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Thank you for subscribing to my newsletter. Please share it with any of your friends who might be interested in the county and what we can do to be helpful.

This past week, the Board of Supervisors recognized January 27 as International Holocaust Remembrance Day, honoring the six million Jewish lives lost and reaffirming our commitment to never forget the atrocities of the Nazi regime. I remain deeply grateful for Orange County's vibrant Jewish community.

I also have important information below for North Tustin residents regarding concerns over an unfair sales tax rate, including steps you can take while a new ZIP code is pending.

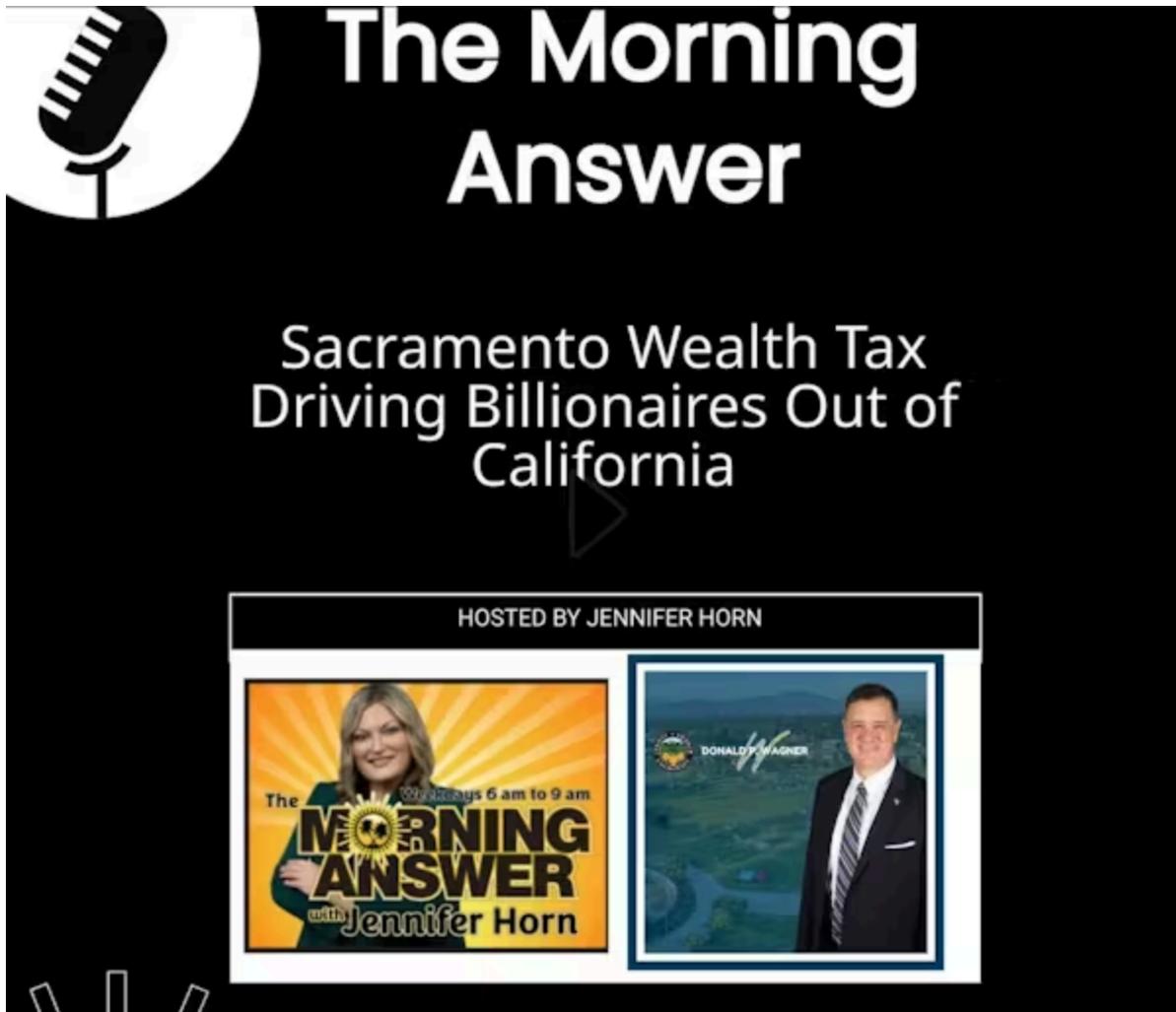
I was proud to join OCTA for the groundbreaking of the I-5 expansion project. This is a critical investment that will reduce congestion, improve safety, and strengthen

our regional economy through enhanced transportation infrastructure serving Irvine, Tustin, and all of Orange County.

With January already at a close, 2026 has been a productive year so far! I look forward to what February has to offer!

## IN THE NEWS

### THE MORNING ANSWER



I joined Jennifer Horn on The Morning Answer to discuss California's failed homeless housing policy and Sacramento's lawsuits over President Trump's federal funding cuts on this issue.

You can listen to the full interview [here](#).

## BOARD PRESENTATIONS



The Board of Supervisors recognized January 27th as International Holocaust Remembrance Day.

On January 27, 1945, Allied forces liberated Auschwitz-Birkenau Concentration Camp, revealing the atrocities perpetrated by the Nazi regime against the Jewish people.

This revelation exposed a systematic campaign of murder that claimed six million Jewish lives across German-occupied Europe, accounting for approximately two-thirds of Europe's Jewish population.

Although eighty-one years have passed since liberation, we must never forget the atrocities committed by the Nazi regime against the Jewish people.

I am grateful for Orange County's vibrant Jewish community, many of whose members I am honored to call friends.

We were joined by several representatives from Orange County's Jewish community, including:

**Rabbi Richard Steinberg** – Commissioner, OC Human Relations Commission;  
Senior Rabbi, Congregation Shir Ha-Ma'a lot

**Rabbi Reuven Mintz**- Chabad Center for Jewish Life, Newport Beach

**Rabbi Adam Greenwald** of Congregation B'nai Israel

**Rabbi Tim Gaylord** of Temple Beth Sholom

**Jewish Federation of Orange County**

Patty Seyburn (Chair of the Board of Directors)

Stephanie Eptsein (COO and acting CEO)  
Joey Good (Senior Director, Community Relations)  
Andrea Alfi (Director, Leadership Engagement & Community Relations)  
Robin Steinmetz (Manager, Student to Student)

**ADL**

Brigitte Frankel (Chair of the Board of Directors)  
Matt Friedman (Regional Director, Orange County/Long Beach)

**JCAN**

Ilana Meirovitch (CEO and Executive Director)  
Julie Heiman (Director of Policy, Legal, and Government Affairs)  
Josh Shaffer (Community Engagement Manager)

**Israeli American Council**

Inbal Greenberg (Regional Director)  
Leslie Tucker (Orange County Activism Manager)

## NORTH TUSTIN SALES TAX AND ZIP CODE



For all the North Tustin residents concerned about receiving an unfair sales tax rate, please see my letter at the below link with more information and steps you can take to mitigate the issue until a new zip code is issued by the federal government:

<https://bos3.oc.gov/north-tustin-sales-tax>

# IN THE COMMUNITY

## I-5 EXPANSION PROJECT



On January 23, I joined OCTA for the groundbreaking ceremony of the new I-5 expansion project.

As Orange County continues to grow, so does the need for a modern, efficient transportation system that better serves the residents, workers and businesses. Projects like this one are designed to meet the county's evolving needs and to ensure our transportation network keeps pace with the region.

Thanks to the strong local support of Measure M, along with state and federal funding, we're able to deliver critical improvements along I-5 through Irvine and Tustin, one of the county's busiest and most essential corridors.

This project will add general-purpose and auxiliary lanes, enhance interchanges, and modernize key sections of the freeway to reduce congestion, improve safety, and provide a more reliable travel experience for commuters, residents and visitors alike.

Investments like this also support economic vitality by improving goods movement, reducing travel delays, and helping businesses and workers stay connected across the region.

By improving how people travel along I-5, these investments support a strong regional economy, help people get where they need to go more efficiently, and ensure this vital corridor continues to serve not just the Third District, but all of Orange County for generations to come.

Read more about the project here: <https://www.ocregister.com/.../project-to-add-a-lane.../>

## YORBA LINDA BUSINESSES OF THE MONTH AND YEAR



My Field Representative, Pat Buttress, presented certificates to the Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce Businesses of the Month for October and November, along with the 2025 Business of the Year.

Recognized businesses included Priority One Sound, the Yorba Linda Woman's Club, and Stephano's Golden Baked Ham, which was named Chamber Business of the Year.

She also presented certificates to Chic Revelations Boutique as the City of Yorba Linda's 2025 Business of the Quarter, and to the Pop Warner Yorba Linda Colts 8U players and coaches for their championship season and national ranking.

Additional certificates recognized Wayne and Cindy Scott for hosting the annual Hometown Heroes event honoring our Gold Star families, and Bridget and Eddie Blehm, Gene and Louise Hernandez, and the Andersen family for continuing the Annual Christmas Ham Giveaway in memory of veteran Mike Andersen.

Congratulations to all the recipients!

**BLUE BUOY FAMILY SWIM SCHOOL  
70TH ANNIVERSARY**



Recently, my Policy Advisor, Al Murray, presented a certificate of recognition to Cindy and Johnny Johnson, owners of Blue Buoy Family Swim School, a cornerstone of the Tustin community for the last 70 years.

Since its opening in 1956, more than 250,000 students have learned swimming and water safety at Blue Buoy. Cindy and Johnny became owners of the school in 1977.

We thank Cindy and Johnny for their decades of dedication to water safety and wish them many more years of success!

## SYLVAN LEARNING CENTER OF ORANGE GRAND OPENING



My Field Representative, Pat Buttress, presented a certificate of recognition to Sylvan Learning of Orange for its grand opening and ribbon cutting.

Sylvan Learning is focused on building academic confidence, igniting intellectual curiosity, and inspiring a love for learning. It provides personalized tutoring that is tailored to a child's specific needs.

Congratulations on your grand opening!

# MISSION VIEJO MARINES OF THE QUARTER



My Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, joined the City of Mission Viejo's Marines and Sailors Adoption Committee in the recognition of two outstanding Marines of the Quarter at the Council Meeting with certificates of commendation. The two Marines recognized were:

-Lance Corporal Teewon G. Manakpalah– Marine of the Quarter

-Sgt. Grant G. Gallatin - Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter

A big congratulations to Teewon G. Manakpalah who just got promoted from Lance Corporal to Corporal!

## JOYBIRD GRAND OPENING



My Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, presented a certificate of recognition to JOYBIRD Mission Viejo at a meet with the management team.

This is JOYBIRD's first location in South Orange County, and they are looking forward to engaging with our local community.

A key part of their service is offering free design consultations and 3D space planning to help customers visualize their ideas.

Wishing JOYBIRD success in the new year!

## EGGS AND ISSUES





My Field Representatives, Pat Buttress and Al Tello, attended the Orange Chamber of Commerce Eggs & Issues event Tuesday, January 27.

Also in attendance to hear from Orange Police Department Chief Adam Jevic were Mayor Dan Slater and several community leaders.

The Chamber Board was well represented by Chairman Rick Martinez and other board members.

In addition it was the first time appearance of the new 2026 Miss City of Orange Kalista Brown.

A big thanks to the Orange Chamber and the City of Orange Police Department for hosting such a wonderful event!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**



# ATTENTION EMPLOYERS!

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## CAREER FAIR



**FEBRUARY 5, 2026 • 10 AM - 1 PM**  
**LAKE FOREST COMMUNITY CENTER**  
100 Civic Center Dr., Lake Forest

### Discover your next great hire!

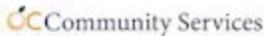
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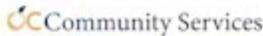
- Connect with top businesses
- Submit resumes directly
- Interview on the spot
- Streamline the job hunt

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# 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



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### 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](http://officeonaging.ocgov.com)



## Daily Adoption Options

### Adoption Visits

 Daily  
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

- 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

 Daily  
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

- OC Animal Care is open daily for visitors to drop by to walk through
- Visitors can view ready-to-go-home 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.

## PET OF THE WEEK

[Meet Mila](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

[CLICK FOR MORE](#)

CITY OF ANAHEIM  
CITY OF IRVINE  
CITY OF LAKE FOREST  
CITY OF MISSION VIEJO  
CITY OF ORANGE  
CITY OF TUSTIN  
CITY OF RANCHO SANTA  
MARGARITA  
CITY OF VILLA PARK  
CITY OF YORBA LINDA  
SILVERADO MODJESKA CANYON



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

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