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THE CHAT NEWSLETTER

**Retired Public Employees' Association
Burbank Chapter 026 Area V**

We are active and retired California public employees working together to maintain and improve the quality of the lives of our members by protecting and improving retirement, medical, and other benefits.



MESSAGE FROM YOUR CHAPTER PRESIDENT

**"I FEEL THE EARTH MOVE UNDER MY FEET",
.....AND I DON'T LIKE IT!!!**

I feel this is probably the way many of you felt as we rocked and rolled in the first weeks of July. We all feel sympathy for the cities in the epicenter that are still feeling after-shocks. Use these earthquakes as a reminder to check your stored supplies like water, food, medications, and pet needs. If you need help, there are several groups that can assist with lists of important items.

I was sorry to have missed the June meeting, but heard it went very well. Lunch was delicious and the Ukulele group was fun. It was great being able to hear from CALPERS Board of Directors' candidate, J.J. Jelincic, who was very informative and is endorsed by RPEA. You can contact him directly by calling him at (916)304-5550 if you want to talk to him personally. When you receive your ballot, please vote. Now, on to our special August meeting to be held at the Hill Street Café. We will be discussing ideas for our future meetings and/or revamping our programming. **WE NEED PEOPLE TO PARTICIPATE.** Elections are coming up. Are you participating in this valuable organization that protects your retirement benefits? If not, we would love to have you join us. If you are interested on being on the Board, please contact Marge Lauerman at (818) 845-1920. I thank the Board and you the members for your continuing support. Remember to let us know if you are coming to the meeting by RSVPing. For members needing a ride to the meeting, please contact Barbara Harmon at (818)843-5472, Ellie Knapp (661)607-2072, or Burbank Transportation. Looking forward to seeing each of you on 8/28/2019!

Sharon Leech, President-Chapter #026

**SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR NEXT
MEETING ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2019**

YOU ARE INVITED!

WE HOPE YOU'LL ATTEND!

THE RPEA CHAPTER #026 LUNCHEON

When? Noon on Monday, August 28, 2019

Where? HILL STREET CAFE

3301 North Glenoaks Blvd.

Burbank, CA 91504

Lunch is free with specified items available!

(SEE THE ATTACHMENT)

Please RSVP to Sharon Leech by 8/25/2019:

By Phone - (818) 768-5945 or

Email - snrleech2@yahoo.com



**NEW
AUGUST
MEETING
LOCATION**

HILL STREET CAFE

In effort to keep things interesting, the Board is having the August meeting at the Hill Street Café in Burbank. The restaurant is located at: **3301 North Glenoaks Boulevard, Burbank, CA 91504** Phone: **(818)845-0046** - Across the street from Woodbury University. We will be meeting in the rear meeting room. The hostess can direct you and there is plenty of parking adjacent to the restaurant. See the attached enclosure.

REMINDER: If you are interested in taking a RPEA-sponsored Princess Cruise to the MEXICIAN RIVIERA on 10/26-11/2/2019 contact Ellie Knapp at (661)607-2071.

Mary Jo Watkins, Vice President/Newsletter Editor

You may be someone who cannot attend luncheon meetings, but you want to support our efforts to protect your pension and health care benefits. If you want more information or want to have an application mailed to you, phone toll free 1-800-443-7732, or email rpeahq@rpea.com. For an online application, go to www.rpea.com. Make sure you update any changes to your email or life events with RPEA so we can forward any important information regarding your pension or benefits.

THE MORE MEMBERS WE HAVE, THE STRONGER OUR INFLUENCE!

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RPEA MEMBERS

**THE AUGUST 26TH, 2019
MONTHLY MEETING WILL BE
HELD IN NEW LOCATION!**

The August meeting will be held at the
HILL STREET CAFE

3301 North Glenoaks Boulevard

Burbank, CA 91504

Phone: (818)845-0046

(Across the street from Woodbury University)

The meal will include a drink and
one of the items noted below:

COLD TURKEY SANDWICH

CHEESEBURGER

BBQ CHICKEN SALAD

SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT/MARINARA SAUCE

BASIL PESTO CHICKEN SANDWICH

DON'T FORGET TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS!