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California

The mission of the California Restaurant Association is to be the definitive voice of the California food service industry.



The CRA's new learning platform = faster, easier training of your new employees

Training new and returning employees has never been a bigger task than it is today – and, training doesn't end at obtaining a food handler card. There is so much more to know about working in a restaurant. CRA member feedback led us to partner with Train 321 on a new, efficient and easy-to-use learning platform. Your new hires can dive in and learn quite a lot – even before their first day at work, and CRA members can access discounted pricing.

[Access the Learning Platform Here](#)

[Read the CRA's Full Announcement](#)



Franchises are key to a healthy California workforce

AB 257, strongly opposed by the CRA, the International Franchise Association (IFA,) and many other business organizations, continues to make its way through the state legislature with backing from the Service Employees International Union (SEIU.)

“As a franchisee, our people are the most important asset, and we make every commitment to help others achieve their goals,” writes Greg Flynn, founder, chairman and CEO of the Flynn Restaurant Group. “We



Five key employment law deadlines and developments for California employers for July 2022

It's not just at the end of every year that employers must note new laws about to take effect. New minimum wages take effect in July, and there are immediate deadlines to be aware of for CalSavers, as well as the state's Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) training. Remember, **CRA offers the RBS training** at a low cost for your employees.

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National



National Restaurant Association (NRA) presses Congress to keep a data security bill from becoming harmful



Is a Recession Coming for Restaurants?

The NRA is contending with legislation that resembles what the CRA fought several years ago in California: well-intentioned data privacy protections that end up impacting a restaurant's ability to run a customer loyalty program, or even even lead to an all-to easy path to lawsuits.

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Not surprisingly, most of the restaurant recovery has come from price over traffic. Some consumers now say they are spending less of their disposable income on dining out than they did last year.

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This month's Mindful Minute is focused on PTSD Awareness. It's essential to understand how PTSD can impact employees of all levels and to meet it with knowledge and compassion.

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CRA News



Restaurants Care Celebrates 5 Years and 1,931 Grants

CRA's Foundation launched the Restaurants Care relief fund 5 years ago this month! The fund has helped 1,931 food and beverage workers in our community navigate wildfires, the pandemic, and personal crisis like the loss of a loved one. The fund has also given grants to 674 independent restaurants. 100% of these grants were funded by donations! Get involved today and be part of Restaurants Care's next 5 impactful years!

Email **info@Restaurantscare.org**

Visit our website



The CRA's Lynne Davidson is honored with Elizabeth Burns Lifetime Achievement Award

Lynne Davidson, owner of the legendary Tito's Taco's in Los Angeles, has served her community in many ways for decades. For her many years of support and advocacy for the California restaurant community, she can now add the Elizabeth Burns Lifetime Achievement Award to her long list of recognitions and achievements.

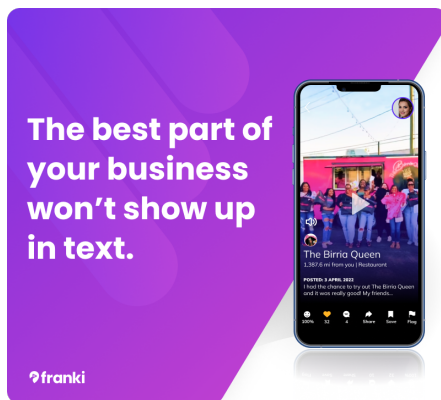
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ServSafe® Alcohol Responsible Beverage Service Online Training for California

The Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) program is now being offered by the CRA. The training is required under new California law. To learn more and for a full set of compliance resources provided by the CRA, click on the link below.

[Learn how to register here](#)



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3:30 PM - 5:30 AM

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