

BIER LAW BULLETIN

Be Informed. Be Prepared. Be Free.

Each month, our goal is to offer you valuable insights for maintaining an up-to-date estate plan, share some personal and firm highlights, and introduce you to one of your local experts. We also welcome your input on subjects you'd like to delve deeper into; simply respond to this email and let us know what might interest you!

[Seth and Leann Bier](#)

Things and Stuff

Recent News and Upcoming Events



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!

Will you please help us stay a South Bay favorite?

- Click [here](#) to vote.
- Click on the "Legal" category at the top of the page.
- Scroll down to "Living Trust Attorney".
- Start typing Bier Law and select us from the list!

You have until April 6th to vote and you must vote for at least 5 different categories for your ballot to count -- but there are plenty of categories to choose from! Make sure your favorite people, places and activities are recognized!

WATCH IT ON DEMAND

We aren't holding any live seminars in April, but that doesn't mean you can't still BE INFORMED (psst...it's our motto: *Be Informed. Be Prepared. Be Free.*). Our recorded webinar on "Wills, Trusts, and Probate: Everything You Need To Know" is available on demand for you to watch anytime, anywhere.

It'll walk you through simple legal strategies to help make your wishes known, keep peace in the family, and ensure that life is as easy as possible for your loved ones – no matter what happens.

[Click to Watch](#)



p.s. After watching the webinar, you'll also qualify for a complimentary personal planning session (a \$600 value), just as if you had attended one of our live events.

TED TALK

A Pawsitively Exciting Update ~~on~~ FROM CEO (Chief Excitement Officer) Teddy Bier!

Another month full of excitement!

The Boss' lifelong bestie came to visit, and I instantly knew she was someone special. I made it my personal mission to show her all my favorite spots—including the place where I get those *legendary* puppy patties. The four of us—the Bestie, the Boss, the Lawyer, and me—took a stroll back to [Vista](#), and it was just as amazing as I remembered. Even more so, tbh. Let's just say, between the kisses and the burgers, I was in total heaven.

Later in the month, I decided it was time to soak up some rays and fully embrace spring. I found the perfect spot, but the weather wasn't as warm as they'd said it would be. Spring might be here, but I'm officially counting down the days until summer. Bring on the warm weather, longer walks, and more puppy patties!



I could get used to this.



My new fav ❤️



Waiting for summer.

Asked and Answered

This month's FAQs. Click for answers!

Want to see one every Friday? Follow us on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#)!

Let's say I have a Living Trust. Who takes over when I get sick or die?

I hate my sister, cousin, uncle, etc. Can I make sure they never get my stuff?

Why do I need an Advance Healthcare Directive?

What happens to my kids' inheritances if they get a divorce?

START THE CONVERSATION: NATIONAL HEALTH CARE DECISIONS DAY IS APRIL 16TH

National Healthcare Decisions Day (sometimes referred to as NHDD) is an annual initiative celebrated on April 16th to empower people to begin or continue conversations about their wishes for care through the end of life. NHDD is an initiative to educate people on the importance of advance care planning. It encourages individuals to express their wishes regarding healthcare and for providers and facilities to respect those wishes, whatever they may be.

Having those conversations can provide peace of mind and a path to follow for the future but starting those discussions can be difficult. That's why we've partnered with [The Conversation Project](#), a public engagement initiative of the [Institute for Healthcare Improvement](#) (IHI).

Click [here](#) to download your free *Conversation Starter Guide* and ensure you have a say in your health care – today and tomorrow.



Learn more about National Healthcare Decisions Day and get free information at NHDD.org.

The Expert Exchange

Conversations with Local Professionals

Get to know a little more about the experts in our community.

BILL BAIRD

Realtor

[Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices California Properties](#)

What do you do?

Help families buy and sell real estate, improve their quality of life while enjoying home ownership.

What's the best part of your job?

Seeing the look of joy and satisfaction when an escrow closes.

What's the most common misconception people have about your industry?

We're only in it for the sale or buy.

What would people be surprised to learn about you?

37 years in the Air Force Reserve, deployed to Kyrgyzstan for Operation Enduring Freedom, started out as an Airman, promoted through the ranks to Master Sergeant, jumped to the "dark" (Officer) side and retired as a full bird Colonel.

What's your favorite local restaurant?

[Broginos](#)

