

NEW TRANSPOSALS OF CALIFORNIA PLACENAMES

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After my virtual trip around Great Britain and my discovery of 600 new placename transposals (see August 2003 Word Ways), I decided to attempt a similar trip around California. Here are transposals for one hundred California placenames, all transposals being in LeXpert, the Scrabble player's software tool.

My favourites? I particularly like the eleven-letter CASTROVILLE-VORTICELLAS and the eleven letter SAN CLEMENTE-ENLACEMENTS. San Clemente was frequently in the news while Richard Nixon was president, as it was his Californian base. I don't recall anyone drawing attention to this transposal of SAN CLEMENTE during the Nixon years.

How about similar trips around the other 49 states?

Castroville	vorticellas	San Clemente	enlacements
La Crescenta	accelerants		
Alderpoint	rantipoled	Pleasanton	pantaleons, pantalones
Cloverdale	coveralled, overcalled		
Blairsdon	bilanders	Lancaster	ancestral
Broadmoor	boardroom	Oceanside	oceanides
Cadenasso	cassonade	Palo Cedro	carpooled
Calistoga	costalgia	Palo Verde	overpedal
Crestline	stenciler	Patterson	patentors
East Indio	ideations, iodinates	Pinehurst	superthin
East Linda	tantalized	Placentia	analeptic
El Cerrito	terricole	San Marcos	mascarons
Inglewood	dewooling	Silverado	valorised
Inverness	nerviness	Toms Place	ectoplasm
Arbolade	adorable	El Modena	lemonade
Beaumont	umbonate	El Portal	preallot
Calimesa	camellias	Hesperia	Pharisee
Casmalia	malacias	LaGrange	langrage
Castella	lacteals	La Quinta	aliquant
Coalinga	analogic	Lewiston	towlines
Cranmore	romancer	Loma Rica	acromial
Danville	anvilled	Los Altos	latosols
Eastside	steadies	Monrovia	omnivora
Edendale	leadened	Monte Rio	motioner, remotion
El Bonita	tailbone	Nicolaus	unsocial
El Camino	coalmine	Paicines	piscinae
El Centro	electron	Petrolia	epilator, petiolar

Redlands	dandlers	Rosemont	mesotron, moneros
Rio Vista	ovaritis	San Diego	agonized, diagnose
Romoland	moorland	San Dimas	damassin
Rosasmond	doorsman, madronos	San Ramon	sonarman
Rosemead	seadrome		
Almaden	leadman	Genevra	avenger, engrave
Almonte	lomenta, omental, telamon	Gustine	gunites
Alturas	austral	Ingomar	roaming
Artesia	aristae, asteria, atresia	Isleton	entails, lionets, onliest
Athlone	anethol, ethanol	Lamoine	mineola
Barstow	towbars	Le Grand	dangler, gnarled
Bolinas	albinos	Lorraine	aileron, alerion, alienor
Bonsall	ballons	Miranda	mandira
Calpine	capelin, panicle, pelican	Modesto	smooted
Cameron	cremona, romance	Montara	amorant
Camulos	mucosal	Palermo	pleroma, rampole
Citrona	carotin	Riceton	cointer, noticer, rection
Cortena	enactor	Rolinda	ordinal
Creston	conster, cornets, cronets	Salmina	almains, animals, laminas, manilas
Del Aire	leadier		
Del Dios	dildoes	Searles	earless, leasers, resales, reseals, sealers
Del Paso	deposal, pedalos		
Del Rosa	loaders, ordeals, reloads	Storrie	rioters, roister, roriest
Desmont	endmost	Tisdale	details, dilates
Encanto	connate	Ventura	vaunter
Galindo	digonal, loading		