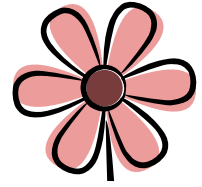




Spring into April 2026 FCLPA'S VALLEY VERDICT



Welcome Spring!

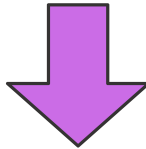
Let's embrace the sunshine and fresh beginnings that Spring brings to our community!

MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT THANK YOU TO OUR BOARD MEMBERS

THE FRESNO COUNTY LEGAL PROFESSIONALS ASSOCIATION (FCLPA) STANDS AS A CORNERSTONE OF OUR LOCAL LEGAL COMMUNITY, AND ITS STRENGTH IS DERIVED ENTIRELY FROM THE DEDICATION OF ITS MEMBERS.

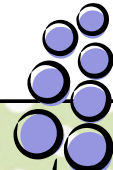
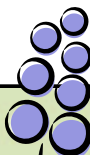
I PERSONALLY WANT TO THANK ALL BOARD MEMBERS FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE AND CONTINUED EDUCATION YOU PROVIDE THAT ENSURES THE WHEELS OF JUSTICE TURN WITH PRECISION AND INTEGRITY. BEYOND THE ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL EXPERTISE YOU PROVIDE, YOU SERVE AS A VITAL BRIDGE BETWEEN THE COMPLEX LEGAL SYSTEM AND THE PUBLIC, OFFERING THE CLARITY AND SUPPORT NECESSARY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND THE LEGAL COMMUNITY TO NAVIGATE THEIR MOST CHALLENGING MOMENTS. I WANT TO EXTEND MY DEEPEST APPRECIATION FOR YOUR TIRELESS WORK, YOUR COLLABORATIVE SPIRIT, AND THE ESSENTIAL ROLE YOU PLAY IN UPHOLDING THE HIGH STANDARDS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION AND THE FCLPA ASSOCIATION.

Do not miss the exciting event below:



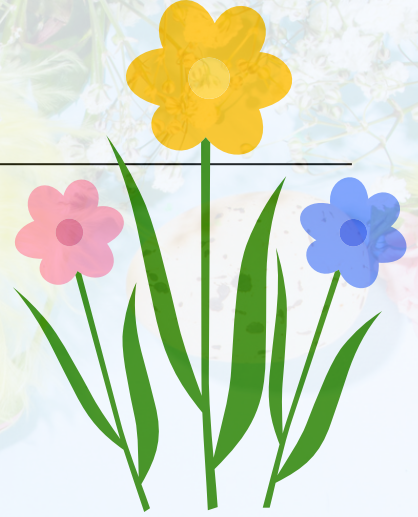
INSTALLATION OF OUR 2026/2027 BOARD MEMBERS

LPI's Executive Advisor, Rod Cardinale, Jr., will serve as the installing officer



APRIL 2026

MEET OUR THREE GUEST SPEAKERS



**ALL THREE OF OUR GUEST SPEAKERS
ARE RUNNING FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE
AND WILL BE DISCUSSING
CAMPAIGNING, PUBLIC SERVICE, AND MORE!**

You do not want to miss this informative and engaging presentation.

GLOW INTO SPRING

Spring
**BEGINS WITH
RENEWAL.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

***PLEASE JOIN US AND MARK YOUR CALENDARS:**

- **OUR GENERAL MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR:**

**DATE: APRIL 21, 2026 LOCATION: OVIDIO'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT
3097 W Bullard Ave, Fresno, CA 93711**

www.reallygreatsite.com

- **APRIL GENERAL MEETING AND INSTALLATION OF THE OFFICERS ON
APRIL 21, 2026.**

OCTOBER 2026

- **SAVE THE DATE FOR THE SILENT AUCTION, OCTOBER 17, 2026.**

ONGOING

- **WE WELCOME SPONSORS TO HELP BRING FCLPA'S VISION TO LIFE
(SEE OUR SPONSOR PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION)**

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DONATIONS FOR SILENT AUCTION

TURN YOUR GENEROSITY INTO PROGRESS. DONATING TO OUR SILENT AUCTION PROVIDES THE CRITICAL FUNDING NEEDED TO ENHANCE OUR LEGAL PROGRAMS AND SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE.



SUGGESTED TOPICS FOR UPCOMING NEWSLETTERS:

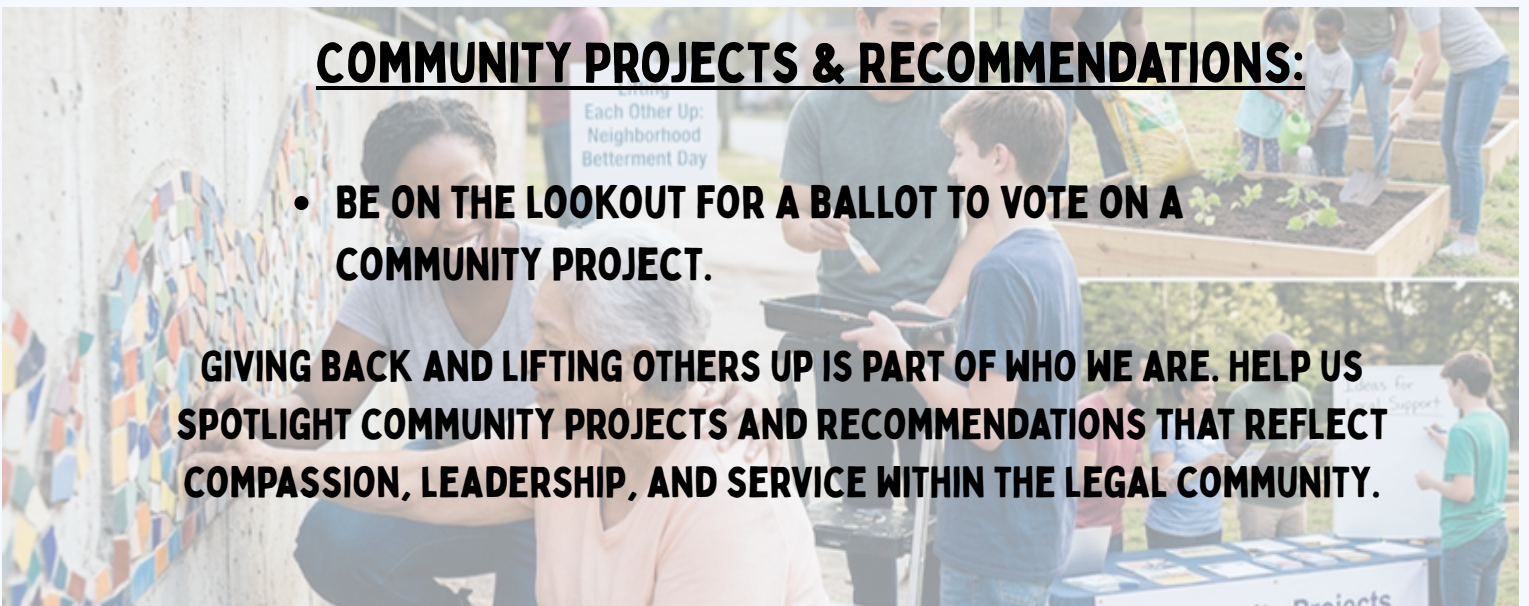
WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

YOUR EXPERTISE AND PERSPECTIVES HELP MAKE OUR NEWSLETTER A VALUABLE RESOURCE. IF THERE ARE SPECIFIC LEGAL TOPICS YOU'D LIKE TO SEE COVERED—OR IF YOU HAVE IDEAS ON HOW TO BETTER HIGHLIGHT THE INCREDIBLE WORK WITHIN OUR LEGAL COMMUNITY—WE INVITE YOU TO SHARE YOUR SUGGESTIONS WITH US.

COMMUNITY PROJECTS & RECOMMENDATIONS:

- BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR A BALLOT TO VOTE ON A COMMUNITY PROJECT.**

GIVING BACK AND LIFTING OTHERS UP IS PART OF WHO WE ARE. HELP US SPOTLIGHT COMMUNITY PROJECTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS THAT REFLECT COMPASSION, LEADERSHIP, AND SERVICE WITHIN THE LEGAL COMMUNITY.





SPONSORS WELCOME

WE HAVE PACKAGES FOR ADVERTISING ON OUR WEBSITE.

BECOME A SPONSOR OF FCLPA

- **SUPPORT. VISIBILITY. COMMUNITY IMPACT. THE FRESNO COUNTY LEGAL PROFESSIONALS ASSOCIATION (FCLPA) AND THE VALLEY VERDICT NEWSLETTER ARE PROUD TO SUPPORT EDUCATION, PROFESSIONAL GROWTH, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT WITHIN THE LEGAL PROFESSION.**
- **WE INVITE INDIVIDUALS, BUSINESSES, AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS TO BECOME SPONSORS AND PLAY AN ACTIVE ROLE IN STRENGTHENING OUR LEGAL COMMUNITY.**
- **SPONSORSHIP PROVIDES VITAL SUPPORT FOR OUR PROGRAMS, EVENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND OUTREACH INITIATIVES—WHILE OFFERING MEANINGFUL RECOGNITION FOR THOSE WHO CONTRIBUTE. AS A SPONSOR, YOUR NAME OR BUSINESS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AS A VALUED SUPPORTER OF FCLPA AND OUR MISSION.**

SPONSOR RECOGNITION

- **ALL SPONSORS WILL RECEIVE RECOGNITION, WHICH MAY INCLUDE: LISTING ON FCLPA MATERIALS AND PUBLICATIONS, RECOGNITION ON OUR WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS, ACKNOWLEDGMENT AT MEETINGS AND EVENTS, AND INCREASED VISIBILITY WITHIN THE LEGAL AND LOCAL COMMUNITY**
- **FLEXIBLE SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS TO MAKE PARTICIPATION ACCESSIBLE, WE OFFER BOTH MONTHLY AND YEARLY SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS. WHETHER YOU PREFER ONGOING MONTHLY SUPPORT OR A ONE-TIME ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION, YOUR SPONSORSHIP MAKES A MEANINGFUL DIFFERENCE.**
- **SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ARE OPEN TO: BUSINESSES AND SERVICE PROVIDERS, LAW FIRMS AND LEGAL PROFESSIONALS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS, AND SUPPORTERS, INDIVIDUALS WHO BELIEVE IN OUR MISSION.**

PARTNERING WITH US AS A SPONSOR

- **YOU ARE NOT ONLY GAINING VISIBILITY YOU ARE INVESTING IN EDUCATION, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, AND THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF THE LEGAL COMMUNITY IN THE VALLEY.**
- **WE ARE PRESENTLY OFFERING ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS AND SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT IN HELPING FCLPA CONTINUE ITS IMPORTANT WORK. WE ANTICIPATE INTRODUCING MONTHLY SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES IN THE FUTURE.**

COMMUNITY

TOGETHER WE GROW



OUR COMMITMENT TO SERVICE

OUR ASSOCIATION IS BUILT ON THE PRINCIPLE OF SERVICE. WE BELIEVE THAT COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT ENRICHES BOTH THE PUBLIC AND OUR PROFESSIONAL STANDING. BY PARTICIPATING IN LOCAL OUTREACH AND VOLUNTEER INITIATIVES, OUR MEMBERS DRIVE MEANINGFUL CHANGE THAT TRANSCENDS THE DAILY PRACTICE OF LAW.



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

THIS NEWSLETTER BELONGS TO OUR COMMUNITY, AND WE WANT TO PUT THE SPOTLIGHT ON YOU. WHETHER YOU HAVE A FAVORITE FAMILY RECIPE, STUNNING VACATION PHOTOS, OR A PERSONAL STORY TO TELL, WE INVITE YOU TO SHARE IT WITH OUR READERS. WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

- **MILESTONES & WINS:** CELEBRATE YOUR RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS OR LIFE UPDATES.
- **COMMUNITY TIPS:** SHARE A PIECE OF ADVICE OR A "HIDDEN GEM" YOU'VE DISCOVERED.
- **LOCAL OPPORTUNITIES:** LET US KNOW IF YOUR BUSINESS IS HIRING OR IF YOU KNOW OF A GREAT JOB OPENING.
- **JUST FOR FUN:** SEND US YOUR THOUGHTS, CREATIVE PROJECTS, OR ANYTHING ELSE THAT INSPIRES YOU!

YOUR VOICE MAKES THIS COMMUNITY WHAT IT IS. SEND IN YOUR SUBMISSIONS AND HELP US MAKE THE NEXT EDITION TRULY SPECIAL.

THANK YOU FOR READING!

FCLPA WELCOMES ALL NEW MEMBERS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.