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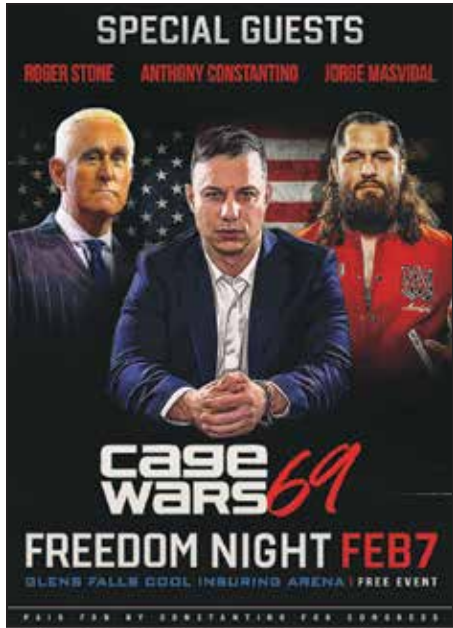


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Congress hopeful plans free MMA in GF

Anthony Constantino, the CEO of the Sticker Mule business in Amsterdam, announced he will host and pay for a "FREE Cage Wars event at the Glens Falls Cool Insuring Arena on February 7th, 2025."

Asked about it, **Arena executive director Jeff Mead did not confirm it's happening.**

"We've been discussing hosting Cage Wars at the Cool Insuring Arena," Mr. Mead did tell *The Chronicle*, without specifying promoters or personnel. "Until contracts are signed we don't comment on events."

Mr. Constantino is seeking the Congressional seat Elise Stefanik will vacate upon expected confirmation as Ambassador to the United Nations.

Mr. Constantino's release said political operative **Roger Stone and former MMA fighter Jorge Masvidal will make appearances** "to speak in support

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Planning Board unanimously OK's Patten's Washington Sq.

By Ben Westcott
Chronicle Staff Writer

The Glens Falls Planning Board on Monday unanimously approved Chris Patten's plan to raze a pair of two-story houses on Glen Street and a one-story office building on Harlem Street to create Washington Square encompassing two new three-story apartment buildings and a fitness center.

Chair Dan Bruno and Planning Board members Art Belden, Tom Landry, Jack Morphis, and Ron Greene all voted yes. Rachel Murray was absent.

Speaking of the historic brick building at 391 Glen that many urged saving, Mr. Landry said, "It's a sad situation that the current building has to come down, but it's just not practical to repair."

He told Mr. Patten and his development team, "I think

391 Glen will give way to new apts.



you've done an excellent job trying to recreate that — as far as the look and the feel of the old building."

After ardent opposition to razing it, Mr. Patten and project architect Ethan Hall redesigned one of the planned buildings.

Architect Mr. Hall told *The Chronicle* back in September, "Facade treatments have been redesigned to be more in keeping with the style of the one building on Glen Street that everyone seems to be so fond

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Veterinary clinic opens: Hudson Falls

A small animal clinic called **Vita Veterinary Care** opened in Hudson Falls on Jan. 2.

Located at **100 John St.**, it shares a building with ADK Spay and Neuter. It is **operated by Dr. Sarah Jensen**, a veterinarian at ADK Spay and Neuter who is a former partner at Granville Large Animal Service, said a press release.

"Vita Veterinary Care is a traditional small animal clinic providing all levels of care from

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Dr. Sarah Jensen & patient.

Photo provided

Diana Palmer running for Mayor

Ward 3 Council member Diana Palmer announced Tuesday morning at 9 a.m. that she is running for Mayor of Glens Falls. Her press release said, "With seven years of dedicated service on the Common Council, Palmer has been a steadfast advocate for transparency, collaboration, and thoughtful decision-making."

It continued, "Under the theme, 'A New Chapter of Hope and Partnership,' Palmer's campaign focuses on building a vibrant, thriving Glens Falls by prioritizing strategic planning, empowering community partnerships, and maintaining fiscal responsibility."

Dr. Palmer, a psychologist, outlined "three core commitments to a stronger Glens Falls":

"1. Transparency and Collaboration: Fostering diverse

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Ward 3 council rep challenges Mayor Bill Collins; both are Democrats

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