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- Englander Knabe & Allen, Case Studies, Los Angeles Police Protective League from EKA website
- Englander Knabe & Allen, Company Overview from Bloomberg Businessweek
- Englander Knabe & Allen, LLC – Information from firm’s website

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Official Police Garage Association Board Member Information

OPGA Board Member	OPGA position	Company	Affiliations
Gary Minzer	President	Hollywood Tow	-Hollywood Community Police Advisory Board -Los Angeles Police Historical Society - Board of Governors
Todd Smart	Vice President	Viertel's Central Division	
Steve Smith	Secretary	Hank's Wilshire Tow, Inc. dba S&J Wilshire Tow Steve Smith	
Joe Pavon	Treasurer	Pavon Enterprises, Inc. dba Al's Towing Jose Pavon	
John Nissley	Director	Nissley Corp., dba Kelmark Tow Jon Nissley/R. Steinberg	
Bart Torres	Director	Black and White Towing	
Eric W. Rose	Executive Director	Englander Knabe & Allen (Harvey Englander) Harvey Englander's nephew is Mitchell Englander, councilmember for District 12; chair of public safety committee; LAPD reserve officer. Rose was hired by the Los Angeles Police Protective League to run PR campaigns and by LAPD to run recruiting campaign.	

Los Angeles Public Safety Committee Members

LAPD Public Safety Committee	Position	Affiliations
Mitchell Englander	Chair	Councilmember for District 12;. LAPD reserve officer; uncle is lobbyist Harvey Englander. Executive director, Eric Rose, of OPGA is part of Englander's firm – Englander Knabe & Allen.
Jan Perry	Councilmember	
Paul Krekorian	Councilmember	
Dennis P. Zine	Councilmember	
John A. White	Legislative Assistant	

Timeline of City of Los Angeles Towing Contracts

- 1995 Lawsuit filed to allow competitive bidding for city impound contracts. Towing companies that have contracts with the city are accused of being an “old boys network” and where businesses and contracts are handed down from fathers to sons locking out new companies from obtaining these contracts.
- 1996 Competitive bidding ordinance for impound contracts goes into effect.
- 1998 Three towing garages sue city alleging unfair practices regarding competitive bidding process.
In 1998, the Los Angeles Times reported that the OPGA members paid over \$100,000 to lobbyist Ken Spiker in 1997. Spiker served for years as chief legislative analyst, top advisor to the city council.
- 2008 Report released of 2007 operational and compliance audit is conducted by Controller Laura N. Chick of the Los Angeles Police Commission’s oversight and management of the city impound contracts. Audit found 15 or 20 OPGs did not include lien processing fees in their gross revenues, which resulted in a \$1 million underpayment of franchise fees due to the City. OPGA said lien fee should not be considered revenue. Office of Finance and Police Commission are involved in OPGA contracts.

Costs and Fees

Cost & Fees

Current Fees as set forth by the Police Commission are as follows:

- Towing: \$114.50 per hour - Standard Vehicles
\$213.50 per hour - Heavy Duty
- Storage: \$35.50 per day – Standard Vehicles
\$48.50 - \$60.50 per day - Heavy Duty Vehicles
(depending on vehicle size)
- City of L.A. Vehicle Release Fee: \$115.00 per each vehicle released
- 10% City Parking Occupancy Tax collected on storage fees

The OPGs remitted over \$18 million dollars to the City of Los Angeles in 2009. This revenue consisted of the following:

- Franchise Fees (7% Gross Receipt Fee)
- Vehicle Release Fees
- City Parking Occupancy Taxes
- Delinquent Parking Citation fees remitted to the City from lien sale excess fees
- Proceeds from sales of Forfeited Vehicles

** For vehicles that are sold for more than the charges against them, towing companies **must** remit the excess fees to either the local city for delinquent parking citation fees due or the remaining balance of the overage to the State of California, Department of Motor vehicles. While there are hundreds of companies in the state that conduct lien sales, the Los Angeles OPGs combined account for 60% of the excess overages submitted annually to the Department of Motor Vehicles.*

Campaign Contributions to City of Los Angeles Candidates From Independently Owned OPGs and OPGA from 1998 to 2011 totaling \$305,875

Tow company	Owner	Notes	Contributions
Absolute Towing, Area 4 Hollenbeck Division Contact: George Garcia or Hector Orozco 4760 Valley Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90032 Phone: 323/225-9294 Fax: 323/276-6039 E-mail: ggarcia@absolutetow.com Web: www.viertels.com	May also own Viertel's - Rampart.	1998-2011 campaign contributions.	\$10,250
		George Steven Garcia – 2010 campaign contributions.	\$500
		Todd Smart (OPG- Hollenbeck & CEO Absolute Towing) – 1999-2008 campaign contributions.	\$1,250

<p>Al's Towing, Area 12 77th Division Contact: Jeffrey M. Angel Al's Towing 6180 St Andrew Place Los Angeles, CA 90047 323-778-4903 Fax 323-778-0157 E-mail: loodog19@hotmail.com</p>	<p>C-107640 Pavon Enterprises, Inc. dba Al's Towing Jose Pavon (In 2004, Al's Towing sued city for violation of the Ralph M. Brown Act and giving towing contract to Keyser. Keyser then accused city of violating the same Act.)</p>	<p>Al's Towing – 1999-2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$6,650</p>
		<p>Jose Pavon – 2003-2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$650</p>
		<p>Gabriela Pavon (VP of Al's Towing)</p>	<p>\$1,500</p>
<p>Archers Vineland Service, Inc., Area 15 & 16 North Hollywood Division & Foothill Division Contact: Russ Milhorn 12565 Strathern Street North Hollywood, CA 91605 Phone: 818/982-1464 Fax: 818/982-6013 E-mail: russ@archerstow.com Web: www.archerstow.com</p>	<p>C-107059 Archer's Vineland Service, Inc. Russ Millhoan</p>	<p>Russ Milhoan – 2007-2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$1,000</p>

<p>ATS - Northeast Tow, Inc., Area 11 Northeast Division 2010 No. Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90065 Phone: 323/342-0342 Fax: 323/342-0347</p>	<p>C-107456 A.T.S. Northeast Tow, Inc. Arthur Mercer</p>	<p>ATS – 2001- 2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$2,000</p>
		<p>Authur Mercer – 1999-2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$5,875</p>
<p>Black & White Towing, Inc., Area 16 & 19 Foothill Division & Mission Division Contact: Ruben Carrilo 10857 San Fernando Rd. Pacoima, CA 91331 Phone: 818/896-9511 Fax: 818/896-1031 E-mail: ruben@bwtow.com Web: www.bwtow.com</p>	<p>C-107129 Black & White Garage, Inc. dba Black & White Towing Tony Torres</p>	<p>2000-2010 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$8,250</p>
		<p>Tony Torres – 2000-2011 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$13,500</p>
		<p>Barton Torres (CO) – 2002- 2010: campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$2,750</p>

<p>Bruffy's Del Rey Tow, Area 14 Pacific Division Contact: Kevin Brough 4140 Glencoe Avenue Marina Del Rey, CA 90292 Phone: 310/395-0084 Fax: 310/578-6422 E-mail: bruffystow@aol.com</p>	<p>C-107145 Bruffy's, Inc. dba Bruffy's Del Rey Tow Robert (Bobbie) E. Brough</p>	<p>1998-2011</p>	<p>\$17,500</p>
		<p>B. Brough, Barbara Brough, Bobbie Brough of Bruffy's Del Rey Tow – 1998-2001 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$2,250</p>
<p>Hollywood Tow Service, Inc., Area 6 Hollywood Division 1015 No. Mansfield Avenue Hollywood, CA 90038 Phone: 323/466-5421 Fax: 323/461-5353 E-mail: customerservice@hollywoodtow.com Web: www.hollywoodtow.com</p>	<p>C-107070 Hollywood Tow Service, Inc. President: Saul Minzer VP: Gary Minzer</p>	<p>-Hollywood Community Police Advisory Board chair -Los Angeles Police Historical Society - Board of Governors 1998-2011 campaign contribution.</p>	
		<p>Gary Minzer – 1998-2011 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$44,500</p>

		Saul Minzer – 1999 to 2002 campaign contributions.	\$3,500
Howard Sommers Towing, inc., Area 10 & 21 Heavy duty -Valley & West Divisions Contact: Barre Demott 7891 Deering Avenue Canoga Park, CA 91304 Phone: 818/884-5600 Fax: 818/884-2407 E-mail: barre@hstowing.com	C-107194 (Area 10–West Valley) Howard Summers Towing, Inc. Robert Sommers C-108070 (Area 21–Valley Bureau)	1998-2011	\$4,750
		Robert Sommers – 1998-2010 campaign contributions.	\$10,000
Kelmark Tow (Nissley Corp.), Area 18 Southeast Division Contact: Jon Nissley 620 E. 111th Place Los Angeles, CA 90059 Phone: 323/779-3202 Fax: 323/779-3213 Email: ktow18@sbcglobal.net	C-106804 Nissley Corp., dba Kelmark Tow President: Paul Nissley Jon Nissley/R. Steinberg (Kelmark Tow sold to Nissley & Steinberg 2004)	1998-2010	\$6,000
		Nissley Co. – 1998- 2008 campaign contributions.	\$6,750

<p>Keystone Towing, Inc., Area 9 & 10 Van Nuys Division Contact: Mark H. Montes, General Manager 7817 Woodley Avenue Van Nuys, CA 91406 Phone: 818/782-1996 Fax: 818/782-1992 E-mail: mmontes@unitedroadtowing.com Web: www.keystonetowing.com</p>	<p>It appears that Keystone Towing was sold to Mark Henninger. (In 1999, Henninger was sued by Tom John Towing and accused of unfairly influencing Police Commission officials for towing contract w/ city. Depo was taken.)</p>	<p>1998-2010</p>	<p>\$14,250</p>
		<p>United Road Towing – parent company or affiliate of Keystone – 2006-2011 campaign contributions</p>	<p>\$7,000</p>
<p>Quick Silver Towing, Inc., Area 8 West Los Angeles Division Contact: Ramiro Sepulveda 2252 S. Barrington Avenue West Los Angeles, CA 90064 Phone: 310/478-1201 Fax: 310/449-9239 E-mail: quicksilvertow@yahoo.com</p>	<p>C-107455 Quick Silver Towing, Inc. Mark Henninger (It appears that Keystone Towing was sold to Henninger. In 1999, Henninger was sued by Tom John Towing and accused of unfairly influencing Police Commission officials for towing contract w/ city. Depo was taken.)</p>	<p>2002-2011 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$10,000</p>

		Mark Henninger – 2009-2010 campaign contributions.	\$1,000
Ross Baker Towing, Inc., Area 17 & 19 Devonshire Division Contact: Blanca Rizo 8750 Vanalden Avenue Northridge, CA 90003 Phone: 818/886-7411 Fax: 818/886-5525 E-mail: Blanca@rossbakertowing.com Web: www.rossbakertowing.com	C-107454 Ross Baker Towing, Inc. Greg Baker	1998-2011 campaign contributions.	\$14,750
S & J Wilshire Tow, Area 7 & 20 Wilshire Division Contact: Steve Smith 2400 W. Washington Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90018 Phone: 323/734-3137 Fax: 323/735-7047 E-mail: wiltow@earthlink.net Web: www.sjwilshiretow.com	C-107126 Hank's Wilshire Tow, Inc. dba S&J Wilshire Tow Steve Smith	2000-2005 campain contributions. (Contributions by Steve Smith possible but there are several Steve Smith's in the Campaign Contribution database. This Steve Smith's identity is unclear)	\$2,900

<p>Seventh Street Garage, Area 5 Harbor Division Contact: Billie Maurizio 1615 E. Mauretania Street Wilmington, CA 90744 Phone: 310/856-1980 Fax: 310/549-6659 E-mail:bmaurizio@opg5.com</p>	<p>C-108069 Seventh Street Garage, Inc. President: David A. Bearden Marilee Bearden</p>	<p>1998-2011 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$10,500</p>
		<p>David Bearden – 1999-2003 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$3,500</p>
		<p>Marilee Bearden – 2000-2003 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$1,500</p>
<p>Swanney & McDonald, Area 3 Newton & Southeast Divs. Contact: Steve Swanney 4833 W. Exposition Blvd Los Angeles, CA 90016-3911 Phone: 323/733-6898 Fax: 323/733-4988 E-mail:steve@swanneymcdonald.com Web: www.swanneymcdonald.com</p>	<p>C-107574 Towing Specialists, Inc. dba Swanney & MacDonald President: John E. Swanney CO: Steven Swanney VP: Brenda S. Caropino</p>	<p>1999-2011</p>	<p>\$7,600</p>
		<p>John Swanney – 1999 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$750</p>
		<p>Steven Swanney – 1999 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$250</p>

<p>US Tow, Area 13 Newton Division Contact: Mike Meade US Tow Inc. 1940 Lovelace Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90015 213-749-7100 Fax 213-749-0272 E-mail: mike@ustow.com Web: www.ustow.com</p>	<p>C-106370 U.S. Tow, Inc. Gary Bains</p>	<p>US Tow, Inc. – 2005 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$500</p>
		<p>U.S. Tow Service, Inc. – 2001-2008 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$1,700</p>
		<p>Gary Bains – 2011 campaign contributions. (Two \$500 contributions to Joe Buscaino, Councilmember , District 15)</p>	<p>\$1,000</p>
<p>Viertel's Central Division, Area 1 Central Division Contact: Cecilio Nunez Viertel's Central Division 500 N. Center Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 213/687-1003 Fax 213/687-7195 E-mail: opg1cn@yahoo.com</p>	<p>C-107278 Viertel's Automotive Service, Inc. Randy Steinberg (Towwerks, LLC) (Viertel's Central Div. sold to Randy Steinberg and Todd Smart 2004) (Randy Steinberg may have contributed more through another of his companies)</p>	<p>2005-2011 campaign contributions.</p>	<p>\$2,500</p>

Viertel's Automotive Service, Area 2 Rampart Division Contact: George Garcia or Al Moreno 1155 W. Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 Phone: 213/250-0143 Fax: 213/250-4360 E-mail: ggarcia@viertels.com	C-107279 Viertel's Automotive Service, Inc. (May also own Absolute Towing)	2000-2004 campaign contributions.	\$5,250
		Campaign contributions by independent OPGs from 1998 to 2011	\$234,375
		Campaign contributions by OPGA from 1998 to 2011	\$71,500
		Campaign contributions by independent OPGs and OPGA from 1998 to 2011 total:	\$305,875

Source: Los Angeles City Ethics Commission

Campaign finance website: <http://ethics.lacity.org/campaignfinance.cfm>

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09/20/09	Eric Rose (President, The Rose Group) Simi Valley, CA 93065	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$250.00
[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> <u>to 12/31/09</u>]				
10/13/10	Eric Rose (President, The Rose Group) Simi Valley, CA 93065	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$250.00
[Period: <u>10/01/10</u> <u>to 12/31/10</u>]				
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$500.00
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Total Amount Received:				\$500.00

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10/20/09	Official Police Garage Assn. of Los Angeles Simi Valley, CA 93065	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]	
06/23/11	Official Police Garage Assn. of Los Angeles Simi Valley, CA 93065	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>03/03/11</u> to <u>06/30/11</u>]	

Total Monetary Contributions (A): \$1,000.00
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Total Amount Received: \$1,000.00

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02/22/11	LA Police Protective League PAC Sacramento, CA 95814	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (COM - Committee) [Period: 02/20/11 to 03/02/11]	\$500.00 [Election:03/08/11]
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$500.00 (does not include unitemized)
Total Amount Received:				\$500.00

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10/24/09	Bernard Parks (City Councilmember, City of Los Angeles) Los Angeles, CA 90043	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$150.00

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09/22/09	Absolute Towing-Hollenbeck Division Inc, Los Angeles, CA 90032	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 01/01/09 to 12/31/09]	\$500.00
11/06/09	Hank's Wilshire Towing, DBA S&J Wilshire Tow Los Angeles, CA 90018	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 01/01/09 to 12/31/09]	\$500.00
06/23/11	Howard Sommers Towing, Inc. Canoga Park, CA 91304	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 03/03/11 to 06/30/11]	\$500.00
10/29/09	Pavon Enterprises, Inc. DBA Al's Towing OPG Los Angeles, CA 90047	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 01/01/09 to 12/31/09]	\$500.00
06/23/11	United Road Towing, Inc. Mokena, IL 60448 <i>(Keystone Towing)</i>	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 03/03/11 to 06/30/11]	\$500.00

Total Monetary Contributions (A): \$2,500.00
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Total Amount Received: \$2,500.00

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10/29/09	Kelmark Tow LLC Los Angeles, CA 90059	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
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10/29/09	Barton Torres (Corporate Officer, Black and White Towing, Inc.) Moorpark, CA 93021	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]				
10/29/09	Ricki Torres (Corporate Officer, Black and White Towing, Inc.) Moorpark, CA 93021	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]				
10/07/09	Tony Torres (Corporate Officer, Black & White Towing, Inc.) Northridge, CA 91326	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]				
10/07/09	Victoria Torres (Corporate Officer, Black & White Towing, Inc.) Northridge, CA 91326	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]				

Total Monetary Contributions (A): \$2,000.00
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10/29/09	Viertel's Central Division Los Angeles, CA 90012	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]	
06/23/11	Viertel's Rampart Division Los Angeles, CA 90012	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>03/03/11</u> to <u>06/30/11</u>]	
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$1,000.00 (does not include unitemized)
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10/29/09	Greg Baker (Owner, Ross Baker Tow) Simi Valley, CA 93063	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual) [Period: 01/01/09 to 12/31/09]	\$500.00
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$500.00 (does not include unitemized)
Total Amount Received:				\$500.00

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09/24/09	Bruffy's Inc. Marina Del Rey, CA 90292	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
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06/23/11	Bruffy's Inc. Marina Del Rey, CA 90292	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00
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Total Monetary Contributions (A): (does not include unitemized)				\$1,000.00
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10/27/09	Lynelle Henninger (CFO, Quicksilver Tow) Hidden Valley, CA 91361	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> <u>to 12/31/09</u>]	
10/29/09	Mark Henninger (Owner, Quicksilver Tow) Hidden Valley, CA 91361	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
			[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> <u>to 12/31/09</u>]	

Total Monetary Contributions (A): \$1,000.00
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Total Amount Received: \$1,000.00

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10/29/09	Robert Sommers (President, Howard Sommers Towing) Thousand Oaks, CA 91362	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00

[Period: 01/01/09 to 12/31/09]

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10/29/09	Michael Meade (General Manager, US Tow, Inc.) Los Angeles, CA 90015	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00

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10/20/09	Gary Minzer (Owner, Hollywood Tow Service, Inc.) Los Angeles, CA 90077	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
<i>[Period: <u>01/01/09</u> to <u>12/31/09</u>]</i>				
06/23/11	Gary Minzer (President, Hollywood Tow Service, Inc.) Los Angeles, CA 90038	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011 - Officeholder Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00
<i>[Period: <u>03/03/11</u> to <u>06/30/11</u>]</i>				

Total Monetary Contributions (A): \$1,000.00
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Total Amount Received: \$1,000.00

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11/02/09	Don Rowlett (Towing, Keystone Towing) Van Nuys, CA 91406	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12 1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual)	\$500.00

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02/10/11	Swanney & McDonald Los Angeles, CA 90016	Mitchell Englander Council Member - District 12	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$350.00
		1321061 - Mitchell Englander for City Council 2011	[Period: 01/02/11 to 02/19/11]	
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$350.00
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Total Amount Received:				\$350.00

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10/19/04	Official Police Garage Association of Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA 90015-2115	Bernard C. Parks Mayor 1264812 - BERNARD PARKS FOR MAYOR	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00 [Election: 03/08/05]
[Period: 10/01/04 to 12/31/04]				
10/18/05	Official Police Garage Association of Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA 90015	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1244698 - Bernard Parks for City Council-Officeholder Account	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00 [Election: 12/31/04]
[Period: 10/01/05 to 12/31/05]				
03/01/07	Official Police Garage Association of Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA 90015	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1293056 - Bernard Parks Re-Election Committee	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00 [Election: 05/15/07]
[Period: 03/01/07 to 06/30/07]				
09/29/10	Official Police Garage Association of Los Angeles Simi Valley, CA 93065	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1328172 - Re-Elect Bernard Parks For City Council 2011	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other)	\$500.00 [Election: 03/08/11]
[Period: 07/01/10 to 09/30/10]				
Total Monetary Contributions (A):				\$2,000.00 (does not include unitemized)
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11/17/05	Adam N. Englander (Attorney, Adam N. Englander) Los Angeles, CA 90071	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1244698 - Bernard Parks for City Council-Officeholder Account	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual) [Period: 10/01/05 to 12/31/05]	\$500.00 [Election: 12/31/04]
06/01/05	Harvey Englander (PR Executive, Englander & Associates) Beverly Hills, CA 90210	Bernard C. Parks Mayor 1264812 - BERNARD PARKS FOR MAYOR	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual) [Period: 03/03/05 to 06/30/05]	\$1,000.00 [Election: 05/17/05]
09/30/02	Harvey A. Englander (Sr. Vice President, The MWW Group) Los Angeles, CA 90017	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1244698 - Bernard Parks for City Council	A - Monetary Contribution Received (IND - Individual) [Period: 07/01/02 to 09/30/02]	\$500.00 [Election: 05/03/03]
11/17/05	Englander & Associates Los Angeles, CA 90015	Bernard Parks Council Member - District 8 1244698 - Bernard Parks for City Council-Officeholder Account	A - Monetary Contribution Received (OTH - Other) [Period: 10/01/05 to 12/31/05]	\$500.00 [Election: 12/31/04]
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Eric Rose has more than two decades of experience as a political, public affairs, and government relations consultant. Always based in California, he has worked across the United States, as well as for international clients. Eric has provided communications strategy to candidates for public office, as well as a broad range of services to corporations and organizations including crisis management, labor relations, litigation support, issues advertising, visual communications, Q&A preparation for public hearings and testimony, and media training. Eric has experience in all major industries and has a specialty practice serving public safety unions.

Eric has extensive experience in communications strategy, crisis communications, and media relations for a variety of clients, with exceptional strength in interacting with the highest-level investigative reporters. He has served as a counselor to numerous Fortune 500 companies, trade unions and other organizations, interacting with senior leadership and advising them on corporate issues management, executive exposure, and media relations.

Eric has worked for both political and public sector clients in industries including law enforcement, healthcare, energy, transportation, consumer goods, hospitality and leisure, and environmental management.

Eric comments regularly on communications issues and has been a guest lecturer at the University of Southern California as well as to groups of public relations professionals.

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Los Angeles Police Protective League

Challenge

Eric Rose was retained to help the Los Angeles Police Protective League (LAPPL) – the organization that represents the more than 9,800 rank-and-file members of the Los Angeles Police Department – promote its members' interests, contain certain crises and defeat measures that would undermine law enforcement. Specifically, the client sought to increase awareness of, and public support for, compressed work schedules, pension reform and the need to improve morale. For ten years, Rose has worked with the LAPPL to capture the attention of city officials, the public and the media on important issues to the rank and file officers.

Solution

Since Rose began working with the LAPPL, we have drafted and published nearly over 150 op-eds and letters to the editor in the Los Angeles Times, Daily News and on several Los Angeles radio stations. Rose has successfully placed over 900 stories on Southern California media outlets on issues that the LAPPL wanted at the forefront.

Result

Rose has also been able to increase and maximize the LAPPL's media outreach efforts by widening the distribution of information, increasing regular briefings and working proactively with the media. These briefings helped bring the LAPPL's issues center stage during municipal elections. The number of PPL briefings with important city, county, state and federal government officials with a stake in law enforcement – has significantly increased as a result of these efforts...

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Englander Knabe & Allen, LLC Appoints Chris Bryan to Lead EKA Campaigns

06/9/2011

Englander Knabe & Allen, LLC announced the introduction of Chris Bryan who will manage new campaign consulting firm. EKA Campaigns will operate as an independent entity under the umbrella of Englander Knabe & Allen. EKA Campaigns will focus on issues campaigning but also will offer services to a select group of candidates and committees wishing to take advantage of EKA's wealth of expertise creating effective independent expenditures, public affairs campaigns, and candidate campaigns that win. Bryan comes to EKA as a veteran of many successful local, congressional and statewide races with a focus on Southern California. Most recently he was the Political Director and Campaign Manager for a successful LA City Council Election.

Information from firm's website
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- EKA, is ranked second on the Business Journal's list of public relations firms with revenue of \$6.8 million
- Englander himself has run campaigns for local politicians including Jane Harman, Laura Chick, Deane Dana and Don Knabe. His firm's client list includes Clear Channel Outdoor, Waste Management, Coca-Cola and the Official Police Garage Association of Los Angeles.
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- Partners related to public officials say they avoid conflicts of interest, Los Angeles Business Journal, July 18, 2011, By Joel Russell
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