany, 2000 Crystal Springs Rd., #701, San Bruno, CA 94066 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 25, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226137

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, SF/O Design, 36 Vista Verde Way, Portola Valley, CA 94028: James Kenneth Rodgers, 36 Vista Verde Way, Portola Valley, CA 94028 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 1997. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 26, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226204

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Deseo, 851 Main St., Redwood City, CA 94063: Renato Cusimano, Dione Cusimano, 99 Stockbridge Ave., Atherton, CA 94027 This business is being conducted by husband and wife. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on August 1, 2008. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 31, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226218

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Flaming Fresco, 823 Hamilton St., Redwood City, CA 94062: Guadalupe Galindo, 2423 Washington Ave., Redwood City, CA 94062; Luis M. Vasquez, 823 Hamilton Ave., Redwood City, CA 94061 This business is being conducted by Copartners. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on May 31, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

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File No. 226185

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Peninsula Real Estate Associates, 517 Crescent Avenue, San Mateo, CA 94404: Carlos Santamaria, 517 Crescent Avenue, San Mateo, CA 94404 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 28, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226654

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Accent Your Beauty, 1140 Bay Road, E. Palo Alto, CA 94303: Nichole Berry, 39800 Fremont Blvd., #504, Fremont, CA 94538 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on March 4, 2008. (Almanac April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226361

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Intechne, 327 Oakwood Place, Menlo Park, CA 94025: Sanjay Saigal, 327 Oakwood Place, Menlo Park, CA 94025 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 7, 2008. (Almanac April 16, 23, 30, May 7, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 225882

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Distinctive Interiors, 1259 El Camino Real, #210, Menlo Park, CA 94025: Sharon D. & Irwin S. Kasser, 10 Ridgeview Drive, Atherton, CA 94027 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 3/1/08. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 3/17/08. (Almanac April 16, 23, 30, May 7, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226180

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Diane Middlebrook Memorial Building Fund, 2325 Bear Gulch Road, Woodside, CA 94062: Djerassi Resident Artists Program, 2325 Bear Gulch Road, Woodside, CA 94062 This business is being conducted by A Corporation. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 12/24/07. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 3/28/08. (Almanac April 23, 30, May 7, 14, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226304

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Mi Taqueria, 875 Hamilton Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025: Jessy Medina, 3432 Bay Road, Redwood City, CA 94063 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on April 3, 2008. (Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 14, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226565

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Bonsai Japanese Cuisine, 3401 El Camino Real, Atherton, CA 94027: Daizi Han, Michael Han, 675 Manzanita Way, Woodside, CA 94062 This business is being conducted by husband & wife. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious busi-

ness name(s) listed herein on N/A. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 4/16/08. (Almanac April 23, 30, May 7, 14, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226540

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Forty One Thirty Fabrication, 263 Oakhurst Place, Menlo Park, CA 94025: Roger Thomas Schoeniger, 263 Oakhurst Place, Menlo Park, CA 94025 This business is being conducted by an individual. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 4/1/08. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 4/14/08. (Almanac April 30, May 7, 14, 21, 2008)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 226128

The following individual(s) is (are) doing business as, Localispace.com, 740 Bair Island Road, Unit 101 Redwood City, CA 94063: Branching Out, LLC, 740 Bair Island Road, Suite 101, Redwood City, CA 94063 This business is being conducted by a Limited Liability Company. Registrant began transacting business under the fictitious business name(s) listed herein on 2/27/08. This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of San Mateo County on 3/25/08. (Almanac April 30, May 7, 14, 21, 2008)

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Trustee Sale # CA0815564 Loan# 9041163460 Order # G742656 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/01/2004. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On 04/29/2008 at 12:30PM, MTC FINANCIAL INC., dba TRUSTEE CORPS as the duly appointed Substituted Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 11/15/2004 as Document No. 2004-223927 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, CALIFORNIA, executed by, SAUL CABALLERO AND Leticia Caballero, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Trustor, DOWNEY SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, F.A., as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). AT: THE MARSHALL ST. ENTRANCE TO THE HALL OF JUSTICE AND RECORDS, 400 COUNTY CENTER, REDWOOD CITY, CA The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State describing the land therein: APN # 063412-120 LOT 1, BLOCK 23, AS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN MAP OF TRACT NO. 634 PALO ALTO GARDENS, MAP NO. 2, SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, WHICH MAP WAS FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON FEBRUARY 9, 1951, IN BOOK 12 OF MAPS, PAGE(S) 50. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 103 LOTUS WAY, EAST PALO ALTO, CA 94303 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided

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in said Note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Trustee's Sale is: \$478,454.18 (estimated amount). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Dated: 04/09/2008 TRUSTEE CORPS, as Successor Trustee By: CARLOS F QUEZADA, TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER "TRUSTEE CORPS" 2112 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, 2ND FLOOR, IRVINE, CA 92612 FOR SALE INFORMATION CONTACT: (714)573-1965, (714) 573-7777, (949) 252-8300 FOR REINSTATEMENT / PAY OFF REQUESTS CONTACT: (949) 252-8300 P390025 4/9, 4/16, 04/23/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/9, 16, 23, 30, 2008)

Trustee Sale No.: 20080025300187 Title Order No.: M800258 FHA/VA/PMI No.: 16771032 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/27/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 01/09/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-003137 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed By: Sabino Baez, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924(hb), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 5/6/2008 Time of Sale: 12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1335 Sever Avenue Menlo Park, CA 94025 APN#: 055-373-320-5 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$580,458.25. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 4/12/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P390339 4/16, 4/23, 04/30/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/16, 23, 30, 2008)

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134000271 Title Order No.: 1150796 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/3/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT

YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 10/07/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-175873 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed By: Tomas Ayala Tomas Agala Tomas Agala, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924(hb), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 5/6/2008 Time of Sale: 12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2228 Euclid Ave East Palo Alto, CA 94303 APN#: 063-302-400-5 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$586,767.67. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 4/11/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P390372 4/16, 4/23, 04/30/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/16, 23, 30, 2008)

TSG No.: 3570138 TS No.: 20089134000088 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 5/3/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 5/6/2008 at 12:30 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 05/17/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-073789, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed by: Jose Arturo Cebrenros, A Married Man As His Sole And Separate Property, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924(hb), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 063-014-090-3 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2737 Georgetown Street , East Palo Alto, CA 94303 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid

balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$554,233.00 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 4/16/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers - For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P388211 4/16, 4/23, 04/30/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/16, 23, 30, 2008)

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134000427 Title Order No.: FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 6/13/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 06/24/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-105470 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed By: Maria Elia Garcia Maria Garcia, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924(hb), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 5/6/2008 Time of Sale: 12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1313 Carlton Avenue Menlo Park, CA 94025 APN#: 055-382-420-2 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$571,871.13. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 4/11/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P390261 4/16, 4/23, 04/30/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/16, 23, 30, 2008)

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Trustee Sale No. 07-3720 Loan No. 23299 Title Order No. APN 062-125-030-7 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 2/13/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 5/6/2008 at 12:30PM, Old Republic Default Management Services, a Division of Old Republic National Title Insurance Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 02/23/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-028069 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, executed by: Elvira Andrade, an unmarried woman as Trustor, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee, as Beneficiary, Will Sell At Public Auction To The Highest Bidder For Cash (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: Lot 1, Block 3, as shown on that certain map entitled, "Bay Shore Park, San Mateo County, California", filed in the office of the Recorder of the City of East Palo Alto, County of San Mateo, State of California on December 22, 1926, in Book 14 of Maps at Pages 60 to 62 inclusive. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1123 Mello St, East Palo Alto, CA 94303. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to wit: \$621,891.25 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The Undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 4/9/2008 Old Republic Default Management Services, a Division of Old Republic National Title Insurance Company, as Trustee Leslie Marsh, Assistant Vice President Old Republic Default Management Services P.O. Box 250 Orange, CA 92856-6250 For Sale Information Contact: Priority Posting and Publishing (714) 573-1965 P394455 4/16, 4/23, 04/30/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/16, 23, 30, 2008)

Trustee Sale No.: 20080134000808 Title Order No.: 3206-55189 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 7/14/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 07/24/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-110003 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed By: Joel Arenas and Alicia Arenas, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 5/13/2008 Time of Sale:

12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2191 Poplar Avenue East Palo Alto, CA 94303 APN#: 063-151-100 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$446,304.79. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.priorityposting.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 4/17/2008 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P394010 4/23, 4/30, 05/07/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 2008)

TSG No.: 3584308 TS No.: 20089125600148 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/14/2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 5/13/2008 at 12:30 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/25/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-186020, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, State of California. Executed by: Abida Khan, Muzamil Khan, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 063-102-360-3 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 111 Grace Avenue , Palo Alto, CA 94303 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$515,957.89 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 4/23/2008 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any

information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers - For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P392794 4/23, 4/30, 05/07/2008 (Published in The Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 2008)

T.S. # 2930/SYME Notice of Trustees Sale On Tuesday May 13, 2008 at 12:30 PM of said day At the Marshall St. entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA in the City of Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, Trust Deed Investments, Inc., as duly appointed trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real properties situated in the City of Atherton, County of San Mateo, State of California and described as follows: Lot 9, delineated upon that certain map entitled "Terry Manor, Atherton San Mateo County, California", filed for record in the office of the recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on September 21st , 1956 in Book 46 of maps, at page 8. Excepting from said lot 9 a strip of land 6 inches wide measured at right angles northeasterly form and lying contiguous to the southwesterly line of lot 9 as conveyed by deed from Sierra Furniture Company, a Corporation, to town Atherton, a municipal corporation, dated July 30, 1956 and recorded September 21, 1956 in Book 3098 of official records at page 680, records of San Mateo County, California. APN #070-032-290-2 Common Address: 96 Mulberry Lane, Atherton, CA (This Deed of Trust is cross-collateralized with that certain Deed of Trust (together with any modifications thereto) dated August 18, 2003, executed by Scott W. Syme and Tracey E. Syme, husband and wife, as joint tenants, as Trustor, and Trustor, and recorded on September 5, 2003, as Instrument No. 2003-252007, of official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, California) Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the Power of Sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Andrew B. Wyatt and Nancy H. Wyatt, husband and wife as Community Property, as Trustor, dated August 18, 2003, and recorded September 5, 2003, as Document No. 2003-252000, in the office of the San Mateo County Recorder. The amount owing on subject obligation is: Principal \$843,000.00 Interest \$74,003.10 Late Charges \$7,025.04; Legal fees: \$4,185.40; Advances: \$8,880.11; Interest on Advances: \$9,200.00; Other \$ 2,018.63; Foreclosure Costs \$11,718.12 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED August 18, 2003 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Dated: April 16, 2008 Trust Deed Investments, Inc. 1255 Post Street, #496 San Francisco, CA 94109 (415) 923-9061 Philip Goldstein, President P396295 4/23, 4/30, 05/07/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 2008)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. GM-93206-C Loan No. 0713915598 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 9/13/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by the duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. TRUSTOR:KILISIMASI SAILI, A SINGLE MAN Recorded 9/28/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-169216 in Book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of San Mateo County, California, Date of Sale:5/14/2008 at 1:00 PM Place of Sale: At the Marshall

Street entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, 400 County Center, Redwood City, California Property Address is purported to be: 14 BUCHANAN COURT EAST PALO ALTO, CA 94303-0000 APN #: 063-265-020-6. The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is \$742,845.09, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. Date: 4/14/2008 EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC FKA EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC. 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: 714-259-7850 Dianna Sandoval, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER ASAP# 2738583 04/23/2008, 04/30/2008, 05/07/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 2008)

T.S. # 2610/SYME Notice of Trustees Sale On Tuesday, May 13, 2008 at 12:30 PM of said day At the Marshall Street entrance to the Hall of Justice and Records, located at 400 County Center, in the City of Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, Trust Deed Investments, Inc., as duly appointed trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real properties situated in the City of Atherton, County of San Mateo, State of California and described as follows: Lot 9, delineated upon that certain map entitled "Terry Manor, Atherton San Mateo County, California", filed for record in the office of the recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on September 21st, 1956 in Book 46 of Maps, at Page 8. Excepting from said Lot 9 a strip of land 6 inches wide measured at right angles Northeasterly from and lying contiguous to the Southwesterly line of Lot 9 as conveyed by deed from Sierra Furniture Company, a Corporation, to town of Atherton, a municipal corporation, dated July 30, 1956 and recorded September 21, 1956 in Book 3098 of official records at Page 680, records of San Mateo County, California. A.P.N. 070-032-290-2 Common Address: 96 Mulberry Lane, Atherton, CA (This Deed of Trust is cross-collateralized with that certain Deed of Trust (together with any modifications thereto) dated June 10, 2002, executed by Scott W. Syme and Tracey E. Syme, husband and wife as joint tenants, as Trustor, and recorded on June 12, 2002, as Instrument No. 2002-114169, of Official Records in the office of the county Recorder of San Mateo County, California). Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the Pow of Sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Andrew B. Wyatt and Nancy H. Wyatt, husband and wife as Community Property, as Trustor, dated June 10, 2002, and recorded June 12, 2002, as Document No. 2002-114171 in the office of the San Mateo County Recorder. The amount owing on subject obligation is: Principal \$375,500.00 Interest \$105,602.85 Late Charges \$5,867.25 Other: \$75.00; Foreclosure Costs \$6,595.00 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/10/2002 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Dated: 4/16/2008 Trust Deed Investments, Inc. 1255 Post Street, #496 San Francisco, CA 94109 (415) 923-9061 Philip Goldstein, President. This is one of two notices of sale under the foregoing note. This notice is recorded in San Mateo County. The second notice affecting additional collateral for the note at 100 Bridge Road, Hillsborough, CA is being recorded in San Mateo County. P396296 4/23, 4/30, 05/07/2008 (Published in the Almanac 4/23, 30, 5/7, 2008)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No.: 20080073400102 Title Order No.: 30110355 FHA/VA/PMI No.: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 05/23/00. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 05/24/00, as Instrument No. 2000?061478 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of SAN MATEO COUNTY, State of California. EXECUTED BY: WILLIAM H. PALMER WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) DATE OF SALE: May 20, 2008 TIME OF SALE: 12:30 PM PLACE OF SALE:

At the Marshall Street entrance to the Hall of Justice at 400 County Center, Redwood City, CA STREET ADDRESS and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 169 SAUSAL DRIVE, PORTOLA VALLEY, CA 94028. APN# 079?060?310 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial

publication of the Notice of Sale is \$2,849,255.15. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. FOR TRUSTEE SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: NATIONWIDE POSTING & PUBLICATION, INC. 3350 COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE, SUITE 202, CAMERON PARK, CA 95682 (530) 672-3033, www.nationwideposting.com NDex West L.L.C. MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NDex West, L.L.C. as Authorized Agent, BY: Ric Juarez Dated: 04/24/08 NPP0126232 04/30/08, 05/07/08, 05/14/08 (Published in the Almanac 4/30, 5/7, 14, 2008)

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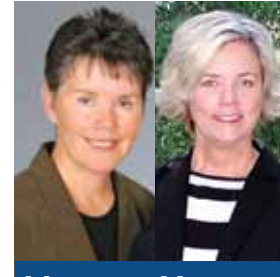
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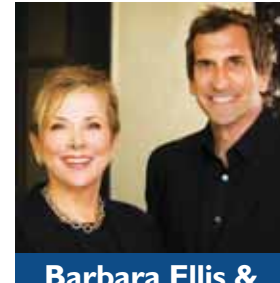
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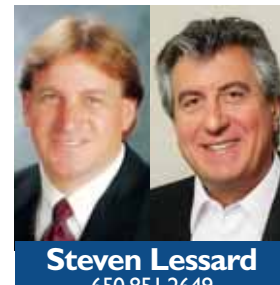
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