

District 1 News

Serving West Sacramento and Clarksburg

November 2022



Note from Oscar:

As always, if you have any questions or want more details on any item, please email me or my staff. Our contact information is listed below.



Upcoming Board of Supervisors Meetings:

11/22/2022 9:00 am
12/06/2022 9:00 am

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News

August 12, 2022 - Independent Science Board tour

On August 12th I attended the Delta Stewardship Council's Independent Science Board's mobile

meeting of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. The meeting included a tour of the State Water Project's Harvey O. Banks Pumping Plant and John E. Skinner Delta Fish Protective Facility, and the UC Davis Fish Conservation and Culture Laboratory. The tour was intended to support the Delta ISB in its mission of evaluating the broad range of scientific programs that support adaptive management of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and act as an opportunity for interested members of the public to gain greater familiarity with water and ecosystem management in the region.

August 31, 2022 - CSAC Panel

In August I served as a panelist for the CSAC Institute's "So you want to be the County CAO/CEO" executive leadership seminar. The panel included a discussion with seasoned County Supervisors on our expectations for a County Administrator. We discussed which skill sets are important for a County Administrator to possess; how soft skills and attributes can also support the County Supervisor relationship; how to best work with elected officials; and how to build and sustain a constructive relationship to further the county's priorities.

September 17, 2022

National Coastal Clean-up Day

We had a big turnout for the 38th Annual California Coastal Cleanup Day. Over 50 community volunteers and local residents came out to the Clarksburg Boat Launch. Also, lending a hand, were members of the Clarksburg Boy Scout troop 83, Clarksburg Rotary, West Sacramento Rotary, the FFA and the Clarksburg resident deputies and marine unit. Big thank you to Waste Management for providing the dumpster and the Delta Protection Commission for providing most of the supplies.





September 25, 2022 - A Day in the Country

This year marked the 33rd anniversary of A Day in the Country, the Yolo Land Trust's signature farm-to-fork fundraiser. Since its small beginnings, A Day in the Country has steadily gained popularity amongst the community as a one-of-a-kind dining experience that connects guests with the importance of conserving local farmland. This year \$56,000 was raised for farmland conservation. Each chef and their restaurant team were provided with produce and meat from Yolo County farms and ranches to craft their seasonal dish. It is what makes A Day in the Country unique.



October 25, 2022 - \$2.5 Million for Bryte Park Improvements

The Yolo County Board of Supervisors unanimously approved \$2.5 million in Federal Recovery funds to support the City of West Sacramento's effort to rehabilitate Bryte Park. As a kid I lived down the street from Bryte Park and spent long hours playing at the park and later, was lucky enough to bring my kids. I am excited for the vision, set by the community visioning process to build upon the upgrades that have already been made.



Honoring the Volunteer Service of Erin McDermid to the Yolo County Master Gardeners

Pregnancy & Infant Loss Awareness Month

- Designated recipient Verna Sulpizio

November 1, 2022 - New Yolo Agricultural Worker Staff

The Health and Human Services Agency (HHS) Service Center Branch has successfully selected Rodrigo Lopez as the new Program Coordinator for the Agricultural Worker Program. Work in this program began in 2019 with the Agriculture Worker Pathway Employment Program in partnership with the Yolo County Office of Education. Since then, the coordinator for this program has worked collaboratively with County staff and community partners to address identified key objectives: food security, housing, medical needs, education, immigration, legal support, employment assistance, and transportation. Additionally, the Agricultural Worker coordinator shifted to COVID-related duties during the pandemic, including agricultural hotline vaccine distributions, PPE distribution, Ag Worker contact tracing, and training for workers and employers.

Boards and Commissions

Thank you to those who volunteer their time in Yolo County on behalf of District 1. Our representatives spend their own time to do work that is so very important to all of us living in West Sacramento and Clarksburg.

On October 11th, our Board of Supervisors approved two new representatives:



Rosaria (Aria) Berliner has been appointed to the Library Advisory Board. She has a long history of giving back to her community. Prior to moving to West Sacramento, she served as an alternate member of Davis' Senior Citizen Commission. After moving to West Sacramento, she quickly became involved with the West Sacramento Friends of the Library where she served as President. She currently serves as Chair of the West Sacramento Planning Commission. In her free time, she enjoys traveling and has been to all seven continents!



Dolores (Dee) Olivarez is our new District 1 representative to the Commission on Aging & Adult Services. She was approved by the Board of Supervisors on October 11, 2022. She has a long history of public service work for the State of California, currently serving as the Licensing Deputy Director with the California Gambling Control Commission. In her free time, she enjoys attending Sacramento River Cats and Republic FC games with close friends and family.

Boards/Commissions Openings

If you are interested in serving on a board/commission we are in need of representatives for the following:

Aviation Advisory Committee (Airport Land Use Committee) has a District 1, Category B opening;

Child Care & Development Planning Commission has an opening for a consumer;

For more information on these and other Advisory Bodies [click here](#).

For current updates please like my Facebook page: Oscar Villegas, Yolo County Supervisor, District 1 and follow me on Instagram at supervisoroscarvillegas.

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