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# SPECIAL EDITION!

## 2008 League of California Cities City Managers' Department Meeting

No doubt about it! The **League of California Cities City Managers' Department** leadership and **2008 Annual Meeting** Planning Committee provided one of the most memorable California City Manager meetings in many years at the Hilton La Jolla Torrey Pines, February 6-8.

We have taken this occasion to chronicle our conference experience and to include and acknowledge as many participants as a historical reminder of this outstanding event. Of course, we do not know everyone so we will miss a few names, and then there are those we will miss due to our dimming memory and poor notes. Please accept our apologies in

advance, and please understand that there is no intension to slight anyone. This text is written in first person and third person and gets a little "Raggedy Andy" at times. Please hang in there and hopefully it will be enjoyable to read. Of course, we are interested in your comments and suggestions.

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We arrived at the Hilton La Jolla Torrey Pines on Tuesday afternoon, February 5 after driving down Interstate 5 from our home in Cerritos. After checking in and hauling our luggage from the self-parking area to room 3048, I meandered past the lobby on my way down to the hotel restaurant and bar area in search of some nourishment. I said, "Hello" to Lakewood City Manager **Howard L. Chambers** and McFarland City Manager **Jerry Forde** as I passed the hotel registration desk while they were checking in. Jerry said he had his surf board on his car rack for later use. He is a "real" *city manager-surfer*. As Jerry went off following a bellman with his luggage, I gave a "Howdy" to Bellflower City Manager **Mike Egan** as he arrived.

As I arrived at the restaurant and bar level down the stairs, Covina City Manager **Paul Philips** waved me over to where he was eating a late lunch, and on my way I said "Hello" to President **Jeff Kolin**, Santa Rosa City Manager, who was already on site preparing for the conference program.

As I was finishing an excellent turkey sandwich, the first food I had eaten that day, Northern California Range Rider and retired West Sacramento City Manager **Joe Goeden** joined the table. A special Range Rider Dinner was held that evening and some of those guests began to arrive, prompting Joe to head for his room to don a coat and tie. Retired Cypress City Manager **Darrell Essex**, a Southern California Range Rider, arrived and chatted with us for a time.

While the Range Riders and dinner friends gathered I made my way up stairs to look around the gift shop with an eye for something I might bring home for grandson **Tyler Pouncey**. Tyler celebrated his fifth birthday on February

12. Bishop City Manager **Rick Pucci** spotted me among the stuffed animals and T-shirts and stopped to chat. We decided to head back down stairs to have a beverage and some dinner.



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City Manager Range Riders and dinner friends continued to gather, and we had the opportunity to greet quite a few members of the group before they went off to their table. Santa Clarita City Manager **Kenneth R. Pulskamp** came by to say "Hello" and to meet Rick. Others at the Range Rider dinner included: League Staff Member **Natasha Karl, A. J. Wilson, Jeff Kolin** and his wife **Patty, Jan Perkins, Bob and Christine LaSala**, and Mountain View City Manager **Kevin Duggan** and his wife **Robin**. Of course, there were others we didn't know or make adequate written note of. Sorry!



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**Thank you Mark Curran & Melanie Arner Corona of Piper Jaffray and the CCMF Board of Directors!**

The Second Annual CCMF Member Appreciation Dinner at the historic Marine Room in La Jolla February 7, 2008 was a huge success!

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Rick and I waited for retired Fairfield City Manager **Kevin O'Rourke** who drove in from his Northern California home. While waiting, Laguna Hills City Manager **Bruce Channing** (who has an MPA from **USC**) and his wife Suzy passed through and said "Hello." Once seated for dinner, and as we prepared to order Moraga Town Manager **Phil Vince** joined us. The food was quite good. I had a nice piece of sea bass for dinner.

Following dinner we had occasion to sit and chat with **Joe Goeden**, **Phil Vince**, the League's **Natasha Karl** and South Lake Tahoe City Manager **David Jinkens** late into the night...err, early morning. One of the issues discussed was whether a city manager is ethically bound to advise his/her City Council members when applying for a position in another jurisdiction.

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Conference registration opened at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, so between breakfast and lunch there were many conference participants visiting the registration tables. There were some break-out sessions from 10:30 a.m. to noon. **Jim Keene**, ICMA's Director of Strategic Issues and ICMA West did a session entitled: "Leap from the Information to Conceptual Age." Azusa City Manager **Francis M. Delach** moderated a session on Sexual Harassment and Ethics Issues.



After wandering into the hotel lobby area, I hooked up with **Jerry Forde**, Corcoran City Manager **Ron Hoggard**, Patterson City Manager **Cleve Morris**, and **Eric Scriven**, a Senior Vice President of *E.J. De La Rosa & Co.* We recessed from the lobby area at the top of the stairs to the restaurant to get something to eat prior to the opening session at 1:30. Taft City Manager **Robert T. Gorson, Jr.** stopped by the table to chat, and Huntington Park City Manager **Greg Korduner** and **Ralph Holmes** joined the group.

Greg and Ron chatted about Ron's "lost in Yosemite" experience. While shooting pictures with his camera last September, Ron became lost in Yosemite National Park after leaving the trail for only a few minutes. When he tried to find the path again, he became lost and spent the next three chilly nights with no food and little water trying to find his way out before he was "tracked down" by the rescue effort.

Prior to the Opening Session, we saw many friendly faces as the large crowd assembled for this well-attended and well-planned conference. The 2007-2008 Department Officers include: **Jeff Kolin**, **Bob LaSala**, **Kevin Duggan**, **Rod Gould** and Immediate Past President **Cynthia Kurtz**.



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Those noted while we waited for the 1:30 session, included (but are not limited to): Simi Valley City Manager **Mike Sedell**; Arcadia City Manager **Don Penman** and his wife **Debbie**; Atwater City Manager **Gregory B. Wellman** (who is among the few California city managers with county manager experience); Vallejo City Manager and long-time friend **Joseph M. Tanner**; Solano County Administrator **Mike Johnson**; La Palma City Manager **Dominic Lazzaretto**; City Manager **Chuck Fuentes** and Assistant City Manager **Jeff Prang** of Pico Rivera; retired Placentia City Administrator **Bob Dominquez**, who continues to serve there as interim; Lomita City Manager **Tom Odom**; Poway assistant **Jennifer Lewis** (previously with the League), Fremont City Manager **Fred Diaz**; and **Jeff** and **Pat Kolin** continued to circulate and attend to details.



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A noted luncheon table spotted at the hotel's Torreyana Grille included: *League of California Cities Executive Director* **Chris McKenzie**; ICMA's **Jim Keene**; Poway City Manager **Rod Gould** (the "good" Rod); Beverly Hills City Manager **Rod Wood** ( the "other" Rod); and President Elect **Bob LaSala**.

Award winning professional photographer **Steve Uzzell** presented the opening session: "Open Roads Open Minds: An Exploration of Creative Problem Solving." The program warned that you had to be in your seats by 1:30 when they would close the doors. This got a crowd moving toward the session earlier than usual, and it was "way" worth it.



Country Singer Casey Simpson and sister Samantha surround their Uncle Jerry Simpson, retired from the City of Cerritos.

Making our way to a seat, we chatted with Santee City Manager **Keith Till**. He asked about our youngest daughter, country singer **Casey Simpson**, who was a Nashville Star Finalist in 2005 and is currently pursuing a music career in Nashville. While home during the holidays, Casey sang the National Anthem at the Staples Center for a Clippers' NBA game against New Orleans. I then stumbled to a comfortable seat with a good view of the program, sitting close to the likes of Atascadero City Manager **Wade McKinney**, who is Vice President of the *California City Management Foundation (CCMF)*, and Assistant City Manager **Jim Lewis**, whose wife **Debi** is with child with the couple's first. Jim, who is a past President of MMASC, was busting his buttons with pride throughout the conference. Congratulations to the Lewis family!

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Santa Rosa City Manager **Jeff Kolin** presided at the opening session and introduced the speakers. **Chris McKenzie** reminded the group that it is "No" on 98 and "Yes" on 99. **Blas Pérez Henríquez**, Director of Executive and International Programs at the Goldman School of Public Policy at the University of California, Berkeley talked about the August 4-8, 2008 Berkeley Executive Seminar, Strategic Management of Public Organizations.

**Steve Uzzell's** opening session set the tone for the conference. He was excellent. He presented his message through the use of his own wonderful photographs taken at locations from around the world, from the exciting and exotic to the mundane. We could not help but think of retired Cerritos and Lake Forest City Manager **Gaylord Knapp** when Steve showed the pictures and told the story of those searching for a cure for Huntington's disease in a far remote land.

In the hallways, around the registration desk and "Bookstore" milled participants, including (but not limited to): Long Beach City Manager **Pat West**; **Fran Mancía** of MuniServices; **Roy Stephenson** and **Doug Dunlap** (retired Pomona City Manager) of Bureau Veritas; **Phil Carter** of PMC; **Frank Tripepi**, **Paul Whitelaw** and **Brian Jewett** of MuniFinancial; Sierra Madre City Manager **Elaine Aguilar**; retired Chula Vista City Manager **John Goss**; Santa Ana Assistant City Manager **Cathy Standiford**; **Marshall Linn**, **Michael Busch**, and **Bill Kelly** (retired Arcadia City Manager) of Urban Futures; Vista City Manager **Rita Geldert**; Murrieta City Manager **Rick Dudley**; and **Bill** and **Judy Garrett**. Bill is a retired El Cajon City Manager and currently the Executive Director of the *California City Management Foundation*.



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There were three different afternoon "Breakout Sessions" and I chose to sit in on the "Perspectives from Both Sides of the Aisle" session facilitated by **Bob LaSala** with former State Senators **Dede Alpert** and **Jim Brulte** as the primary speakers. A quick look around the room found many folks interested in what these former State lawmakers had to say, including: Whittier City Manager **Steve Helvey**; West Covina City Manager and Assistant City Manager **Andy Pasmant** and **Chris Freeland**; Alameda City Manager **Debbie Kurita**; retiring Salinas City Manager **Dave Mora**; **Mike Johnson**; **Rita Geldert**; San Gabriel City Manager **Mike Paules**; **Jeff Prang**; **Kevin Duggan**; retiring Merced City Manager **Jim Marshall**; Montclair City Manager **Lee McDougall**; Laguna Hills City Manager **Bruce Channing**; **Mike Sedell**, **Fran Delach** and **Jeff Kolin**.

At 5 o'clock the conference "Networking Reception" convened in the Fairway Pavilion Ballroom. It was a packed house with lots of good food and company. Former La Habra Heights City Manager **Sheryl Boell** was there. She currently works on a consultant agreement as the Director of Operations for the City of Johns Creek, Georgia. She said that the east coast is treating her and her husband well. Former Bradbury City Manager **Katie Wilson** was also there. Katy was recently appointed to a position with *MuniFinancial*. She said that she is working with **Brian Jewett** of the firm.



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Others in the crowd included: **Roy Stephenson** and **Doug Dunlap** of *Bureau Veritas*, **Mark Curran** of Piper Jaffray, Huntington Park City Manager **Greg Korduner**, **Marshall Linn**, **Bill Kelly** and **Mike Busch** of *Urban Futures*, Elk Grove assistant **Troy Brown**, Loma Linda City Manager **Dennis Halloway**, **Francesca Fuentes** of the Willdan Group, and **Dave Hunt** of *Willdan*.

After a very nice Wednesday dinner with, among others, **Roy Stephenson**, **Doug Dunlap**, **Andy** and **Nan Lazzaretto**, and Norwalk City Manager **Ernie Garcia** at the Azul La Jolla restaurant, I ran into **Manny De Dios** of Kinsell, Newcomb & De Dios, Inc., and Hercules City Manager **Nelson Oliva** on the walkway waiting for their cars.

That evening we stayed up at the Hilton to visit with the many city managers and friends socializing. Earlier, La Verne City Manager **Marty Lomeli** was sitting with MuniFinancial's **Frank Tripepi**. Marty and Frank worked together in Rosemead years back. In the evening, I joined a table with Rocklin City Manager **Carlos Urrutia**, Vallejo City Manager **Joe Tanner**, and others. Carlos and I worked together back in the early '70s, and Joe is a long-time friend.

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**Kevin Duggan** and **Rita Geldert** presided at the Thursday morning general session where noted lecturer **Susan Scott** addressed how conversations change the way we connect with each other. She pointed out that no plan survives its collision with reality. Interrogating reality takes time, and everything else takes longer. In any situation, the person who can accurately describe reality without laying blame will emerge the leader, whether designated or not. Susan Scott's presentation was co-sponsored by the *California City Management Foundation*.

Between sessions there were more friends to see and greet in the hallways, including: Belvedere City Manager **George Rodericks**; Agoura Hills City Manager **Greg Ramirez**; Aliso Viejo City Manager **Mark Pulone**; Brea City Manager **Tim O'Donnell**; **Donna Landeros**, the Brentwood City Manager; Fountain Valley City Manager **Ray Kromer**; Fremont City Manager **Fred Diaz**; **Marcia Raines**, Half Moon Bay City Manager; **Tim Casey**, City Manager in Laguna Niguel; Pleasant Hill City Manager **June Catalano**; La Cañada Flintridge City Manager **Mark Alexander**; and Diamond Bar's Assistant City Manager **David Doyle**.

**"There's a lot of blood, sweat, and guts between dreams and success."**

**--Football Coach Paul Bear Bryant**

"Fabulous Flops: Getting Out of the Rough" was the morning breakout session I chose to sit in on. I actually joined a table with Moreno Valley City Manager **Bob Gutierrez**. Laguna Beach City Manager **Ken Frank** presided at this session. **Tim Casey** told of his "city traffic school" experience in Redondo Beach. **Bob Dominquez** told the story of Placentia's railroad crossing issue. Westminster City Manager **Ray Silver** and Beverly Hills City Manager **Rod Wood** told equally compelling stories (ask Rod how he got rid of the pigeons).

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After the session, we made our way to the Fairway Pavilion Ballroom for the annual General Luncheon program. President **Jeff Kolin** presided. I sat at a table with San Pablo City Manager **Brock Arner**; Sausalito City Manager **Adam Politzer**; Simi Valley City Manager **Mike Sedell**; Norwalk City Manager **Ernie Garcia**; Indio City Manager **Glenn Southard**; Atascadero City Manager **Wade McKinney**; **Mark Curran** of *Piper Jaffray*; and City Manager **Fran Delach** and Assistant City Manager **Jim Makshanoff** of Azusa. Brock reminded me that he worked in Los Alamitos back in the '70s when I was in Hawaiian Gardens.



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This annual awards luncheon was kicked-off with a welcoming address from League of California Cities President **Jim Madaffer**, a member of the San Diego City Council; a city without a city manager. **Jeff Kolin** presented the 2008 John Nail Award to **Ken Striplin**, Assistant City Manager in Santa Clarita. **Ken Pulskamp** joined them on stage in proud celebration. **Christine Tien**, Stockton Deputy City Manager, presented the *Award for the Advancement of Diverse Communities* to Santa Fe Springs City Manager **Fred Latham**. Members of the Santa Fe Springs city family were on hand to see Fred accept the award. Congratulations to the very deserving award winners. Across the room during the luncheon I spotted **Lyle Defenbaugh** of the Wachovia administered *CalTrust* investment fund, but I didn't get an opportunity to talk to him following the program.



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Following the luncheon it was back to afternoon breakout sessions, including: Media Relations; A Coaching Culture; the Impact of Technology, and Diversity Programs. The talk among many that afternoon was the anticipation of the California City Management Foundation's Second Annual CCMF Member Appreciation Dinner, and the pending Friday CCMF Golf Tournament. Folks were seeking directions to both events keeping **Bill** and **Judy Garrett** busy at the CCMF booth.

**Lloyd de Llamas** of HdL Companies sat with me while I waited for my ride to the CCMF dinner. Piper Jaffray's **Mark Curran** and **Melanie Arner** are primarily responsible for the planning and excellent quality of the CCMF dinner, this year held at the Marine Room in La Jolla. The restaurant owner claims that the multi-award winning Marine Room, which was opened in 1941 by William Scripps Kellogg, with its spectacular oceanfront views and exemplary service and outstanding wine list makes it San Diego's premier dining destination. Nothing we experienced that evening would change that opinion. The event was outstanding, treating more than 200 city managers and guests to a very memorable time. We enjoyed chatting with **Dale Geldert**, **Jim Marshall**, **Darold Pieper**, **Steve Heaney** of Stone & Youngberg, and others during the cocktail hour.



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CCMF President **Rita Geldert**, City Manager of Vista, welcomed the group and paid thankful tribute to **Mark Curran** and Piper Jaffray and the other event sponsors, including: Richards, Watson & Gershon; Stone & Youngberg; and The PFM Group. The appetizers included a wonderful shrimp dish, delectable stuffed mushrooms, and surprising and tasty sliced deep fried avocados. The Entrée "Spindrift Surf and Turf," included a center cut Angus filet and lobster tail.

It was my pleasure to share this experience at a table that included: **Anthony & Evelyn Gonsalves** of Joe A. Gonsalves & Son; Simi Valley City Manager **Mike Sedell**, Norwalk City Manager **Ernie Garcia** and a nice conversant young manager from Australia, whose card I promptly lost. The food was good. The view was interesting, as the tide brought the waves closer and closer to the restaurant over a stretch of lighted beach. From our perspective, it was a very successful event. As the group awaited their cars from the valet parking attendants following the exquisite dinner program, the quality and high class of the event was underscored by the throaty engine voice of a Maserati's elegant power leaving the parking lot.

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Friday morning found the Cal-ICMA Board meeting at 7:30 with President **Hilary Straus**, Assistant to the City Manager in Citrus Heights presiding. **Jim Keene** provides the excellent staff support for the group.

Immediately following the meeting, most joined a large group of managers at a special session on preparing for retirement, before and after, conducted by **Kevin O'Rourke**, **George Carvalho** and **Frank Benest**. Who would have "thunk" that Hawaiian born George, who has had stints as the City Manager in San Clemente (1980-84), Bakersfield (1984-88), Santa Clarita (1988-2002) and Riverside (2002-04), would have them laughing in the aisle? It was a very popular subject and well-attended session. While fully admitting that we do not know everyone so we missed many names, here is the list of attendees we compiled with a quick look around the room: **Kevin Duggan**, **Carlos Urrutia**, **Jim Keene**, **Keith Till**, **Jim De Stefano**, **Tom Odom**, **Linda Benedetti-Leal**, **Don Penman**, **Howard Chambers**, **Chris McKenzie**, **Pat West**, **Rick Pucci**, **Fred Latham**, **Jim Marshall**, **Ken Pulskamp**, **Troy Brown**, **Tammy Letourneau**, **Mike Sedell**, **Craig Robinson**, **Tim O'Donnell**, **Toby Ross**, **Steve Wright**, **Joe Goeden**, **Bob LaSala**, **Jack Lam**, **Tim Casey**, **Jeff Kolin**, **Rod Wood**, **Vern Hazen**, **Donna Landeros**, **Rita Geldert**, and **Ray Kromer**.

Following the session, I checked out of the Hilton, toted my luggage to my car in the self-parking area, and headed for *The Crossings at Carlsbad*, the scene of the *Tenth Annual CCMF Golf Tournament*. I went to help out with the staffing tasks of the tournament, not to play. Others who did not play but were big helps were **Bill & Judy Garrett**, **Aly Zimmermann** (an excellent raffle ticket seller), **Marcia Raines**, and **Francesca Fuentes** of the Willdan Group, Inc.





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Tournament Chairman **Bruce Channing**, City Manager in Laguna Hills, did a great job of pulling together this very successful tournament. This year the general tournament sponsor was *Urban Futures Incorporated*. **Bill Kelly** of Urban Futures was there with his wife Chris (who works for the City of Chino Hills). Urban Futures executive **Mike Busch** played in the tournament.

Retired Pico Rivera City Manager **Dennis Courtemarche** drove down from his Seal Beach home to play in the tournament. **Dr. Bill Mathis** played, and more importantly thoughtfully bought me an ice cold gin and tonic to quell my pre-tournament thirst. PARS executive **Kevin Murphy**, Retired Cypress City Manager, Range Rider **Darrell Essex**, and **Lisa Penna** and **Ken Taylor** of Willdan were among the 120-some participants.

Once again, we apologize for any unintended slights or omissions. We found the 2008 League of California Cities City Managers' Department Meeting to be a very informative, enjoyable, and worthwhile experience. Our hat is off to **Bob LaSala**, President **Jeff Kolin** and the others on the planning committee. The bar has been set high for future Department Meetings. See you next year in Monterey.



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Tyler Pouncéy gets a churro at Downtown Disney on his fifth birthday, February 12, 2008. Here he poses with his Grandpa Jack Simpson. Happy Fifth Birthday Tyler Dude.



Here are granddaughters (from top to bottom) Katie, Jamie and Jessie Hearther. They are the girls of our eldest daughter Kellee and our son-in-law U.S. Navy Commander Bill Hearther, an Annapolis graduate. Kellee is a **USC** graduate. They currently live in Virginia. Katie & Jamie were born in Hawaii and Jessie is a native Californian.

**P**icking Up the Pieces: Former California Assembly Member **Philip D. Hawkins**, who was an original member of the Bellflower Redevelopment Agency's Project Area Committee, currently serves as a member of the Board of Directors of the Central Basin Municipal Water District representing the cities of Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos, Hawaiian Gardens, Lakewood, Paramount



and Signal Hill. City Manager **John Bennett** of Rome, Georgia is the 2007 recipient of the "Pillars of Professional Management" award given at the Fall Conference of the 300-member Georgia City-County Management Association. While serving as the Public Works Director, **Clint Quilter** was appointed Hollister's City Manager in 2005 after coming to work for the city 15 years previously as an engineering inspector. A proposal by Long Beach Council Members **Patrick O'Donnell** and **Dee Andrews** was approved in January 2008 calling for a study session on proactive gang prevention programs with City Manager **Pat West**, Long Beach Unified School District, the Police Department, the Youth and Gang Violence Prevention Task Force and other community organizations.

**A spark of history:** In November 2003 Solana Beach in San Diego County became the first City in California to ban smoking on an ocean beach, and since then, at least eight other cities and one county have outlawed smoking on their beaches, and several more communities are working on similar ordinances. This is not the first time Solana Beach has led a movement to restrict smoking. The City was the first community in the state to ban lighting up in restaurants in 1992, three years before a similar statewide law took effect.

eCivis executive **Brad McKinney's** wife **Janay** gave birth at 6:26 a.m. on Valentine's Day to the couple's first baby, 7 pounds, 20 inches long, **Kody Mayree McKinney**. Meat users should follow In-N-Out Burger's lead and quit buying from the animal abusive Chino based Westland/Hallmark Meat Company. Tulare City Manager **Darrel L. Pyle** is a former Visalia Finance Director. Former Monrovia City Manager **Don Hopper** has come out of retirement to serve as interim city manager for Bradbury as former City Manager **Jennifer Vasquez** accepted the Assistant City Manager position in South El Monte. Pasadena Chief of Police **Bernard K. Melekian** is the Interim City Manager while the city recruits for a replacement to retired **Cynthia**

**Kurtz**. Santa Clara City Manager **Jennifer Sparacino** is working on the city's consideration of an NFL stadium to be used by the San Francisco 49ers near the Great America theme park.

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