Audit Period: January 1, 2024 - December 31, 2024

## Messenger Publishing Group

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#### 1. Audited Media Platforms

Print Publication: Average Net Circulation - Weekly: 45,546 (Print Edition)

Average Net Circulation – Bi-Weekly: 17,543 (Print Edition) Average Net Circulation – Monthly: 8,302 (Print Edition)

Website: Average Website Users (32 Sites): 141,922
Social Media: Average Facebook Followers (22 Sites): 30,481
Average X (Twitter) Followers (24 Sites): 4,749

2. Publication Information

Number of Editions: Eighteen

Format / Average Page Count: Broadsheet / 14 Pages

Circulation Cycle: 11 Weekly / 5 Bi-Weekly / 2 Monthly

Ownership: Messenger Publishing Group

Year Established: 2006

Publication Type: Community Newspaper

93% Controlled / 7% Paid / 0% Sponsor Paid

Content: 50% Advertising / 50% Editorial Primary Delivery Methods: 38% Carrier Delivery / 27% Mail /

35% Controlled Bulk & Single Copy

Annual Mail Subscription Rate: \$39.00 - \$98.00 (Varies by Publication)

Cover Price: \$0.75

Insert Zoning Available: Yes - ZIP Code / Zone

CVC Member Number: 01-9092

DMA/MSA/CBSA: Sacramento, CA / Sacramento--Yolo, CA /

Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA

Audit Funded By: Publisher



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#### 3. Rate Card and Mechanical Data

Rate Card Effective Date: January 1, 2024

Mechanical Data - Print: Six (6) columns X 20.5" column depth

Full page: 9.888" wide X 20.5" depth.

Print Open Rate: Local: \$850.00 Full Page - \$125.00 1/16<sup>th</sup> Page

National: \$850.00 Full Page - \$125.00 1/16<sup>th</sup> Page

Insert Open Rate: Contact Publisher Classified Rate: Contact Publisher Deadline Day & Time: Weekly by 5 PM

Additional rates may be available from the publisher.

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## 5A. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4049	Friday	M P G - American River Messenger Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation	(5-H)	5,416
Average Gross Distribution	(5-F)	5,521
Average Net Press Run	(5-A)	5,525
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		5,525
B. Office / File		4
C. Controlled Distribution		
1. Carrier Delivery		3,384
2. Bulk Delivery / Demar	nd Distribution	1,399
3. Mail		690
4. Requestor Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Rooms</li></ol>		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals	and Trade Shows	0
8. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Servi</li></ol>		15
Total Average Controlled Distrib	ution	5,488
Controlled Returns		(105)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED C	IRCULATION	5,383
D. Paid Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		33
<ol><li>Waiting Room</li></ol>		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Servi</li></ol>	ce	0
Total Average Paid Distribution		33
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULAT		33
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Di	stribution	
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Rooms</li></ol>		0
5. Education		0
<b>Total Average Sponsored Distrib</b>	ution	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CI	RCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		5,521
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(105)*
H. Average Net Circulation		5,416



5B. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4456 Monthly	M P G - Arden Arcade News Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	3,104
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	3,177
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	3,183
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	3,183
B. Office / File	6
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	341
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution</li></ol>	1,563
3. Mail	1,258
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	15
Total Average Controlled Distribution	3,177
Controlled Returns	(73)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	3,104
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	0
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	Ô,
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
Average Gross Distribution	3,177
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(73)*
H. Average Net Circulation	3,104

## 5C. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4047	Friday	M P G - Carmichael Times Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation (5-	-H)	6,702
Average Gross Distribution (5-	-F)	6,865
Average Net Press Run (5-	-A)	6,869
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		6,869
B. Office / File		4
C. Controlled Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		4,155
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand	Distribution	2,483
3. Mail		152
4. Requestor Mail		0
5. Waiting Rooms		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals a	nd Trade Shows	0
8. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Service</li></ol>		17
Total Average Controlled Distributi	ion	6,807
Controlled Returns		(163)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIR	CULATION	6,644
D. Paid Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		58
4. Waiting Room		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Service		0
Total Average Paid Distribution		58
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATIO	N	58
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distr	ribution	
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Rooms</li></ol>		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distributi	ion	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRC	CULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		6,865
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(163)*
H. Average Net Circulation		6,702



5D. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

5D. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages (N. Assourt Number: 01, 4050)	
CVC Account Number: 01-4050 Friday	M P G - Citrus Heights Messenge Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	6,722
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	6,876
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	6,881
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	6,881
B. Office / File	5
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	4,922
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	1,732
3. Mail	159
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	15
Total Average Controlled Distribution	6,828
Controlled Returns	(154)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION  D. Bold Distribution	6,674
D. Paid Distribution  1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	48
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	48
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	48
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	Ů,
F. Average Gross Distribution	6,876
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(154)*
H. Average Net Circulation	6,722

## 5E. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4464	Friday	M P G - Colusa County Pioneer Review Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation	(5-H)	1,429
Average Gross Distribution	(5-F)	1,495
Average Net Press Run	(5-A)	1,500
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		1,500
B. Office / File		5
C. Controlled Distribution		_
1. Carrier Delivery	I DI THE THE	0
2. Bulk Delivery / Dema	nd Distribution	340
3. Mail		9
4. Requestor Mail		0
5. Waiting Rooms		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festiva	is and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	4	0
9. Restock & Office Ser\		35
Total Average Controlled Distrik	Dution	384
Controlled Returns		(14)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED	CIRCULATION	370
D. Paid Distribution		0
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> <li>Single Copy</li> </ol>		411
3. Mail		698
4. Waiting Room		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Serv	vice .	2
Total Average Paid Distribution	nico .	1,111
Paid Returns		(52)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULA	TION	1,059
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid D		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Rooms		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distril	oution	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED C	IRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		1,495
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(66)*
H. Average Net Circulation		1,429



5F. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4211 Friday	M P G - Dixon Independent Voice Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	3,094
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	3,196
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	3,200
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	3,200
B. Office / File	4
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	2,005
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	744
3. Mail	85
4. Requestor Mail	209
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	18
Total Average Controlled Distribution	3,061
Controlled Returns	(102)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	2,959
D. Paid Distribution	2,707
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	135
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	135
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	135
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	0
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution	3,196
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(102)*
H. Average Net Circulation	3,094

## 5G. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4457	Friday	M P G - East Sacramento News Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation (	(5-H)	2,893
Average Gross Distribution (	(5-F)	3,172
Average Net Press Run	(5-A)	3,183
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		3,183
B. Office / File		11
C. Controlled Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		38
2. Bulk Delivery / Deman	d Distribution	2,011
3. Mail		1,123
4. Requestor Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Rooms</li></ol>		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals	and Trade Shows	0
8. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Servi</li></ol>	ce	0
Total Average Controlled Distribu	ıtion	3,172
Controlled Returns		(279)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED C	IRCULATION	2,893
D. Paid Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Room</li></ol>		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Servi	ce	0
Total Average Paid Distribution		0
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULAT		0
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Dis	stribution	
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
<ol><li>Single Copy</li></ol>		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Rooms		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distribu	ution	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIF	RCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		3,172
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(279)*
H. Average Net Circulation		2,893



5H. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4453 Friday	M P G - Elk Grove Citizen Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	3,021
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	3,211
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	3,215
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	3,215
B. Office / File	4
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	219
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution</li></ol>	1,090
3. Mail	205
4. Requestor Mail	24
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	28
Total Average Controlled Distribution	1,566
Controlled Returns	(140)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	1,426
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	117
3. Mail	1,528
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	1,645
Paid Returns	(50)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	1,595
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
Average Gross Distribution	3,211
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(190)*
H. Average Net Circulation	3,021

## 51. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4051	Monthly	M P G - Gold River Messenger Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation (5	5-H)	5,198
Average Gross Distribution (5	5-F)	5,198
•	5-A)	5,200
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		5,200
B. Office / File		2
C. Controlled Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand</li></ol>	d Distribution	18
3. Mail		5,177
4. Requestor Mail		0
<ol><li>Waiting Rooms</li></ol>		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals	and Trade Shows	0
8. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Servic</li></ol>	e	3
Total Average Controlled Distribution	tion	5,198
Controlled Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIF	RCULATION	5,198
D. Paid Distribution		
<ol> <li>Carrier Delivery</li> </ol>		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Room		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Servic	e	0
Total Average Paid Distribution		0
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	ON	0
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Dis	tribution	
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Rooms		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distribu	tion	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIR	CULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		5,198
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(0)*
H. Average Net Circulation		5,198



5J. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

5J. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Avera	
CVC Account Number: 01-4048 Friday	M P G - Grapevine Independent Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	6,792
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	6,894
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	6,898
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	6,898
B. Office / File	4
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	4,765
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution</li></ol>	1,713
3. Mail	13
4. Requestor Mail	167
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	15
Total Average Controlled Distribution	6,673
Controlled Returns	(102)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	6,571
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	25
3. Mail	196
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	221
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	221
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution	6,894
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(102)*
H. Average Net Circulation	6,792

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## 5K. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

	and Net Press Averages - Print Edition  Friday  MPG - Gridley Herald  Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	5,306
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	5,396
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	5,400
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	5,400
B. Office / File	4
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	4,386
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distrib	
3. Mail	35
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Tra	de Shows 0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	15
Total Average Controlled Distribution	4,880
Controlled Returns	(45)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULAT	TION 4,835
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	48
2. Single Copy	168
3. Mail	300
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	516
Paid Returns	(45)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distributio	471
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
F. Average Gross Distribution	5,396
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(90)*
H. Average Net Circulation	5,306



5L. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

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CVC Account Number: 01-4458	Friday	M P G - Land Park News Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
_	5-H)	3,006
	5-F)	3,171
•	5-A)	3,183
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		3,183
B. Office / File		12
C. Controlled Distribution		
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand	Distribution	2,461
3. Mail		695
4. Requestor Mail		0
5. Waiting Rooms		0
6. Hotels	17 1 0	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals	and Trade Shows	0
8. Education		0
9. Restock & Office Service		15
Total Average Controlled Distribut	tion	3,171
Controlled Returns		(165)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIP	RCULATION	3,006
D. Paid Distribution		0
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy 3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Room		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Service	Δ	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	C	0
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	NC	0
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Dist		ŭ
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Rooms		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distribu	tion	0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIR	CULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		3,171
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(165)*
H. Average Net Circulation		3,006

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## 5M. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

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	Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	3,053
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	3,178
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	3,183
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	3,183
B. Office / File	5
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	394
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	1,258
3. Mail	1,512
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	14
Total Average Controlled Distribution	3,178
Controlled Returns	(125)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	3,053
D. Paid Distribution	0
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy 3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	0
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	Ò,
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution	3,178
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(125)*
H. Average Net Circulation	3,053



5N. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

5N. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Avera	
CVC Account Number: 01-4454 Friday	M P G - River Valley Times Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	3,175
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	3,175
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	3,200
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	3,200
B. Office / File	25
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution</li></ol>	0
3. Mail	0
4. Requestor Mail	3,175
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Controlled Distribution	3,175
Controlled Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	3,175
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	0
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	0
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	Ŏ,
F. Average Gross Distribution	3,175
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(0)*
H. Average Net Circulation	3,175

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## 50. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4210 Friday	M P G - Territorial Dispatch Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	6,625
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	6,932
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	6,938
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	6,938
B. Office / File	6
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	2,576
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	4,103
3. Mail	97
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	42
Total Average Controlled Distribution	6,818
Controlled Returns	(307)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	6,511
D. Paid Distribution	_
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	114
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	114
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	114
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	0
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	(0) 0
F. Average Gross Distribution	6,932
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(307)*
H. Average Net Circulation	6,625



5P. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4455 Friday	M P G - The Galt Herald Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	<u> </u>
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	1,876
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	1,981
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	1,985
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	1,985
B. Office / File	4
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	387
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	429
3. Mail	158
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	25
Total Average Controlled Distribution	999
Controlled Returns	(71)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	928
D. Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	95
3. Mail	887
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	982
Paid Returns	(34)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	948
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution	1,981
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(105)*
H. Average Net Circulation	1,876

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## 5Q. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4303	Friday M P	G - The Rio Linda News Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary		
Average Net Circulation (5-H)		1,964
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)		1,996
Average Net Press Run (5-A)		2,000
Audit Period Detail		
A. Average Net Press Run		2,000
B. Office / File		4
C. Controlled Distribution		
1. Carrier Delivery		261
<ol><li>Bulk Delivery / Demand Distr</li></ol>	ibution	1,522
3. Mail		136
4. Requestor Mail		0
5. Waiting Rooms		0
6. Hotels		0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Tr	rade Shows	0
8. Education		0
<ol><li>Restock &amp; Office Service</li></ol>		8
Total Average Controlled Distribution		1,927
Controlled Returns		(32)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULA	ATION	1,895
D. Paid Distribution		
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		69
4. Waiting Room		0
5. Hotels		0
6. Education		0
7. Restock & Office Service		0
Total Average Paid Distribution		69
Paid Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION		69
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribut	on	
1. Carrier Delivery		0
2. Single Copy		0
3. Mail		0
4. Waiting Rooms		0
5. Education		0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution		0
Sponsored Returns		(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULA	ΓΙΟΝ	0
F. Average Gross Distribution		1,996
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns		(32)*
H. Average Net Circulation		1,964



5R. Audited Circulation, Distribution and Net Press Averages - Print Edition

CVC Account Number: 01-4305 Friday	M P G - West Sacramento News Ledge Carmichael, CA
Audit Period Summary	
Average Net Circulation (5-H)	2,015
Average Gross Distribution (5-F)	2,192
Average Net Press Run (5-A)	2,200
Audit Period Detail	
A. Average Net Press Run	2,200
B. Office / File	8
C. Controlled Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Bulk Delivery / Demand Distribution	1,763
3. Mail	68
4. Requestor Mail	0
5. Waiting Rooms	0
6. Hotels	0
7. Events, Fairs, Festivals and Trade Shows	0
8. Education	0
9. Restock & Office Service	13
Total Average Controlled Distribution	1,844
Controlled Returns	(177)
TOTAL AVERAGE CONTROLLED CIRCULATION	1,667
D. Paid Distribution	·
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	348
4. Waiting Room	0
5. Hotels	0
6. Education	0
7. Restock & Office Service	0
Total Average Paid Distribution	348
Paid Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE PAID CIRCULATION	348
E. Sponsored / Voluntary Paid Distribution	
1. Carrier Delivery	0
2. Single Copy	0
3. Mail	0
4. Waiting Rooms	0
5. Education	0
Total Average Sponsored Distribution	0
Sponsored Returns	(0)
TOTAL AVERAGE SPONSORED CIRCULATION	0
F. Average Gross Distribution	2,192
G. Total Unclaimed / Returns	(177)*
H. Average Net Circulation	2,015

#### **OUR DATA SPEAKS VOLUMES**

#### Explanatory - Print

PARAGRAPH FIVE AUDIT PERIOD SUMMARY

AVERAGE NET CIRCULATION: Average net circulation based on quarterly averages for the audit period indicated. (Total of controlled distribution (C), paid distribution (D), and sponsored distribution (E) minus unclaimed / return (G)). See audit period detail (H). AVERAGE GROSS DISTRIBUTION: Average gross distribution based on quarterly averages for the audit period indicated. (Total of controlled distribution (A), paid distribution (B), and sponsored distribution (C)). See audit period detail (F).

NET PRESS RUN: Average net press run based on quarterly averages during the audit period indicated. The net press run average does not include press waste, or start-up copies. See audit period detail (A).

AUDIT PERIOD DETAIL

- A. 1. NET PRESS RUN: Average net press run based on quarterly averages during the audit period indicated. The net press run average does not include press waste, or start-up copies.
- B. 1. OFFICE / FILE: Undistributed editions maintained by the publisher for office purposes. Office / File editions do not qualify as controlled, paid, or sponsored distribution.
- C. CONTROLLED DISTRIBUTION (NON-PAID): Editions distributed by the publisher free of charge.
- 1. CARRIER DELIVERY: Editions delivered by private carrier to single family residences, and/or multi-family residences, and/or businesses.
- 2. CONTROLLED BULK / DEMAND DISTRIBUTION: Editions distributed to newsracks, newsstands, and/or area retail businesses and available to individual readers. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- 3. MAIL: Editions delivered by United States Postal Service mail to single family residences, and/or multi-family residences, and/or businesses, and/or post office boxes.
- 4. REQUESTOR MAIL: Editions delivered on a requestor basis by United States Postal Service mail to single family residences, and/or multi-family residences, and/or businesses, and/or post office boxes. Qualified requestor circulation and other mail permit qualifications are audited by the United States Postal Service and not determined by CVC.
- 5. CONTROLLED WAITING ROOMS: Editions delivered to the waiting areas of local business and office buildings, including, but not limited to salons, medical and professional offices.
- 6. CONTROLLED HOTELS: Editions distributed to area hotels and available to individual readers. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- 7. EVENTS, FAIRS, FESTIVALS and TRADE SHOWS: Editions distributed to attendees and members of conventions, local fairs, festivals, trade shows and available to individual readers. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- 8. CONTROLLED EDUCATION: Editions distributed to area schools or educational institutions and available to individual readers. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- 9. RESTOCK / OFFICE SERVICE: Editions maintained and distributed by the publisher for restock of newsracks, newsstands, area retail businesses, office deliveries, and advertising purposes during the edition cycle. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- CONTROLLED RETURNS: Edition distributed in the controlled distribution category, returned to the publisher unclaimed during the edition cycle \*(See paragraph 10 for CVC return/unclaimed confirmation.) Publications with greater than 25% returnable source distribution must report returns or unclaimed copies to qualify for net circulation reporting.
- D. PAID DISTRIBUTION: Editions distributed by the publisher through paid subscription or other monetary exchange with individual readers
- 1. CARRIER DELIVERY: See C1 for explanation of carrier home delivery. See paragraph 11 for paid reporting analysis.
- 2. SINGLE COPY: Editions distributed to newsracks, newsstands, and/or area retail businesses and available to individual readers. Subject to paragraph 5G returns. See paragraph 11 for paid reporting analysis.
- 3. MAIL: See C3 for explanation of mail distribution. See paragraph 11 for paid reporting analysis.
- 4. PAID WAITING ROOMS: See C5 for explanation of waiting room distribution.
- 5. PAID HOTELS: See C6 for explanation of hotel distribution.
- 6. PAID EDUCATION: See C8 for explanation of educational copy distribution.
- 7. RESTOCK / OFFICE SERVICE: See C9 for explanation of restock and office distribution.
- PAID RETURNS: See section C: controlled returns for explanation of returns reporting. \*(See paragraph 10 for CVC return/unclaimed confirmation.)
- E. SPONSORED / VOLUNTARY PAID DISTRIBUTION: Editions distributed by the publisher that are sponsored by a third party monetary exchange or voluntary reader payment system.
- 1. CARRIER DELIVERY: See C1 for explanation of carrier home delivery.
- 2. SINGLE COPY: Editions distributed to newsracks, newsstands, and/or area retail businesses and available to individual readers on a sponsored or voluntary pay basis. Subject to paragraph 5G returns.
- 3. MAIL: See C3 for explanation of mail distribution.
- 4. SPONSORED WAITING ROOMS: See C5 for explanation of waiting room distribution.
- 5. SPONSORED EDUCATION: See C8 for explanation of educational copy distribution.
- 6. RESTOCK / OFFICE SERVICE: See C9 for explanation of restock and office distribution.
- SPONSORED RETURNS: See section C: controlled returns for explanation of returns reporting \*(See paragraph 10 for CVC return/unclaimed confirmation.)
- F. AVERAGE GROSS DISTRIBUTION: Average gross distribution based on quarterly averages for the audit period indicated. Total of controlled distribution (A), paid distribution (B), and sponsored distribution (C).
- G. TOTAL UNCLAIMED / RETURNS: Distributed editions returned to the publisher unsold and/or unclaimed during the edition cycle. \*(See paragraph 10 for CVC return/unclaimed confirmation.)
- H. AVERAGE NET CIRCULATION: Average net circulation for the audit period indicated. Total of controlled distribution (C), paid distribution (D), and sponsored distribution (E) minus unclaimed / return (G).



6A. Average Print Circulation Histor	y - M P G - American River Messenger
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YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	5,862	5,574	5,084	5,048
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	6,419	6,384	6,374	5,988
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	7,249	6,785	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	7,795	7,737	7,924	7,691
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	7,446	6,983	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	7,372	7,362	7,377	7,439
01/01/18-12/31/18	CVC	7,337	7,319	7,368	7,413

## 6B. Average Print Circulation History - M P G - Arden Arcade News

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	3,060	3,113	3,116	3,128
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	2,495	2,988

### 6C. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Carmichael Times

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YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	6,853	6,669	6,654	6,631
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	6,811	6,773	6,795	6,827
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	6,763	6,718	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	7,328	7,201	7,196	7,033
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	8,321	3,288	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	8,318	8,301	8,280	8,277
01/01/18-12/31/18	CVC	8,237	8,231	8,263	8,238

## 6D. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Citrus Heights Messenger

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YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	6,844	6,763	6,661	6,621
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	6,880	6,845	6,829	6,850
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	6,919	6,934	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	7,333	7,312	7,248	7,214
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	8,355	5,004	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	9,949	9,925	9,880	8,367
01/01/18-12/31/18	CVC	9,864	9,739	9,832	9,934

## 6E. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Colusa County Pioneer Review

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	1,443	1,398	1,429	1,444
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	1,409	1,431

## 6F. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Dixon Independent Voice

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	3,124	3,099	3,071	3,084
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	3,103	3,090	3,098	3,115
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	2,918	2,763	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	3,438	3,529	3,488	3,394
04/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	-	2,603	Not Reported	Not Reported

## 6G. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - East Sacramento News

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	2,873	2,925	2,822	3,045
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	2,356	2,642

## 6H. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Elk Grove Citizen

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	3,044	3,030	2,919	3,093
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	2,815	2,955

## 61. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Gold River Messenger

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	5,198	5,198	5,198	5,198
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	5,198	5,198	5,197	5,196
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	5,195	5,095	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	5,193	5,197	5,198	5,198
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	5,476	5,461	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	5,492	5,494	5,481	5,487
01/01/18-12/31/18	CVC	5,487	5,482	5,479	5,487

## 6J Average Print Circulation History - M P G - Grapevine Independent

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YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	6,876	6,784	6,805	6,679
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	6,872	6,900	6,857	6,865
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	6,761	6,812	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	7,411	7,307	7,391	7,324
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	7,366	4,356	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	7,430	7,383	7,357	7,417
01/01/18-12/31/18	CVC	6,866	6,870	6,851	7,274

#### 6K. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Gridley Herald

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YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	5,303	5,301	5,311	5,310
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	5,331	5,280	5,280	5,306
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	6,066	5,606	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	6,005	6,045	6,091	6,076
01/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	6,144	5,630	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/19-12/31/19	CVC	6,074	6,061	6,104	6,127

## 6L. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Land Park News

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	2,946	3,050	3,023	3,157
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	2,739	2,841

## 6M. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Pocket News

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	2,998	3,025	3,083	3,108
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	2,627	2,856

## 6N. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - River Valley Times

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	3,190	3,190	3,190	3,190
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	5,198	3,532



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### 60. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - Territorial Dispatch

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	YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
	01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	6,756	6,611	6,498	6,640
	01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	6,785	6,692	6,669	6,767
	01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	6,661	6,571	Not Reported	Not Reported
	01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	7,119	6,976	7,032	7,035
	04/01/20-12/31/20	CVC	-	4,955	Not Reported	Not Reported

## 6P. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - The Galt Herald

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	1,844	1,879	1,866	1,914
07/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	-	-	1,791	1,729

## 6Q. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - The Rio Linda News

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	1,959	1,968	1,965	1,961
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	1,951	1,946	1,943	1,966
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	1,654	1,769	Not Reported	Not Reported
01/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	1,347	1,431	1,391	1,447

### 6R. Average Print Circulation History - MPG - West Sacramento News Ledger

YEAR	AUDIT SOURCE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
01/01/24-12/31/24	CVC	1,983	1,972	1,995	2,111
01/01/23-12/31/23	CVC	2,130	2,057	2,133	2,091
01/01/22-12/31/22	CVC	1,706	1,697	Not Reported	Not Reported
07/01/21-12/31/21	CVC	-	-	1,410	1,692

#### 7A. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - American River Messenger

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95608	Carmichael	Sacramento	CA	0	75	0	0	75
95610	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	0	50	0	0	50
95621	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	0	50	0	0	50
95628	Fair Oaks	Sacramento	CA	2,078	1,217	1,405	0	4,700
95662	Orangevale	Sacramento	CA	498	291	336	0	1,125
TOTAL				2,576	1,683	1,741	0	6,000

## 7B. Distribution by Zip Code (December 2024 Edition) Monthly - MPG - Arden Arcade News

ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95864	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	1,277	1,923	0	3,200
TOTAL				0	1,277	1,923	0	3,200

#### 7C. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - M P G - Carmichael Times

ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
0002				DELIVER.	COPY		TLEOT G GIT	
95608	Carmichael	Sacramento	CA	4,305	2,283	197	0	6,785
95610	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	0	34	6	0	40
95621	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	0	38	2	0	40
95628	Fair Oaks	Sacramento	CA	0	0	40	0	40
95662	Orangevale	Sacramento	CA	0	0	25	0	25

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## 7C. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Carmichael Times (continued)

ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
					COPY			
95841	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	0	70	0	70
TOTAL				4,305	2,355	340	0	7,000

### 7D. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Citrus Heights Messenger

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ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95608	Carmichael	Sacramento	CA	0	0	0	50	50
95610	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	2,387	865	98	0	3,350
95621	Citrus Heights	Sacramento	CA	2,494	904	102	0	3,500
95628	Fair Oaks	Sacramento	CA	0	50	0	0	50
95662	Orangevale	Sacramento	CA	0	50	0	0	50
TOTAL				4,881	1,869	200	50	7,000

#### 7E. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Colusa County Pioneer Review

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95912	Arbuckle	Colusa	CA	0	122	103	0	225
95932	Colusa	Colusa	CA	0	337	284	0	621
95955	Maxwell	Colusa	CA	0	56	47	0	103
95987	Williams	Colusa	CA	0	109	93	0	202
95991	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	0	65	55	0	120
95992	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	0	6	5	0	11
95993	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	0	51	43	0	94
Misc.	Assorted	Assorted	CA	0	67	57	0	124
TOTAL				0	813	687	0	1,500

## 7F. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Dixon Independent Voice

ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95620	Dixon	Solano	CA	2,329	666	205	0	3,200
TOTAL				2,329	666	205	0	3,200

#### 7G. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - M P G - East Sacramento News

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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95819	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	2,007	1,193	0	3,200
TOTAL				0	2,007	1,193	0	3,200

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7H. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Elk Grove Citizen

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95624	Elk Grove	Sacramento	CA	133	549	1,043	0	1,725
95632	Galt	Sacramento	CA	1	5	9	0	15
95638	Herald	Sacramento	CA	1	5	9	0	15
95693	Wilton	Sacramento	CA	3	14	27	0	44
95757	Elk Grove	Sacramento	CA	45	187	355	0	587
95758	Elk Grove	Sacramento	CA	63	259	492	0	814
TOTAL				246	1,019	1,935	0	3,200

71. Distribution by Zip Code (December 2024 Edition) Monthly - M P G - Gold River Messenger

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ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
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95670	Gold River	Sacramento	CA	0	0	5,128	72	5,200
TOTAL				0	0	5,128	72	5,200

7J. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Grapevine Independent

ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95655	Mather	Sacramento	CA	0	300	0	0	300
95670	Rancho Cordova	Sacramento	CA	3,657	1,129	107	50	4,943
95742	Rancho Cordova	Sacramento	CA	1,657	0	0	0	1,657
95827	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	100	0	0	100
TOTAL				5,314	1,529	107	50	7,000

7K. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Gridley Herald

ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95917	Biggs	Butte	CA	164	23	13	0	200
95948	Gridley	Butte	CA	2,372	340	189	0	2,901
95953	Live Oak	Sutter	CA	1,881	269	149	0	2,299
TOTAL				4,417	632	351	0	5,400

7L. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Land Park News

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ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95818	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	2,419	781	0	3,200
TOTAL				0	2,419	781	0	3,200

7M. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Pocket News

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ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95831	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	1,220	1,980	0	3,200
TOTAL				0	1,220	1,980	0	3,200

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## 7N. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - River Valley Times

ZIP	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
CODE				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
					COPY			
95683	Rancho Murieta	Sacramento	CA	0	0	3,150	0	3,150
95693	Wilton	Sacramento	CA	0	50	0	0	50
TOTAL				0	50	3,150	0	3,200

## 70. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Territorial Dispatch

ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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95901	Marysville	Yuba	CA	325	3,065	200	0	3,590
95918	Browns Valley	Yuba	CA	0	75	0	0	75
95919	Brownsville	Yuba	CA	0	150	0	0	150
95948	Gridley	Butte	CA	0	0	100	0	100
95953	Live Oak	Sutter	CA	150	0	0	0	150
95961	Olivehurst	Yuba	CA	0	200	0	0	200
95962	Oregon House	Yuba	CA	0	35	0	0	35
95991	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	693	740	0	0	1,433
95992	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	0	133	0	0	133
95993	Yuba City	Sutter	CA	426	708	0	0	1,134
TOTAL				1,594	5,106	300	0	7,000

#### 7P. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - M P G - The Galt Herald

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95638	Herald	Sacramento	CA	272	460	1,218	0	1,950
95693	Wilton	Sacramento	CA	3	6	16	0	25
95819	Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	3	6	16	0	25
TOTAL				278	472	1,250	0	2,000

## 7Q. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - M P G - The Rio Linda News

ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95626	Elverta	Sacramento	CA	0	0	100	0	100
95673	Rio Linda	Sacramento	CA	252	1,454	194	0	1,900
TOTAL				252	1,454	294	0	2,000

#### 7R. Distribution by Zip Code (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - West Sacramento News Ledger

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ZIP CODE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
95605	West Sacramento	Yolo	CA	0	466	95	0	561
95691	West Sacramento	Yolo	CA	0	1,360	279	0	1,639
TOTAL				0	1,826	374	0	2,200

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8A. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - American River Messenger

COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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Sacramento	Carmichael Citrus Heights Fair Oaks Orangevale	CA	2,576	1,683	1,741	0	6,000
TOTAL			2,576	1,683	1,741	0	6,000

8B. Distribution by County (December 2024 Edition) Monthly - M P G - Arden Arcade News

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	1,277	1,923	0	3,200
TOTAL			0	1,277	1,923	0	3,200

8C. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Carmichael Times

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Sacramento	Carmichael Citrus Heights Fair Oaks Orangevale Sacramento	CA	4,305	2,355	340	0	7,000
TOTAL			4,305	2,355	340	0	7,000

8D. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Citrus Heights Messenger

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Sacramento	Carmichael Citrus Heights Fair Oaks Orangevale	CA	4,881	1,869	200	50	7,000
TOTAL			4,881	1,869	200	50	7,000

8E. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Colusa County Pioneer Review

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Colusa	Arbuckle Colusa Maxwell Williams	CA	0	624	527	0	1,151
Sutter	Yuba City	CA	0	122	103	0	225
Misc.	Assorted	-	0	67	57	0	124
TOTAL			0	813	687	0	1,500

8F. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Dixon Independent Voice

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
			DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
				COPY			
Solano	Dixon	CA	2,329	666	205	0	3,200
TOTAL			2,329	666	205	0	3,200

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#### 8G. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - M P G - East Sacramento News

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
			DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
				COPY			
Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	2,007	1,193	0	3,200
TOTAL			0	2,007	1,193	0	3,200

### 8H. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Elk Grove Citizen

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Ī	COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
				DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
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Ī	Sacramento	Elk Grove	CA	246	1,019	1,935	0	3,200
		Galt			,	•		•
		Herald						
		Wilton						
	TOTAL			246	1,019	1,935	0	3,200
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#### 81. Distribution by County (December 2024 Edition) Monthly - M P G - Gold River Messenger

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
			DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
				COPY			
Sacramento	Gold River	CA	0	0	5,128	72	5,200
TOTAL			0	0	5,128	72	5,200

#### 8J. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Grapevine Independent

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Sacramento	Mather Rancho Cordova Sacramento	CA	5,314	1,529	107	50	7,000
TOTAL			5,314	1,529	107	50	7,000

### 8K. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Gridley Herald

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Butte	Biggs Gridley	CA	2,536	363	202	0	3,101
Sutter	Live Oak	CA	1,881	269	149	0	2,299
TOTAL			4,417	632	351	0	5,400

#### 8L. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Land Park News

COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
			DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
				COPY			
Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	2,419	781	0	3,200
TOTAL			0	2,419	781	0	3,200

#### 8M. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Pocket News

COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER	CONTROLLED	MAIL	OFFICE /	TOTAL
			DELIVERY	BULK / SINGLE		RESTOCK	
				COPY			
Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	0	1,220	1,980	0	3,200
TOTAL			0	1,220	1,980	0	3,200

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8N. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - River Valley Times

COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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Sacramento	Rancho Murieta Wilton	CA	0	50	3,150	0	3,200
TOTAL			0	50	3,150	0	3,200

80. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - Territorial Dispatch

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE COPY	MAIL	OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
Butte	Gridley	CA	0	0	100	0	100
Sutter	Live Oak Yuba City	CA	1,269	1,581	0	0	2,850
Yuba	Browns Valley Brownsville Marysville Olivehurst Oregon House	CA	325	3,525	200	0	4,050
TOTAL	-		1,594	5,106	300	0	7,000

8P. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - The Galt Herald

TOTAL	OFFICE /		CONTROLLED	CARRIER	STATE	CITY / AREA	COUNTY
	RESTOCK		BULK / SINGLE	DELIVERY			
			COPY				
2,000	0	1,250	472	278	CA	Herald	Sacramento
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						Wilton	
2,000	0	1,250	472	278			TOTAL
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8Q. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - The Rio Linda News

COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	CARRIER DELIVERY	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
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Sacramento	Elverta Rio Linda	CA	252	1,454	294	0	2,000
TOTAL			252	1,454	294	0	2,000

8R. Distribution by County (12/27/2024 Edition) Friday - MPG - West Sacramento News Ledger

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COUNTY	CITY / AREA	STATE	· ·	CONTROLLED BULK / SINGLE		OFFICE / RESTOCK	TOTAL
				COPY			
Yolo	West Sacramento	CA	0	1,826	374	0	2,200
TOTAL			0	1,826	374	0	2,200



## 9. Verification of Distribution - Mail and Carrier Delivery Distribution

Messenger Publishing Group reported an average mail distribution of 19,561 during the audit period. Mail distribution is verified through the review of mail statements and/or additional publisher support documents. Messenger Publishing Group reported an average carrier delivery distribution of 27,881 during the audit period. Carrier delivery is verified through the review of carrier statements and/or additional publisher support documents. The Circulation Verification Council performed a delivery & readership verification in the primary market areas indicated in paragraph nine. Delivery verification is performed using multi-source methodologies considered necessary under the circumstances of the audit. Delivery verification can include, but is not limited to, residential and cell phone interviews, online surveys, email surveys, USPS surveys, in-person interviews and/or social media surveys.

CVC review indicates that a sufficient number of individuals reported that they receive the (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition) on a regular basis to substantiate the publisher's distribution claims.

CVC verification confirms that 375 of 489 or 76.7% report they regularly read or look through the (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition).

\*Households reporting stop delivery requests were excluded from the survey.

The Circulation Verification Council estimates that all the information in this text box has a minimum accuracy level of +/-4%.

#### 10. Verification of Distribution – Controlled Bulk / Demand Distribution / Single Copy

The Circulation Verification Council performed delivery verification in the primary market areas indicated in paragraph nine. Delivery verification is performed using multi-source methodologies considered necessary under the circumstances of the audit. Delivery verification can include, but is not limited to, on-site verification, business phone verification, online, email, and/or social media contact.

CVC verification substantiates Messenger Publishing Group's claim of 2,235 returnable source distributed editions returned to the publisher unclaimed after the edition cycle.

#### 11. Paid Reporting Analysis

CARRIER DELIVERY	Basic Rates: \$39.00 - \$98.00 / 1-Year (Varies by Publication)
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS
Full Basic Rate	48
Over 75% of basic rate	0
Over 50% of basic rate	0
Over 25% of basic rate	0
1%-24% of basic rate	0
Less than 1% of basic rate*	0
MAIL	Basic Rates: \$39.00 - \$98.00 / 1-Year (Varies by Publication)
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS
Full Basic Rate	4,414
Over 75% of basic rate	0
Over 50% of basic rate	0
Over 25% of basic rate	0
1%-24% of basic rate	0
Less than 1% of basic rate*	0
SPONSORED	Basic Rates: N/A
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS
Full Basic Rate	0
SINGLE COPY	COVER PRICE: \$0.75
	AVERAGE WHOLESALE RATE: N/A



## 12A1. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.americanrivermessenger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	1,175
Website Sessions	1,376
Website Views	2,011
Views Per Session	1.81
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:30
Engagement Rate	68.31%

## 12A2. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.ardenadvocate.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	756
Website Sessions	801
Website Views	942
Views Per Session	1.29
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:07
Engagement Rate	83.48%

### 12A3. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.ardenarcadenews.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	638
Website Sessions	743
Website Views	961
Views Per Session	2.16
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:35
Engagement Rate	64.38%

## 12A4. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.auburnsentinel.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	522
Website Sessions	592
Website Views	733
Views Per Session	1.45
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:11
Engagement Rate	75.00%

## 12A5. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.carmichaeltimes.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	4,428
Website Sessions	5,526
Website Views	7,283
Views Per Session	1.69
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:38
Engagement Rate	59.19%

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## 12A6. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.citrusheightsmessenger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	4,707
Website Sessions	6,022
Website Views	7,442
Views Per Session	1.60
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:36
Engagement Rate	60.38%

## 12A7. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.independentvoice.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	13,052
Website Sessions	14,510
Website Views	16,277
Views Per Session	1.29
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:14
Engagement Rate	84.14%

### 12A8. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.eastsacramentonews.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	467
Website Sessions	546
Website Views	866
Views Per Session	2.01
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:25
Engagement Rate	62.48%

## 12A9. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.EGCitizen.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	8,932
Website Sessions	11,633
Website Views	16,779
Views Per Session	1.88
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:42
Engagement Rate	58.07%

## 12A10. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.galtherald.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	1,653
Website Sessions	2,256
Website Views	4,176
Views Per Session	3.28
Average Time Spent on Website	00:01:17
Engagement Rate	47.70%

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## 12A11. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.goldrivermessenger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	8,881
Website Sessions	8,960
Website Views	9,213
Views Per Session	1.06
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:01
Engagement Rate	97.61%

#### 12A12. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.granitebaymirror.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	9,443
Website Sessions	9,482
Website Views	9,551
Views Per Session	1.02
Average Time Spent on Website	Not Reported
Engagement Rate	98.67%

#### 12A13. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.greatamericanpatriot.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	98
Website Sessions	107
Website Views	146
Views Per Session	2.0
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:33
Engagement Rate	64.05%

## 12A14. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.gridleyherald.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	7,116
Website Sessions	10,299
Website Views	22,483
Views Per Session	3.73
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:38
Engagement Rate	55.92%

## 12A15. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.LandParkSacNews.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	507
Website Sessions	619
Website Views	1,000
Views Per Session	2.28
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:37
Engagement Rate	60.75%

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## 12A16. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.martineznewsmessenger.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	159
Website Sessions	172
Website Views	268
Views Per Session	1.99
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:20
Engagement Rate	67.54%

## 12A17. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.MPG8.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	869
Website Sessions	1,660
Website Views	2,679
Views Per Session	3.09
Average Time Spent on Website	00:01:21
Engagement Rate	41.07%

### 12A18. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.natomasmessenger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	8,977
Website Sessions	9,048
Website Views	9,207
Views Per Session	1.03
Average Time Spent on Website	Not Reported
Engagement Rate	98.04%

## 12A19. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.northcountymessenger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	8,849
Website Sessions	8,845
Website Views	9,077
Views Per Session	1.03
Average Time Spent on Website	Not Reported
Engagement Rate	97.80%

## 12A20. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.orangevalesun.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	1,213
Website Sessions	1,275
Website Views	1,527
Views Per Session	1.28
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:06
Engagement Rate	87.51%

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#### 12A21. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.placermercury.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average
Website Total Users	9,981
Website Sessions	10,092
Website Views	10,106
Views Per Session	1.02
Average Time Spent on Website	Not Reported
Engagement Rate	99.02%

## 12A22. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.placersentinel.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average		
Website Total Users	1,421		
Website Sessions	1,645		
Website Views	2,016		
Views Per Session	1.42		
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:21		
Engagement Rate	64.77%		

### 12A23. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.pocketsacnews.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average		
Website Total Users	676		
Website Sessions	797		
Website Views	1,171		
Views Per Session	2.06		
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:33		
Engagement Rate	62.41%		

## 12A24. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.ranchocordovaindependent.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	11,444	
Website Sessions	11,885	
Website Views	13,525	
Views Per Session	1.23	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:10	
Engagement Rate	86.53%	

## 12A25. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.TheRioLindaNews.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	819	
Website Sessions	1,090	
Website Views	1,516	
Views Per Session	1.93	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:38	
Engagement Rate	60.33%	

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## 12A26. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.TheRiverValleyTimes.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	1,666	
Website Sessions	2,102	
Website Views	2,845	
Views Per Session	2.46	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:01:09	
Engagement Rate	55.71%	

## 12A27. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.sacramentooracle.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average		
Website Total Users	1,980		
Website Sessions	2,117		
Website Views	2,271		
Views Per Session	1.14		
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:02		
Engagement Rate	94.46%		

### 12A28. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.territorialdispatch.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	5,344	
Website Sessions	7,247	
Website Views	9,669	
Views Per Session	1.81	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:38	
Engagement Rate	68.28%	

#### 12A29. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.westsacramentonewsledger.com

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	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	13,389	
Website Sessions	14,544	
Website Views	16,895	
Views Per Session	1.31	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:13	
Engagement Rate	83.89%	

## 12A30. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.westsacramentosun.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average		
Website Total Users	9,944		
Website Sessions	10,031		
Website Views	10,330		
Views Per Session	1.04		
Average Time Spent on Website	Not Reported		
Engagement Rate	97.28%		

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#### 12A31. Audited Average Website Reporting - www.wheatlandsun.com

	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Website Total Users	524	
Website Sessions	608	
Website Views	731	
Views Per Session	1.45	
Average Time Spent on Website	00:00:09	
Engagement Rate	77.74%	

#### Explanatory – Website

PARAGRAPH TWELVE (A)

TOTAL USERS: A unique user to a website where the user registers or where the user is identified or marked by a cookie, IP address, or other ID that is attached to the browser within the defined cycle. Limitations apply to the measurement of unique users. Please see CVC Rules & Regulations for further information.

SESSIONS: The total number of sessions, expressed as a monthly average, to a publication's website regardless of unique status, as expressed above.

VIEWS: The transmittal of a full page contained within the website to the user's browser.

PAGES PER SESSION: The average number of page views per session, expressed as a monthly average.

AVG. TIME SPENT: The average amount of time spent on a website during a single visit, expressed in hours, minutes and seconds. ENGAGEMENT RATE: Engagement rate reports the percentage of visits that view more than one page before exiting a site. This number

is presented as a monthly average.

#### 12B. Audited Online/Digital Edition Reporting

	Monthly Audit Period Average	
Digital Edition Single Copy	1,544	
Unique Digital Edition Users	Not Reported	

#### Explanatory – Digital Edition

PARAGRAPH TWELVE (B)

DIGITAL EDITION SINGLE COPY: Single electronic editions purchased and downloaded by a reader. These are copies distinct from any regular digital subscription

UNIQUE DIGITAL EDITION USERS: Unique users to a digital edition publication where the user registers or where the user is identified or marked by a cookie, IP address, or other ID that is attached to the browser with the defined cycle. A unique user counts once within the timescale. A user can make multiple visits. Limitations apply to the measurement of unique visitors. Please see CVC Rules & Regulations for further information.

#### 12C. Text Media - Not Reported

#### 12D. Social Media

Social Media Source	Average Media Usage	December 2024
www.facebook.com – American River Messenger	480 Followers	465 Followers
www.facebook.com – Arden Advocate	122 Followers	121 Followers
www.facebook.com – Auburn Sentinel	37 Followers	33 Followers
www.facebook.com – Carmichael Times	919 Followers	914 Followers
www.facebook.com – Citrus Heights Messenger	874 Followers	843 Followers
www.facebook.com – Colusa County	4,610 Followers	4,598 Followers
www.facebook.com – Dixon Independent Voice	438 Followers	390 Followers
www.facebook.com – Elk Grove Citizen	9,765 Followers	9,729 Followers
www.facebook.com – Galt Herald	4,839 Followers	4,756 Followers
www.facebook.com – Gold River Messenger	85 Followers	79 Followers
www.facebook.com - Granite Bay Mirror	109 Followers	103 Followers
www.facebook.com – Gridley Herald	3,709 Followers	3,476 Followers
www.facebook.com – MPG8	103 Followers	97 Followers
www.facebook.com – North Country Messenger	22 Followers	17 Followers
www.facebook.com – Orangevale Sun	89 Followers	80 Followers
www.facebook.com – Placer Sentinel	157 Followers	154 Followers

## 12D. Social Media (continued)

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Social Media Source	Average Media Usage	December 2024
www.facebook.com – Rancho Cordova Independent	714 Followers	678 Followers
www.facebook.com – Sacramento Oracle	18 Followers	18 Followers
www.facebook.com – Territorial Dispatch	2,809 Followers	2,629 Followers
www.facebook.com – West Sacramento Ledger	70 Followers	56 Followers
www.facebook.com – West Sacramento Sun	318 Followers	297 Followers
www.facebook.com - Wheatland Sun	194 Followers	193 Followers
X (Twitter) - American River Messenger	81 Followers	Not Reported
X (Twitter) - Arden Advocate	25 Followers	Not Reported
X (Twitter) - Auburn Sentinel	24 Followers	Not Reported
X (Twitter) - Carmichael Times	93 Followers	93 Followers
X (Twitter) - Citrus Heights Messenger	81 Followers	82 Followers
X (Twitter) - Colusa County	137 Followers	137 Followers
X (Twitter) - Dixon Independent Voice	30 Followers	30 Followers
X (Twitter) - East Sacramento News	19 Followers	19 Followers
X (Twitter) - Elk Grove Citizen	3,589 Followers	3,589 Followers
X (Twitter) - Galt Herald	26 Followers	26 Followers
X (Twitter) - Gold River Messenger	31 Followers	32 Followers
X (Twitter) - Granite Bay Mirror	23 Followers	22 Followers
X (Twitter) - Gridley Herald	38 Followers	38 Followers
X (Twitter) - Land Park News	13 Followers	13 Followers
X (Twitter) - MPG8	116 Followers	116 Followers
X (Twitter) - North County Messenger	47 Followers	47 Followers
X (Twitter) - Orangevale Sun	36 Followers	36 Followers
X (Twitter) - Placer Sentinel	52 Followers	52 Followers
X (Twitter) - Rancho Cordova Independent	64 Followers	64 Followers
X (Twitter) - River Valley Times	21 Followers	22 Followers
X (Twitter) - Sacramento Oracle	59 Followers	59 Followers
X (Twitter) - Territorial Dispatch	52 Followers	53 Followers
X (Twitter) - West Sacramento News Ledger	28 Followers	28 Followers
X (Twitter) - West Sacramento Sun	64 Followers	64 Followers

## Explanatory – Social Media

PARAGRAPH TWELVE (D)

FACEBOOK LIKES: The average number of followers as expressed by the Facebook page. Information sourced at regular intervals from the publications page on Facebook.com or third party measurement sources.

X (TWITTER) FOLLOWERS: The average number of followers as expressed by members of the X (Twitter) community. Information sourced at regular intervals from the publications page on X (Twitter.com) or third party measurement sources.

#### 12E. Email Media - Not Reported

12F. Video & Podcast Media - Not Reported





#### 13. Council Audit Statement

Circulation Verification Council (CVC) reviewed the printing, distribution, circulation, technology, and general business records of this publication for the purpose of compiling this information. The review was completed using Council audit procedures considered necessary under the circumstances of the audit in compliance with CVC Rules and Regulations. In our opinion, this report fairly and accurately represents the publication's printing, distribution, circulation, and technology reporting, if applicable, for the period indicated. The publication has sworn that the information presented for this audit reporting is accurate and supplied CVC with general business records substantiating the information under audit review. This report is released subject to the provisions of the CVC Rules & Regulations which are hereby incorporated by reference. CVC Rules & Regulations may be amended from time to time without notice at the sole discretion of CVC. In no event shall CVC be liable for indirect, incidental, consequential, special, or punitive damages, or damages for lost profits, lost income, or lost savings arising by negligence, intended conduct, breach of contract, or otherwise. CVC reports and data are released for the sole use of advertising purchase evaluations and any use for valuations or determination of value is strictly prohibited. CVC reports may not be used for USPS requestor or other permit qualifications. This report is subject to copyright laws and may only be reproduced by the publisher.



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#### Messenger Publishing Group - Carmichael, CA - 01-9092 - Supplemental Readership Study

The Circulation Verification Council surveyed Messenger Publishing Group readers in the primary market areas indicated in publication's CVC audit report. The purpose was to identify the number of individuals who indicate they have read at least two of the last four issues of the publication, and gather study information solely for advertising purchase evaluations. Market statistics estimates appearing in CVC reports, when available, are obtained from EASI Software. CVC study sources can include, but are not limited to, residential and cell phone surveys, online surveys, email surveys, and/or social media surveys. Study source data can include, but are not limited to, residential phone listings, cell phone exchanges, publisher delivery lists, opt-in email, online, and/or social media databases. Residential and cell phone survey populations consist of adults age 18 and over, living in households within the survey area. Within this area, each individual had a known (or "non-zero") probability of being selected for the random sample. Surveys were conducted solely with predesignated respondents and no substitutions were permitted. Initial survey attempts were spread evenly across all survey days (i.e., Tuesday through Saturday). A minimum of 250 completed surveys, or 2.5% of net circulation for publications under 10,000 circulation is required with no more than one survey per household. Survey Procedures: To ensure the highest degree of comparability and to facilitate the survey process, a standard, consistent, specified list of questions was asked. Surveys were conducted over a minimum period of two weeks to minimize the impact of weather and/or special circumstances. Every effort was made to ensure that surveys were assigned randomly by day and that an approximately equal number of surveys were completed on each survey day. Where appropriate, data was balanced and/or weighted by ZIP code using up-to-date known demographics: gender, age, number of adults in household and ethnicity in those cases where one minority comprised no less than ten percent of the total population. Non-responses to any single question were eliminated from the survey. In all cases, at least four attempts were made to contact all pre-designated respondents. Every effort was made to surmount language, cultural, behavioral and other barriers to a successful survey; and to the extent feasible, contact attempts were scheduled on a random basis. During the survey process, no questions were asked prior to the readership question, with the exception of a qualifying question designed to determine the ZIP code of the individual; and a general warm-up call explanation designed to put the respondent at ease. Warm-up questions did not include any reference to a publication itself or the nature of the study information. The study followed recommended guidelines developed in part from established media usage and evaluation guidelines. Survey totals may not equal 100% due to rounding. The Circulation Verification Council estimates that all the information in this survey has a maximum error margin of +/-4% at the 95% confidence level. 375 Survey respondents were interviewed during the verification of carrier delivery and mail distribution. 14 Survey respondents reported reading a minimum of two of the last four issues through single copy, controlled bulk, or pass along distribution. 130 Survey respondents responded to a geocoded outbound email verification. This publication did not participate in the CVC online research program.

- Average estimated readers per edition during the audit period: 2.25
   \*Readership estimates compiled from 2024 CVC circulation & readership study data.
- 1. The (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition) is distributed regularly in your area. Do you regularly read or look through the (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition)?

YES 519 Survey Respondents

2. Do you frequently purchase products or services from ads seen in the (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition)?

YES 374 72.1% NO 145 27.9%

How long do you keep the (appropriate Messenger Publishing Group edition) before discarding it?

56% 1-2 Days 19% 3-4 Days 14% 5-6 Days 11% 1 Week or More

4. Reader Gender (Voice recognition - Gender Bias Rotation)

Reader Market
Demographics Demographics

44%49%Male Readers56%51%Female Readers



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#### 5. What range best describes your age.

Reader	Market	
Demographics	Demogr	aphics
00%	05%	18 - 20
<01%	06%	21 - 24
08%	19%	25 - 34
13%	18%	35 - 44
29%	16%	45 - 54
30%	16%	55 - 64
18%	13%	65 - 74
02%	05%	75 - 84
00%	02%	85 years or older

### 6. What range best describes your combined annual household income for last year?

Reader	Market	
Demographics	Demographics	
00%	07%	under \$15,000
01%	06%	\$15,000 - \$24,999
02%	06%	\$25,000 - \$34,999
08%	10%	\$35,000 - \$49,999
18%	16%	\$50,000 - \$74,999
18%	14%	\$75,000 - \$99,999
15%	11%	\$100,000 - \$124,999
12%	08%	\$125,000 - \$149,999
11%	10%	\$150,000 - \$199,999
15%	12%	over \$200,000

#### 7. What is the highest level of education you have obtained?

Reader	Market	
Demographics	Demogr	aphics
<01%	11%	Some High School or Less
12%	21%	Graduated High School
31%	36%	Some College
34%	21%	Graduated College
14%	07%	Completed Master Degree
06%	03%	Completed Professional Degree
03%	01%	Completed Doctorate Degree





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(% = Positive respondents)

8. Which of the following products or services, if any, do you plan to purchase during the next twelve months?

14% New Automobile, Truck or SUV

10% Used Automobile, Truck or SUV

13% Antiques / Auctions

44% Furniture / Home Furnishings

23% Major Home Appliance

34% Computers, Tablets or Laptops

29% Home Improvements or Home Improvement Supplies

22% Television or Electronics

14% Carpet or Flooring

32% Automobile Accessories (tires, brakes or service)

36% Lawn & Garden Supplies

28% Florist / Gift Shops

14% Home Heating & Air Conditioning (service, new equipment)

49% Vacations / Travel

08% Real Estate (Sell or purchase)

42% Men's Apparel

66% Women's Apparel

12% Children's Apparel

01% Boats or Personal Watercraft

11% Art & Crafts Supplies

05% Childcare

06% Education or Classes

08% Attorney

32% Veterinarian / Pet Supplies

15% Chiropractor

32% Financial Planner (Retirement, Investing)

38% Tax Advisor / Tax Services

28% Health Club / Exercise Class

32% Cleaning Services (Carpet Cleaning, Air Duct Cleaning, Home Cleaning)

02% Weight Loss

30% Lawn Care Service (Maintenance & Landscaping)

22% Legal Gambling Entertainment (Lottery, Casinos, Racetracks, Bingo)

38% Pharmacist / Prescription Service

25% Cell Phone or Smart Phone (New Service or Update Service)

77% Dining & Entertainment

19% Jewelry

03% Wedding Supplies

21% Athletic & Sports Equipment

02% Motorcycles / ATV's

39% Medical Services / Physicians

08% Senior Living / Assisted Living / Skilled Care (For self or others)

