

Chamber takes positions on state ballot

The Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce's Economic Development and Government Relations Committee carefully reviewed the 12 California Propositions that will be on the November 3, 2020 ballot. They recommended to the Chamber Board of Directors that the below positions be taken, which were unanimously approved by the Board of Directors at their August 27 meeting.

- Proposition 15. Split Roll Property Tax. Initiative Constitutional Amendment. Increases funding for K-12 public schools, community colleges and local governments by requiring that commercial and industrial real property be taxed based on current market value. Pleasanton Chamber opposes.

- Proposition 17. Restores Voting Rights for Convicted Felons Upon Completion of Prison Term. Placed on the ballot by the Legislature through ACA 6. Will permit parolees to vote. Pleasanton Chamber supports.

- Proposition 20. Restricts Parole for Non-Violent Offenders. Authorizes Felony Sentences for Certain Offenses Currently Treated Only as Misdemeanors. Initiative Statute. Imposes restrictions on

parole program for non-violent offenders who have completed the full term for their primary offense. Expands list of offenses that disqualify an inmate from this parole program. Pleasanton Chamber supports.



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- Proposition 21. Expands Local Governments' Authority to Enact Rent Control on Residential Property. Initiative Statute. Amends state law to allow local governments to establish rent control on residential properties more than 15 years old. Allows rent increases on rent-controlled properties of up to 15%

over three years from the previous tenant's rent above any increase allowed by local ordinance. Pleasanton Chamber opposes.

- Proposition 22. Changes Employment Classification Rules for App-Based Transportation and Delivery Drivers. Initiative Statute. Establishes criteria for determining whether app-based transportation (rideshare) and delivery drivers are "employees" or "independent contractors." Requires companies with independent contractor drivers to provide specified alternative benefits. Pleasanton Chamber supports.

HERS Breast Cancer Foundation 21st Annual Walk/Run Fundraiser

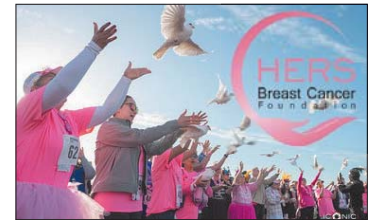
HERS Breast Cancer Foundation announced that registration and fundraising sites for their annual 5k Walk and 5k/10k Run are ready and available. The virtual event takes place the weekend of Saturday, September 26, 2020, through Sunday, September 27, 2020. Proceeds will benefit the Foundation's assistance programs which provide under-served Bay Area breast cancer survivors with post-surgical garments and prostheses, and fitting services.

This event, now in its 21st consecutive year, will bring together breast cancer patients and survivors from all over the Bay Area in a new virtual format due to Covid-19. The Foundation's event committee is working diligently to retain the beloved community event's spirit. Survivors are encouraged to participate with their families and supporters at this event which celebrates life and raises money for HERS, a non-profit organization.

This year's virtual event will kick off on Facebook Live Saturday, September 26, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. with a welcome by long-time supporter KTVU's Heather Holmes. The opening event will also feature the Foundation's traditional Elaine's Memorial Circle with dove release which is a deeply meaningful moment for patients and their loved ones.

The Facebook Live event opening will also feature Shameem and her XTRIM BOLLYWOOD TEAM to lead participants in a lively and energetic Bollywood-style warmup.

A new element for 2020 are prizes which will be announced every hour on Saturday, September 26 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00



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p.m. Prizes include items donated by Lo & Sons of New York, Kendra Scott jewelry, In-n-Out Burger, Strider bikes, and The Bar Method Fremont.

Also returning this year is HERS Board Member Anjali Rao to lead a Zoom yoga session on Saturday, September 26 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. This alternative to walking or running is designed for all levels and is \$20 per person. Those interested in yoga should call (510) 790-1911 to register.

Participants are encouraged to dress in themed outfits or fun costumes. Pet owners may register their pets for \$10 per pet and each registered pet will be eligible to win a pet-themed basket. Human registration this year is a low \$20 per person for walkers and runners, regardless of age category or activity. Groups of four may register for \$75.

Call (510) 790-1911 for more info or visit www.hersbreastcancerfoundation.org/walk-run.

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