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"Since joining the Chamber in 2005, my partners and I have always felt that the Chamber is a wonderful venue to meet and network with a tremendous group of Oxnard employers. Learning about other businesses and sharing the value of our business has allowed us to make a number of lasting connections. We also appreciate and want to support the Chamber's remarkable efforts to represent employers' interests with government officials at every level - city, county, state or federal. Our investment in Chamber membership has been well spent."

Tom Gaughan, Co-Founder & President, Coastal Occupational Medical Group



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Oxnard Harbor District endorses system to reduce air emissions

At a recent Board meeting, Commissioners of the Oxnard Harbor District endorsed a District application to the South Coast Air Quality Management District to design and build a shore side power system designed to transfer energy to refrigerated ships at berth in the Port of Hueneme. Since the passage of Assembly Bill 32, the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, district staff has been studying various systems to provide electrical power to ships at berth in the port. The system endorsed by the Board will allow refrigerated vessels calling at the Port of Hueneme to turn off their auxiliary engines while at berth, yet continue to work.

According to County Air Quality Control reports, the District's baseline air emissions inventory generated by operations at the Port contributes 2.1% of the County's overall Nitrogen Oxide (NOx) and just under 1% of countywide

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Chamber urges city council to put job creation in forefront

The Oxnard Chamber of Commerce has put the city council on notice that it needs to consider job creation when making all decisions. That was only one of more than 30 recommendations the Chamber delivered to council members last month.

"Rather than being reactive to items the council will be addressing, we chose to be proactive in recommending issues the council consider," said Chamber CEO Nancy Lindholm. "The members of the city council are now aware of some of the business community's priorities. We hope they will refer to the recommendations throughout the year."

The recommendations for a business-

friendly community and efficient local government were compiled by the Chamber's Business Advocacy Committee, the Land Use Committee, and the Board of Directors. They covered city policies; land use, planning and housing; infrastructure; and general recommendations. Some examples are:

- Adopt a local vendor preference program that gives local service and product purveyors preference over non-local firms.
- All decisions by the City Council need to relate to job creation.
- The City should provide/require



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Nominations open for 2011 Community & Business Awards

Opportunity knocks only once a year to honor the people and businesses that make Oxnard an outstanding community. Nominations for the 2011 Community & Business Awards are now open. Even though the deadline isn't until May 2, the time to start putting together the nomination forms is now. We all know people who have contributed to the Oxnard community, so why not honor them?

The 2011 award categories are:
Distinguished Citizen of the Year



Tom Cady was named the 2010 Distinguished Citizen of the Year for his long background of community involvement and dedication to Oxnard.

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Chamber welcomes New Oxnard Police Chief Jeri Williams

Hear about her goals for the department at the April 14 breakfast

Oxnard's first female Chief of Police, Jeri Williams, will address the Chamber's Good Morning Oxnard crowd on April 14. Since her arrival in late January, Chief Williams has made a number of appearances throughout the community.



Chief Williams

With 22 years of law enforcement experience, Chief Williams brings extensive community policing experience which will serve to complement and enhance our City's efforts in that area. Contributing to Chief Williams' strong leadership and organizational management style is a broad educational background. Williams holds a BS Degree from Arizona State University, a Master's Degree in Educational Leadership from Northern Arizona University, where she has also completed her Comprehensive Examinations in pursuit of her Doctorate in Educational Leadership.

A change in leadership often times spurs questions. Chief Williams will talk about her goals for the department and answer any questions the audience may have. This is a great opportunity to become more familiar with the new Chief. Don't miss out. Reserve a seat by visiting the Chamber's website, OxnardChamber.org or calling 805-983-6118.

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Power struggle emerging on Oxnard's coastline

Political power and electrical power are creating sparks over the future of the Ormond Beach and Mandalay Beach electrical generating plants. As the Chamber has previously reported, the city's proposed 2030



Chairman of the Board
Suzanne Scar

General Plan (GP) contains a laundry list of goals and objectives for the next couple of decades. One of the goals states, "When the LCP (Local Coastal Plan) is being updated, consider actively pursuing and supporting regulatory or other efforts to decommission the Mandalay and Ormond Beach power plants and change their land use designations to Resource Protection."

Following a discussion at a

February city council meeting, it looks like our council members would like to get a bit more aggressive about removing those generating facilities. There was conversation about changing the land use designation with adoption of the 2030 GP, not waiting a number of years before the LCP is updated.

Why is this of concern? Last year, the State Water Board adopted a policy to end the once-through-cooling method used at both of the plants in Oxnard and along California's coast. This means the owners of the generating facilities will need to retrofit the plants, most likely to use an air-cooling system. If the land use designation is changed along with adoption of the 2030 GP, GenOn (owners of the facilities) will have a very tough time getting permits from the city for a non-conforming use. Thus, the city gets one step closer to eliminating them.

Certainly there will be a great deal of discussion about where our electrical

power comes from and how these plants contribute to the reliability of energy for Oxnard. California constantly faces the threat of earthquakes and wild fires. Those natural disasters also threaten the availability and reliability of electrical power for Oxnard businesses and residents.

During the discussions that are sure to come in the future, we need to keep in mind that both the Ormond and Mandalay generating facilities were granted permits to be built where they are. Companies have invested millions of dollars in them. They provide over 120 direct well paying jobs for our residents and hundreds more from their contractors and suppliers. Their property taxes generate hundreds of thousands of dollars for our schools.

How would you feel if this was your business? Is it within our city government's purview to eliminate existing and viable commerce?

County Supervisors need to interject logic with deliberations

Filming is a clean industry that is capital and labor intensive, and creates high wage jobs. According to the Motion Picture Association of



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Nancy Lindholm

America, one average day of on-location shooting delivers \$225,000 to the local economy. Ventura County is missing out on the possibility of hundreds of jobs and an infusion of cash for our anemic economy.

ture generally make good neighbors.

The job-generating proposal did not move forward because one of the members of the Board of Supervisors strongly suggested the approval would be an end-run around SOAR (Save Open-Space & Agricultural Resources) and lawsuits would abound. My logical mind asks the question, "If it's not agriculture and will never be agriculture, why do we need to save it?" I don't see how a job-generating film studio would create sprawl either.

I would like to commend Supervisor John Zaragoza, who represents most of Oxnard, for supporting

I would like to commend Supervisor John Zaragoza, who represents most of Oxnard, for supporting the proposal to create high paying jobs.

In mid-March, a proposal was brought before the Ventura County Board of Supervisors to adopt an ordinance that would allow permanent filming activities on non-coastal, non-producing agriculturally zoned land. Most residents are familiar with the topography of the eastern part of Ventura County. This is not an area for ag. It's generally steep hills of rock laden ground. There are some ranching activities, but they are quite sparse.

Why would this be an ideal spot for filming activities? Probably the most important factor is that it is within the 30-mile "studio zone" that defines union agreements for workers' pay and other rules. It is also an area that is not populated and would not infringe on residential developments or other industries. Filming and agricul-

the proposal to create high paying jobs. With Oxnard's unemployment rate still hovering around 15%, new jobs anywhere in our county are more than welcome.

The final ruling from the Board was to send the matter back to county planning staff and come up with a workable solution. I'm not sure that is possible. There is not ample acreage within the county's cities to locate a filming studio, so no matter what comes back to the Board of Supervisors may be met with the same argument.

I sincerely believe that Ventura County and its cities have been diligent about protecting agricultural land and activities. Perhaps we need to push for another countywide initiative to Save Our Ability to Create Jobs.

Chamber hosts Timm Herdt at May 12 breakfast

The Oxnard Chamber prides itself in monitoring local, state and federal issues that affect businesses. In an effort to effectively communicate such issues with members, the Chamber is hosting Timm Herdt, State bureau chief for Ventura County Star, to speak at the May 12 Good Morning Oxnard Breakfast. Herdt has his finger on the pulse of the issues of California legislature and Sacramento happenings.

Timm Herdt has been a newsman at the Ventura County Star and its predecessor, the Star-Free Press, for 34 years. He has been a reporter, city editor, editorial page editor and, since 1997 has been the Star's correspondent in Sacramento. His weekly column on politics and public policy runs every Wednesday on the Opinion page. He has won number awards for reporting and editorial writing from the California Newspaper Publishers Association, most recently for his reporting on the challenges of healthcare reform.

Visit OxnardChamber.org to reserve a seat, or call 805-983-6118 for questions.



Timm Herdt

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Chamber partners with Spherion Staffing Services on Emerging Workforce Study

Social media is now everywhere in the business community. It is changing how businesses advertise and communicate. Spherion Staffing, in connection with the Emerging Workforce Study, has found yet another benefit to social media. On April 20, the Chamber and Spherion Staffing will partner to provide an informative seminar, "The Social Workforce, attracting and retaining talent in the age of social media." The same way businesses check out potential employees on social media sites, employees have started to do the same.

Sandy Mazur, senior vice president of franchise and license operations for

Spherion Staffing Services, will be the keynote speaker. Mazur will discuss how to maximize social media throughout the employment cycle, as well as leveraging social media platforms to develop and engage talent.

Log on to OxnardChamber.org today to reserve a seat at this informative, free seminar and find out how potential employees are screening employers via social media. Space is limited to the first 35 individuals that register. The seminar will run from 8 am – 10 am on April 20 at the Oxnard Chamber office and is sure to fill up fast.

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2011 California Strawberry Festival gets underway third weekend in May

Strawberries galore and more are in store when the sweet Southland tradition of the 28th Annual California Strawberry Festival gets underway the weekend of May 21 and 22, 2011 at Strawberry Meadows of College Park in Oxnard. Ranking among the top Festivals in the nation, the fruitful celebration boasts strawberries every way imaginable, along with all day fun for the entire family with concert performances, the Strawberry Promenade with celebrity cooking demonstrations, more than 200 Fine Arts & Crafts booths, Strawberryland For Kids with rides and attractions, gooey contests, special appearances, and more.

The event has helped raise over \$3 million for various Southland charities while paying tribute to the region's agricultural heritage and winning award recognition for its recycling and "green"

policies that began in 2001.

The free Park & Ride "Strawberry Express" shuttles from convenient locations off the 101 Freeway and other convenient parking areas make getting to the Festival a breeze. Parking is also available for \$5 on site at Strawberry Meadows of College Park (3250 S. Rose Avenue in Oxnard).

General admission is \$12, seniors 62+ are \$8 and children ages 5-12 are \$5. Kids 4 and under are free. Active military and dependents with ID are \$8. Hours are 10:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. both days. Advance tickets can be purchased at www.strawberry-fest.org.

The California Strawberry Festival Information Line is 1-888-288-9242 or visit the official website at www.strawberry-fest.org.

Community & Business Awards

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Man of the Year
Woman of the Year
Small Business of the Year
Large Business of the Year
Downtown Business of the Year
Innovative Business of the Year
Service Organization of the Year

Being nominated for one of these prestigious awards is an honor in itself. To access the nomination form along with the criteria for the awards, logon to

www.OxnardChamber.org or call the office at 805-983-6118.

The Community and Business Awards will be held on Friday, June 17. Sponsorship opportunities are available. This is a great event to sponsor – gain community visibility and recognition for supporting great leaders in Oxnard. If you are interesting in sponsoring this event, please contact the Chamber office at 805-983-6118.



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Chamber supports Military through Welcome Home Heroes program

The Chamber's "Welcome Home Heroes" is scheduled for launch in mid-April. The program, developed by the Oxnard Chamber's Military Affairs Committee, is an effort to show the Military how much the business community appreciates their service and protection. Nearly 2,000 Navy and Air National Guard troops will be returning from tours of duty this year.

The Chamber would like to thank Haas Automation, CBC Federal Credit Union, Country Inn & Suites – Port Hueneme, Aston Hotels, Jersey Mike's Subs, Capistrano's Restaurant and Meathead Movers for participating as sponsors. It isn't too late to participate as a Partner Sponsor. Partner Sponsors are able to put one item in each bag. Coupons, promo items, t-shirts, hats, pens and any-

thing of value to the NBVC community are great items to include in the bag.

The first group of bags has already been stuffed by a group of volunteers from the Boys & Girls Club of Oxnard and Port Hueneme. In just two hours, a handful of teens stuffed nearly 600 bags for the first disbursement. The Chamber will tap into volunteers throughout the year to stuff bags and hand them out to troops.

Troops stationed in our area have a need for goods and services. Why not drive them to your business? It's a perfect way to put your business' name out there in a positive manner, not to mention the lasting impression your contribution could leave on the returning troops.

For more details on the Welcome Home Heroes program, call the office at 805-983-6118.



Volunteers from the Boys & Girls Club filled the first group of tote bags for the Welcome Home Heroes program. Tote bags will be presented to troops later this month.

Chamber Alliance tackling legislative challenges

From the Chambers of Commerce Alliance of Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties

Last month, Oxnard Chamber Board Chair, Suzanne Scar, led a delegation of Chambers of Commerce Alliance members to Sacramento for the second time this year for meetings with legislators and other officials.

While resolving the \$25 billion budget deficit continues to be a primary concern for the Alliance, protecting enterprise zones and redevelopment agencies from elimination has been a top priority. Here are some bills of which are being considered and will have direct impacts on economic recovery:

- AB 10: Raises the state minimum wage to \$8.50 per hour with an automatic annual indexing of minimum wage for every year thereafter according to the percentage of inflation. **OPPOSE**
- SB 104: Limits employees' ability to independently and privately vote for unionization in agriculture work places, by eliminating a secret ballot election and replacing it with the submission of representation cards signed by over 50% of the employees. **OPPOSE**
- SB 366: Directs state agencies to do a top-to-bottom review of their

regulations to identify duplicative, inconsistent or outdated provisions within 180 days. **SUPPORT**

- SB 378: Provides for a ten-hour work week schedule as opposed to California's current daily eight-hour day before overtime applies. **SUPPORT**



Chambers of Commerce Alliance

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Shortly before he deployed to Afghanistan, Assemblyman Jeff Gorell briefed Alliance board members on a phone conference about the budget situation while calling our attention to some recently introduced bills of which he thinks will improve California's business climate. Gorell is authoring AB 77, which seeks to abolish the CA Franchise Tax Board, consolidating its duties and authority into the State Board of Equalization. The proposed legislation would also transfer the tax administrative functions of the Employment Development Dept. into the Board of Equalization.

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Chamber connects members at After Hours Mixer

Marine Emporium Landing to host April 21 - Free Entry

Looking to make more contacts within the business community? Marine Emporium Landing is hosting the Chamber's After Hours Mixer on April 21. With a number of businesses that call Marine Emporium Landing their home, this mixer will highlight many fine Chamber members. It's just in time for summer, too. Get a sneak peak at A & M Boat Charters options for taking a cruise out to Channel Islands National Park or taste Moqueca's delicious cuisine. The excursions and food will have you coming back all summer long.

The After Hours Mixer is from 5:30-7PM and will be a great place to watch the sunset. This mixer is being hosted by Marine Emporium Landing, so there is no charge to attend. If you have questions about this event, please contact the Chamber office at 805-983-6118.



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Chamber urges city council to put job creation in forefront

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customer service training for all public contact (counter) and Code Compliance personnel.

- Maintenance of landscaping and litter removal throughout the City should be a top priority.
- Review City's development fees at least every three years to assure they are competitive with neighboring/comparable communities in Southern California.
- Services need to be located close to housing.
- Compatible future development must be considered when projects are presented to the Planning Commission and City Council. (School sites have been recently permitted in close proximity to restaurants that serve alcohol. As those restaurant sites turn over, there will be resistance to allow ABC licenses close to schools.)
- Oxnard should preserve industrial zoned parcels for current and future development; thus, ensuring current and future job creation.
- The City should develop incentives for homeowners to revitalize older neighborhoods (generate pride of ownership).
- Projects should be processed on an equitable basis (not fast-tracked for some while others take much more time).
- City should ensure that sufficient land is identified to meet the development needs of the community for the next 20 years, with "ready to go" projects/properties adequate for the next 10 years including neighborhoods, specialty, downtown, community, regional and specialty retail, office uses, and industrial uses. Eliminate parcels that are deemed likely to not develop from this inventory. City staff should certify this inventory to the Council annually.
- Permit "viable" retailers to populate urban villages. Research should be done for workable, successful retailers.
- The City should assist projects that are/may be grandfathered under the new MS4 permit.
- Businesses locating in Downtown should be given flexibility for corporate logos in signage approval and with Downtown Design Review.
- Continue to fund and develop the Intelligent Traffic System.
- Developer/Project obligations need to be incrementally sized considering the scope of future development/redevelopment, assigning risk to applicable parties. (Example: one project that would impact a water line capacity slightly should not bear the burden of future development that may require significant increased water line capacity.)
- City Council and planning staff should focus on improving the city entrance corridors, as well improvements to Oxnard Boulevard.
- Incentives should be offered for new businesses locating in Downtown Oxnard. The facade improvement program does not seem to be utilized and should be revisited.
- City should staff a concierge to lead applicants through all required processes and permit requirements.
- All permit applicants should be treated equally.
- Checklists for requirements need to be reviewed and revised for process and to assure communications are clear.
- Streamline Business License applications process. Business License Department should communicate the requirements of other city departments.
- City Council and staff should support tourism efforts, including the development of the TBID.
- Support the Branding Project, especially the proposals for the Downtown area.
- City should develop incentives for local businesses to hire Oxnard residents.
- City needs to lead community efforts to improve education (K-12 API scores and focus on safety for all public school campuses).

The Chamber intends on updating their recommendations to the city council annually. For a complete copy of the document submitted to the council, please contact Nancy Lindholm at 805-983-6118 or n.lindholm@oxnardchamber.org.

Oxnard Harbor District

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Particulate Matter (PM).

The goal is to get a utility-based system running by Dec. 31, 2013 and achieve an 80 percent to 100 percent emissions reduction by 2020. This project is one example of the District's commitment to developing cleaner forms of energy generation throughout the community. In 2010 the port initiated a "Truck Compliance" program whereby all drayage trucks entering the port are checked for registration with the state CARB Drayage Truck Registry. The truck registry sets specific air emissions

standards. All non-exempt on-road class 8 diesel-fueled trucks not compliant with the CARB drayage truck registry are subject to fines from CARB.

The District estimates the ships-at-berth project will cost \$ 9,000,000. Recently the South Coast Air Quality Management District's (AQMD) solicited proposals for Proposition 1 B funding for air emission reductions associated with ships-at-berth. An award is expected by May 2011. The District is potentially eligible for a grant equal to 50% of eligible project costs.

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Major Party Rental Company Opens in Oxnard

EventRents Inc., with warehouses and showrooms in Santa Barbara and Ventura counties, has purchased an 8000 square foot warehouse in Oxnard at 2221 Eastman Avenue.

EventRents is the largest party rental firm operating from Ventura County and will open an event center in Oxnard this spring where planners will be able to design their needs for tenting, lighting, draping, stages, linen, dishware and other equipment for their off-site events. With thirty years of experience in the Santa Barbara market and ten years in the Ventura market, they bring a broad array of products and services to town.

Owner, Jim Lisi, was one of the 2011 opening session speakers at The Special Event show, the annual convention for event professionals in the event industry. He said, "We are excited to be making a significant investment in Oxnard and believe that the market for large events is only just beginning to develop between Los Angeles and Santa Barbara. The city is doing great things and we hope to be a big part of it. We will bring the latest in trends, linen and equipment to town."



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Supreme Court weakens voter-approved protections against frivolous lawsuits

From the California Chamber of Commerce

A California Supreme Court ruling has made it slightly easier to sue under the state's Unfair Competition Law.

The 5-2 ruling in the case of Kwikset Corp. v. Superior Court sided with the plaintiffs who said they were damaged by the company using "Made in U.S.A." labels when some of the lock parts were manufactured abroad.

The decision loosens the criteria set by Proposition 64, the 2004 initiative to stop shakedown lawsuits. The California Chamber of Commerce co-chaired the successful campaign in support of the measure, which requires an individual to have suffered an injury and lost money or property in order to file a lawsuit under the state's Unfair Competition Law.

James Benson sued Kwikset under the unfair competition and false advertising laws to challenge the labeling of the Kwikset locks. The trial court found in favor of Benson.

While the case was pending on appeal, voters approved Proposition 64, which called into question Benson's standing to challenge Kwikset's "Made in U.S.A." label. Benson then filed an amended complaint in which he alleged that he and several others purchased Kwikset's locks and would not have done so but for the "Made in U.S.A." labeling.

The Court of Appeal concluded this allegation was insufficient to establish Benson's standing to sue because it did not satisfy Proposition 64's requirement that a plaintiff have lost money or property.

The Court of Appeal and Kwikset argued that the plaintiffs failed to allege an overcharge or defects in the locksets, received the benefit of their bargain (a functioning product) and were ineligible for restitution.

The Supreme Court majority disagreed with the Court of Appeal, saying "plaintiffs who can truthfully allege they were deceived by a product's label" into spending money to buy the product and

would not have purchased it otherwise, have lost money or property within the meaning of Proposition 64 and have standing to sue.

For each consumer who is deceived into making a purchase by misrepresentations on a label, the economic harm, "the loss of real dollars from a consumer's pocket," is the same regardless of whether a court might objectively view the products as "functionally equivalent," the Supreme Court said.

To deny standing to sue to consumers deceived by label misrepresentations, the Supreme Court said. "would impair the ability of consumers to rely on labels, place those businesses that do not engage in misrepresentations at a competitive disadvantage, and encourage the marketplace to dispense with accuracy in favor of deceit."

The Supreme Court also found fault with the argument that the plaintiffs received the benefit of their bargain because they received locksets. That argument falsely assumes the plaintiffs could easily turn around and sell the locksets to someone else for the same price, the court said.

The Supreme Court also ruled that ineligibility for restitution is not a basis for denying standing to sue. It cited a previous ruling in which it had explained "That a party may ultimately be unable to prove a right to damages (or, here, restitution) does not demonstrate that it lacks standing to argue for its entitlement to them." (Clayworth v. Pfizer, Inc.).

The two justices dissenting from the majority opinion cited a previous appellate court decision pointing out that the voters' intent in passing Proposition 64 "was unequivocally to narrow the category of persons who could sue businesses" under the Unfair Competition Law.

A mere allegation that the plaintiffs would not have bought the mislabeled product "cannot be what the electorate intended," the dissenting justices wrote.

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