The push for relief for recipients of EIDL loans, + LA mayoral candidates aim to address homelessness

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# **California**

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



# Gimme Shelter: Los Angeles mayoral candidates discuss homelessness plans

Homelessness is a key issue for Californians, including for voters in Los Angeles, where an estimated 41,000 people are homeless. The two mayoral candidates are proposing very different solutions. Earlier this year, the CRA endorsed Rick Caruso.

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## <u>Pressure builds for workers'</u> compensation overhaul

The last workers' compensation overhaul in California was viewed as good for employers. Workers comp insurance premiums have dropped significantly, according to a report from the Workers' Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau. What will the next reform look like?

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## State Agency Close-up: The Alcoholic Beverage Control Appeals Board

You've heard of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC,) but, have you heard of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Appeals Board? If your restaurant has received disciplinary action that you disagreed with from the department, you might decide to take that to the board.

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## <u>StreetDeck - Pre-Fab. Kits for</u> <u>Curbside Dining</u>

StreetDeck integrated deck systems include all components necessary to build durable and stylish decks extending from the sidewalk. Sitting in place of one, two or even eight parking spots, StreetDeck dining spaces attract crowds of new customers walking down the street.

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## **National**



# National Restaurant Association (NRA) asks for relief for recipients of EIDL loans

"As we know all too well, 90,000 restaurants closed due to COVID-19. Many of the restaurants still open today — particularly the 177,000 that were unable to receive a Restaurant Revitalization Fund grant — face an uncertain future," said Sean Kennedy, executive vice president for Public Affairs at the NRA, in a statement.



### <u>Chipotle Mexican Grill will test robotic</u> <u>tortilla chip maker 'Chippy' in California</u> restaurant

In addition to testing 'Chippy,' Chipotle is also aiming to use machine learning to predict demand for its ingredients, and piloting advanced features for its mobile app.

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### Bright, Stackable Seating for Exterior Dining

Curb appeal doesn't just apply to houses. When a restaurant's exterior doesn't match the vibrant yet sophisticated feel of its interior, adding outdoor furniture with personality is a simple way to invite more business.

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# Fisher Phillips Webinar: The Race is On: Preparing Your Business for CCPA Compliance

In this panel discussion, attorneys from Fisher Phillips' Data Security and Workplace Privacy Practice Group and Consumer Privacy Team will discuss the most recent updates to the CCPA/CPRA deadlines and how they have been affected by the recent California Legislative Session.

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## **CRA News**



# San Diego Restaurant Week is Back With Delectable Dishes For Diners

There is something for everyone at San Diego Restaurant Week, with more than 100 restaurants throughout the county participating. The event, being held without COVID restrictions for the first time in more than two years, is proudly presented by the CRA's San Diego chapter.

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### Long Beach: ServSafe® Food Protection Manager IN-PERSON Training & Proctored Exam

California State law requires each [individual] food service establishment to have at least one employee who is certified in food safety and sanitation. This one-day session will review the key terms and concepts from the ServSafe textbook (included in the registration fee).



#### **2022 Fresno Annual Golf Tournament**

The Fresno Annual Golf Tournament is on for Oct. 10th. Check in is at 10am and shotgun Starts at 11am.

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## KROST Restaurant Accountants' Secret Shopper Service

KROST Restaurant Accountants' Secret Shopper Service is offered as a package of four Secret Shopper Reviews. The reviews will cover every aspect of the dining experience, such as facility cleanliness, steps of service, staff interactions, food and beverage quality and presentation, ambiance, and guest check accuracy. Additionally, we will work with your team to tailor the Shopper's checklist to your concept's specific areas of importance.

# Get to know the California Restaurant Association Certified Employee Training Programs

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.

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**SEPT 29** 

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Fisher Phillips Webinar: The Race is On:
Preparing Your Business for CCPA
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**OCT 10** 

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Long Beach: ServSafe® Food Protection

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**OCT 12** 

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