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Agoura Hills Reschedules Evening with Michael Connelly in Light of Thousand Oaks Shooting

THE CITY OF AGOURA HILLS AND BEST SELLING AUTHOR POSTPONE SOLD-OUT EVENT TO PAY RESPECTS TO VICTIMS AND THEIR FAMILIES

(Agoura Hills, CA — November 6, 2018) The city of Agoura Hills announced that the One City One Book (OCOB) program with *New York Times* bestselling author Michael Connelly, scheduled to take place November 6, is being postponed to honor the victims of the mass shooting that occurred the night before at the Borderline Grill in Thousand Oaks. "It is a sad day in the Conejo Valley and all its communities mourn the victims of this horrific tragedy. We want to support and pay our heartfelt respects to the victims and their families and friends. We all are affected by and suffering from the loss," said Agoura Hills Mayor William Koehler.

Connelly also expressed his condolences to the community, adding, "I would not want to do anything that could possibly indicate that this sort of tragedy is just part of American life and we continue business as usual. Postponing the event is the right and respectful thing to do."

The event has been rescheduled to November 13, 2018; 6:00pm at a larger venue to accommodate the extensive wait list and the additional public interested in attending the free event. Register at <http://www.ci.agoura-hills.ca.us>. (Those registered for November 6 need not re-register.) **Admission is free, but registration is required.** The public may pre-order a book for

\$22 when registering to receive and have signed at the event. The new location is the Agoura Hills High School Performing Arts Center, 28545 W. Driver Ave., Agoura Hills, CA 91301. For updated information, call 818-597-7361 or visit the website.

The program is in conjunction with Connelly's book tour of his new book release *Dark Sacred Night* in his popular Bosch series and related to the "Bosch" television series on Amazon prime. A former *Los Angeles Times* reporter, Connelly will also discuss the unsolved Judy Kanan murder case, a part of Agoura Hills history.

The OCOB program is sponsored by the City of Agoura Hills, Friends of the Library, the Los Angeles County Library—Agoura Hills Cultural Arts Council, and the Las Virgenes Unified School District. For more information about the event postponement or One City, One Book literary program, contact Amy Brink at call (818) 597-7361 or email ajbrink@ci.agoura-hills.ca.us.

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