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Kate Harrison resigns from City Council

This is the second resignation from City Council in 3 weeks

BY THE DAILY CALIFORNIAN NEWS STAFF
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Berkeley's District 4 council member, Kate Harrison, strongly announced her resignation during the regular meeting Tuesday, shocking the crowd and other members themselves.

She declared her departure during the comment period on a budget referral for security cameras at city intersections, after expressing concerns over the lack of data from the city.

continue, according to her statement originally published by Berkeleyville. "I could say what office holders usually say — that I would like to spend more time with my family — but that is not the reason," Harrison said in the statement.

She asserted that Berkeley's "processes are broken," adding that she "cannot in good conscience" serve on the council. Harrison's statement outlined issues of

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Just two special elections more months before the mayoral and district elections in November.

Despite Harrison's resignation as a Councilmember, she is continuing her campaign for the mayor, according to a statement given to Berkeleyville.

Councilmember Sophia Hahn as well as Adana Iñaki, former president of the League

were clearly expressed, the resignations reveal the City Council's uncertain and unprecedented future ahead.

Councilmember Terry Taplin said that for him, the resignations foreshadow an alarming pattern in the city's elections.

"We're going to see a bunch of people who are not serious about public service trying to gain seats on the council,

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Councilmember Papi Robinson and Kate Harrison have resigned within three weeks. As a result, there will be two special elections before November to push through an agenda they would not be otherwise in time that only some people because they wouldn't get elected," Taplin said. "People are going to try to make City

Council and Berkeley politics to survive."

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CITY GOVERNMENT

An overview of Harrison's 7-year legacy

BY ANNA ARNSTROM
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After nearly 7 years in office, District 4 City Councilmember Kate Harrison resigned from her seat at the council's regular meeting Tuesday night.

Harrison, who was first elected to the council in 2017, is stepping down after alleging the city's failure to abide by their processes.

During Tuesday city council meeting, Harrison expressed concerns about the adoption of new cameras at some of the city's intersections to combat violent crime — a budget referral authored by Councilmember Mark

Humbert and co-sponsored by Councilmember Ben Bartles.

Harrison cited the lack of data about why certain locations for the cameras were chosen over others as the reason for her opposition to the item. She announced her resignation shortly after.

During her tenure in office, Harrison authored legislation aimed at expanding affordable housing in the city.

In 2022, she authored the voter-approved Empty Homes Vacancy Tax, which taxes owners for vacant units in rental buildings. According to the legislation, putting vacant units back on the housing market is "a key strategy for ensuring long-term



affordability." The tax is projected to generate \$4-8 million per year for the city's affordable housing trust fund and small

HARRISON ALSO INITIATED CLEAN ENERGY EFFORTS AS PART OF THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND AND SMALL

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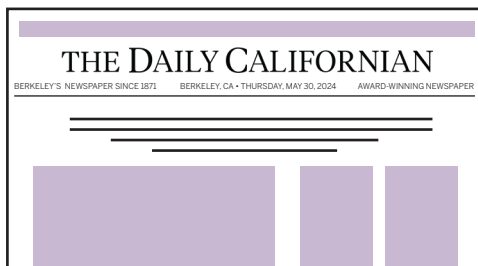
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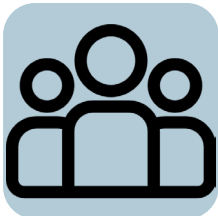
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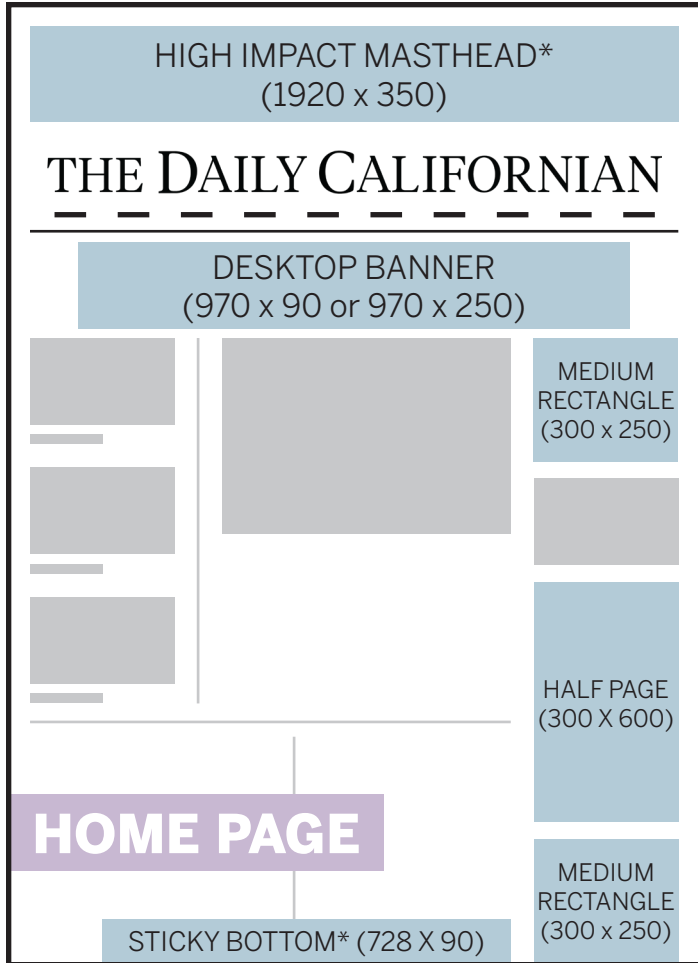
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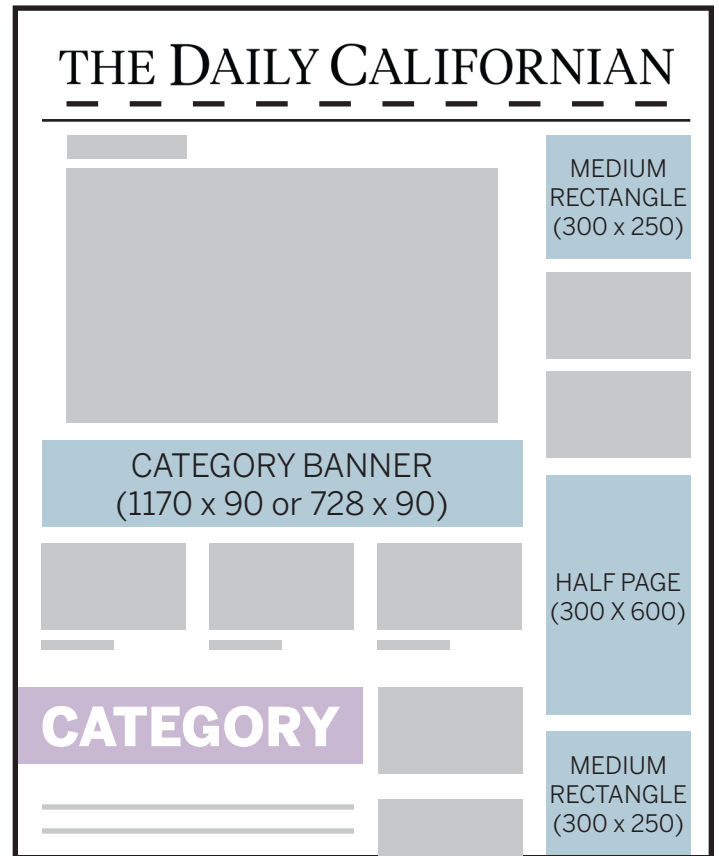
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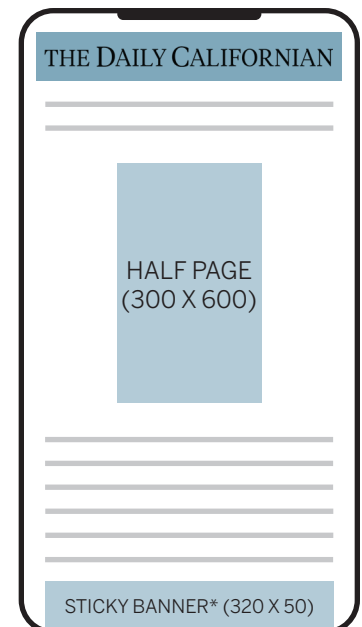
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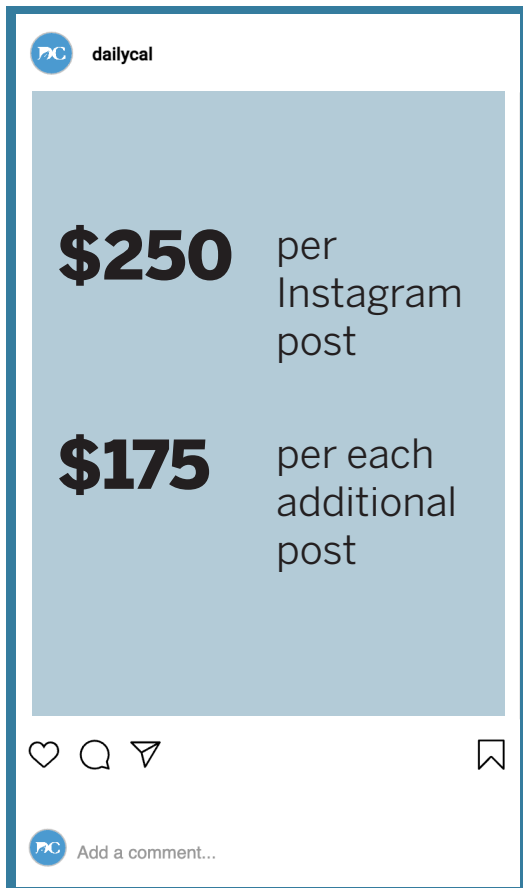
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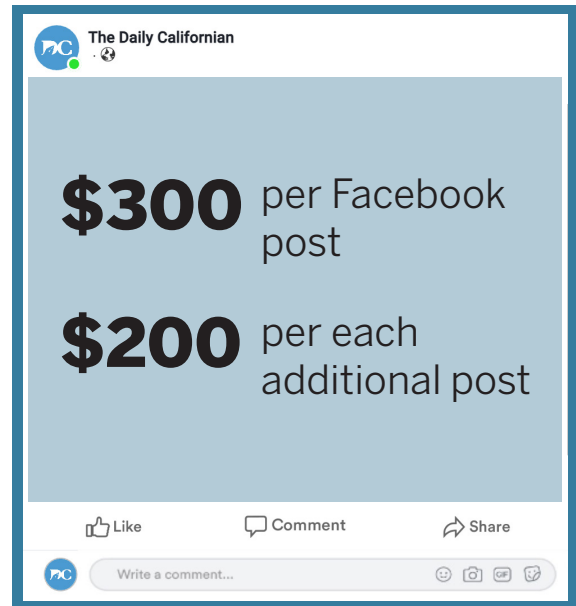
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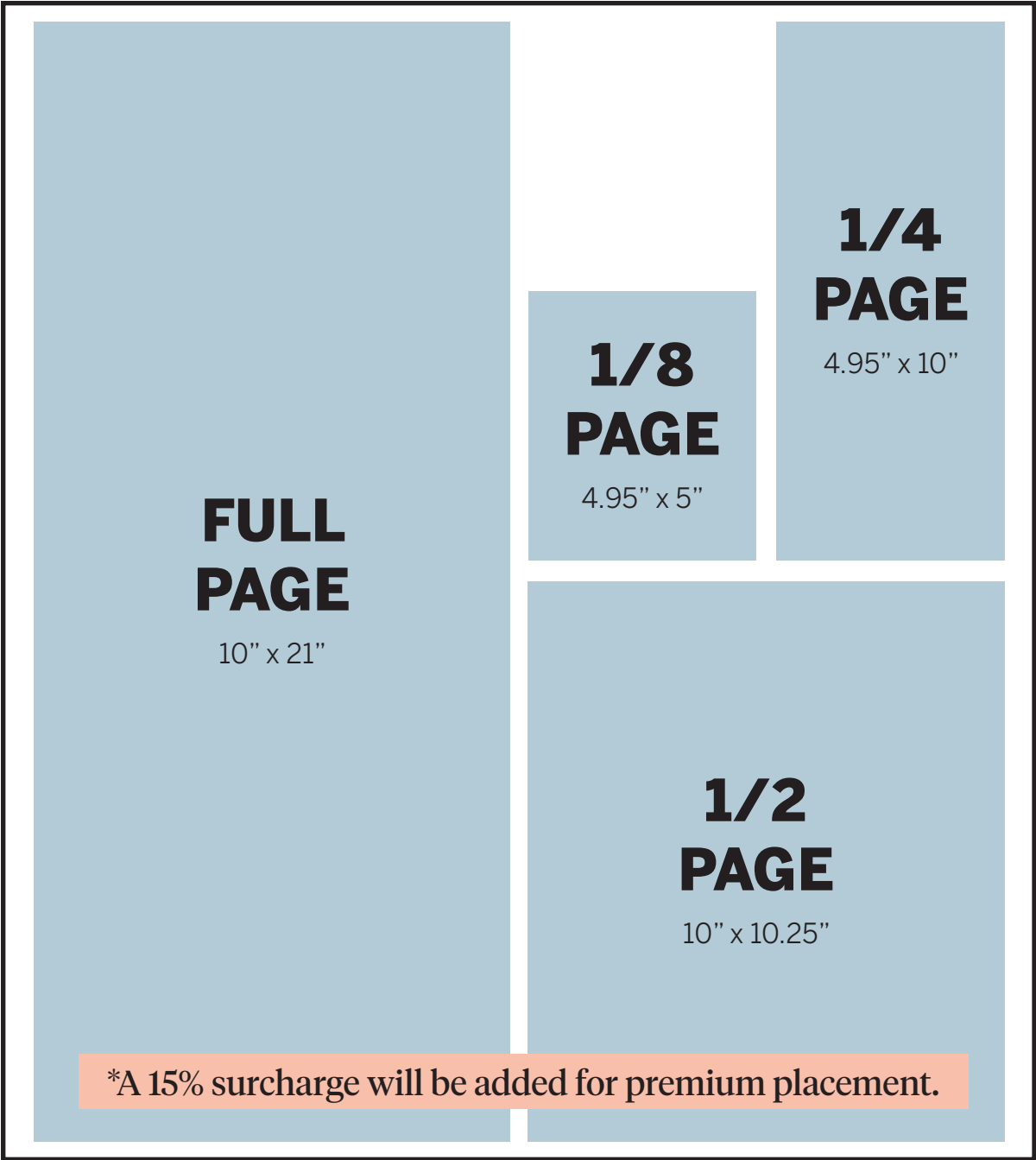
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