

ROBERT STRYK

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attorney in Los Angeles for clarification,

Stryk was not to be deterred about the Town Clerk's position and in a two hour sprint obtained the required signatures.

Stryk has been told by some of his supporters not to assume a negative campaign. But it was not Stryk who was running a negative campaign; it was the entrenched business-political clique who was running the negative attacks on Stryk and spending over \$100,000 to derail his campaign.

Now that some of this has been exposed Stryk will move forward with a positive campaign on what he can do for Yountville. He is thankful that the ballots on November 2 will be counted by the County Elections Office and not the Town Hall in Yountville.

This dynamic young man does not accept financial contributions and is funding his own campaign – this way there is no political obligations falling on his shoulders once he becomes mayor. He pledges to donate his \$400 per month mayor's salary to the Veteran's Home and not accept and will decline the Town's health coverage for the Mayor.

While his family questions him as to why he would put himself through all this, he responded, "I am running for mayor because it is not only our right, but also our responsibility to question our leaders. Yountville craves genuine leadership, but those in power drown out the calls for change by being the ones who speak the loudest and make the citizens believe they are the only ones with voices. Well that ends today."

Stryk has a web site at www.STRYK4MAYOR.COM.

Businesses Closed

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Business Location Explanation

2010

- 1 Doll Store & More (closure pending) 1201 First Street Recession / lack of market interest
- 2 Fabrizio's 806 Fourth Street Unknown
- 3 First Squeeze 1126 First Street Owner decided to close; purchased by Ceja Family for Bistro Sabor
- 4 Honor Student Clothing Company 1504 Main Street Unknown
- 5 Napa Phone Center 1209 First Street Relocated business out of area
- 6 Nevada Bob's Golf 1210 Napa Town Center Corporate
- 7 Queen Bee Consignments 1149 First Street Unknown
- 8 Shahin Oriental Rug Imports (closure pending) 1242 First Street Unknown
- 9 Wachovia Bank 1310 Second Street Merged with

Wells Fargo

2009

- 10 Accents Napa Valley 1307 First Street Unknown
- 11 Beaded Nomad 1238 First Street Business moved to Petaluma; terms of new lease
- 12 Bleaux Magnolia 1408 Clay Street Unknown
- 13 Bon Crème 1080 Napa Town Center Lease expired; Kohl's expanded into space
- 14 Café Revolution 1502 Main Street Zoning conflicted with use, made it difficult for business to fulfill its plan
- 15 Eco Organize 1924 Yajome Street Business owner wanted to focus on consulting aspect of business
- 16 El Potrillo 640 Third Street Unknown
- 17 Elements Restaurant 1400 Second Street Owner expressed concerns about recession and timing
- 18 Fete 610 First Street Unknown
- 19 Folio Enoteca & Winery 610 First Street, # 110 Unknown
- 20 Kelley's No Bad Days Café 976 Pearl Street Owner cited rent increase
- 21 MJ Schaer Gallery 500 Main Street Owner retired
- 22 Pacific National Bank 1300 First Street Bought out by U.S. Bank and closed
- 23 Patina 1506 Main Street Lost their lease; may re-open elsewhere
- 24 Piccolino's Restaurant 1385 Napa Town Center Owner expressed concerns re: recession / lack of capital / construction
- 25 Romancing The Home 1213 Napa Town Center Unknown
- 26 Rotisario 610 First Street Unknown
- 27 Silverado Antique Centre 1210 Napa Town Center Owners retired

2008

- 28 Flexx Fitness Personal Training Studio Silverado Trail Unknown
- 29 26 1144 Main Street Brands becoming available in dept. stores (economic times); affects profit
- 30 Bookends 1014 Coombs Plaza New lease terms led to non-renewal of lease
- 31 Caffe Cicero 1245 First Street Unknown
- 32 DeKor Napa Town Center Unknown
- 33 Down The Street scrap booking store 1030 Clinton Street Unknown
- 34 Habit 1146 Main Street Unknown
- 35 Intero Real Estate 1600 Main Street Intero purchased by ReMax
- 36 La Gondola Cucina Italiano Second Street Unknown
- 37 Lobster Shack 806 Fourth Street Difficult access; lack of parking
- 38 Locos Tex Mex Grill 1140 Main Street, #104 Unknown
- 39 Mervyns 1116 First Street Multiple store closures, bankruptcy

- 40 Mike Bolen Fine Art 1000 Main Street, # 110 Unknown
 - 41 Napa Luggage Center 1242 First Street Unknown
 - 42 Pilar Main Street Owners moved to Santa Barbara; sold to another restaurateur
 - 43 Riley David children's/maternity clothing 1001 Caymus Street Low foot traffic; owner may re-open in a busier location
 - 44 Stave Wine Lounge 1149 First Street Unknown
- #### 2007
- 45 CP Shades 1248 First Street Unknown
 - 46 Cribs and Bibs 1460 First Street Owner expressed concern about construction impacts to his business
 - 47 Gina's Deli 1502 Main Street Building sold; lease terminated (owners opened new business on Trancas)
 - 48 House of Lights 1300 Pearl Street Retirement
 - 49 n.v. Restaurant 1116 First Street Owner concerned about low foot traffic
- #### 2006
- 50 Belle Arti 1040 Main Street, Ste 104 New opportunity to partner with Depot/Rainbow Room
 - 51 Café Society 1000 Main Street New business model, will have online ordering
 - 52 DG's 530 Main Street Looking for more accessible space w/liquor license
 - 53 Glass Gallery 815 Main Street Business relocating
 - 54 La Vie Belle Interiors 1106 Clinton Street Owner moved to Europe
 - 55 Main Element 1000 Main Street Lease termination/Realty Executives expansion
 - 56 Napa Book Tree 1405 Second Street Focus on literacy and books for underprivileged children
 - 57 Napa Valley Pianos 1120 First Street Moved to Fairfield
- ### DOWNTOWN BUSINESS CLOSURES & RELOCATIONS REPORT: 2005- JULY 2010
- #### CLOSURES
- #### ATTACHMENT 4
- #### Business Location Explanation
- 58 Posticino 1408 Clay Street Owner decided to sell
 - 59 Pryts Photo Service 1414 Third Street Chain Store Competition; accepted job in Novato
 - 60 Restaurant Budo 1650 Soscol Avenue Reposition restaurant to local market (now Cuvee)
 - 61 Sweet Finale Patisserie 1146 Main Street Will reopen bakery for nv restaurant bread, baked goods, sandwiches
 - 62 Tessa's Vintage Cottage 1231 Napa Town Center Will have online ordering
 - 63 The Depot 806 Fourth Street Owner sold, moved out of town
 - 64 Touch of Elegance 1004 Clinton Street Retirement
- #### 2005
- 65 Le Cadeau 1307 First Street Owner: Not enough foot traffic
 - 66 Neighborhood Antiques 1400 First Street Lease termination / possible development site