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They're taking people from their families. Kids are coming home from school and their parents are gone," Indivisible Carpinteria Co Chair Carol Kernahan.

STATISTICS TO DATE:

Verified ICE sightings this Week: 10 Verified Detainments: 15 Families who visited CASA for support: 792 Families who received Sanctuary: 23 Families who were relocated: 42



- Important Dates:

February 25, 2025

Casa will be presenting an emergency proclamation to the board of supervisors at 9AM /ALL ARE WELCOME!

February 25-28th

Pozole Fundraiser to help cover media, printing and basic needs resources

February 26, 2025

Ambassador of Mexico visits Casa for small business meeting and community update

March 31, 2025

We will not be silenced rally 5PM



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FAMILIES HAVE VISITED CASA THIS WEEK SEEKING ASSISTANCE FROM OUR PIPELINES

How Can You Get Involved?

- HELP US FUNDRAISE
- HELP US DISTRIBUTE
- HELP US GET THE WORD OUT
 - HELP US RESOURCE
 - MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES

BUILDING THE FUTURE TOGETHER

Board of Supervisors February 25, 9AM

-Partner with allies for public comment

-Reach out to other boards commissions and organizations for support

We will not be Silenced Rally! March 31st 5pm

Join us on March 31 for a rally and march in solidarity with the historic migrant rights movement. This event calls for emergency proclamations to protect the rights and wellbeing of migrant communities. Together, we will advocate for change and show our collective strength in the ongoing fight for justice and equality.



02/23 7AM





Casa got a call from a family on the Westside, ICE was there. This is a family who was getting help at casa. One of the sons in the apartment had just gotten off probation a few days prior.

A **US citizen** residing in the apartment refused to open the door and asked to see the warrant. They used a battery ram and broke the door. The agents slammed the US citizen on the floor and handcuffed him. Once they removed his brother they gave the warrant to the mother and left.

HOW CASA RESPONDED

We stayed in constant contact with the family, and through our pipelines we are providing legal support and are fundraising the help pay for the damage to the door. We're working on rehoming the remainder of the family as they are in fear. Additionally we contacted all our families in similar scenarios and quickly rehomed them to a safe location with our allies. Please text (805) 695-1229 if you would like to donate to this family.



DISTRIBUTION



THIS IS PRIVATE PROPERTY You may not enter without a warrant please wait here to be assisted

A Sample of letter for businesses and signage is included at the end of this newsletter

Private property signage distribution

Please help us reach out to local businesses and community allies to show solidarity by posting supportive signage outside their properties and establishments. These signs are a powerful symbol of unity, letting those affected by recent federal policies know they are not alone. Our goal is to first distribute these signs to public spaces and safe homes across the community, then focus on reaching at-risk households.



Why are these important?

1) They unite allies and empower them to stand in solidarity with those distressed and show those living in fear that they have community of allies behind them.

2) They provide written notice to those enforcing laws that people are invoicing amendment rights.

3) They educate those living in paralyzing fear of what they can do to protect themselves and others when faced with having to invoke amendments.

4) They educate on what to ask for when facing enforcement entities, to demand a warrant for an individual and a judicially signed search warrant before forced entry without permission.



😹 Urgent 😹

We need all our allies to meet us at Casa this Monday 5PM for a door to door distribution of information flyer packets will be available in both English and Spanish this information needs to get out as quickly as possible to our community! We will be sending out volunteers to both east/westside Santa barbara



FUNDRAISING & Resourcing



POZOLE FUNDRAISER

This fundraiser is essential to help support our Underground Railroad with printing materials, media, basic needs, shelter and migrant rights work. Flyer is available at end of newsletter.

DETAILS

\$16 Includes: Chicken red pozole, toppings, chips and agua fresca

Presale: 02/15- 02/25

Pickup Dates: 02/25- 02-28

BASIC

Can purchase online or cash, presale ticket info below



Tickets available for pickup at CASA or text: (805)695-1229 to arrange pickup.





Help us replenish our basic needs pipeline

Casa de la Raza is currently facing a critical shortage of essential supplies, including food and basic necessities. As a grassroots, community-based organization, we rely heavily on the generosity of local vendors, businesses, and individuals to continue supporting those in need.

We kindly ask that you consider reaching out to local grocery stores, printing shops, and other suppliers to assist us during this challenging time. Any contribution, no matter how small, will make a significant difference in helping us provide for our community.

Although we strongly encourage our community to purchase items from our local businesses we understand it may be difficult for some to visit the center. We have created an Amazon wishlist that you can purchase from which will ship the items directly to the center quickly.

At the end of this newsletter, you will find a link to our donation page where we are also collecting monetary donations. and a link to our Amazon wishlist



02/26 EMERGENCY MEETING AT CASA WITH AMBASSADOR OF MEXICO



Ambassador Update about new federal administration and how Mexico will be responding

JUNTA COMINITARIA CON EL CONSULATO MEXICANO EN OXNARD

Escuche directamente del ambassador de Mexico!

El dara informe sobre la preparasion de asistencia a nuestros paisanos, afectados por impactos migratorios

Informese en lo que está haciendo su paiz para apoyar a está comunidad

SMALL BUISNESS MEETING 5PM AT CASA

-Mexican Government Update

-Legal Affairs, Employer sponsor visas/buisness owner visas

-Getting your agency ready to sponsor employees

COMMUNITY MEETING 6PM AT CASA

-Information on community resources and changes of policy

-Getting your emergency family preparedness packets ready in case of a separation

-Notary's will be onsite to provide affidavits







https://www.amazon.com/ hz/wishlist/ls/3BBQ20XH6 54I7?ref_=wl_share





POZOLE FUNDRAISER

To help support our Underground Railroad with printing materials, basic needs, shelter and migrant rights work.

When: Pre-sale NOW -02/25 Pickup dates: 02/25 -02/28 Where: Casa De La Raza 601 E Montecito St.

Scan to purchase: (805)695-1229



\$16.00 Chicken pozole meal

includes toppings, chips, Land a small Jamaica



You must have a warrant, picture of the individual AND a search warrant if you come on this property without permission