



NEWSLETTER

MARCH 03, 2025

ISSUE #03

“ My Family fought for a better life in the U.S and now I’m fighting for their right to stay



STATISTICS TO DATE:

- Verified ICE sightings this Week: **10**
- Verified Detainments: **15**
- Families who visited CASA for support: **916**
- Families who received Sanctuary: **26**
- Families who were relocated: **42**



900+ FAMILIES HAVE VISITED CASA SEEKING ASSISTANCE FROM OUR PIPELINES

Newsletter Highlights:

- PARTNERSHIP UPDATE
- CASA UPDATE
- PIPELINE UPDATE
- CASE UPDATE



Important Dates:

March 03, 2025

Precinct walk, help us distribute essential information to Haley St, Gutierrez St and the Mesa!

March 06-20, 2025

Upcoming activist gift basket raffle, TBA

March 31, 2025

We will not be silenced rally 5PM Santa Barbara Courthouse Bring a stuffed animal and help us unite all of SB county! We need change now, and we will not be silenced! Join us for this vigil and help us make social change

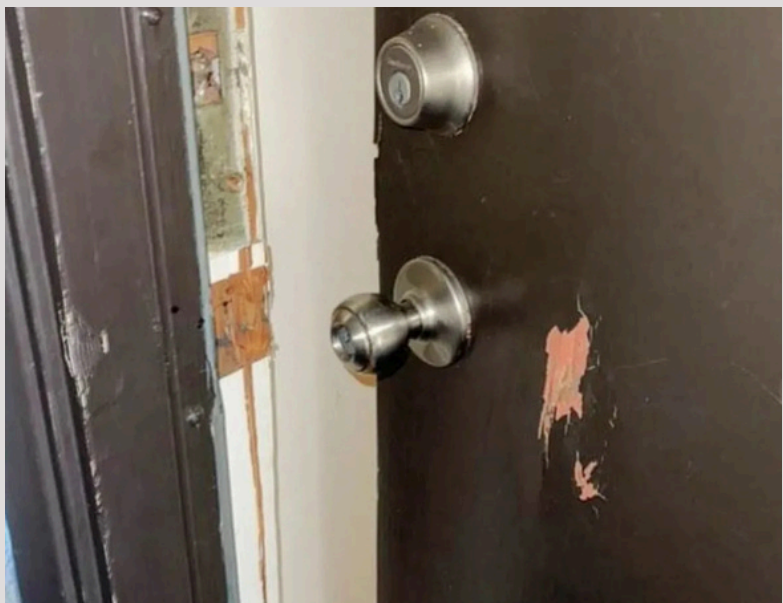
BUILDING THE FUTURE TOGETHER

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

Join us on March 31 for a rally and march in honor of Cesar Chavez day. This event calls for emergency proclamations to protect the rights and well-being of migrant communities. Together, we will advocate for change and show our collective strength in the ongoing fight for justice and equality.

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02/23 DETAILS



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.

Update:

When Casa was contacted by the family we were connected them with 805Undocufund who activated their legal defense assistance. We continue to work on case management. The family is working to relocate, the individual arrested has yet to come home on bond, **we ask our that our community help create support letters that can be presented on behalf of the family.**



DISTRIBUTION & FUNDRAISER UPDATE



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.

Thanks to the support of our volunteers, we successfully distributed signage to nearly every business on Milpas and San Andres Street Monday evening. However, we still need a few more volunteers to help distribute signage to businesses on Haley St, Gutierrez St, and the Mesa. If you're available to assist, please reach out to (805) 695-1229. Thank you!



Pozole Fundraiser

Thank you so much for purchasing your pozoles! Your support directly contributed to covering the costs of printing the business packages, which provided essential information to our local small businesses on how to protect themselves against ICE agents. Your purchase has helped ensure that these businesses are better equipped with the knowledge they need to safeguard their rights and operations. We truly appreciate your contribution to this important effort!

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02/26 MEETING WITH MEXICAN CONSULATE



The Mexican Consulate held individual meetings at Casa with elected officials from the cities of Santa Barbara and Goleta, the County Board of Education, the Board of Supervisors, and the Santa Maria School District. During these meetings, they discussed insights, strategies, and plans for future collaborations.

The consulate also met with Rincon Broadcasting and the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce to formalize a plan for our media pipeline, ensuring that essential information reaches our at-risk communities.



The Ambassador of Mexico recently met with small business owners to address critical issues affecting their businesses and to educate business owners about their rights when ICE agents are present, providing valuable insights into how to protect their businesses and employees in such situations. Additionally, the Ambassador led a detailed discussion on the process of employee sponsor visas, offering guidance on how small business owners can navigate the complexities of hiring and retaining skilled workers through legal sponsorship. This meeting was a crucial opportunity for business owners to gain a better understanding of their rights and responsibilities, while also learning about potential solutions for workforce challenges.

In the evening, we hosted a forum where the Santa Barbara community had the opportunity to hear directly from the Ambassador on migrant rights. 805 UndocuFund provided vital "Know Your Rights" information and explained how to access their rapid response hotline. Additionally, local notaries were present to assist families in completing their childcare affidavits, ensuring that they had the necessary support and resources to navigate these important processes.



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UPDATE ON PARTNERSHIPS

**Laura
Ronchietto**

Immigration
Consultant

Laura specializes in Uvisas and will be at Casa once a month to assist families with you UCIS FOYA requests and working on U visa case management

**Josephina
Martinez**

Notary/Tax
Preparation

At casa Monday-Friday once a week helping families with childcare affidavits free of charge

Drivers Listos

Casa is working on a partnership with drivers listos to provide transportation for children to and from schools

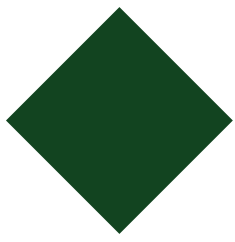
Legal Aid

Casa is working on a partnership with a nonprofit legal aid organization to potentially partner at casa once a month to help individuals access a direct line to attorney consultations

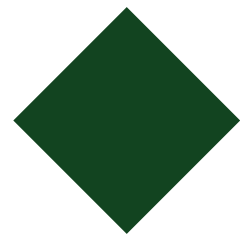
Safe Haven Pipeline

Casa has solidified a partnership with a local individual who will be providing housing for our displaced families





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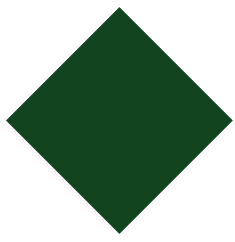


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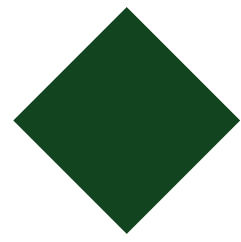
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