



October is nearly over, and it has flown by.

My office has been hard at work during this time, sponsoring the Love Orange and Love Mission Viejo community events as well as the Orange and Yorba Linda State of the City events, amongst others.

We are also faced with the difficult news of Supervisor Andrew Do's resignation in light of federal charges against him. As Chairman, it is my responsibility to take over the consituent work of districts that are left vacant to ensure that the residents of the district still receive their vital county services. The business of the county will continue to get done, and the residents of District 1 will be serviced as needed.

With all that is going on, we still have Halloween ahead of us, where family and friends can enjoy their time together, celebrating this festive occasion filled with

creativity, costumes, and community spirit. It's a chance to embrace the joy of the season, share some laughs, and perhaps indulge in a few spooky stories, reminding us that even amidst challenges, moments of fun and connection are vital for our well-being. I wish you all a safe and Happy Halloween!

#### IN THE NEWS

# Statement from Chairman Don Wagner Pertaining Future of District 1 Constituent Services Following Supervisor Andrew Do's Resignation

**Santa Ana, CA** – Today, Supervisor Andrew Do resigned as Supervisor for District 1 on the Orange County Board of Supervisors. During periods of vacancy on the Board of Supervisors, the office of the Chairman is tasked with assuring continuity of services for district residents until a new supervisor takes office.

"In light of this vacancy, it is the responsibility of my office to oversee District 1 in this interim period until the winner of next month's election takes office," said Chairman Wagner. "The business of the county will continue to get done, and the residents of District 1 will not be left without vital county services. I have ensured that the office will be staffed in this interim period and will oversee its operations as provided by law."

Chairman Wagner remains committed to prioritizing the needs of District 1 residents during this transition, ensuring that vital services continue without interruption.

# Op-Ed: Gavin Newsom's Harebrained Special Session Risks Higher Gas Prices Across California

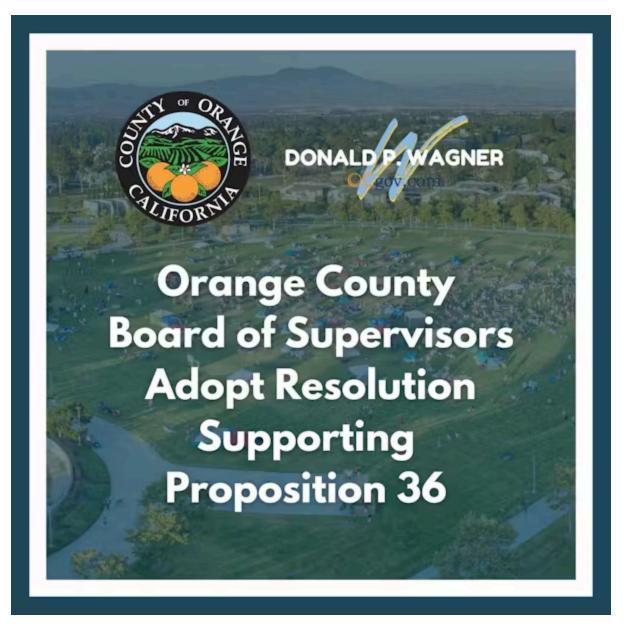
Governor Newsom's special session proposal could lead to even higher gas prices across California. Take a look at my op-ed in the Orange County Register where I share why this plan is a bad move for our economy and for hardworking Californians.

Read my full op-ed here.

Op-Ed: Los Angeles' Plan for a Car-Free 2028 Olympics is a Costly Pipe Dream

As we prepare for the 2028 Olympics, it's crucial to address the realities of LA's car-free vision. In my op-ed published by Fox News, I break down why this plan is a costly pipe dream that could hurt Southern Californians. Read the full op-ed here.

# ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADOPTS RESOLUTION SUPPORTING PROPOSITION 36



On October 8th, the Orange County Board of Supervisors passed a resolution in support of Proposition 36, the Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act. Thank you to my colleague Supervisor Doug Chaffee for bringing this item forward with me and to OC Sheriff Don Barnes and Orange County District Attorney Todd Spitzer for sharing their support for the item.

This bipartisan measure introduces much-needed reforms to Proposition 47, addressing nearly a decade of unintended consequences.

Proposition 47 has contributed to the rise in organized retail theft, store closures, and difficulties in getting people the mental health and addiction treatment they desperately need. Proposition 36 offers targeted solutions, ensuring public safety while helping individuals break the cycle of addiction and crime.

With enhanced accountability for fentanyl trafficking, expanded mental health and drug treatment services, and job training, Prop 36 prioritizes both public safety and rehabilitation. The Board of Supervisors believes this is a critical step in reducing crime and improving the well-being of Orange County and communities across California.

#### HAPPY HALLOWEEN



I want to wish you all a very happy and safe Halloween!

IN THE COMMUNITY

# YORBA LINDA FIRST RESPONDERS APPRECIATION BREAKFAST





I had the privilege of leading the Pledge of Allegiance at the Yorba Linda First Responders Appreciation Breakfast held at Black Gold Golf Club. This was a wonderful event!

Congratulations to all the men and women in law enforcement, fire protection, and emergency medical services, who were honored that morning.

First responders are the backbone when it comes to protecting our public safety. We owe them our upmost respect and heartfelt gratitude for their service.

Kudos to the Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce for organizing this annual event.

# LIVE WITH THE PETROS AND MONEY SHOW





I joined AM 570's The Petros & Money Show live on air at BJ's Restaurant in Irvine to discuss sports, local politics, and much more.

Just like last time, I had a blast, and I am grateful for the opportunity to be on the program!

# BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH PRESS CONFERENCE AT CITY OF HOPE IRVINE CAMPUS





I joined City of Hope Orange County, Orange County Health Care Agency, CalOptima, and other local elected leaders for a Breast Cancer Awareness Month Press Conference at City of Hope's Irvine campus.

Every October, we are encouraged to wear pink to spread awareness of breast cancer and treatment, which City of Hope is dedicated to.

Even in a place as remarkable as Orange County, none of us are immune to the threat of cancer. Breast cancer affects women of all backgrounds.

In 2025, the City of Hope Orange County will add an in-patient hospital dedicated exclusively to treating and curing care to its campus.

It is gratifying to know that the residents of Orange County have a reliable treatment center like City of Hope right in their backyard.

# CERTIFICATES FOR MISSION VIEJO'S LITTLE LEAGUE DISTRICT 68 CHALLENGER TEAM



My Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, presented certificates of recognition for the Mission Viejo's Little League District 68 Challenger team for participating in the 2024 Challenger Division Exhibition Game in Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

This division gives opportunities to developmentally disabled children in our communities, so they can have a chance to participate in the sports we all love!

Safe travels and best of luck!

# MISSION VIEJO QUARTERLY RECOGNITION FOR OUTSTANDING MARINES



My Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, joined the City of Mission Viejo for its quarterly recognition of outstanding Marines, where she presented certificates of recognition.

Congratulations to Lance Corporal Andrew T. Dodd -Marine of the Quarter & Sergeant Ysabel A. Bautista – Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter.

Thank you both for your tireless service to our country!

#### YORBA LINDA STATE OF THE CITY







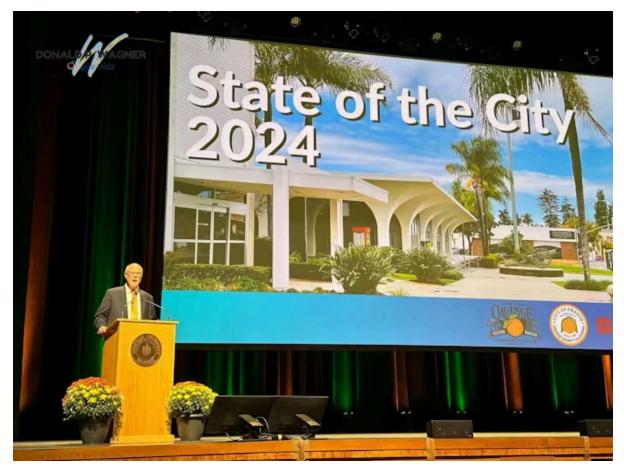
It was a pleasure to attend and lead the Pledge of Allegiance at Yorba Linda's State of the City event this week, with over 300 attendees.

A true highlight was recognizing Lainie Nicholson as this year's Citizen of the Year. Lainie, a dedicated community volunteer, has led Girl Scout Troops for over a decade, guiding five girls to earn the prestigious Gold Award. She's also an active member of Yorba Linda Sunrise Rotary Club and serves as Vice President of Yorba Linda Food for Families, helping ensure families in need have food on their tables. It was an honor to present her with a Proclamation for her outstanding service.

Mayor Campbell gave a spirited overview of the city's achievements and shared exciting plans for the future, promising even more great things for Yorba Linda's residents and businesses. Mayor Campbell is an amazing young woman who serves Yorba Linda- and all the residents of the Third District- with class, dignity, dedication, and enormous talent.

#### ORANGE STATE OF THE CITY





Last Friday, my Field Representative, Pat Buttress, attended Orange Mayor Dan Slater's State of the City event.

The Large Business of the Year – FERA Hotel, - Small Business of the Year – The Dutchess of Cambridge, and Non-Profit of the Year – Woman's Club of Orange were all honored.

Also recognized was the 2023 Citizen of the Year, Aaron Jacoby, a generous member of the Orange community giving of his time, talent, and treasure. He is always helping with videos, photos, and working with various groups helping Orange and Canyon High Schools, as well as many other Orange Unified School District schools. He is also very committed to Greater Orange Community Arts Theater (GOCAT).

It was a well attended event and we thank Mayor Slater, the city council, the Orange Chamber of Commerce, and Chapman University for making it all happen!

#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### Sponsored by:





# OPIOID CRISIS RESPONSE FORUM FOR CITIES

For any questions about this event, please contact ADEPT@ochca.com.

#### **DETAILS:**

- Learn the most recent data related to opioid related deaths and ED opioid overdose visits in OC
- Learn about the county's opioid abatement settlement plan and efforts underway
- Learn from cities regarding their local efforts
- Network with county and city staff to further align efforts



#### DATE:

Tuesday, November 5, 2024



#### TIME:

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.



#### LOCATION:

Behavioral Health Training Center 750 The City Dr. S, Suite 130 Orange, CA 92868



#### TO REGISTER:

Scan the QR Code or Click Here



# You can save a life

Come by to learn how to reverse an opioid/fentanyl overdose and receive a free box of naloxone.

#### Anaheim

Anaheim Alana Club 202 W. Broadway 1st & 3rd Friday 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Recovery Road, Inc. 2370 E. Orangethorpe Ave. Monday & Thursday 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

#### Costa Mesa

Celebrating Life Community Center 700 W. 19th St. Monday through Friday 8:30am to 8pm Saturday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

#### **Huntington Beach**

Genesis New Beginnings Behavioral Health 17822 Beach Blvd., Suite 278 Monday 8:00 am to 11:00 am Tuesday 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm Friday 12:30 pm to 4:00 pm

#### Irvine

Celebrating Life Community Center 15875 Laguna Canyon Rd., Suite 250 Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

#### Laguna Hills

Twin Town 24953 Paseo De Valencia Building B, Suite 1B Monday & Friday 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm Go to Building B, take elevator on first floor to the lower level

#### Mission Viejo

Celebrating Life Community Center 27800 Medical Center Rd., Suite 109 Monday through Friday 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Saturday 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm

#### **Newport Beach**

FentanylSolution.org 4063 Birch St., Suite 150 Monday & Wednesday 11:00 am to 1:00 pm Located inside Whole Body Health Team

#### San Juan Capistrano

Mariposa Women and Family San Juan Capistrano 29222 Rancho Viejo Rd. Wednesday 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

#### Santa Ana

Asian American Senior Citizens Services Center 400 W. 10th St. Tuesday 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm Parking location: 844 N Birch St.

Celebrating Life Community Center 1444 S. Main St. Monday through Friday 9:30 am to 4:00 pm Saturday 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

MECCA - Multi-Ethnic Collaborative of Community Agencies The Village Shared Spaces 1505 E. 17th St. Every Wednesday 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm Call for a different day or time

Orangewood Foundation 1575 E. 17th St. Monday & Wednesday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am to 7:00 pm Friday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

#### Tustin

The Purpose of Recovery 131 N. Tustin Ave., Suite 100 Every Tuesday 9:00 am to 11:00 am Training offered in Spanish too



Be aware, be informed. Be safe. www.FentanylisForeverOC.org



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### DOWNLOAD THE OFFICE ON AGING'S FREE MOBILE APP

Search "OC Senior Resources" in the App Store or Google Play to download the app.















# SEARCH BY CATEGORIES & KEYWORDS

Search the directory of services available to older adults and their families living in Orange County.



## ACCESS OLDER ADULT SERVICES & RESOURCES

Easily access information related to disability services, caregiver support, employment, education, financial assistance, insurance, and more.



#### **GET MAPS & DIRECTIONS**

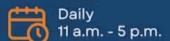
View what programs and facilities are located near you.

For more information, call (714) 480-6450 or visit officeonaging.ocgov.com



# **Daily Adoption Options**

#### **Adoption Visits**



- Scheduled Adoption Visits available for the convenience of adopters
- Walk-in Adoption Visits welcome and provided next available time slot
- To pre-schedule a visit, call 714-935-6848
- Phone line open daily from 8 a.m. 5 p.m.

#### **Viewing Hours**



- OC Animal Care is open daily for visitors to drop by to walk through
- Visitors can view ready-to-gohome dogs and cats during Viewing Hours

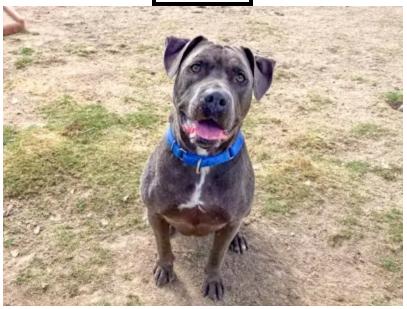
At OC Animal Care, we know how important it is to get to know a pet before you make the final decision to adopt. That's why one-on-one "meet-and-greets" are a critical part of the OCAC adoption process.

OC Animal Care's mission is to provide refuge and care for animals, foster the human-animal bond, and promote safety in our community.

OC Animal Care | 1630 Victory Rd.Tustin, CA 92782 | 714-935-6848

#### PET OF THE WEEK

Meet Ripley



# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **CLICK FOR MORE**

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#### LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL OC RESOURCES?

AIRPAWS PROGRAM JOHN WAYNE AIRPORT **OC BUDGET CLERK-RECORDER HOURS + LOCATIONS** OC ANIMAL CARE PET OF THE WEEK OC SHERIFF DISASTER PREP OC JOB SEEKER SERVICES OC RECYCLE GUIDE ORANGE COUNTY FIRE AUTHORITY

Chairman Wagner is proud to serve approximately 630,000 residents at the Board of Supervisors in the communities of Anaheim Hills, Irvine, Lake Forest, Tustin, North Tustin, Orange, Mission Viejo, Rancho Santa Margarita, Villa Park, Yorba Linda, the Unincorporated Canyon areas.

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