

Communication from Public

Name: How corrupt is LA?
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Comments for Public Posting: We were sent article about Jen's bosses hinky donations from 2016 and what do you know, it's got more info about Jen's shady dad.

Gustavo Valdivisa (sic), \$1,100 If you want proof that accepting these contributions was not just a simple oversight by the García campaign, consider the fact the incumbent was also called out for accepting a donation from Valdivisa (sic) during her 2013 campaign. In that election, this donor identified himself as the owner of Grande Vista Associates. This firm was implicated in a bid-rigging scheme where an interior designer lost a bid even though “she said she never bid.” It was also suggested that Valdivia won contracts with the housing authority while being paid by another company for consulting on how to win these same contracts. It was also alleged that Valdivia asked Sam In “to be an officer” of Grande Vista Associates after he “retired” from the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety. In 2013, Mr. In “plead guilty to felony bribery” for “accepting more than \$30,000 in bribes involving several properties in or around Koreatown.”

Not the first mention we've seen of bid rigging, Grande Vista, and Sam In. This all goes back to Gustavo's entanglement with Jose Huizar. We're still digging into the doozy of a tip we received earlier this week. Keep them coming.

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