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### Gazelle Raye Wichner, ASA, MAI, CCIM President LA Chapter

FEATURED BOARD MEMBER'S MESSAGE

your years of dedicated service to ASA.



have individually and collectively experienced loss, uncertainty, and the dawning of new realities. In summer of 2021 we were hopeful that we would be meeting in person again. However, as summer of 2022 approaches, a path may be clearing to see one another again at a live chapter event. Throughout the year it has been my goal to encourage an open dialogue between the three California ASA Chapters, and to foster a more robust collaboration with our National Chapter. As you read on in this newsletter, you will see that three LA Chapter members are serving on the International's Board of Governors: Patrick Ela, Melissa Sachs and Ray Rath. Congratulations to all, and many thanks for all

Moving forward, I am pleased to be passing the gavel to our next President and

community, we are still feeling the effects of the pandemic and its aftermath; we

Vice President, Douglas Nason and Kathy Poppers. Doug and Kathy have a stellar record of service to our organization, and both are past presidents of the Los Angeles Chapter. They will take our leadership team to the highest level, bringing a wealth of experience, enthusiasm, and goodwill to the table. Anita Graham Thomson, who has proven to be an astute custodian of our chapter's finances, will once again serve as our treasurer, allowing for seamless transition. Lastly, I am thrilled to announce that Cindy Cronk Vukovic will be serving as our secretary. Cindy has been the glue that has held the chapter together through the past few years as our executive director. Cindy wears a number of hats, all at once or at any given time, from event planner to newsletter editor to IT specialist, and many more. I hope you will all join me in supporting our new officers at the June 15, 2022, installation (registration details in the "Upcoming Programs" section below), and throughout the 2022-2023 term. In closing, I again thank you for your trust and support throughout this past year

All best, Gazelle

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS** 

June 15th - 2022-2023 Executive Board Installation Event

and wish you all a safe and enjoyable summer.



elected officers for 2022 - 2023!

Support your fellow members who volunteer their time representing the chapter as well as organizing educational and informational opportunities. This is a great time to virtually reconnect with your chapter representatives and fellow appraisers before our summer

Register Now

### **Executive Board Election** Congratulations to our new Executive Board for 2022 - 2023! The dedication and support each board member demonstrates is an asset to the chapter. A big thank

**IN THE NEWS** 

break.

# you to everyone volunteering their time and energy.

**Secretary: Cindy Cronk Vukovic** 

President: Douglas Nason, ASA Vice President: Kathy Poppers, ASA Treasurer: Patricia A. Thomson Graham, ASA

If you are interested in serving on the board as a chairperson for your discipline or on a committee you are passionate about, please reach out to Cindy Cronk Vukovic at cronkvukovic@appraisersla.com to attend a board meeting (held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month).

Personal Property Discipline Governor - Patrick Ela, ASA

three (3) open seats - Melissa Sachs, ASA

**ASA International's 2022-2023 Elections** Congratulations to the following chapter members for their elected positions at the national level:

Appraisal Review & Management Discipline Committee Members-At-Large – three (3) year term / three (3) open seats - Raymond Rath, FASA, CEIV™, IA

If you haven't already, the LA chapter needs your input on this survey. The ASA Los

Personal Property Discipline Committee Members-At-Large – three (3) year term /

### Angeles Board has been working with the NorCal and San Diego chapters to come together to hire a lobbyist to represent the interests of all ASA members across all disciplines located within California. In order to do this, there is a proposed

**Important Survey** 

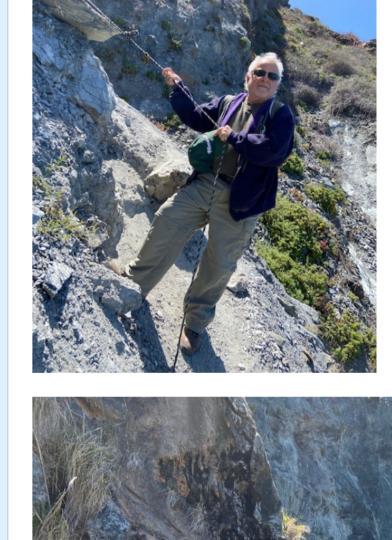
additional \$50/year per member supplemental assessment, which will not begin until fiscal year 2023-2024 for the ASA-CA lobbyist effort. This is your opportunity to vote on whether we move forward on this measure. Please take the time to vote by clicking on this link: **VOTE** 

details and we'll include it in next month's newsletter along with posting it on our Facebook page. Please email it to: info@appraisersla.com or cronkvukovic@appraisersla.com

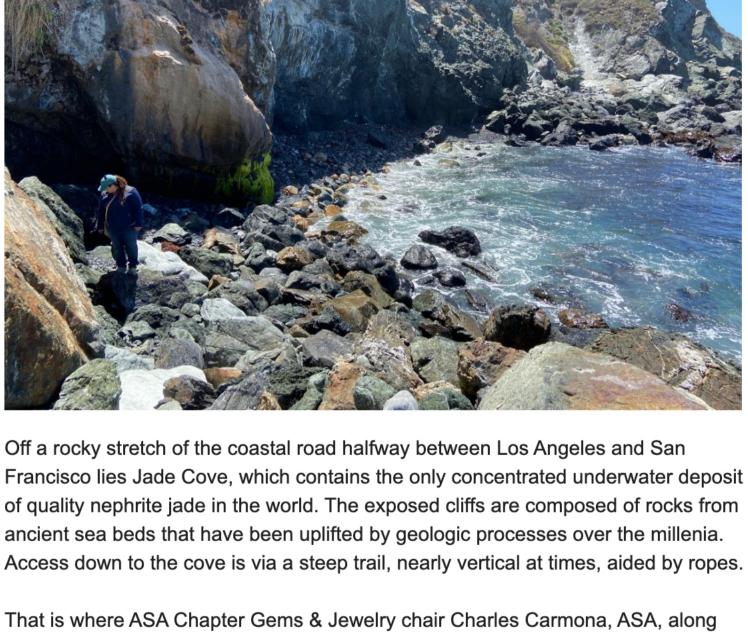
Excited about upcoming events or talks related to your discipline? Send us the

## A TRIP TO JADE COVE By Charles Carmona, ASA, Gems & Jewelry Chair ASA LA Chapter

**Newsletter and Facebook** 







with his niece Tamar, spent several hours one morning over the Memorial Day

The roar of the ocean and the calls of the birds were everywhere. No other

weekend. Although their haul was not so valuable, the experience was inspirational.

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS Board Meeting over Zoom Dates:** Wednesday, June 15, 8am - 9am

Wednesday, July 20, 8am - 9am Wednesday, August 17, 8am - 9am

humans. One dead seal.

### **CURRENT LOS ANGELES BOARD:** President: Gazelle R. Wichner, ASA (RP), gazellewichner@gmail.com Vice President: Douglas Nason, ASA (RP), nasond@wellsfargo.com

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