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Authorized the Board to review and comment upon the plan and make recommendations. Required every local agency to certify that the plan is being implemented. Also required that specified solid waste facility permits include a permit condition which precludes acceptance of any solid waste originating in a county which has not submitted a household hazardous waste plan or method. Stated legislative intent regarding access to household hazardous waste disposal. Required a city or county or local agency to implement the household hazardous collection, recycling, and disposal program identified in the CoSWMP, and authorized the implementation of a joint household hazardous waste program. Increased membership on the advisory committee to include a representative of used oil recyclers. Provided immunity to any city, county or local agency operating a household hazardous waste program for any damage or injury caused in the course of operating the program, unless the action is performed in bad faith or in a negligent manner. Also repealed provisions of the Health and Safety Code, related to garbage and refuse disposal, and codified them in the Public Resources Code. Established an integrated waste management hierarchy to guide the Board and local agencies in implementation, in order of priority: Included the following major provisions: Required the new Board to include: Required each county to establish a task force to coordinate the development of city Source Reduction and Recycling Elements SRREs and a countywide siting element. Required each county to prepare, adopt, and submit to the Board an Integrated Waste Management Plan IWMP , which includes all of the elements described above, according to the following schedule: Waste Diversion Mandates--Required each city or county plan to include an implementation schedule which shows: Excluded agricultural wastes, inert wastes and other wastes not normally disposed of at landfills. Authorized the Board to exempt a city or county from these goals or to reduce the requirements if the city or county demonstrates that attainment of the goals is not feasible due to the small geographic size of the jurisdiction and the small quantity of waste generated. Required the Board to issue a notice of deficiency with specific recommendations for corrections, if an element or plan is disapproved, providing days in which the city or county must correct the document and resubmit it to the Board. Authorized the Board, if it finds, after a public hearing, that the city or county has failed to implement its element, to issue an order of compliance with a specific schedule. Required each city to review its element and each county its plan at least once every five years to correct deficiencies, comply with the waste diversion requirements, and revise documents as necessary. Permitting and Enforcement--Established a comprehensive statewide system of permitting, inspections, enforcement, and maintenance for solid waste facilities. Required the Board to adopt minimum standards for solid waste handling and disposal to protect air, water, and land from pollution. Required the Board, in conjunction with an inspection conducted by an LEA, to conduct at least one inspection per year of each solid waste facility in the state. Financing--Authorized local jurisdictions to impose fees based on the types or amounts of solid waste generated to be used to pay actual costs incurred in preparing, adopting and implementing integrated waste management plans, as well as in setting and collecting the local fees. Chapter AB Eastin --Woodwaste--Excluded from the definition of "solid waste landfill" a facility which receives only nonhazardous wood waste derived from timber production or wood product manufacturing. Chapter AB Tanner --Waste Discharge in the San Gabriel Valley--Prohibited, in the Main San Gabriel Groundwater Basin, any variance to be issued by a regional board to a waste discharge permit for a new landfill or lateral expansion to an existing landfill. Also revised the definition of "lateral expansion" to exclude certain waste management units. Made legislative findings and declarations regarding the need for the specified restrictions due to the unique conditions in the San Gabriel Valley. Chapter AB LaFollette --Household Hazardous Waste--Required local agencies which do not directly charge a fee for solid waste collection, transfer, and

disposal, or which charge a fee which is equivalent to less than 90 percent of the cost of providing the services, to inform all residential households at least once every three months concerning the monthly costs of solid waste handling and the monthly volumes of solid waste produced. Recycling Equipment--Provides, until , a personal income tax credit for each of three specified years, of the purchase price paid or incurred by the taxpayer for qualified property, which would be defined, generally, as machinery or equipment used to manufacture finished products composed of secondary waste material and postconsumer waste. Chapter AB Wright --Closure and Maintenance--Required an owner of a solid waste landfill to submit the same plans, estimates, fiscal arrangements, and deposits in trust funds, as the operator of a landfill. Prohibited transfer of any obligation imposed on an owner or operator for the financial responsibilities of closure and postclosure from the owner or operator to any other person. Chapter AB W. Brown --Waste Tire Facilities--Required the Board to adopt regulations for issuing permits for waste tire facilities. Required every person, except specified tire dealers, who store or stockpile more than waste tires at a specific location in a calendar year, and every owner or operator of a waste tire facility to file a registration statement with the Board, subject to a civil penalty. Prohibited, under specified penalty, any person from directing or transporting waste tires to, or accepting waste tires at, a waste tire facility unless the operator has a permit; prohibited any person from knowingly directing, or transporting waste tires to, or accepting waste tires at, a waste tire facility for which a permit has not been issued by the Board. Provided for the issuance of permits for major and minor waste tire facilities, as defined, and provided exemptions for retreading, burning, and agricultural purposes. Provided for suspension or revocation of the permits after notice and hearing, and authorized the Board to clean up or abate the effects of waste tires stored, stockpiled, or accumulated in violation of the provisions of the bill. Provided for the recovery of costs. Required DGS to give a preference in state purchases of recycled tire products. Chapter AB Cortese --Fertilizer--Exempted agricultural products derived from municipal sewage sludge for fertilizer material from regulation as a solid waste. Chapter SB Garamendi --Eastin Fund Fee--Required the fee imposed to support the Eastin Fund to be based on the amount of waste disposed at each facility, rather than on the amount handled. Defined terms used throughout the IWMA. Primarily described actions and programs to be developed at the state level to promote integrated waste management. Included the following programs: Source Reduction Advisory Committee--Created a seven-member committee to recommend specific actions to the Board and the Legislature to reduce the volume of materials generated in the state, and to make recommendations regarding: Market Development Zone Program--Created the Market Development Zone Program to stimulate the recycling of postconsumer waste materials generated in California as raw materials used for feedstock by private business, industry, and commerce. Compost Market Program--Created the Compost Program to maximize the use of compost, co-compost, and chemically-fixed sewage sludge. Retreaded Tire Program--Created the Tire Program, requiring the Board to identify obstacles for an increased market for retreaded tires, and authorizing DGS and the Board to promulgate regulations for the purchase of retreaded tires by the State. Required the Board, in consultation with DGS, to study the quality and performance of retreaded tires purchased by DGS, and to report on the effectiveness of the entire program in its annual report to the Legislature. Recycled Lead-Acid Battery Program--Established the Lead-Acid Battery Program, requiring all such batteries purchased by any state agency to be recycled lead-acid batteries, as defined. Also required DGS to report the number of recycled lead-acid batteries purchased annually. Technical Assistance Program--Required the Board to provide periodic training to enforcement agencies regarding state and federal regulations, new technologies, and other issues to enhance enforcement capabilities. Also required the Board to provide ongoing technical assistance to enforcement agencies, including: Required the Board to provide assistance to public and private sector in the form of government and business waste evaluations, upon request. Required the Board to establish a Plastics Recycling Information Clearinghouse to provide information to collectors, reprocessors, and recyclers about programs, availability of postconsumer plastics, and technological advances. Required the Board to provide technical assistance to cities and counties in the preparation and implementation of source reduction and recycling elements and integrated waste management

plans, including the development of regulations, conducting waste characterization studies, studying issues related to the achievement of the waste diversion goals, mechanisms to implement market development recommendations, and information needed to achieve the objectives of integrated waste management elements and plans. Required the Board to report on the implementation of the program. Public Information and Education Program--Required the Board to conduct a statewide public information and education program to encourage participation by the general public, business, government, and industry in all phases of integrated waste management. Required the program to include strategies and campaign activities to, at a minimum, do all of the following: Required the Board, in cooperation with the Department of Education, to develop and disseminate materials to teach the concepts of source reduction, recycling, and integrated waste management in California schools. Also required the development of requests for proposals for supplementary materials for schools, and the development of a teacher training and implementation plan to guide the placement of the supplementary materials in the schools. Required California Community Colleges, California State University, and the University of California to focus teaching and research efforts to promote career development and technological advancement in integrated waste management. Also required the State Board of Education to include integrated waste management in the ecology and environmental studies area; and required the Department of Education to encourage the use of supplementary materials, developed in cooperation with the CIWMB, to satisfy the teaching requirements of the science framework developed by the Board of Education. Research and Development Program--Authorized the Board to establish a research and development program to develop and refine processes and technologies to assist state and local governments and private industries to implement innovative resource management and waste reduction programs, including: Required the Board to report on the results of the programs. Required the biennial report to include an evaluation of the effectiveness of the IWMA and recommendations for legislative change, and a comprehensive state plan for action to be taken in the ensuing five years to establish priorities and implement programs for integrated waste management in the state. Chapter Statutes of AB Chandler --Regional Planning--Authorized any county to join with other counties, subject to the consent of the cities in the county, to form a regional solid waste planning authority to prepare, amend and revise a regional solid waste management plan. Required the preparation, amendment, and revision of a plan which is administered by a regional planning authority, to be subject to the consent of the counties and a majority of the cities within each county which contain a majority of the population of the incorporated area in each county. Also provided that in those counties with only two cities, the approval, agreement, or consent of specified county solid waste planning activities be made by the city which contains a majority of the population of the incorporated area of the county. Provided that no reimbursement would be made for the mandates imposed by the bill. Chapter AB LaFollette --Recycling--Required a solid waste facility permit for a new landfill to increase the permitted capacity of an existing landfill for a new waste-to-energy facility or to increase the capacity of an existing waste-to-energy facility to include a permit condition that precludes accepting any solid waste unless the county which is the source of the waste has adopted a recycling plan element. Also required the revision of the plans to be approved by the Board and the LEA. Required persons later commencing operation of a solid waste landfill to submit evidence of financial ability to provide for the costs of closure and postclosure maintenance. Authorized the LEA to recover costs incurred under those provisions by charging a fee imposed on an applicant for a solid waste facility permit, or a revised permit. Also required the closure and postclosure maintenance plan to the regional board which would be required to approve or disapprove the plan under provisions of the water code. Required the grants and allocations from the Eastin Fund for landfill permit inspections and enforcement programs to be made to the SWRCB, instead of regional boards. Made other changes to conform the activities of the SWRCB and regional boards to other provisions of existing law. Also defined "closure plan", "postclosure maintenance plan", "regional water board", and "state water board". Required any revision of a solid waste management plan for a thermal powerplant using solid waste as fuel to be submitted to the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission before or at the same

time that it is submitted to the California Waste Management Board if the project will generate more than 50 or more megawatts from one or more generating units, or if the project has an undefined generating capacity. Prohibited the Board from approving the revision until the commission reviews and makes specified comments on the revision, unless the commission does not comment within 30 days. Chapter AB Cortese --Countywide Solid Waste Management Plans--Made conforming changes to legislative declarations in the Act to reflect the requirements that CoSWMPs be consistent with general plans, and identify and reserve areas for the establishment and expansion of solid waste facilities which ensure that land uses adjacent to the solid waste facilities will be compatible. Also rephrased the requirement for the three year revision of CoSWMPs, and redefined "solid waste landfill" for purposes relating to solid waste disposal site cleanup and maintenance. Redesignated the landfill depletion surcharge and special disposal fees imposed on generators of solid waste as special fees. Chapter AB Mountjoy --Mining or Excavation Lands--Prohibited a regional water pollution control board from issuing a waste discharge permit for a new landfill, or a lateral expansion of an existing landfill for the disposal of nonhazardous solid waste if the land has been used at any time for the mining or excavation of gravel or sand. Authorized a regional board to grant a variance to the prohibition under specified conditions. Chapter SB Dills --California Waste Management Board--Made the position of the chairperson of the Board a full time position at a lower prescribed salary, rather than a half time position with half of a prescribed salary. Required, if the county determines that there is no suitable area, a plan revision to include a specific program for the handling and disposal of solid waste in excess of the remaining capacity. Required the Board to: Required an owner or operator to calculate and periodically revise cost estimates for closing the facility and providing ten years of postclosure maintenance, and to submit evidence of ability to provide for those costs. Required financial assurances to be in the form of a trust fund, surety bond, or financial arrangement acceptable to the Board. Required the Board to adopt regulations specifying the procedures and standards for closure and postclosure maintenance plans, and prohibited the Board from requiring revisions to approved plans if the Board amends regulations after approval of the plans. Granted the Board powers equal to those of LEAs for the purposes of enforcement, including: Also authorized LEAs to require an owner or operator to take corrective actions when methane gas or solid or hazardous waste migrates beyond a facility boundary. Chapter Statutes of AB Tanner --Household Hazardous Wastes--Stated legislative findings regarding the importance of hazardous substances education programs. Required each CoSWMP to identify a program for the safe management of hazardous wastes which are generated by households, and should be separated from the solid waste stream to the extent the county determines a need for such a plan. Required the Board, in consultation with an advisory committee to be established by the Board, to develop and implement a public information program concerning household hazardous substances. Required the Board to establish guidelines and state policies to guide local governments in providing community services regarding household hazardous substances, and to designate a household hazardous waste coordinator to advise and assist local governments. Authorized cities and counties to approve an increase in solid waste collection fees to offset the costs of establishing, publicizing, and maintaining a household hazardous waste inspection program. Required that where a licensed private sector center is utilized under a permit or franchise, the costs of handling, hauling, and disposing of household hazardous waste be paid through fees or rates charged for services.

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### Chapter 2 : The Birth of a Nation - Wikipedia

*West Hollywood, occasionally referred to locally as WeHo (/ ˈ ɛ w i ˌ h o ˈ ɛ ʃ /), is a city in Los Angeles County, California, United blog.quintoapp.comorated in , it is home to the Sunset Strip.*

Department of Housing and Urban Development. In Honolulu, with a population of less than ,, there were nearly 5, homeless. In Wyoming, the state with the smallest population, there are homeless men and women. Counting the homeless Those figures are alarming enough, but the number of people who are actually homeless might be even higher. During those counts, volunteers survey the number of homeless people living in emergency shelter or transitional housing the sheltered homeless , as well as on the street, under bridges, in their cars, or in other places not typically used as residences the unsheltered homeless. Specifically, homeless women , children, and young people might be undercounted. And though those numbers indicate the homeless population has been on the decline for the past five years, thousands of people in cities across the U. In , these 10 U. An opiate addiction crisis is also causing the homeless population in the city to grow, Philly. But the city still has a large number of homeless youth and unsheltered homeless, according to HUD. Half of the homeless in the city were suffering from mental illness, according to the Nevada Homeless Alliance. Many others were victims of domestic violence. In Massachusetts overall, the number of homeless families has more than doubled in the past nine years, according to the Boston Globe. Relatively few people in Boston are sleeping out of doors because Massachusetts is one of the few places in the U. New York and Washington, D. Sixty-four percent of homeless veterans in the city also lacked shelter, the largest percentage in the country. Local authorities and nonprofit groups estimate the real homeless population is somewhere between 10, and 12, The city has only 1, shelter beds , which means many homeless end up sleeping on the street, in tent encampments, and other spots around the city. Conference of Mayors found. The city has homeless for every , residents. San Diego San Diego skyline iStock. Even people who get housing vouchers are often unable to use them because of low vacancy rates and high rents, KPBS reported. Plus, redevelopment downtown has caused cheap, single-room occupancy units to vanish, pushing people onto the street. San Diego also has the second-largest population of homeless veterans in the country, at 1, people. The city has struggled to figure out what to do about the number of people living on the streets and in encampments. One innovative solution involved building tiny houses to serve as temporary housing for the homeless, though only a few dozen units have actually been constructed. Los Angeles Volunteers count homeless people on L. Seventy-five percent of all homeless people in Los Angeles are living on the streets, in their cars, or in other makeshift situations, the second-highest rate of in the country. The sky-high cost of housing in the city is largely to blame for the homelessness crisis, the Los Angeles Times reported. But some relief is in sight. In November , voters approved a bond measure that would cover the cost of building 10, permanent homes for the homeless in the next 10 years. Homeless people in New York are legally entitled to shelter , but because of a lack of shelter space, the city has been spending millions of dollars every year to house the homeless in hotels, the New York Times reported.

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### Chapter 3 : Los Angeles County, California ballot measures - Ballotpedia

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Primarily a desert basin, the area is surrounded by the San Gabriel Mountain range and divided by the Santa Monica Mountains. Los Angeles County has 75 miles of coastline and altitudes ranging from 9 feet below sea level at Wilmington to 10,000 feet above sea level atop Mt. San Antonio. Two of the 44 settlers were Spaniards, while the others were Indians, Blacks and Mestizos of mixed ancestry. After the territory changed hands from Spain to Mexico, the town was officially declared a city in 1781. Los Angeles became part of the U.S. Most days are sunny and warm, with gentle ocean breezes in the summer. The humidity is low with little rain. In fact, there are no unpleasant seasons in Los Angeles. National Weather Service Forecast Office at noaa. In 2010, the leisure and hospitality sector added 21,000 jobs in Los Angeles County, representing a 4.1% increase. In addition to its signature industries—entertainment, tourism, and fashion—its enormous and diversified economy is home to the largest port complex in the Western Hemisphere and the largest number of manufacturing jobs of any county in the country. Other major industries include health care, education, and knowledge creating and business services. In fact, Los Angeles has more museums and theatres than any other city in the U.S. It also boasts more than 1,000 theatrical productions annually. Several of these iconic institutions celebrated milestones last year, including the 30th Anniversary of LA Opera. The city also welcomed the grand opening of The Broad September as well as the reopening of the Petersen Automotive Museum after an extensive renovation December. From quaint to red-carpet dishes, from celebrity chefs and top-rated cuisine to short order legends and bar-stool gourmet, the possibilities are endless in L.A. Each region of L.A. Visitors can also participate in dineLA Restaurant Week, held every winter and summer. The 12 consecutive-day, non-ticketed dining event, showcases Los Angeles as a premier dining destination and highlights the diversity of culinary experiences L.A. From the high fashion shops on Rodeo Drive to the chic boutiques of the beach cities, Los Angeles offers shopping for every style. Accommodations are conveniently located near prized attractions, museums and public transportation, ranging from value to luxury and simplistic to trendy. Los Angeles is home to Griffith Park, the largest city park in the country, with 1,083 acres of recreational space and 50 miles of hiking trails that lead to some of the most spectacular views of the city and Hollywood Sign. Visitors can hike to the Griffith Observatory or even travel on horseback to experience the best sights. Runyon Canyon also offers great space for visitors to hike, bike and walk. The 94-acre park sits in the middle of Hollywood and offers several great hiking trails and a dog park. Tourism has launched a Car Free L.A. Visitors can also see L.A. Convention Center Statistics Exhibition Space: Number of Meeting Rooms: As the gateway to the West Coast and the No. 1 LAX is the seventh busiest passenger airport in the world. With a design inspired by the waves of the Pacific Ocean along L.A. Available in 13 languages, international travelers can submit their customs declaration form and biographic information electronically via APC kiosks. Individuals can complete the process within 90 seconds and a family of three within four minutes. The top trading commodities in 2009 were computers, peripherals, machinery and appliances; electric machinery, sound and TV equipment; motor vehicles and parts; refined oil products and natural gas; and apparel and accessories. If it were a country, Los Angeles County would be the 20th largest economy in the world. Tourism operates several Visitor Information Centers. The Hollywood and Highland Center location in the heart of Hollywood offers multilingual staff to answer travel questions and attraction ticket sales.

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**Chapter 4 : Beverly Hills, California - Wikipedia**

*Los Angeles County home sales volume continued on a gradual upward slope in , but has fallen back thus far into Most recently, saw the lowest home sales volume, ending the year 7% below*

The area was settled by Maria Rita Quinteros de Valdez and her husband in Denker acquired most of it and used it for farming lima beans. Green , Charles A. Canfield , Max Whittier , Frank H. Buck , Henry E. Huntington , William G. Kerckhoff , William F. Porter, and Frank H. Balch, formed the Amalgamated Oil Company, bought the Hammel and Denker ranch, and began looking for oil. The hotel was finished in The visitors drawn by the hotel were inclined to purchase land in Beverly Hills, and by the subdivision had a high enough population to incorporate as an independent city. The Beverly Hills Utility Commission was split off from the land company and incorporated in September , buying all of the utilities-related assets from the Rodeo Land and Water Company. Doheny finished construction of Greystone Mansion , a room mansion meant as a wedding present for his son Edward L. The house is now owned by the city of Beverly Hills. A neighborhood improvement association attempted to enforce the covenant in court. Among the white residents supporting the lawsuit against blacks was silent film star Harold Lloyd. In his decision, federal judge Thurmond Clarke said that it was time that "members of the Negro race are accorded, without reservations or evasions, the full rights guaranteed to them under the 14th amendment. A group of Jewish residents of Beverly Hills filed an amicus brief in this case. Currently this stretch of road is served by less efficient Metro Rapid buses using pre-existing roadways. The houses situated in the hillside north of Sunset Boulevard have a much higher value than the average housing price for the rest of the city. Santa Monica Boulevard divides the "flats" into two areas, locally known as "North or South of the tracks," referring to the train tracks that were once used by the old Pacific Electric streetcar line that traversed Beverly Hills along Santa Monica Blvd. Houses south of Wilshire Boulevard have more urban square and rectangular lots, in general smaller than those to the north. There are also more apartment buildings south of Wilshire Blvd. Nearly all businesses and government offices in Beverly Hills are located south of Santa Monica Blvd. Just outside the city limits to the west lies the Los Angeles Country Club. Other locations commonly associated with Beverly Hills include the Cedars-Sinai Medical Center and the Beverly Center , just outside the city limits to the east. Summers are marked by warm to hot temperatures with very little wind, while winters are warm to moderate, with occasional rain alternating with periods of Santa Ana winds. Measurable snowfall has been recorded only in , , , and

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### Chapter 5 : Los Angeles Times - We are currently unavailable in your region

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Charles Henry Parkhurst defended the film from charges of racism. In New York there were Klan-themed balls, and in Chicago that Halloween, thousands of college students dressed in robes for a massive Klan-themed party. Here were the sinister men the South scorned and the noble men the South revered. And through it all the Klan rode. All around me people sighed and shivered, and now and then shouted or wept, in their intensity. Griffith made a film in , called *Intolerance* , partly in response to the criticism that *The Birth of a Nation* received. It was the first sequel in film history. Despite its success in the foreign market, the film was not a success among American audiences, [71] and is now a lost film. The film remains controversial due to its interpretation of American history. University of Houston historian Steven Mintz summarizes its message as follows: Reconstruction was a disaster, blacks could never be integrated into white society as equals, and the violent actions of the Ku Klux Klan were justified to reestablish honest government. The first overt mentioning of the war is the scene in which Abraham Lincoln signs the call for the first 75, volunteers. However, the first aggression in the Civil War, made when the Confederate troops fired on Fort Sumter in , is not mentioned in the film. This reflects the so-called Dunning School of historiography. With the war, however, both families are split apart, and their losses culminate in the end of the war with the defense of white supremacy. One of the intertitles clearly sums up the message of unity: In his book *The Tragic Era: Rape was the foul daughter of Reconstruction!* Today, the Dunning School position is largely seen as a product of anti-black racism of the early 20th century, by which many Americans held that black Americans were unequal as citizens. Coulter in *The South During Reconstruction*, which again treated *The Birth of a Nation* as historically correct, and painted a vivid picture of "black beasts" running amok, encouraged by alcohol-sodden, corrupt and vengeful black Republican politicians. Veteran film reviewer Roger Ebert wrote: Thaddeus Stevens of Pennsylvania , Rep. Stevens did not have the family members described and did not move to South Carolina during Reconstruction. He died in Washington, D. The assassination of Lincoln leads to the effective transition between the war and reconstruction, both of which are represented by the two acts of the film. In response, the Southern-dominated Democratic Party and its affiliated white militias had used extensive terrorism, intimidation and outright assassinations to suppress African-American leaders and voting in the s and to regain power. According to the film historian Kevin Brownlow , the film was "astounding in its time" and initiated "so many advances in film-making technique that it was rendered obsolete within a few years". Film critic Roger Ebert writes: Certainly *The Birth of a Nation* presents a challenge for modern audiences. Unaccustomed to silent films and uninterested in film history, they find it quaint and not to their taste. Those evolved enough to understand what they are looking at find the early and wartime scenes brilliant, but cringe during the postwar and Reconstruction scenes, which are racist in the ham-handed way of an old minstrel show or a vile comic pamphlet. Despite its controversial story, the film has been praised by film critics such as Ebert, who said: To understand how it does so is to learn a great deal about film, and even something about evil. The worst thing about *The Birth of a Nation* is how good it is. The merits of its grand and enduring aesthetic make it impossible to ignore and, despite its disgusting content, also make it hard not to love. More than anyone elseâ€”more than all others combinedâ€”he invented the film art. He brought it to fruition in *The Birth of a Nation*. The Civil War scenes, which consume only 30 minutes of the extravaganza, emphasize not the national glory but the human cost of combat. Griffith introduced the use of dramatic close-ups, tracking shots, and other expressive camera movements; parallel action sequences, crosscutting, and other editing techniques". He added that "the fact that *The Birth of a Nation* remains respected and studied to this day-despite its subject matter-reveals its lasting importance. The added titles read: We do not fear censorship, for we have no wish to offend with improprieties or obscenities, but we do demand, as a right, the

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liberty to show the dark side of wrong, that we may illuminate the bright side of virtue – the same liberty that is conceded to the art of the written word – that art to which we owe the Bible and the works of Shakespeare and If in this work we have conveyed to the mind the ravages of war to the end that war may be held in abhorrence, this effort will not have been in vain.

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### Chapter 6 : Facts About Los Angeles | Discover Los Angeles

*Los Angeles County, officially the County of Los Angeles, (Spanish: Condado de Los Ángeles) is the most populous county in the Los Angeles metropolitan area of the U.S. state of California in the United States, with more than 10 million inhabitants as of*

The largest Halloween street party in the United States spanning over 1 mile 1. After incorporation, the event moved to West Hollywood and is typically held the second weekend in June. Many streets are closed and traffic swells on this day each year. The City of West Hollywood sponsors an animal walk and pet appreciation days throughout the year, which have in the past featured pet psychics and dog activities. During Halloween the week prior to October 31, animals can participate in a costume contest in West Hollywood Park. It is a multimillion-dollar fundraiser for the foundation. The epicenter of the Thirty Mile Zone lies just blocks to the south of the city, and is the basis for the name of TMZ on TV , a paparazzi footage-based program. Please help improve it by removing promotional content and inappropriate external links , and by adding encyclopedic content written from a neutral point of view. October See also: Mazer Lesbian Archives is dedicated exclusively to preserving lesbian history and remains the only archive in the western United States to do so. The Gay Liberation Front organized a zap of the restaurant on February 7, to push for its removal. The sign disappeared that day. The resolution stated "it is not the policy of the City or its law enforcement agency to target possession of small amounts of cannabis and the consumption of non-medical cannabis in private by adults". On the night of his death, he was visited separately by friends Robin Williams at the height of his own drug exploits [50] and Robert De Niro , [51] each of whom left the premises, leaving Belushi in the company of assorted others, including Cathy Smith. This is just one of many notable sordid events at the location. In , comedian Lenny Bruce was arrested on obscenity charges at The Troubadour in then-unincorporated West Hollywood. The arresting officer was a young deputy named Sherman Block , who would later become the sheriff of Los Angeles County. In , actor Christian Slater was arrested in West Hollywood for leading the police on a drunken car chase that ended when Slater crashed his car into a telephone pole. River Phoenix Actor River Phoenix died at age 23 of a drug overdose at approximately 1: The positions of mayor and mayor pro tem are largely-ceremonial positions which rotate between the council members, and both positions are largely not re-elected in concurrent terms, although council members serve multiple non-concurrent terms in both offices. West Hollywood was the first city in the country to have a city council with a majority of gay members. On February 19, , West Hollywood became the second city in the United States after Boulder, Colorado to change the term pet "owner" to pet "guardian" in their municipal codes.

### Chapter 7 : History of California Solid Waste Law,

*Beverly Hills Post Office is an area of Los Angeles that the Beverly Hills Post Office serves and carries the "Beverly Hills, CA " mailing address. The other four, less-celebrated ZIP codes for Beverly Hills are: , , and*

### Chapter 8 : Los Angeles County, California - Wikipedia

*It would be the second phase of a two-step fundraising strategy developed by the city and county. Los Angeles city voters approved a \$billion bond measure in November to provide supplemental.*

### Chapter 9 : Union List of Sanborn & Other Fire Insurance Maps - California

*Total homeless: 43, (includes both Los Angeles City and Los Angeles County) Los Angeles has more chronically*

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*homeless, homeless veterans, and homeless young people than any other city in the.*