



Honoring
Rick Pena
"2024 Man of the Year"
West Ventura County Business Alliance

Whereas, Rick Pena is being recognized as the "2024 Man of the Year" by the West Ventura County Business Alliance for his personal and professional success, and dedication to the betterment of the Camarillo community; and

Whereas, Rick is a lifelong resident of Camarillo and has made significant contributions to our community with his wife, Jodie; and

Whereas, Rick is the owner and broker of Realty Executives California Coast where he has been providing exceptional real estate services for over 20 years. Rick and Jodie were honored with the Ventura County Board of Realtors Good Neighbor Award in 2023 in recognition of their outstanding community service; and

Whereas, Rick's passion for public service is evident in his coaching of little league baseball, in his support of many local charities, and in serving as a board member for the Pleasant Valley Historical Museum; and

Whereas, Rick had a dream 8 years ago to start an 805 chapter of the Miracle League, a baseball league for kids and adults with special needs. With the help of an inspired community, Rick helped raise \$1.5 million to build an all-inclusive baseball field at Freedom Park that is fully accessible, accommodating wheelchairs and walkers. Thanks to Rick's relentless perseverance, the Miracle League of the 805 hosted its inaugural season this spring with 6 teams and 65 athletes; and

Whereas, Rick and his family have set an example of volunteering in the community and being advocates for those with special needs.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Ventura County commends Rick Pena for his commitment to the betterment of the Camarillo community. The Board further congratulates Rick on receiving the West Ventura County Business Alliance "2024 Man of the Year" recognition.

Presented on this 25th day of July 2024


Matt LaVergne, Supervisor 1st District


Jeff Gorell, Supervisor 2nd District


Janice S. Parvin, Supervisor 4th District


Chair of the Board of Supervisors
Kelly Long, Supervisor 3rd District


Vianey Lopez, Supervisor 5th District



Honoring

Megan Voshell
"2024 Woman of the Year"
West Ventura County Business Alliance

Whereas, Megan Voshell is being recognized as the "2024 Woman of the Year" by the West Ventura County Business Alliance for her personal and professional success, and dedication to the betterment of the Camarillo community; and

Whereas, Megan is the Executive Director of the Camarillo Family YMCA and has been employed by the YMCA for 27 years working for several Y Associations in Southern California before truly finding her community in Camarillo; and

Whereas, Megan has a bachelor of arts from California State University Northridge with an emphasis on English literature and education; and

Whereas, Megan was born and raised in Camarillo and returned to her hometown in 2006 to raise a family in this community. With her husband, Tom, she has two children: Emerson, aged 17, and Rylan, aged 11; and

Whereas, Megan recently served as the President of the Rotary Club of Camarillo because she believes in service above self. Megan aims to provide opportunities for youth and teens and to make a lasting impact in the lives of those around her. For this reason, she became involved in the YMCA and the Rotary Club because they both give the opportunity to work and volunteer in environments where one can truly make a difference.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Ventura County commends Megan Voshell for her commitment to the betterment of the Camarillo community. The Board further congratulates Megan on receiving the West Ventura County Business Alliance "2024 Woman of the Year" recognition.

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Honoring

Al Lowe

"2024 Stan Daily Lifetime Achievement Award"
West Ventura County Business Alliance

Whereas, Al Lowe is being recognized as the recipient of the "2024 Stan Daily Lifetime Achievement Award" by the West Ventura County Business Alliance for his personal and professional success, and dedication to the betterment of the Camarillo community; and

Whereas, Al has lived and invested in Ventura County for 72 years and raised a family in Camarillo with his wife, Petra, resulting in nine beautiful grandchildren; and

Whereas, Al's commitment to community engagement began at a young age and is reflected in his service to the Boards of Directors for the Museum of Ventura County, Casa Pacifica Centers for Children & Families, TOArts, and the Camarillo Rotary Club. He is also Chair of the Development Task Force for SECA and an alumnus of Ventura County Leadership Academy Cohort XXIX; and

Whereas, through his daily work, Al has impacted the landscape of Ventura County through the many projects completed by Al Lowe Construction, Inc., such as remodeling and building custom homes, Ventura's hospitals, medical offices and buildings, and many commercial buildings; and

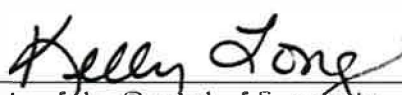
Whereas, Al has been recognized for his reputation of excellence in the building industry as one of the nation's Top 50 Remodeling Professionals by Remodeling Magazine, has been placed in Qualified Remodeler Magazine's Top 500 List of Remodeling Contractors in the country, and for many years has won the Ventura County Star's Readers' Choice Award for Best Contractor; and

Whereas, Al has also been recognized by his community for his passion to public service as Man of the Year by the Camarillo Chamber of Commerce, Rotarian of the Year by the Camarillo Rotary Club, and was the recipient of Casa Pacifica's Guardian Angel Award.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Ventura County commends Al Lowe for his service and commitment to the betterment of the Camarillo community. The Board further congratulates Lowe on receiving the West Ventura County Business Alliance "2024 Stan Daily Lifetime Achievement Award" recognition.

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