Flexible scheduling may be curtailed

The Los Angeles City Council moved forward a proposal to require two-week notice to workers for retail schedules. The "Fair Work Week" rule would allow employees to reject hours before or after being scheduled, without consequence.

FULL STORY
New Industry Insight: Paid time off and vacation policies

If it's been a while since you reviewed your company policies, read through this new legal overview from CRA partner Fisher Phillips.

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State says restaurant doesn't have to pay for employee clothes

In a ruling published Monday, the Third District Court of Appeal in Sacramento upheld a judge's dismissal of a suit against BJ's Restaurants by a former food server who objected to paying for clothing she was required to wear.

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San Diego restaurants struggle to comply with new plastic straw ban

It will not yet be enforced though, pending the outcome of a lawsuit brought by the CRA. Laura Ambrose, of member Woodstock’s Pizza, discusses the challenges facing businesses in the wake of the new law.

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Did you know that California is the largest producer of Hispanic-style cheeses?

Among the hundreds of delicious cheeses made with milk from California cows, you'll find a variety of versatile Hispanic-style cheeses like Queso Fresco, Oaxaca, Cotija and Manchego. See how Chef Brandi Key uses California Hispanic-style cheese to create a craveable Mexican Pizza at The Tasting Room in Houston, TX.

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INDUSTRY NEWS

Uber Eats now charging restaurants to serve onsite diners
A new option on the delivery app allows diners to choose to eat in at some locales when they pick up their food--but at a cost to the restaurant. Feedback on this? Let us know!

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Podast: "Working Lunch" covers introduction of state-level healthcare mandate
California is now the largest state to implement state-level healthcare. Listen in to this podcast to hear what this could mean for restaurants.

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CRA NEWS
Grubhub facing fury over alleged "fake" websites

Sharokina Shams of the CRA said even if permission to create the microsites was given in Grubhub's terms of service, the lack of communication and clarity on activity the company was undertaking on restaurants' behalf is a problem. "... That's unacceptable, and it's something we'll certainly be looking into further," Shams said.

CRA San Diego quarterly update video
Chapter Board member Jeff Rossman, of Terra American Bistro and Bunz Burger Joint, tells you what the San Diego chapter has been up to recently, and what's coming soon.

Coming Soon: 2019 CRA Member Survey
This week, we'll be launching a new phone survey and we need your input! Keep an ear open to share your thoughts and pain points so we can help meet your needs.
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MARKETING IN A MINUTE
Quick tips and fresh takes to market your restaurant

DRICK IN A MINUTE
Do you want low-cost marketing tips? CRA members can subscribe for a monthly update.

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**Sacramento**
- ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification + lunch
  - More info
  - Register

**Sacramento**
- Chapter board meeting: CRA members welcome!
  - More info
  - Register

**Woodland Hills**
- KROST Seminar: Restaurant Management
  - More info
  - Register

**Sacramento**
- Celebrate Caviar, presented by Crave Sacramento
  - More info
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