WEEKLY CITY MANAGER'S MEMO

July 13, 2017

TO:

Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Scott C. Stiles, City Manager

Members

I. DEPARTMENT ITEMS

A. PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS LOG

A copy of the Public Records requests for the month of June 2017 is provided by the City Clerk for your information.

B. COOLING CENTER

Kim Huy informs you that the H. Louis Lake Senior Center will be open as a cooling center when weekend temperatures rise above 95 degrees.

C. FIRST EMMY AWARD FOR GGTV3

Information regarding Garden Grove TV3 Cable's (GGTV3) first Emmy award win at the 43rd Annual Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards is included for your information.

D. HIGH AND MIGHTY MUSIC FESTIVAL AT VILLAGE GREEN PARK

Kim Huy provides updated information regarding the High and Mighty Music Festival at Village Green Park from Saturday, August 5 through Sunday, August 6, 2017.

II. ITEMS FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES, OUTSIDE AGENCIES, BUSINESSES AND INDIVIDUALS

- A. Memorandum from Mr. Larry Dick and Mr. Wayne S. Osborne of the Municipal Water District of Orange County (MWDOC) outlining monthly water usage data figures, an estimate of Tier 2 volume for MWDOC, and selected water supply information.
- **B.** Online magazine article by E.C. Gregg, published on July 6, 2017, on Garden Grove's Information Technology Department from *Toggle* (<u>www.togglemag.com</u>).
- C. Newspaper article from June 28, 2017 Vietnamese newspaper Nguoi Viet and English translation on the Bolsa Avenue street signs change.

- **D.** Letter from Orange County Transit Authority Chairman, Mr. Michael Hennessey, regarding recent developments to the Orange County Taxi Administration Program.
- **E.** Letter and brochure from The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Chairman, Mr. Randy A. Record, on the California WaterFix project.
- **F.** Letter from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development regarding Fiscal Year 2017 allocation for the Office of Community Planning and Development's formula programs.
- **G.** Letter from Mr. William T. Hunt, Director of Special Projects updating on the North Basin Groundwater Cleanup, and attachment of CalEPA NPL response letter dated June 28, 2017.

OTHER ITEMS

- NEWSPAPER ARTICLES
 Copies of the local newspaper articles are attached for your information.
- MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS
 Items of interest are included.

SCOTT C. STILES City Manager

PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST - June 2017

# Received Requester	Request	Division	Due Closed
Owen Williams 2772 06/30/17 The Williams Company	I would like to request a list of properties that meet the following criteria please, Code enforcement citations at least 6 months old and older. Thank you for your time. Owen Williams 949-514-4172	Neighbrhood Impr	07/10/17 06/30/17
2771 06/29/17	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove dogs in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society or Garden Grove Animal Services on June 29, 2017, including medical held at AAA Animal Hospital. Also any Garden Grove intakes held at any o		07/10/17
2770 06/29/17	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove dogs in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 17, 2017, including medical held at AAA Animal Hospital. Atthe close of the business day on the above date	ys / on Street Maint	07/10/17
Eduardo Mier y <u>2769</u> 06/29/17 Teran <i>AEI Consultants</i>	Dear Sirs, For a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment, we are interested in records from the Building Department and Fire Department regarding storage of hazardous chemicals and hazardous wastes, underground and above ground storage tanks (USTs	Building Serv Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	07/10/17
2768 06/29/17 Katie	Fire report regarding a damaged AT&T utility pole around 7/3/2015 near 8932 Katella Ave, Garden Grove, CA 92804 (ref# 13579).	Fire und Suppression Fire Prevention	07/10/17 06/29/17

Gabriel San <u>2760</u> 06/26/17 Roman <i>OC Weekly</i>	Communications	Eric TerHaar 2761 06/27/17 <i>SBA</i>	Benjamin Mills 2762 06/27/17 Escrow Options Group, Inc.	<u>2763</u> 06/27/17	2764 06/27/17 Domenque Micucci	<u>2765</u> 06/27/17 George Chapman	<u>2766</u> 06/27/17 Level2 Security & Automation		# Received Requester
I'm seeking documentation from the Garden Grove Police Department of all officer-involved shootings (fatal and non-fatal) between Jan. 1, 2006 - December 31, 2016. This request includes the names of officers-involved, nam	Please provide an estimate of costs before fulfilling my request. Thank You. Good morning Lt. DaRe.	Copies of applications and site plans for cases: CUP-052-2015, CUP-054-2015, CUP-091-2017, and CUP-098-2017.	There is a Notice of Substandard Lien filed against the property, which I have attached here. I have spoken with the Inspector Jaime Ahlo and he confirms that a release of lien has been recorded with the county. We pulled a property search and it	Requesting all notes and final outcome of White Shepard dog #34328648 in care/custody of Orange County Humane Society	A copy of the letter sent to the landlords regarding the Apartments located at 12052 Bailey St. #4 Garden Grove Building Serv 92845 pertaining to stair violation.	Business listing of all plumbers within the city of Garden Grove.	We are looking to obtain a list of new businesses in your city for the month of June 2017. If available, please include owner name and phone number and please email the list in Excel format! If there is an auto email list that I could	Hello,	Request
Community Policing Police Admn Serv		Planning Serv	Building Serv	Street Maint	Building Serv	Revenue Management	Revenue Management		Division
07/06/17		Planning Serv 07/10/17 06/27/17	07/10/17 06/27/17	07/10/17	07/10/17 06/27/17	07/10/17 06/29/17	07/10/17		Due Closed

# Received Requester	Request	Division	Due	Closed
2759 06/26/17 Ellen Hinchliff	Requesting final outcome and all notes of Shepard dog impounded by GGAC and transported to OCHS on June 17, 2017, Intake #G000663 Thank you.	Street Maint	07/06/17	
2758 06/26/17 Ian Fraser	Records showing the date when the brick wall was built Street Maint on Lampson Avenue between Firebrand Street and Oertly Environmental 07/06/17 Street 92840, and the date of when the creepy vines Comp were planted.	Street Maint Environmental Comp	07/06/17	
2757 06/26/17 anonymous	I am requesting the total number of GG animals in the custody/care of OCHS, At close of business on June 26, 2017. To include the ID# for each animal, location within the shelter, current status, medical notes, stray hold, etc.	Street Maint	07/06/17	
2756 06/26/17 anonymous	I am requesting the total number of GG animals in the custody/care of OCHS, At close of business on June 25, 2017. To include the ID# for each animal, location within the shelter, current status, medical notes, stray hold, etc.	Street Maint	07/06/17	
2755 06/26/17 anonymous	I am requesting the total number of GG animals in the custody/care of OCHS, At close of business on June 24, 2017. To include the ID# for each animal, location within the shelter, current status, medical notes, stray hold, etc.	Street Maint	07/06/17	
2754 06/26/17 anonymous	I am requesting the total number of GG animals in the custody/care of OCHS, At close of business on June 23, 2017. To include the ID# for each animal, location within the shelter, current status, medical notes, stray hold, etc.	Street Maint	07/06/17	
<u>2753</u> 06/26/17 anonymous	Requesting final outcome and all notes of Shepard dog impounded by GGAC and transported to OCHS on June 17, 2017 , Intake # G000663	Street Maint	07/06/17	

2748 06/26/17 Jannie Duong Zoning-Info	2750 06/26/17 Lisa S. Amsell Andrew Kim 2749 06/26/17 Encon Solutions, Inc.	2752 06/26/17 Hien Nguyen 2751 06/26/17	# Received Requester
We would appreciate it if you can c Requesting copies for the property known as: Harbor Court Plaza, addressed 13552 Harbor Boulevard Please find this as a formal records request for the following property: 1) Provide copies of any open building code violations 2) Provide co	and 9602 Alwood Avenue. I am the property manager and the owner and I would like to know the layout of the building and plumbing/piping if available. Please let me know. Thank you! ENCON is presently conducting Phase I Environmental Site Assessment, and we would like to review case files, permits or any records for the following address(es). 9100 Trask Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92844	I want to buy a house at Garden Grove. Address is 12712 west st, garden Grove CA 92740. If they have any Impr residential violations code at this address, please let me Build know. Thank you Use of Garages as habitable living area (for rent). Many people rent in this house for many years. improper cooking areas (stoves) on the back yard. I'd like to know if there are building/layout plans of 9612	Request
Environmental Comp Engr Services Building Serv Planning Serv Fire Suppression Fire Prevention Neighbrhood Impr	Building Serv Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Neighbrhood Impr Building Serv Building Serv Neighbrhood Impr	Division
07/06/17	07/06/17 06/26/17	07/06/17 06/26/17 07/06/17 06/26/17	Due Closed

2741 06/22/17 anonymous	<u>2742</u> 06/22/17 anonymous	2743 06/22/17 Anonymous	Pat Horton 2744 06/22/17 Armada Analytics, Inc.	Maggie R. Simoneaux- <u>2746</u> 06/26/17 Cuaso <i>Knypstra</i> <i>Hermes, LLP</i>	Maggie R. Simoneaux- 2747 06/26/17 Cuaso Knypstra Hermes, LLP	# Received Requester
Requesting final outcome and all notes of Shepard dog impounded by GGAC and transported to OCHS on June 17, 2017, Intake # G000663	Requesting status, final outcome, and all notes on male terrier mix impounded by GGAC and transported to OCHS on June 16, 2017. Intake # G000662	Requesting final outcome and all notes of small, underage chi, picked up by GGAC, transferred to OCHS, posted May 9, 2017. Intake # G000476	Please provide information regarding any open Fire Code, Building Code and Zoning Code Violations, as well as copies of the Certificates of Occupancy for the following property: Park Grove, 9155 Central Avenue, Garden Grove 92844. Thank you.	Please see the attached request regarding documents for Land & Design, Inc. from January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011 related to Site 'C'.	Please see the attached request regarding documents for Sheldon Development Group, LLC from January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010 related to Site 'C'.	Request
Street Maint	Street Maint	Street Maint	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention Neighbrhood Impr Building Serv	Information Systems Economic Dev	Information Systems Economic Dev	Division
07/03/17 06/26/17	07/03/17 06/26/17	07/17/17	07/03/17 06/26/17	07/06/17	07/06/17	Due Closed
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2733 06/21/17 ERIS BARILLAS wexco	Kristin C ossel 2734 06/21/17 TNG Real Estate Consultants	2735 06/22/17 anonymous	2736 06/22/17 anonymous	<u>2737</u> 06/22/17 anonymous	<u>2738</u> 06/22/17 anonymous	2739 06/22/17 anonymous	# Received Requester	
We would like copies of any and all building permits, inspection records and code enforcement records for property address: 11711 Trask Ave Garden Grove, CA	floor plan of home at 9772 Swallow Lane Garden Grove, CA	Requesting copy of Certificate of Occupancy and final fire inspection documents for Temporary animal control holding facility at 13802 Newhope st. To include all construction notes on renovation.	requesting the total number of GG animals in custody/care of GGAC/Orange county humane Society at end of business on June 19, 2017. Also the current location within the shelter, ID#, and status of each animal	Requesting the total number of GG animals in custody/care of GGAC/Orange county humane Society at end of business on June 20, 2017. Also the current location within the shelter, ID#, and status of each animal.	Requesting the total number of GG animals in custody/care of GGAC/Orange county humane Society at end of business on June 21, 2017. Also the current location within the shelter, ID#, and status of each animal.	Requesting the total number of GG animals in custody/care of GGAC/Orange county humane Society at end of business on June 21, 2017. Also the current location within the shelter, ID#, and status of each animal.	Request	
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I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 18, 2017, Including The ID# and specific location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adopt	The following item (6c) appeared on your City Council meeting agenda for 6/13 & my understanding is it PASSED what I am requesting is the final (and signed, if possible) version of the ordinance. This request is time sensitive though,	-Field Values re Hello,	An accounting of all outstanding checks to include returned checks or checks which remain stale and never reissued.	Edge Point hereby request the following electronic accounting records from 2015 to 2017:	a Dear Ms. Bailor:	 9852 Trask Avenue (Historical Farm), Garden Grove, QA 92844 As part of the investigation, I would like to review any 	Partner Engineering and Science Inc. is conducting a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment of the below	All new business licenses filed in May of 2017.	Request
Fire Suppression Fire Prevention Street Maint	City Clerk		Fiscal Services 07/14/17	!	ין מאפון נוסוו	Fire Suppression Fire	Environmental Comp	City Clerk	Division
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Adrienna Wong 2720 06/16/17 ACLU of Southern California	2722 06/19/17 Anonymous	<u>2723</u> 06/19/17 anonymous	<u>2724</u> 06/19/17 anonymous	2725 06/19/17 anonymous	<u>2726</u> 06/19/17 anonymous	<u>2727</u> 06/19/17 anonymous	# Received Requester	
Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, Gov't Code §§ 6250 et seq., and Art. I, § 3(b) of the California Constitution, I write on behalf of the ACLU of Southern California to request the Garden Grove Police Department's current policies on:	Requesting the total number of Dogs from Garden Grove being housed at Orange County Humane Society at closing time on June 12th, 2017. To include intakes, over the counter, medical, and available for adoption.	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 13, 2017, Including The ID# and specific location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adop	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 14, 2017, Including The ID# and specific location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adopt	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 15, 2017, Including The ID# and specific Street Maint location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adopt	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 16, 2017, Including The ID# and specific location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adopt	I am requesting the total number of Garden grove animals in the custody/care of Orange County Humane Society on June 17, 2017, Including The ID# and specific Street Maint location of each animal, and the current status of each animal (i.e. available for adopt	Request	
Police Admn Serv Police Mgmt	Street Maint	Street Maint	Street Maint	Street Maint	Street Maint	Street Maint	Division	
06/26/17 06/20/17	07/13/17	07/13/17	07/13/17	07/13/17	07/13/17	07/13/17	Due	
06/20/17							Closed	

Environmental	2714 06/14/17 Odic	1	Foundation	Allison Paul 2715 06/15/17 California		Science, Inc.	2716 06/16/17 Engineering &	Rachel Stoll		Eco Office Werks	2717 06/16/17 Rose Chmura		2718 06/16/17 Jessica Close Eco Office Werks		2/19 06/16/1/ Inal Iran		# Received Requester
We would like to know if there are any records in regards to hazardous materials, hazardous waste and/or clarifiers on the prope	12051 Lewis St, Garden Grove, CA 92840	We are doing an environmental site assessment on the property located at:	Thank you.	Copy of the May 2017 issued building permit report.	inspected ann	zoning and fire regulatory departments. Is the property	Original Certificate of Occupancy or Building Permit; any open/active/pending code violations related to building,	Property Address is 9898 Trask Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92844		Copy of Finalist scoring and awarded bidder contract. I can pick up the documents rather than mailing.	Copy of RFP for Replacement of 27 Copiers (S-1207) bid posting on 01-11-17 with all addendum.	I can pick up the documents rather than mailing.	posting on 01-11-17 with all addendum. Conv of Finalist scoring and awarded hidder contracts	Copy of REP for Replacement of 27 Copiers (S-1207) hid		Copy of any and all inspection reports, documents, and	Request
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2707 06/13/17 Jerry Bushore	Frank Trinidad 2708 06/13/17 Odic Environmental	Frank Trinidad <u>2709</u> 06/13/17 <i>Odic</i> Environmental	Frank Trinidad 2710 06/13/17 <i>Odic</i> Environmental	2712 06/13/17 Nancy Ricard LexisNexis	Tina Stelzer 2713 06/14/17 <i>Q Document</i> Solutions	# Received Requester
13280 Chapman Ave, Garden Grove, C Property Address: 12432 9th St, Garden Grove, CA 92840 Assessor Parcel Number: 090-521-25	12141 Lewis St, Garden Grove, CA 9 We are doing an environmental site assessment on the property and we would like to know if there are any records in regards to hazardous materials, hazardous waste and/or clarifiers on the property located at:	12186 Salerno St, Garden Grove, CA We are doing an environmental site assessment on the property and we would like to know if there are any records in regards to hazardous materials, hazardous waste and/or clarifiers on the property located at:	We are doing an environmental site assessment on the property and we would like to know if there are any records in regards to hazardous materials, hazardous waste and/or clarifiers on the property located at:	Copy of the Garden Grove Department Incident Report No. G1704243 pertaining to a building fire that occurred at 11201 Caroleen Lane in Garden Grove on April 9, 2017.	I would like to request a copy of the responses to the request for proposal for 27 copiers, S-1207 dated 2/22/2017. There were several bids submitted. We would like to request all of the responses to the bids, if possible. Thanks very much.	Request
Building Serv Planning Serv	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	ne would ^P urchasing	Division
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Doris Johnson Center For Contract Compliance	Sarah Spinuzzi <u>2699</u> 06/12/17 <i>Orange County</i> <i>Coastkeeper</i>	Dan Bonelli <u>2700</u> 06/12/17 <i>Advanced</i> <i>Analysis, Inc.</i>	<u>2701</u> 06/12/17 Josh McIntosh	2706 06/13/17 Eric Malcomb	# Received Requester
Ref: ID Number 17-530180 Project: S1210 - Master Plan for Parks and Recreation Please provide the information on the attach request.	RE: Coastline Metal Finishing Corp., 7061 Patterson Drive, Garden Grove Please see attached correspondence.	see or near from. I would like to get their names, contact info and mee REF: Advanced Analysis No. 17-211 Copy of the Garden Grove Fire Department's Incident Report for a fire that occurred at 12062 Robert Lane in Garden Grove on May 19, 2017.	Hello Teresa, I would like to make a request for information. I would like to know more about the GGTID members. They seem to be an important bunch of people that we never	Known: Zoning actions including Conditional Use Permits Occupancy Certificate(s) List of all apartments in the city of Garden Grove.	Request
Community Serv	Environmental Comp Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention		Revenue Management	Division
06/22/17 06/12/17	06/22/17 06/21/17	06/22/17 06/13/17	Economic Dev 06/22/17 06/22/17	06/26/17 06/26/17	Due Closed

Thank you for your assistance.

Harold Brauer 2691 06/07/17 Recovery Asset Network, Inc.	Margaret Thoma 2692 06/07/17 Partner Engineering and Science, Inc.	2693 06/07/17 Engineering and Science, Inc.	Margaret Thomas	<u>2694</u> 06/07/17 Naiche Lujan Ecotek Inc		Ms. Tuyet Tran 2696 06/08/17 Hines Hampton	2697 06/08/17 The Claims Center/AT&T	# Kecelved Kequester	Received
I would like to request a list of the city's uncashed checks that are over 180 days with a dollar value of and above. Please include the following information: original payee name, original check amount, origina check number and date of the	Margaret Thomas Copies of Business License records for an environmental Partner assessment of a property located at 12301, 12305, Revenue Engineering and 12307, 12309, 12311, 12313, 12315, 12317, 12319, and Management Science, Inc. 12321 Westminster Avenue. I'm trying to rule out any dry cleaning activities, so I'm lo	 ind Fire Prevention Files. I am doing an environmental site assessment of a small retail building located at 12301-12321 Westminster Avenue constructed 	Many thanks Ref: 12301, 12305, 12307, 12309, 12311, 12313, mas 12315, 12317, 12319, and 12321 Westminster Ave.	I would like to request a listing of all businesses operating in city of Garden Grove, including their SIC or NAICS codes and contact information.	on the residential property located at 11711 Easy Way, Garden Grove, California 92840, from March 20, 20 To whom it may concern,		Incident report with the fire department where a vehicle Sup struck a utility pole. Location is 9722 Katella Ave, Garden Fire Grove, CA 92840 on 10/11/2016. Prev		
\$500 Fiscal Services 07/17/17	Revenue Management	Fire Prevention	Fire	Revenue Management	Building Serv	Planning Serv	Suppression Fire Prevention	Division Fire	7::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::
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Rhonda Cain <u>2686</u> 06/06/17 <i>American Zoning</i> Services	<u>2687</u> 06/06/17 Jeff Randle <i>CBRE</i>	<u>2688</u> 06/06/17 Mary Oldaker DataMart	Isabella Do 2689 06/06/17 Level2Security and Automation	2690 06/06/17 Brian Freskos The Trace	# Received Requester
Please provide copies of Certificates of Occupancy and information on any open Zoning/Building/Fire Code Violations on file for: Residence Inn Garden Grove, 11931 Harbor Blvd, APN: 233-171-30	Please email the list to moldaker@datamart.ws Concerning 5900 Chapman Avenue, Garden Grove, 92845: Certificate of Occupancy, Underground/Aboveground Storage Tank files; any violations	Requesting an electronic list of all New Business for the month of May, 2017. File needs to be in CSV (comma delimited) or Excel format. PDF format is also acceptable.	Pursuant to the state public records law, I am a journalist Serv requesting the records described below from your law enforcement agency. I have broke We are looking to obtain a list of new businesses for May 2017. Please include owner name and phone number if available. Thank you.	Garden Grove Police Department 11301 Acacia Pkwy Garden Grove, CA 92840 Dear Records Officer,	Request
Neighbrhood Impr Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	Neighbrhood Impr Fire Suppression Fire Prevention Building Serv	City Clerk	t Serv City Clerk	Police Support Serv Police Mgmt Police Admn	Division
06/16/17 06/15/17	06/16/17 06/12/17	06/16/17 06/06/17	06/16/17 06/06/17	t 08/01/17	Due Closed

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Ramiro Vejar <u>2685</u> 06/05/17 <i>Fartner</i> <i>Engineering and</i> <i>Science Inc.</i>	ejar ng and nc.	Partner Engineering and Science Inc. is conducting a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment of the below referenced property: • 9898 Trask Avenue (auto dealership) • 13521 Brookhurst Street (historical gas station – demolished	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	06/15/17 06/06/17	5/17
Karl Schmutz 2683 06/05/17 Advanced Analysis, Inc.	nutz / Inc.	Reference No. 17-195 Copy of the Fire incident and investigation reports for the fire that occurred at 9741 Reading Avenue in Garden Grove on May 1, 2017.	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	06/15/17 06/06/17	5/17
Olivia Seagraves 2682 06/05/17 <i>Consulting</i> Solutions Inc.	agraves g Inc.	Garden View Apartment Homes, 11930 Banner Drive Garden Grove, CA 92843 We have been hired to perform an Environmental and Engineering Assessment of the above referenced property. In accordance with lender requirements, we are required to conta	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	06/15/17 06/06/17	5/17
Dan Bonelli 2681 06/05/17 Advanced Analysis, Inc.	elli Inc.	Reference No. 17-188 Copy of the fire incident report for a vehicle fire that occurred on April 22, 2017, on the 22 freeway near the Cambridge overpass in Orange.	Fire Suppression Fire Prevention	06/15/17 06/06/17	5/17
2680 06/05/17 Rocio Pelayo AEI Consultants	ayo ultants	Copies of building permits, plumbing permits, and certificates of occupancy issued for 13531, 13541, and 13551 Harbor Boulevard	Building Serv	06/15/17 06/07/17	7/17
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INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:

Scott Stiles

From:

Kimberly Huy

Dept.:

City Manager

Dept.:

Community Services

Subject: COOLING CENTER

Date:

July 5, 2017

OBJECTIVE

To inform the City Council that the H. Louis Lake Senior Center will open as a cooling center when weekend temperatures rise above 95 degrees.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

In years past, the Community Services Department has prepared to open the H. Louis Lake Senior Center on weekends during the summer to meet the needs of residents during very hot weather.

The Community Services Department will assign recreation part-time staff to open the cooling center at the H. Louis Lake Senior Center (Center). The Department will open the Center if the weather on the Thursday prior to each weekend is forecast to be over 95 degrees. This determination will be based on the Orange County Register and the online National Weather Forecast.

SUMMARY

The H. Louis Lake Senior Center will be open as a cooling center for residents who may need to utilize a facility with air conditioning to offset the extreme heat of summer. The opening of the Center will be based on weather forecast.

KIMBERLY HUY

Director

By:

Dana Saucedo Assistant Supervisor



H. LOUIS LAKE COOLING CENTER

On high heat days when temperatures are forecasted to reach 95 degrees Fahrenheit and above.

When: Beginning July-August 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 pm

Where: H. Louis Lake Senior Center

11300 Stanford Avenue

Garden Grove, Ca 92840



All ages are welcome to enjoy the Center's air-conditioned accommodations during extremely hot weather. Food will <u>not</u> be available at the Center. Visitors may bring their own food and dine inside the Center.

For more information, please call the H. Louis Lake Senior Center at (714) 741-5253 during normal business hours, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.



GARDEN GROVE

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:

Scott Stiles

From:

Kimberly Huy

Dept.:

City Manager

Dept.:

Community Services

Subject: FIRST EMMY AWARD FOR GGTV3

Date:

July 13, 2017

The City's Garden Grove TV3 Cable (GGTV3) won its first Emmy award at the 43rd Annual Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards, held June 24, 2017 in San Diego. The winning video, nominated in the Informational/Instructional category, was "District Elections in Garden Grove." Accepting this prestigious award were GGTV3 senior staff members Jeff Davis and Marie Moran.

Over the past four years, GGTV3 has received five Emmy nominations by the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Pacific Southwest Chapter, for their recognized quality of work in video production. GGTV3 competed against a number of significant television markets for the Emmy win, which included San Diego, Las Vegas, Palm Springs, and Santa Barbara.

GGTV3 also recently received the highest recognition, "Overall Excellence," at the 21st Annual STAR Awards, presented by the National Association of Telecommunications Officers and Advisors (NATOA) at Disney's Grand Californian Hotel, where they also received a First Place win.

KIMBERLY HUY

Community Services Director

Community Services Supervisor

Attachments



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Public Information Office (714) 741-5280

Contact:

Kim Huy (714) 741-5200 Community Services Director

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

CITY'S GARDEN GROVE TV3 WINS FIRST EMMY

The City's Garden Grove TV3 (GGTV3) cable division was recently honored with its first Emmy Award, and other top state and national awards for various video productions.

GGTV3 took home the Emmy Award in the Informational/Instructional category for its video production, "District Elections in Garden Grove," at the 43rd Annual Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards in San Diego, on June 24, 2017.

GGTV3 has received five Emmy nominations from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Pacific Southwest Chapter over the past four years.

Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards recognize excellence in the television industry in the San Diego, Las Vegas, Palm Springs, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Santa Maria, and Bakersfield television markets, including Orange County.

GGTV3 also received first place in Overall Excellence at the 21st Annual STAR Awards at Disney's Grand Californian Hotel & Spa in Anaheim, on May 11, 2017.

The team also won First Place for its video productions, "Garden Grove Animal Care Services" and "Garden Grove is Placemaking."

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CITY'S GARDEN GROVE TV3 WINS FIRST EMMY

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The STAR Awards were presented by the National Association of Telecommunications Officers and Advisors (NATOA), a non-profit organization that recognizes local government agencies for excellence in broadcast, cable, multimedia, and electronic programming.

GGTV3, part of the City's Office of Community Relations, plays an important role in supporting City departments, and in the City's efforts to inform and entertain Garden Grove viewers and regional audiences. Full-time senior staff, Jeff Davis and Marie Moran produce a number of videos, news stories, and Public Service Announcements, as well as live broadcasts of all City Council meetings through YouTube, Spectrum Cable on Channel 3, and on AT&T and Verizon Fios systems.

Earlier this month, GGTV3's YouTube Channel hit a milestone 3 million views.

To view GGTV3's award-winning videos, visit www.youtube.com/GardenGroveTV3.

For more information, please visit www.garden-grove.org/commserv/ggtv3.



INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:

Scott Stiles

From:

Kimberly Huy

Dept.:

City Manager

Dept.:

Community Services

Subject: HIGH AND MIGHTY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Date:

July 12, 2017

AT VILLAGE GREEN PARK

OBJECTIVE

To provide City Council with updated information regarding the High and Mighty Music Festival at Village Green Park from Saturday, August 5 through Sunday, August 6, 2017.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

On June 13, 2017, City Council approved Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement with LFA to conduct a two-day Music Festival at Village Green Park, from Saturday, August 5, 2017 through Sunday, August 6, 2017. As part of the Agreement, LFA is required to provide adequate notice of the Music Festival to all businesses and residences located reasonably near Village Green Park. On Tuesday, July 11, LFA mailed the notice letter to addresses located within a six-hundred (600) foot radius of Village Green Park.

LFA will be hosting a community meeting next Tuesday, July 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the Garden Grove Courtyard Center located on Main Street. The community has been invited to attend a Q & A session. City staff will also attend this meeting to answer questions regarding the road closures and "no parking" zones during the festival weekend.

During upcoming weeks, staff will work closely with LFA to ensure all requirements are completed, and will make every effort to communicate information about the Music Festival to the public on the City website link www.garden-grove.org/high-mighty, as well as on the City's social media sites.

SUMMARY

Staff provided updated information on the High and Mighty Music Festival that will be conducted at Village Green Park from Saturday, August 5 through Sunday, August 6, 2017.

KIMBERLY HUY

Director

By: Janet Pelavo

Manager

Attachment 1: Copy of Notice Letter Attachment 2: Copy of News Release



MUSIC FESTIVAL | VILLAGE GREEN PARK | GARDEN GROVE, CA

EVENT DATES: SATURDAY AUGUST 5 + SUNDAY AUGUST 6, 2017

Dear Garden Grove Resident,

On Saturday, August 5 and Sunday, August 6, the High and Mighty Music Festival featuring Sublime with Rome / Dirty Heads / Jurassic 5 / SOJA + more will take place in Village Green Park, Garden Grove, CA.

COMMUNITY MEETING: The producers of High and Mighty Festival will be hosting a Question and Answer session at the Garden Grove Courtyard Center, located at 12732 Main Street on Tuesday, July 18, at 7PM.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: Saturday August 5 from Noon – 10PM. Sunday August 6 from Noon – 9PM.

ROAD CLOSURES: The northbound lane of Main Street between Acacia Parkway and Euclid Street, and Acacia Parkway, between Euclid Street and Grove Street will be closed on Saturday, August 5 and Sunday, August 6. Access will be made available to area residents. For detailed information on event street closures and no parking zones, please visit www.garden-grove.org.

CONTACT: Please feel free to contact us via email with any questions. Our email address is <u>hello@LFA.io</u>

For those of you interested in attending the event, tickets are available at HighandMightyFest.com

Thank you.

LFA\\\

HIGH AND MIGHTY FESTIVAL | VILLAGE GREEN PARK | GARDEN GROVE CA



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Public Information Office (714) 741-5280

CONTACT: Jon Reiser (949) 400-4630 LFA\\\

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

HEAVIER TRAFFIC AND ROAD CLOSURES DURING MUSIC FESTIVAL

Beginning Saturday, August 5, through Sunday, August 6, the High and Mighty Music Festival will take place at Village Green Park, at 12732 Main Street in Garden Grove. During the two-day festival, heavier traffic is anticipated in the immediate area. Motorists are asked to plan accordingly to avoid delays.

The following streets will be closed on Saturday, August 5, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m., and Sunday, August 6, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.:

- Main Street, northbound lane, between Acacia Parkway to Euclid Street
- Acacia Parkway, between Euclid Street and Grove Street
- Grove Street, northbound traffic

No parking will be enforced on the following streets, from Saturday, August 5, at 8:00 a.m., to Sunday, August 6, at 12:00 a.m.:

- Acacia Parkway, from Euclid Street to Nelson Street
- Main Street, from Acacia Parkway to Stanford Avenue
- Grove Street

Areas affected by the no parking restrictions will be posted with "NO PARKING" signs. Residents and businesses will be notified in advance. Access will be made available to area residents.

Heavier Traffic and Road Closures During Music Festival 2-2-2

The producers of the High and Mighty Music Festival are hosting a community meeting next Tuesday, July 18, at 7:00 p.m., at the Garden Grove Courtyard Center, located at 12732 Main Street. The community is invited to attend the Q & A session.

For detailed information on event road closures, no parking zones, and concert parking, visit www.garden-grove.org/high-mighty. The webpage will be constantly updated with new information as plans are finalized.

For more information about the High and Mighty Music Festival, visit www.highandmightyfest.com or email hello@LFA.io.

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Memorandum

DATE:

July 13, 2017

TO:

Member Agencies - MWDOC Divisions Two & Three

FROM:

Larry Dick, Director - Division Two

Wayne S. Osborne, Director – Division Three

SUBJECT:

Monthly Water Usage Data, Tier 2 Projection & Water Supply Information

The attached figures show the recent trend of water consumption in Orange County (OC), an estimate of Tier 2 volume for MWDOC, and selected water supply information.

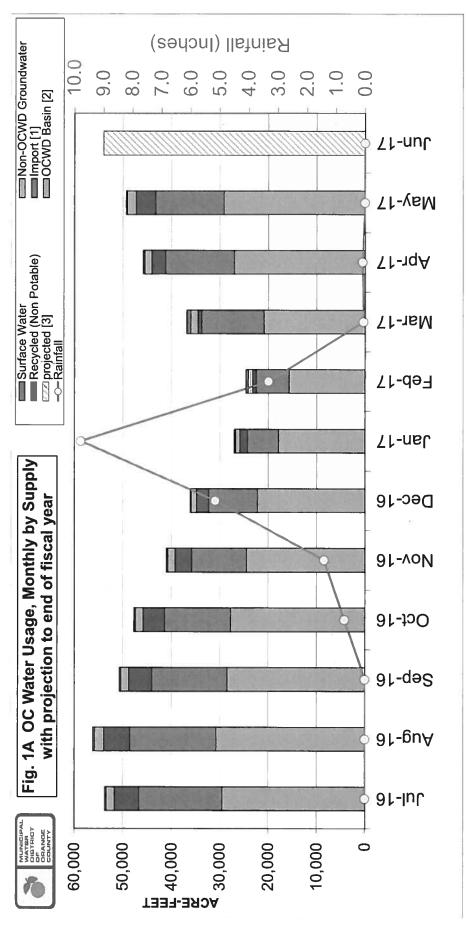
- Fig. 1 OC Water Usage, Monthly by Supply OCWD Groundwater water was the main supply in May.
- Fig. 2 OC Water Usage, Monthly, Comparison to Previous Years Water usage in May 2017 was slightly below average compared to the last 5 years but was higher than in May of 2015 and 2016. We are seeing a slight increase in overall water usage compared to the historical lows of the 2015-16 Fiscal Year. In June 2016, all water conservation became voluntary for MWDOC agencies.
- Fig. 3 Historical OC Water Consumption OC water consumption is projected to be 523,000 AF in FY 2016-17 (this includes ~15 TAF of agricultural usage and non-retail water agency usage). This is about 31,000 AF more than FY 2015-16 and is about 48,000 AF less than FY 2014-15. Water usage per person is projected to be slightly higher than in FY 2016-17 for Orange County at 147 gallons per day (This includes recycled water). Although OC population has increased 20% over the past two decades, water usage has not increased, on average. A long-term decrease in per-capita water usage is attributed mostly to Water Use Efficiency (water conservation) efforts.

MWDOC "Firm" Water Purchases, 2016 "Firm" water above the Tier 1 limit will be charged at the higher Tier 2 rate. Tier 2 purchases are zero in 2017.

<u>Water Supply Information</u> Includes data on: Rainfall in OC; the OCWD Basin overdraft; Northern California and Colorado River Basin hydrologic data; the State Water Project (SWP) Allocation, and regional storage volumes. The data has implications for the

magnitude of supplies from the three watersheds that are the principal sources of water for OC. Note that a hydrologic year is Oct. 1st through Sept. 30th.

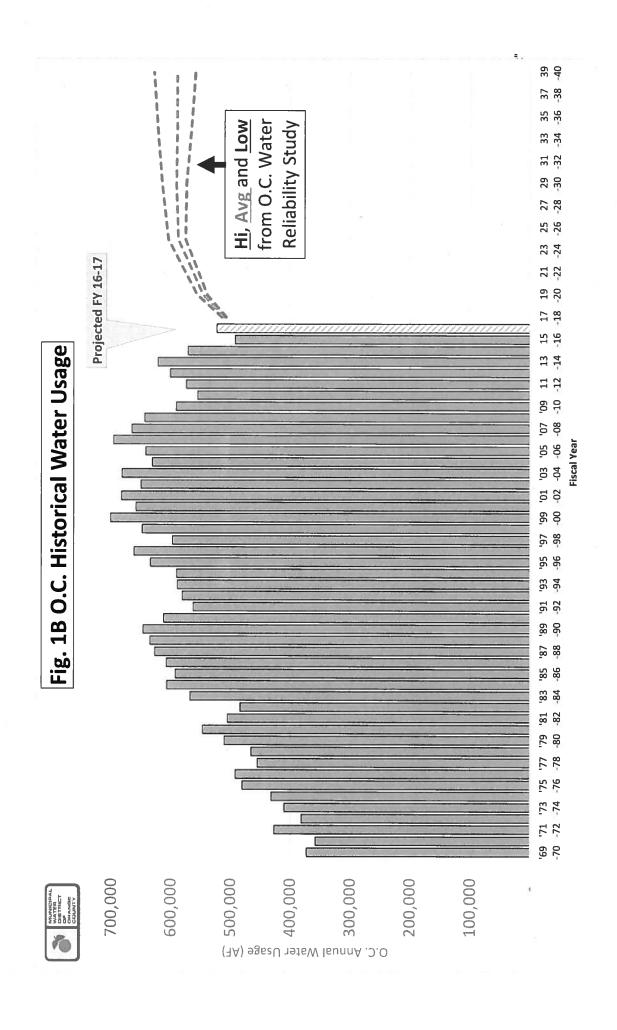
- Orange County's accumulated rainfall through June was well above average for this period. Orange County has had below average rainfall for the past 5 hydrologic years.
- Northern California accumulated precipitation through June was around 195% of normal for this period. June 2017 rainfall was average for that month and the region is seeing the wettest water year on record. The Northern California snowpack is 195% of normal as of May 26th. The State of California was in a declared Drought Emergency that started January 2014 and just recently ended in April of 2017. As of late April drought conditions have improved significantly and only 8% of California is still suffering from moderate or severe drought. The State Water Project Contractors Table A Allocation has increased to 85% as of the end of April.
- Colorado River Basin accumulated precipitation through June was 111% average for this period. The Upper Colorado Basin snowpack was 152% of normal as of May 22nd. This follows five below-average hydrologic years; the Colorado River Basin is in the recovery of a long-term drought. Lake Mead and Lake Powell combined have about 67% of their average storage volume for this time of year. If Lake Mead's level falls below a "trigger" limit 1,075 ft. at the end of a calendar year, then a shortage will be declared by the US Bureau of Reclamation (USBR), impacting Colorado River water deliveries for the Lower Basin states. As of late June Lake Mead levels were 7' above the "trigger" limit. The USBR predicts that the end of 2017 or the end of 2018 will not hit the "trigger" level.

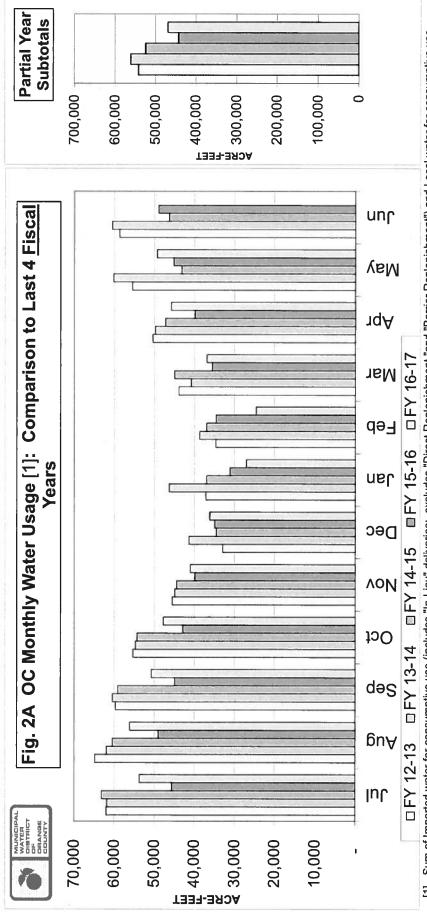


Imported water for consumptive use. Includes "In-Lieu" deliveries and CUP water extraction. Excludes "Direct Replenishment" deliveries of spreading water, "Barrier Replenishment" deliveries, and deliveries into Irvine Lake. Ξ

GW for consumptive use only. Excludes In-Lieu water deliveries and CUP water extraction that are counted with Import. BPP in FY '16-17 is 75%. MWDOC's estimate of monthly demand is based on the projected FY 15-16"Retail" water demand and historical monthly demand patterns.

Total water usage includes IRWD groundwater agricultural use and usage by non-retail water agencies. $\overline{\Delta}$ $\overline{\omega}$ $\overline{\Delta}$

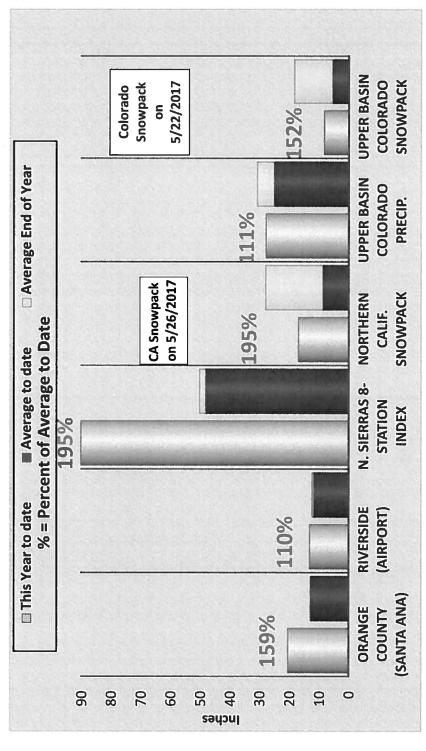




Sum of Imported water for consumptive use (includes "In-Lieu" deliveries; excludes "Direct Replenishment "and "Barrier Replenishment") and Local water for consumptive use (includes recycled and non-potable water; excludes GWRS production, groundwater pumped to waste, and waste brine from water treatment projects.) Recent months numbers include some estimation. Ξ

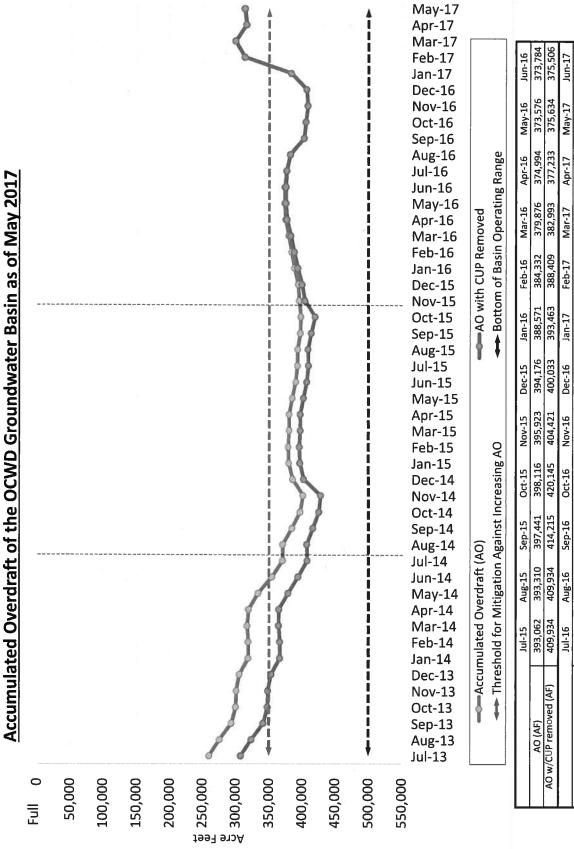
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for the Oct.-Sep. water year, through June 2017



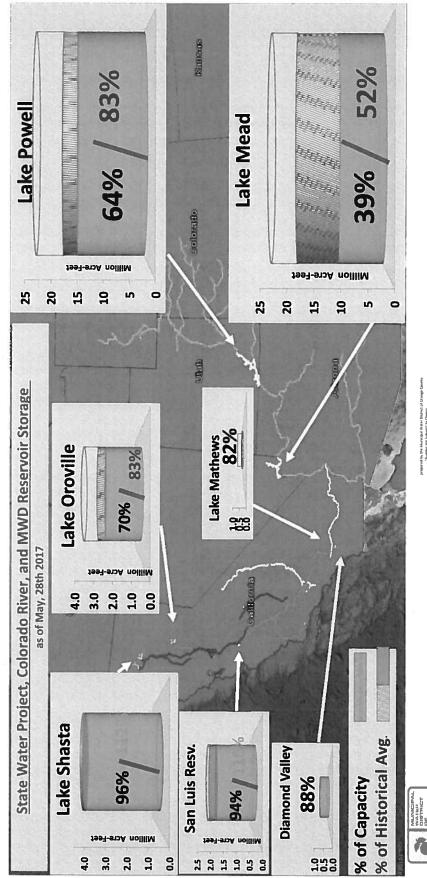


* The date of maximum snowpack accumulation (April 1st in Northern Calif., April 15th in the Upper Colorado Basin) is used for year to year comparison.



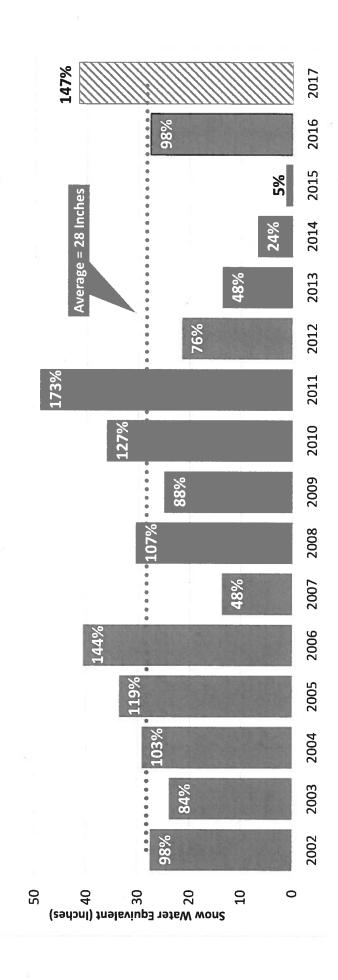
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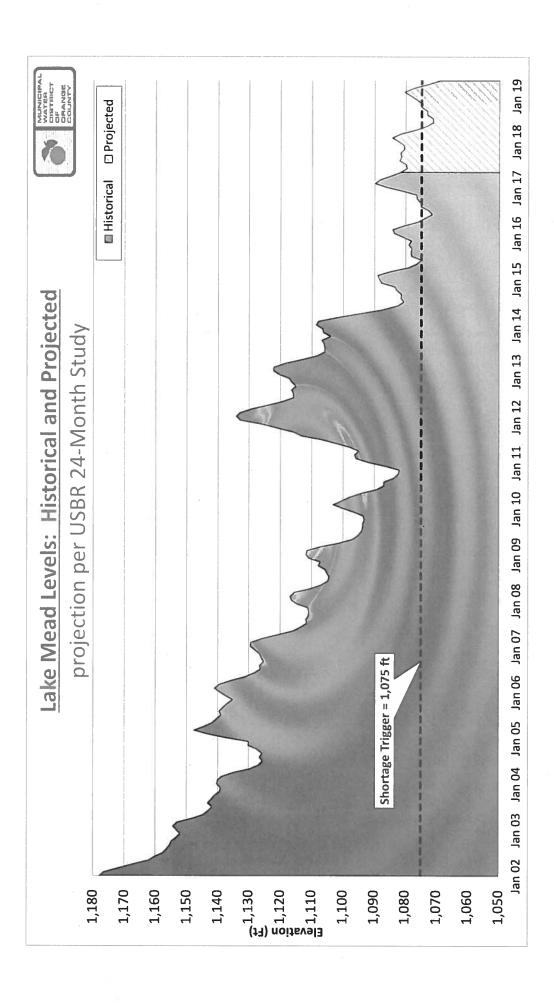


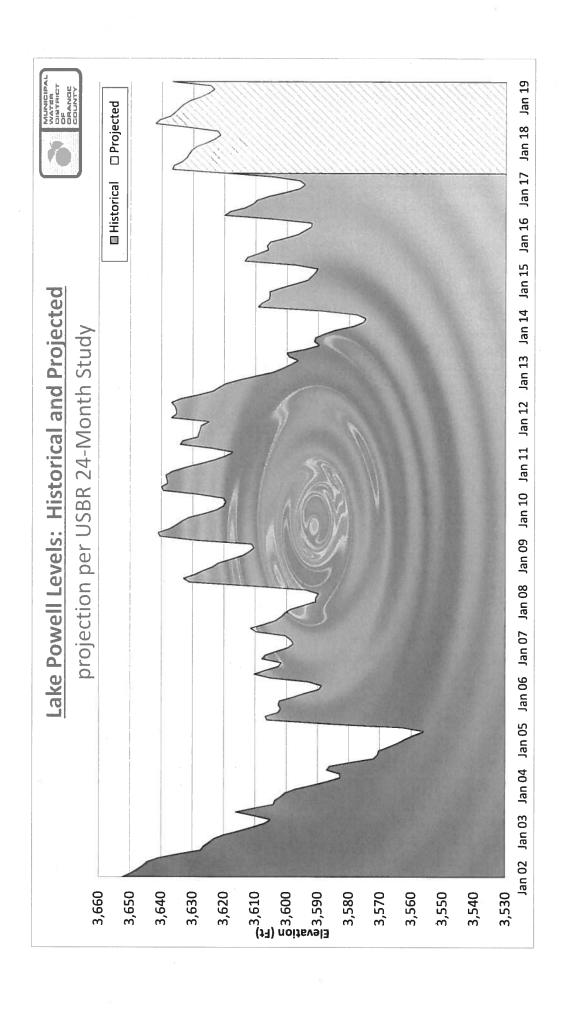
Historical Northern California April 1st Peak Snow Water Equivalent

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Case Studies

HOME IN CASE STUDIES IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES IN CITY OF GARDEN GROVE

City of Garden Grove

An open-source pioneer says it was actually late to the game

Written by: E.C. Gregg

Produced by: Zachary Brann



When Garden Grove, California, installed its first personal computers in 1994, the fifth largest city in Orange County was behind the times. Most municipalities had made that transition in the late '80s.

But IT Director Charles Kalil says there were advantages to being a late adopter. For starters, it gave Garden Grove the opportunity to research all the latest software and networking programs. So when the city finally made its move, it had the most advanced technology on the market.



In other words, "if we were going to be late to the party, we wanted to have the newest car in town," says Kalil.

In 1995, Garden Grove became one of the first cities to use a transmission control protocol/internet protocol (TCP/IP), UNIX, to build the city's private network. At that time, the internet was already established in homes, but most city governments were hesitant to switch to the new protocol, especially considering they made the jump to PCs only a couple of years earlier.

But Kalil, who was then working as a senior information systems analyst, says the previous IT manager was convinced that TCP/IP was the future of networking, and he was proved right.

Less than a year later, after Garden Grove had moved into a new city hall, people started asking the IT department when the city was going to get this "internet thing" they had heard about on TV.

"They expected us to be behind, and instead we got to tell them you've had that for about six months," says Kalil, almost laughing. "That's really when perceptions about [Garden Grove] began to change because instead of being the backwards city, we were the ones ahead of the curve."

However, Garden Grove's decision to use the UNIX networking system wasn't just rooted in the city's role as a latecomer. It was also a way to save the city money—and it could do the same for other municipalities.

Garden Grove may be the fifth largest city in Orange County, but it has the 8th largest budget.



Beside the advantages of running on a TCP/IP, UNIX also supports multiple open-source programs systems such as Samba, a networking protocol that Garden Grove used to network all its PCs together, and Linux, a fully-featured computer operating system.

Open-source software is free to download, and, in the case of Linux, often has more capabilities than its more expensive counterparts, Kalil says.

"With Linux, we could just download it and immediately start exploring," he says. "It was powerful, accessible—and remember, we were in a time crunch trying to get things up and running."

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However, only three cities in the United States, including Garden Grove, were using open-source software, which meant Garden Grove couldn't depend on outside technical support if there was a problem with the system.

"So any time we were looking for a solution, the answer was always, we'll just ourselves," Kalil says.



As a result, Garden Grove's team of developers has written the majority of the city's web applications, and today continues to rely heavily on its in-house team of analysts and developers.

In preparation for the November 2016 election, for instance, the IT department made it easier for citizens to look up which district they lived in by developing an open-source GIS in as little as four weeks.

When the city bought a mobile app, Kalil says his team ended up writing most of the applications so that Garden Grove didn't have to depend on a third party for updates or changes to the system. The IT department also built the mobile systems to be exactly the same as the city's website.

"The application you use on your computer at home is the same application you're using on your smartphone, we've just made it responsive so it changes its look and feel based on the size of the device using it," Kalil says. "When we fix something on one site, it changes all the platforms."

Collaboration nationwide

For the last 10 years, Garden Grove has been encouraging other cities to join them on open-source platforms. Kalil says the problem is that a lot of cities don't see the point in investing in developers when they could just buy the newest software.

transparency by requiring governments to publicly display a catalogue of enterprise systems. Today, nearly 100 California agencies use the system that Garden Grove wrote and hosted.



"It's something I would love to see more of in the future because we used [open-source software] because we have a limited budget, but the reality is all governments have a limited budget. We all have the same issues and we aren't in competition with one another, so why aren't we collaborating more?"

Every piece of software Garden Grove has developed is free for other cities to use. Kalil hopes that other municipalities will take advantage of the tools his team has developed, and, with any luck, improve it for the next user.

"I think government could be a lot more efficient if they instead utilized developers and we all collaborated together to create solutions," he says.

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Little Saigon: Garden Grove sẽ có tên đường 'Bolsa Trần Hưng Đạo'

Đảng-Giao Ngươi Việt

June 28, 2017



Tâm bản đường này ơ gọc Bushard và Bolsa sẽ có thêm hàng chữ "Đại Lộ Trần Hưng Đạo." (Hình: Đảng-Giao Người Việt)

GARDEN GROVE, California (NV) – Trong phiên họp tối Thứ Ba, 27 Tháng Sáu, Hội Đồng Thành Phố Garden Grove chuẩn thuận việc hoàn toàn tài trợ chi phí làm bảng tên đường "Bolsa Trần Hưng Đạo" tại hai góc đường Bushard và đường Ward để hài hòa với bên Westminster.

Với tỷ số 6-1, thành phố Garden Grove đồng ý bỏ ra khoảng \$1,500 để làm hai bảng tên đường này.

Việc treo hai bàng tên đường mang tên "Đại Lộ Trần Hưng Đạo" mang đến cho đường Bolsa, một trong những trục lộ chính, chạy dọc trung tâm Little Saigon, thêm sắc thái đặc thù của một thủ đô tị nạn và cũng nói lên sự liên kết chặt chẽ giữa Garden Grove và Westminster, theo Nghị Viên Thu-Hà Nguyễn.

Đề mục này được Nghị Viên Thu-Hà Nguyễn và Phó Thị Trưởng Phát Bùi đề nghị, với sự đồng tình của Thị Trưởng Steven R. Jones đưa vào nghi trình.

Cô Thu-Hà nói với nhật báo Người Việt: "Góc đường Bolsa và đường Bushard thuộc Địa Hạt 3, là địa hạt của tôi. Còn góc đường Bolsa và đường Ward thuộc Địa Hạt 4, là địa hạt của anh Phát Bùi. Đó là lý do cả ba chúng tôi cùng làm việc với nhau để thuyết phục Hội Đồng Thành Phố thông qua."

Hai bảng tên đường sẽ được treo ở phía Bắc của đường Bolsa, nghĩa là nếu đi dọc trên Bolsa từ đường Beach hướng về đường Ward, bảng tên mới sẽ nằm bên tay trái. Phần hướng Nam, bên tay phải, từ góc đường Magnolia đến góc đường Ward, bảng tên "Bolsa Trần Hưng Đạo" đã được thành phố Westminster treo từ Tết rồi.

Hai bảng tên mới này cũng tương tự như của Westminster, bên trên có chữ "Bolsa Ave," bên dưới là "Đại Lộ Trần Hưng Đạo."



Đường Bolsa tại góc đường Ward của Garden Grove sẽ có tên 'Đai Lộ Trần Hưng Đao' như bên Westminster. (Hình, Đằng-Giao/Người Việt)

Điểm khác nhau là, bên Westminster có chữ trắng trên nền xanh lá cây, y như màu bảng tên đường trên xa lộ, trong lúc bên Garden Grove có chữ trắng trên nền xanh dương, theo qui định thành phố.

Cuộc bàn thảo về việc này của Hội Đồng Thành Phố Garden Grove không nhanh chóng như của Westminster vì Westminster được Trần Hưng Đạo Foundation trang trải mọi chi phí, trong lúc các vị dân cử Garden Grove muốn thành phố xuất tiền từ công quỹ.

Ngay sau khi đề cập đến đề mục này, Nghị Viên Thu-Hà Nguyễn bị Nghị Viên Kris Beard đặt nhiều câu hỏi như "Tại sao phải làm giống Westminster? "Tại sao không chỉ ghi chữ 'Little Saigon' thay vì tên tuổi dài dòng?" "Muốn khác với Westminster, tại sao không ghi chữ 'City of Garden Grove?"

Phó Thị Trưởng Phát Bùi ôn tồn giải thích cặn kẽ từng thắc mắc cho ông Beard.

Nghị Viên Stephanie Klopfenstein nêu lên quan tâm của mình là nếu số tiền thành phố phải bỏ ra cao hơn dự trù thì ai sẽ chịu. Về điều này, Nghị Viên Thu-Hà Nguyễn mạnh dạn trả lời: "Tổi và cộng đồng sẽ chịu mọi trách nhiệm trang trải cho số tiền sai biệt. Nếu cần, chúng tôi sẽ tự gây quỹ."

Phó Thị Trưởng Phát Bùi chia sẻ với nhật báo Người Việt: "Tôi rất mừng là đã thông qua được việc này. Được việc của mình là quá vui rồi, nhưng tôi cũng rất lo. Lo vì Garden Grove là một thành phố đông cư dân thuộc nhiều sắc tộc. Mai mốt người Nam Hàn cũng muốn có tên danh nhân của họ thì sao? Rồi dân Hồi Giáo cũng có yêu cầu thì sao? Nhưng có lẽ tôi lo xa quá đấy thôi."

Rồi ông bật cười: "Thôi, chúng tôi đã làm phận sự của dân cử tại Garden Grove về đại lộ Trần Hưng Đạo xong rồi. Được đến đầu, mình nên vui đến đó."

Góc đường Bolsa và đường Ward là phần cuối của Garden Grove. Từ đường Euclid trở đi, đại lộ Bolsa trở thành đường First và thuộc thành phố Santa Ana.

Khoảng một tháng rưỡi nữa, bảng tên đường mới hoàn tất. Thành phố Westminster sẽ đảm nhận việc treo tên đường.

"Lúc ấy có thể sẽ có một lễ nho nhỏ khi treo bảng tên đường," cô Thu-Hà nói.

Liên lạc tác giả: ngo.giao@nguoi-viet.com.

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Little Saigon: Garden Grove will have the name 'Bolsa Tran Hung Dao Avenue'

On Tuesday evening, June 27, during the City Council meeting, the Garden Grove City Council approved full funding for the street name signs 'Bolsa Tran Hung Dao' at the intersections of Bushard Street and Ward Street to match signs in the City of Westminster

With a vote of 6-1, the Garden Grove City Council agreed to spend about \$1,500 to make these two street signs.

According to Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen, the installation of two street signs called 'Tran Hung Dao Avenue' will bring significance to Bolsa Avenue, in the Little Saigon area, a unique look for a capital city of Vietnamese-American refugees, and help bond the relationship between Garden Grove and Westminster.

This item was proposed by Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen and Mayor Pro Tem Phat Bui, with the agreement of Mayor Steven R. Jones to put it on the agenda.

Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen shared with the Nguoi-Viet Daily Newspaper, "The intersection at Bolsa Avenue and Bushard Street is within my District 3, and the intersection at Bolsa Avenue and Ward Street is within District 4. This is the district of Mayor Pro Tem Phat Bui. That is the reason why all three of us work together to bring it to the City Council for approval."

Two street signs will be installed north of Bolsa Avenue. This means if someone were driving along Bolsa Avenue from Beach Boulevard toward Ward Avenue, the new sign will be on the left side. From the south, on the right side, at the corner of Magnolia Avenue to the corner of Ward Street, the sign 'Bolsa Tran Hung Dao' was already installed by the City of Westminster.

The two new street name signs are similar to those from the City of Westminster, with Bolsa Avenue on top, and below will be named 'Tran Hung Dao Avenue.'

The difference is that Westminster has white letters on a green background, just like the street signs on the freeway. The City of Garden Grove has white letters on a blue background, according to city regulations.

The discussion on this topic by the Garden Grove City Council was not as quick compared to the City of Westminster because the street signs in Westminster were paid for by the Tran Hung Dao Foundation, and Garden Grove constituents wanted the City to raise money from public funds.

After the discussion referring to this topic, Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen was asked by Councilman Kris Beard, "Why do we have to do things like Westminster?

Why can't we just write 'Little Saigon' instead of a long name? If the City would want to be different from Westminster, why not put 'City of Garden Grove?'"

Mayor Pro Tem Phat Bui insisted on carefully explaining each question from Councilman Kris Beard.

Councilmember Stephanie Klopfenstein raised her concern that if the City had to spend more than expected, who would carry the extra cost. Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen firmly replied: "The community and I will take the responsibilities to cover the difference amount. If necessary, we will raise funds ourselves."

Mayor Pro Tem Phat Bui shared with Nguoi-Viet Daily newspaper: "I am very happy this discussion was approved, but I'm also very worried. Garden Grove is a multiethnic populated city. What if the Korean community wants their names? And what about the Muslim community? But maybe I'm over-worried."

Then he laughed, "Well, we did our job as elected officials in Garden Grove on Tran Hung Dao Avenue. We should be happy as it goes."

The intersection of Bolsa Avenue and Ward Street is at the far end of Garden Grove. From Euclid Street forward, Bolsa Avenue becomes First Street and is in the City of Santa Ana.

In about a month and a half, the new street name signs will be completed. The City of Westminster will be responsible for installation.

Councilwoman Thu-Ha Nguyen said, "At that time, there might be a small unveiling ceremony of the new street signs."



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The Honorable Steve Jones Mayor City of Garden Grove 11222 Acacia Parkway Garden Grove, California 92840

Dear Mayor Jones:

On behalf of the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) Board of Directors, I wanted to advise city elected officials of recent developments regarding the Orange County Taxi Administration Program (OCTAP).

Many may not realize that OCTA administers OCTAP at the request of and on behalf of Orange County cities and the County of Orange (County). OCTAP was created in 1998 to consolidate the licensing, application, and administrative functions to assist Orange County cities in meeting their requirements set forth in Government Code Section 53075.5 and Vehicle Code Section 21100, *et seq.* At that time, OCTA was selected by the cities to provide staff and administrative services necessary to permit taxi operations and enforce OCTAP regulations adopted by the cities and the County.

Since its inception, OCTAP has been funded entirely through permit and license fees. However, with the arrival of Transportation Network Companies (TNCs) such as Uber, Lyft and others, the marketplace has greatly reduced the number of taxi permits in the County, which, in turn, has created a financially unsustainable condition for the continuation of OCTAP as currently funded.

To address this issue, OCTA has been working through the Orange County City Managers Association (OCCMA) as well as the OCTAP Steering Committee (which includes taxi providers as well as member agency representatives) since spring of 2016 to come up with both short- and long-term solutions.

It has been determined that the cost to administer OCTAP for fiscal year 2017-18 will exceed expected revenues, and OCTAP will only have enough funding to operate through December 2017. OCCMA has agreed that it is in the best interest for member agencies (cities and the County of Orange) to fund the shortfall to allow for OCTA to administer OCTAP at least through June 2018 while a long—term solution is identified. It is expected that the amount needed to fully fund OCTAP operations beyond December 31, 2017, through June 30, 2018 is

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approximately \$166,800. The estimated cost for each agency, based on population, is attached for your reference.

It is widely believed that OCTAP is an effective model that delivers efficiencies benefitting all member agencies. However, due to the changing marketplace with taxis and TNCs, and the fact that OCTA has no legal requirement to regulate taxis, further administration of OCTAP by OCTA beyond June 30, 2018, may not be an option.

The future of OCTAP will be the focus of OCTA and OCCMA over the next six months. Recommendations will be brought before the OCTA Board of Directors in the coming months for discussion and potential action.

As always, city and county elected official input is constructive and welcomed. Thank you for your attention in this matter and please do not hesitate to contact myself or Dave Simpson, OCTA Government Relations, at (714) 560-5570 or dsimpson@octa.net with any questions.

Sincerely,

Michael Hennessey

Chairman

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C: OCTA Board of Directors
 Orange County City Managers
 Mr. Frank Kim, CEO, County of Orange
 OCTAP Steering Committee

Orange County Taxi Administration Program Member Agency Contributions Fiscal Year 2017-18

City	2016 Population	Funding Share	Cost Recovery Based on Funding Share	
Aliso Viejo	50,509	1.59%	\$	2,646.83
Anaheim	358,136	11.25%	\$	18,767.48
Brea	43,710	1.37%	\$	2,290.54
Buena Park	83,347	2.62%	\$	4,367.65
Costa Mesa	114,603	3.60%	\$	6,005.57
Cypress	49,743	1.56%	\$	2,606.69
Dana Point	33,415	1.05%	\$	1,751.05
Fountain Valley	56,714	1.78%	\$	2,972.00
Fullerton	142,457	4.48%	\$	7,465.20
Garden Grove	177,303	5.57%	\$	9,291.25
Huntington Beach	195,212	6.13%	\$	10,229.74
Irvine	258,386	8.12%	\$	13,540.26
Laguna Beach	23,617	0.74%	\$	1,237.61
Laguna Hills	30,681	0.96%	\$	1,607.78
Laguna Niguel	66,142	2.08%	\$	3,466.05
Laguna Woods	16,213	0.51%	\$	849.61
La Habra	62,064	1.95%	\$	3,252.35
Lake Forest	83,910	2.64%	\$	4,397.15
La Palma	16,057	0.50%	\$	841.44
Los Alamitos	11,738	0.37%	\$	615.11
Mission Viejo	96,701	3.04%	\$	5,067.44
Newport Beach	84,270	2.65%		4,416.02
Orange	141,420	4.44%	\$	7,410.86
Placentia	52,263	1.64%	\$	2,738.75
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,516	1.52%		2,542.39
San Clemente	66,245	2.08%	\$	3,471.45
San Juan Capistrano	36,085	1.13%	\$	1,890.97
Santa Ana	342,930	10.77%	\$	17,970.63
Seal Beach	25,078	0.79%	\$	1,314.17
Stanton	39,751	1.25%	\$	2,083.08
Tustin	82,717	2.60%	\$	4,334.64
Villa Park	5,948	0.19%	\$	311.69
Westminster	94,073	2.96%	\$	4,929.73
Yorba Linda	67,637	2.12%	\$	3,544.40
Balance of County (County of Orange)	125,420	3.94%	\$	6,572.41
Totals	3,183,011	100.00%	\$	166,800.00



Office of the Board of Directors

July 5, 2017

Scott C. Stiles, City Manager City of Garden Grove P.O. Box 3070 Garden Grove, CA 92840

Dear City Manager Stiles,

In recent years, California has swung from one of our driest rain seasons to one of our wettest. That kind of variability speaks to the need to maintain a water system that can capture rainfall when nature makes it available so our communities have adequate water in storage for the next drought. That requires the right investments in the right projects to prepare for the future. Such a project will be ready for consideration soon by The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Board of Directors. I want to reach out and provide you some information on the project, known as California WaterFix, so that you understand the importance of this water project.

Overall, about 30 percent of Southern California's water comes from Northern California via the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and the State Water Project. This is our largest imported source of supply, and one of our most cost-effective sources. It helps us refill our reservoirs and groundwater basins. And its very high quality promotes local solutions like recycling and groundwater replenishment.

The State Water Project system has served Southern California well for nearly half a century. But the time to modernize this project and make it more compatible with the Delta environment has come. We have worked with state and federal agencies for more than 10 years to develop a solution. Now we have received key federal permits, and the agency I represent will soon be ready to decide whether to invest in this project.

I believe the cost of inaction will have significant negative consequences for Southern California. The Delta's declining ecosystem and miles of aging levees are increasingly vulnerable. Investing in a Delta solution will help maintain the reliability of our statewide water system. But we all need to understand this project and important financial details before making a firm investment decision. This will be one of the most important water decisions for The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California in a generation.

The enclosed brochure contains more information about the project – the need, the proposal and the benefits. I invite you to learn more about California WaterFix. Please don't hesitate to call if I or my agency can provide any additional information.

Sincerely,

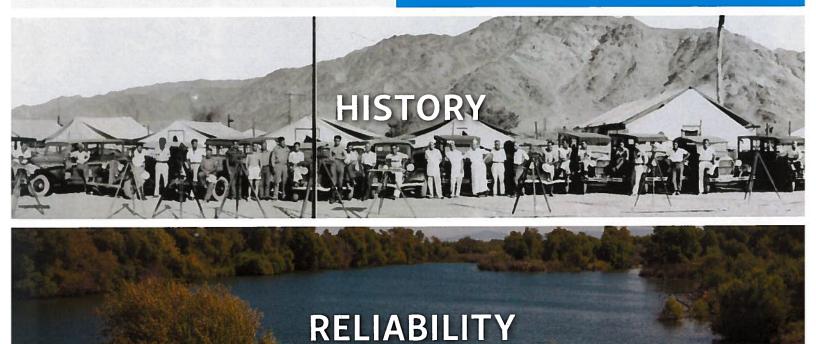
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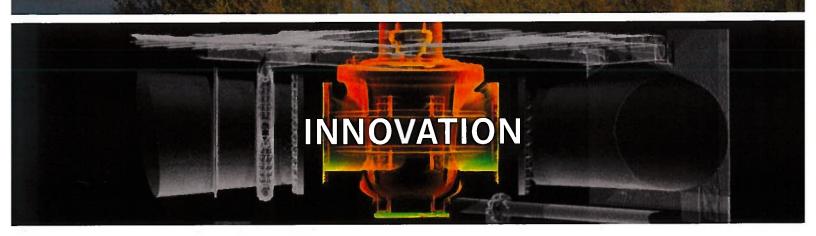
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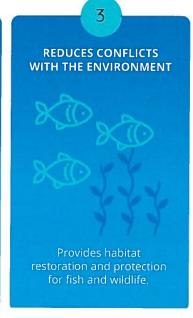


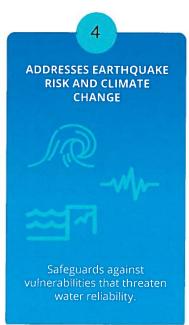
Why California WaterFix is Important

About 30 percent of the water that flows out of taps in Southern California comes from Northern California













California WaterFix: A Plan to Protect Water Supplies and the Delta

Why We Need a Delta Solution

Modernizing and improving the State Water Project system is essential for our region. About 30 percent of the water that flows out of taps in Southern California homes and businesses comes from Northern California watersheds and flows through the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. But the Delta's declining ecosystem and 1,100 miles of levees are increasingly vulnerable to earthquakes, flooding, saltwater intrusion and climate change.

California WaterFix is the comprehensive plan that has been developed over the past 10 years to ensure our state has a reliable water supply for many years to come. This water supply remains one of our most costeffective sources, even with this major new investment. Southern California will be able to meet new demands on our water supply through increased development of local supplies and conservation, provided we maintain our State Water Project imported supplies. These resources are all important ingredients for future supply reliability.

All of the Above Strategy

Metropolitan and its 26 member agencies are committed to meeting the water needs of Southern California's homes and businesses by maintaining and stabilizing existing resources, along with developing more conservation and new local supplies. Modernizing the state's water system in the Delta is a key part of this "All of the Above" strategy.

It all comes down to reliability and meeting demand. Metropolitan needs to maintain imported supplies from Northern California and the Colorado River, and when there is surplus available, store it in reservoirs and groundwater basins for future use. Conservation continues to be essential, in part because lowering water demand increases the amount of water that is available for storage.

*Schedule subject to change, please check mwdh2o.com for updated information

Developing local supplies helps offset imported supply limitations, avoid system costs and meet the demands of our growing population. Finally, Metropolitan invests in innovation in areas like recycled water, desalination, groundwater cleanup and stormwater capture so we have one foot in the future while maintaining reliability today.

Next Steps

In the coming months, Metropolitan and its member agencies will carefully review the benefits of the proposed project before making an historic investment decision. In a series of meetings that are open to the public and will be webcast from our downtown Los Angeles Union Station headquarters, we will examine the proposed financing and operations of this system. Here is the current proposed schedule for board presentations and discussions:

July 10 - Infrastructure

July 25 - Operations

August 14 - Finance/Cost Allocation

August 22* - Metropolitan Board Workshop

September 12* - Vote by Metropolitan Board on California WaterFix

*Tentative. If additional board review time is needed, this schedule will be adjusted.

White papers, presentations and companion fact sheets are being prepared for each of the meetings and will be available on Metropolitan's website through our MWDWaterTomorrow.com portal.

If you and your constituents have questions about water, Metropolitan stands ready to provide answers, share information or conduct briefings to better educate your community about our shared challenges.

Looking Forward





Sound Investments



Stewardship and Sustainability



Regional Benefits



"Southern California is at a crossroads when it comes to our water. We have big challenges ahead. But Metropolitan is working with its member agencies to develop projects, sustainability initiatives and innovative programs to ensure we have a reliable water supply for generations to come."

Chairman Randy Record Metropolitan Board of Directors

TOP PRIORITIES

Refilling Storage

Thanks to a record wet year, Metropolitan will put more water back into our local reservoirs and other storage than in any single previous year, including filling our Diamond Valley Lake in southwest Riverside County. This will help prepare us for future droughts and dry cycles. Investments since 1990 have increased our storage capacity across the region by 13 times.

Local Supplies

Southern California continues to work together to diversify the region's water portfolio and meet the future demands of the area's growing economy and ensure supply reliability in the face of climate change impacts. Metropolitan also is working with the Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts on a proposed water recycling project that could be one of the largest in the world.

Conservation

To make conservation a way of life, Metropolitan and its member agencies funded the nation's largest turf removal and water conservation program. While the turf removal program has ended, many other rebates for water-efficient appliances and irrigation systems are available at bewaterwise.com. The site also offers helpful information about online conservation classes, water-saving tips and resources.

Colorado River

For more than 75 years, Metropolitan has delivered reliable and essential water supplies from the Colorado River. Metropolitan invests in innovative conservation and water transfer programs with farmers in the Imperial and Palo Verde valleys. Currently, Metropolitan and other agencies in the United States and Mexico are working to create unique agreements to better manage the river and balance future competing needs.

The ethic that motivated the creation of Metropolitan was based on leadership and shared ambition. It brought Colorado River water to the Southland 75 years ago in the name of the common good and continues to inspire Metropolitan as it adapts to everchanging circumstances. The mission remains the same – to provide high-quality water and regional benefits to meet future needs in an environmentally and economically responsible way. This underscores Metropolitan's proud legacy and defining principles for a vision that benefits Southern California far into the future

ABOUT METROPOLITAN

The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California is the Southland's water provider for a sixcounty region with a population of 19 million. From the Colorado River Aqueduct, to sustainable water recycling and groundwater replenishment, to today's investments in innovation and conservation -Metropolitan thinks ahead.





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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT WASHINGTON, DC 20410-7000

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

June 15, 2017

The Honorable Bao Nguyen Mayor of Garden Grove 11222 Acacia Parkway Garden Grove, CA 92840-5208

Dear Mayor Nguyen:

I am pleased to inform you of your jurisdiction's Fiscal Year (FY) 2017 allocations for the Office of Community Planning and Development's (CPD) formula programs, which provide funding for housing, community and economic development activities, and assistance for low and moderate-income persons and special need populations across the country. President Trump signed Public Law 115-31 on May 5, 2017, which includes FY 2017 funding for these programs. Your jurisdiction's FY 2017 available amounts are:

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$1,874,072
HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME)	\$487,020
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	\$ 0
Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG)	\$173,899

The timing of enactment of HUD's full fiscal year appropriation has significantly shortened the window available to grantees to submit an Annual Action Plan given the effective submission deadline of **Wednesday**, **August 16**, **2017**. The Department cannot provide relief from this deadline as it has been established pursuant to statute and HUD encourages grantees to expedite efforts to finalize and submit their Annual Action Plans. To assist in this effort, CPD has issued a waiver to reduce the public comment period associated with these plans from 30 to 14 days. Failure to submit an Annual Action Plan by August 16, 2017, will cause a grantee to forfeit its FY 2017 CDBG formula funding allocation. If you have questions or require assistance in preparing and submitting your Annual Action Plan, please contact your responsible CPD office.

This letter highlights several important points related to these programs. We remind grantees that CPD seeks to develop viable communities by promoting integrated approaches that provide decent housing, a suitable living environment, expand economic opportunities for low and moderate income and special needs populations including people living with HIV/AIDS. The primary means towards this end is the development of partnerships among all levels of government and the private sector, including both for-profit and non-profit organizations.

Waiver is available at Waiver of 24 CFR 91.105(b)(4) and 24 CFR 91.115(b)(4) for FY 2017 Action Plans for Community Planning and Development Program Funds

The Department continues to emphasize the importance of effective performance measurements in all its formula grant programs. Proper reporting in the Integrated Disbursement and Information System (IDIS) is critical to ensuring grantees are complying with program requirements and policies; providing demographic and income information about the persons that benefited from a community's activities; and allowing HUD to monitor grantees. Your ongoing attention to ensuring complete and accurate reporting of performance measurement data continues to be an invaluable resource with regard to the impact of these formula grant programs.

The Office of Community Planning and Development is looking forward to working with you to promote simple steps that will enhance the performance of these critical programs and successfully meet the challenges that our communities face. If you or any member of your staff have questions, please contact your local CPD office director.

Sincerely,

Cliff Taffet

General Deputy Assistant Secretary

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July 5, 2017

RE: North Basin Groundwater Cleanup Update

Dear Community Stakeholder:

This correspondence is to inform you that the state of California concurred with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) recommendation to continue the National Priorities Listing (NPL) process in the North Basin. Enclosed, please find the state's letter of support.

Although this was an important milestone in the process, we still have a lot of work to do. The decision now goes to EPA's headquarters for its approval of the regional request.

The overall protection of the Orange County Groundwater Basin is our goal. EPA's assistance is greatly appreciated to help us carry out our important water quality mission. We will continue to keep you apprised of our efforts to clean up our valuable groundwater resource. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (714) 378-8229 or whunt@ocwd.com.

Sincerely,

William T. Hunt

Director of Special Projects

Encl. CalEPA NPL response letter – June 28, 2017

Cc: Orange County Groundwater Producers

Orange County local, state and federal elected officials

Orange County Business Council

Jim Herberg, Orange County Sanitation District



Edmund G. Brown Jr.
Governor
Matthew Rodriquez
Secretary for Environmental Protection

June 28, 2017

Ms. Alexis Strauss
Acting Regional Administrator
United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9
75 Hawthorne Street
San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

Dear Acting Regional Administrator Strauss:

Governor Brown's Office asked me to respond to your letter of May 17, 2017, requesting the State of California's position on the proposed listing of the North Orange County Groundwater Basin (North Basin) on the Superfund National Priorities List (NPL).

Protecting public health, the environment and the reliability of safe drinking water are State priorities and we agree with the United State Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) that threats posed by the contaminated plume in the North Basin must be remediated. The State also supports the principle that polluters should pay to clean up contamination. Listing this site will provide the parties responsible for the contamination in the North Basin with added incentive to develop and fund a cleanup plan for this site. For these reasons, the State concurs with U.S. EPA's proposal to list the site on the NPL.

As you are aware, state and local agencies, including the California Department of Toxic Substances Control, the Santa Ana Regional Water Control Board and the Orange County Water District, have been working independently and in cooperation with U.S. EPA on remediation of the North Basin contamination. These efforts include the Department's remediation of three of the contaminated sites, the Santa Ana Water Board's oversight of remediation at six other contaminated sites, and the Water District's administrative settlement agreement with U.S. EPA to conduct a remedial investigation and feasibility study to address the contamination. The State looks forward to working cooperatively with U.S. EPA to continue these efforts, in conjunction with efforts to compel the responsible parties to conduct and fund a comprehensive remediation of contaminated groundwater in the North Basin site.

Please let us know if you have any questions or if we may be of assistance.

Sincerely.

Matthew Rodriquez

Secretary for Environmental Protection

cc: See next page.

Ms. Alexis Strauss Acting EPA Regional Administrator Page 2

cc: Ms. Kim Craig

Deputy Cabinet Secretary

Office of Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.

Ms. Barbara Lee, Director

California Department of Toxic Substances Control

Mr. Kurt Berchtold, Executive Officer

Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board

Mr. Stephen Sheldon, Director Orange County Water District

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NEWS ARTICLES

GARDEN GROVE

Friends and family helped Garden Grove High seniors celebrate graduation with a commencement June 20 at Bolsa Grande High.



Garden Grove's Class of 2017 arrives for commencement.



Family and friends of Garden Grove High School students line up as they wait to get in.



Liliana Figuero is bursting with happiness as her name is called during Garden Grove High's 95th commencement ceremony.



New Garden Grove High School graduates leave the field in a happy mood.

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HIGH SCHOOL



Garden Grove High School students jubilantly toss their mortarboards at the end of their 20.

The Voice of Garden Grove contest and a bunch of free concerts, too

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If it's summer — lemme check, um, yep, it is! —



Peter Larsen Brainiac

then it's time for the annual Voice of Garden Grove competition in which young singers from the city or its schools sing their way to a

\$500 prize, \$500 for their school's choir program, and bragging rights for the next year.

The annual event sponsored by the Garden Grove Community Foundation kicks off today with the first round of five semifinalists singing before one of the usual free summer concerts held in Eastgate Park in West Garden Grove.

Your hopefuls are Mya Shimizu of Garden Grove High School, Bach Vo of La Quinta High School, Sebastian Andrade of Santiago High School, and Nathan Bena and Andrew Case, both students at Pacifica High School, from which 2016 Voice of Garden Grove winner Kayla Wandelt also came.

They will sing in the preshow at 6 p.m. before L.A.-vation, a U2 tribute band takes the stage at 6:30 p.m.

So technically they can claim to be opening for U2, right? Bono won't mind.

The rest of the competition continues July 20 with Michael Aguirre of Garden Grove High School, Monica Van of La Quinta, Caitlyn Luong of Pacifica, and Alondra Pineda and Aurajazmin Contreras, both of Santiago. They'll open for Jeri Curl, whose Facebook page describes them as the "dopest '80s band on



COURTESY OF VERONICA AVILA

The 2017 Voice of Garden Grove kicks off today when five of the semifinalists will sing before a concert in Eastgate Park. Pictured here are some of the contestants.

the planet — keeping Old-skool alive!"

The following week on July 27, you can watch Constance Maldonado of Garden Grove High School, Yanina Lanfray of Santiago, and Samantha Heston, Xavier Mercado and Ian Decock, all students at Pacifica. Their turn on stage precedes the Suffragettes, an all-girl — who could have guessed? — cover band playing songs from the '70s to today.

And the final round of semifinals lands Aug. 3, when Althessa Jones of Garden Grove High School, Isaac Galeano and Sandra Zavala of Pacifica, and Vanessa Pineda and Huy Tran of Santiago all sing before a show by the Kellye Huff Band, which trades in country music old and new as well as a bit of country gospel if the spirit moves 'em.

The finale, at which the new Voice will be crowned, then arrives Aug. 10, before a show by the Answer, which plays classic rock from the '60s on.

Eastgate Park is located at 12001 St. Mark St. in Garden Grove. The preshows with the Voice of Garden Grove singers start at 6:30 p.m. with the headlining acts booked from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

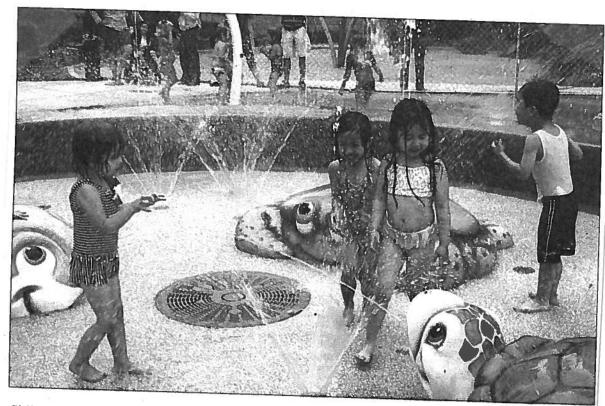
Westminster concert series kicks off

The city of Westminster, meanwhile, is about to kick off its annual free summer concert series, and although you won't get all these kids from the community opening up the shows you can sit out in the twilight and enjoy a similar range of familiar hits

The shows will start July 20 and run for four consecutive Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Civic Center.

The Hodads, who play mostly the music of the Beach Boys, are first in line with a show set for July 20. They'll be followed on July 27 by J.B. and the Big Circle Riders, a country band that plays classic and modern hits.

Then on Aug. 3, Retro Soul arrives to play dance classics, followed by Abbey Road, who play the music of the Beatles — did you really need us to tell you that? — on Aug. 10.



Courtesy photo

Children cool off at the Splash Pad at Atlantis Play Center in Garden Grove.

Garden Grove leaders: Parks make life better

City's recreational facilities will open for free on July 28

The National Recreation and Recreation Center, 13641 Deo-Park Association, California Park and Recreation Society, and the City of Garden Grove proclaim July as Parks Make Life Better Month.

In celebration, several Garden Grove recreation facilities will have free admission on Friday, July 28.

The Garden Grove Sports and

dara Drive, will host an open gym from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Atlantis Play Center, 13630 Atlantis Way, offers free admission from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Atlantis Play Center is a children's themed park, with iconic play pieces like the 30-feet dragon slide and the Splash Pad water play area.

Swim for free from 1:45 p.m. garden-grove.org.

to 3:15 p.m., at Gary Hall Pool (Eastgate Park), 12001 St. Mark St.; Magnolia Park Pool, 11402 Magnolia St.; and Woodbury Park Pool, 13800 Rosita Place.

All of the free open houses do not require registration. For more information, contact the city's recreation division at 714-741-5200 or visit the city's website at www.

Orange County News July 12, 2017

Fatal accident

A 71-year-old bicyclist was killed after he was hit by a car in the 12700 block of Buaro Street on July 3.

When officers arrived on scene, the man was trapped underneath the Hyundai Accent that had hit him, authorities said.

Officers and residents helped lift the vehicle and pull the victim out from underneath the car, which had crashed into two additional parked vehicles,

Authorities began life-saving measures and were later relieved by Garden Grove Paramedics.

Eliseo Quiroz of Garden Grove was transported to UCI Medical Center and pronounced dead at 5:28 pim.

Drugs and alcohol do not appear to be a factor at this point in the investigation.

The driver remained on scene and was not cited or arrested. The accident is still under investigation.

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'Wedding Singer' showing at Gem



The Gem Theater's "The Wedding Singer" is wowing audiences. Here, Julia (Hannah Clair) and Robbie (Edgar Andrew Torrens) perform Grow Old With You. For information about the play, plus a review, see page 6.

'The Wedding Singer'

rocks audiences at Gem Theatre

Play, based on popular movie, runs through July 23

By Angela Hatcher

Whether you are a fan of the Adam Sandler/Drew Barrymore smash hit, a throwback from the of "totally" vivacious and high spirited entertainment, One More Productions' "The Wedding Singer" is one of the most

"The Wedding Singer"

The Gem Theatre 12852 Main St.. **Garden Grove** Call 714-741-9550, ext 221 www.onemoreproductions.com

Runs through July 23

fun musicals ever to grace The Gem Theatre's luminous stage, and fans are loving it.

OMP's seasoned production '80s, or a passionate devotee team, Jon Hyrkas, lighting designer, Larry Watts, costume designer, and Wally Huntoon, set designer, has transformed the Gem's intimate space into an implausibly vivid, multicolored rock 'n roll club vibe making the show's ambiance a star in its own right - and that's just for starters.

Kicking it off with choreography so complex that it took four choreographers to find the perfect balance between the synchronicity of the sets, lighting, musical cues, and costuming, Choreographers Shauna Bradford, Heather Smith, Alan Collins, and Katie Marshall send the high-voltage ensemble soaring through retro moves that has the audience practically jumping out of their seats.

The romantic comedy is a frivolous delight about love and never pretends to be anything other than a fun ride.

Talented Edgar Andrew Tor-

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Holly (Nicole Cassesso), front, in wedding dress, leads the company in a dance number during a scene in "The Wedding Singer."

rens portrays Robbie Hart, the look-a-like, Cassesso's bubble New Jersey rocker "wannabe" and lead singer of his band who. along with his fellow musicians. George (Peter Crisafulli) and Sammy (Tim Miller), has made a name for himself as a popular wedding singer.

Ironically, Robbie gets jilted by his trashy fiancée, Linda (Brianna Garmon), and Robbie finds himself down in the dumps newly-engaged waitress, Julia (Hannah Clair) comes along.

Torrens and Clair are very strong leads, and the individual cast members all give stunning performances, but it is Holly (Nicole Cassesso, producer) who adds the funny in funny bone.

As a gorgeous material girl great number.

gum popping Holly steals the limelight from the talented en- energetic, fast many extravasemble, and Holly's lead into "Saturday Night in the City" and "Right in Front of Your Eyes" duet with Sammy (Miller) tops the charts.

Bad boy and Wall Street mogul Glen Guglia (Lawrence Havelka) struts his stuff in a polyester suit kind-of-way that smells of dirty (literally!) until the sweet, but rat no matter how he wears it, and Havelka digs into his character with sheer abandon.

Potty-mouthed Grandma Rosie (Shannon Page) has a few surprising tricks up her sleeve. "Single," featuring Sammy and an all-male ensemble, is a song and dance dream. Robbie and Julia's "If I Told You" is another

Director/Musical Director Damien Lorton has composed an ganza that explodes on the stage like a July fireworks show seen for the first time. Under Lorton's baton, the band drives the 80's style music while keeping a nice balance with the cast.

Not that long ago, One More Productions began as nothing more than a dream for Damier Lorton and Nicole Cassesso and their idea has grown into one of the top community theaters around.

With comfortable seating, fine entertainment, beer and wine beverages, and a variety of good ies at the Gem's snack shack The Gem Theatre on Historic Main Street makes for a real of a theater experience.

Night out at Angel Stadium = awesome

Editor mingles with locals at OC venue

By Brady Rhoades

I went to my first Angels game of the season recently - the Halos were playing Seattle — and it was a delight, per usual.

No, I didn't get to see future Hall-of-Famer Mike Trout; he's out with a thumb injury.

But Mike Scioscia is managing a pretty good team. Not loaded with talent, yet still playing .500 ball and in the race for a Wild Card berth.

Orange County's team plays the way it's played since winning the World Series in 2002: aggressively. The Angels lead the American League in stolen bases and in baserunners going from first to third.

Right fielder Kole Calhoun is getting into rhythm after a slow start. DH Albert Pujols doesn't have the power he once had (he's 37), but he's still slammed 12 dingers and knocked in 53 runs before the All-Star break. Andrelton Simmons is developing into a

solid shortstop.

And Angel Stadium continues to be the best place in America to catch a game. Great food, diverse menu. Clean. Easy entrance and exit. Classy fans. Fair prices (we spent \$20 a ticket on seats in the left-field bleachers, where you can see everything). Fun fireworks. Oh, and if you tailgate, you don't have to worry about fights or beer bottles crashing near your

car. It's safe.

I met locals from Westminster, Garden Grove, Tustin and Orange while there. They are avid fans. They go to 10 to 15 games a year. They want no part of the parking mess at Dodger Stadium. They're local yokels all the way.

"Halos or bust!" said a Garden Grove woman, who asked that I use only her first name: Eva.

Trout took batting practice, which is a good sign. Before getting injured on a head-first slide, he was having the season of his life, which is saying something considering he's won two MVP awards at the tender age of 25.

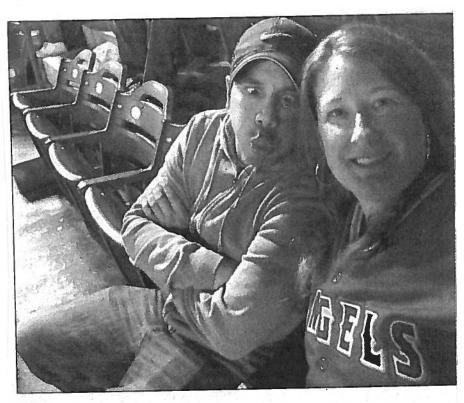
For decades, going back to the 1980s, my father and I attended a few Dodgers game every summer. We loved the Dodgers, but our second favorite team was the Angels. As he got into his 70s, we switched to Angels games. It was cleaner, safer and more convenient (he lived in Claremont).

I live in Fullerton, so it's really convenient for me.

I still love the Dodgers and the Angels the way a father loves his two sons - equally - but like the locals I met, I'm a yokel all the way.

Halos or bust!

Brady Rhoades is the editor. He can be reached at brhoades@ localnewspapers.org.



This Orange County couple goes to 10 or 15 Angels games a year.

Orange County News July 12, 2017

Boy Scouts hoist Old Glory



Garden Grove Scout Troop No. 288 held its annual flag-raising at its stake at 12160 Valley View St. in Garden Grove last week. Shown here are Scouts and Scout leaders before the flag-raising.

ON THEATER | TOM TITUS

A high-voltage 'Wedding Singer'

nsemble excellence
— critical in any
musical theater
show — becomes particularly evident in "The Wedding Singer," the latest
offering from One More
Productions at Garden
Grove's Gem
Theatre.

Behind its simple

romantic plot, also quite nicely interpreted by director-musical director Damien Lorton, is a panoply of dance movements so complex they required four choreographers to create.

These fleet-footed background performers lend enormous support to the romantic comedy involving a wedding singer and a waitress, each engaged to others at their initial encounter, who somehow discover each other.

They also discover the musical decade of the 1980s, the era which first produced the movie on which the stage version is based. The '80s references abound in the Gem production, even sparking a "best' 80s outfit" contest for audience members on opening night.

The title role of Robbie Hart is taken at the Gem by Edgar Andrew Torrens, a multi-talented performer who revs up this vintage storyline with his energy and enthusiasm. His dramatic skills surface in his



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Lisa Scarsi

IF YOU GO

What: "The Wedding

Singer"
When: Till July 23; 8 p.m.
Thursdays through
Saturdays and 2 and 8 p.m.
Sundays
Where: Gem Theater, 12852
Main St., Garden Grove
Cost: \$40
Information: (714)
741-9550, Ext. 221, or visit
onemoreproductions.com

plaintive solo "Somebody Kill Me."

The waitress, Julia, who's uncertain about her impending marriage and gravitates toward Robbie, is beautifully enacted by Hannah Clair, who pours out her hopes and dreams in her number "Someday." Clair and Torrens combine their musical and comedic talents in the duet "Come

Out of the Dumpster."

Nicole Cassesso, the show's producer and the company's executive director, takes a wild turn on stage as the hot-to-trot Holly, who vainly pursues Robbie and headlines a terrific first-act closing number, "Saturday Night in the City."

Julia's erstwhile fiance, impishly christened Glen Guglia, gets a cool, mercenary interpretation from Lawrence Havelka. The waitress invokes shudders when she imagines herself as "Julia Guglia."

Robbie's backup musicians are enthusiastically rendered by Tim Miller and Peter Crisafulli, the latter leaving no doubt that he prefers his vice versa.

Brianna Garmon has some fine comic moments as Robbie's former fiancee, while Shannon Page and Claire Perry have some fun with older characterizations.

Wally Huntoon's wideopen setting allows plenty of room for the complicated choreography fashioned by Shauna Bradford, Heather Smith, Alan Collins and stage manager Kātie Marshall. These four enrich the overall effect with their swift and smoothly executed movements.

Jon Hyrkas' flashy lighting design electrifies the show, but too frequently illuminates the audience as well, thus producing the opposite of the intended reaction. Larry Watts' costumes hold true to the period of three decades past.

"The Wedding Singer" is an upbeat example of a bygone era of musical theater, rich in interpretation and energy in this robust revival at the Gem Theater.

TOM TITUS reviews local theater.

Orange County News July 7, 2017

GG, Stanton locals celebrate July 4



Photo by Dave Smithson

Stanton and Garden Grove residents celebrated Independence Day earlier this week, in their own style. There are no fireworks shows in the cities, so residents lighted up their own safe and sane fireworks (and some illegal ones, unfortunately), and some watched the nearby fireworks show at Disneyland.



Photo by Brády Rhoades From left, owner Susan Nguyen and waitress Halena Nguyen of Mama Tied's, which recently held its grand opening at 10130 Garden Grove Blvd. in Garden Grove, get ready to serve a bevy of customers. Yelp reviewers are giving the upscale eatery rave reviews. For photos of Mama Tieu's delicious dishes, see page 12.

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Summertime is swim time at Garden Grove pools

Hundreds of children have fun while learning water safety

By Loreen Berlin

It's summertime, and the temperature is rising outside. What better way to cool off than in a nice big swimming pool?

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There's recreational swim time and lesson time.

Enjoying some recreational swimming this week were brothers Phyodore, 4, and Phoelyx, 6, who were accompanied by their father, Patrick Lu of Garden Grove.

"This is my first time this year to be at the pool, but the boys have been here before with their mom," said Lu. "The pool is really safe because the lifeguards watch out for the kids and tell them, 'No

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running,' and give them proper discipline.

Also enjoying recreational swimming was Xander, 8, whose Westminster grandmother, Sandra Aarvig said she sees that he gets pool time every day so he keeps busy during the summer.

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From left, Phyodore, Phoelyx and Xander cool off at the Gary Hall swimming pool.

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Garden Grove

The Police Department issued 48 fines of \$1,000 for possession or use of illegal flreworks on Tuesday, officials said. The department, with 28 extra officers on hand, had 275 calls for service. There was at least one fire, officials said.

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> Register July 7, 2017

Garden Grove

The Tuesday City Council meeting has been canceled. The next meeting is set for 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, July 25, in Council Chambers. The Tuesday, Aug. 8, meeting has also been canceled. Information: 714-741-5040.

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Register
July 8, 2017

Garden Grove

The Garden Grove Unified School District board recently hired a new assistant superintendent of special education and student services. Valerie Shedd is replacing Lorraine Rae, who retired after 17 years in the district.

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Register
July 10, 2017

Garden Grove

The H. Louis Lake Senior Center, 11300 Stanford Ave., is the city's designated public cooling center during forecasted high-heat days. During those days, including weekends, the public can hang out at the center from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Register
July 11, 2017

Garden Grove

The Police Department's Accident Reduction Team will conduct a 10-hour bicyclist and pedestrian operation on July 28. The team will patrol for bicyclists and pedestrians who do not follow traffic safety rules.

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> Register July 12, 2017

Garden Grove

The city's cable division, Garden Grove TV3, recently won an Emmy Award for video production in the informational/instructional category at the 43rd annual Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards. It's the city's first Emmy.

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> Register July 13, 2017

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Orange County News July 5, 2017

ORDINANCE NO. 2884
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE ESTABLISHING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY FOR PARAMEDIC SERVICES THAT MUST BE RAISED BY AN AD VALOREM TAX OVERRIDE AND THE SETTING OF THE TAX RATE OF SAID OVERRIDE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: In June 1974, over sixty percent

SECTION 1: In June 1974, over sixty percent (60%) of the Garden Grove voters approved an ad valorem tax override to provide emergency medical care service (Paramedic Services) to the community and thereby incurring a debt consisting of personnel and equipment payment obligations.

SECTION 2: Property taxes for indebtedness approved by the voters prior to July 1, 1978, are authorized pursuant to Section 93 of the Revenue and Taxation

Code.

SECTION 3: The City Council of the City of Garden Grove hereby declares it is necessary to raise an estimated \$9,800,968 through the use of an ad valorem tax override on the taxable property within the City of Garden Grove to maintain and pay for the emergency medical care services. Such indebtedness to be paid includes personnel salaries, training costs, equipment purchases, and maintenance of all equipment acquired previously for paramedic services purpose.

SECTION 4: The tax rate for the authorized ad valorem tax override as approved by voters of all assessable real and personal property for the Fiscal Year 2017-18 shall be 8.0 cents (\$.080) per one-hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation, using as a basis the value of the property as assessed and equalized by the County of Orange, State of California, and shown on the

2017-18 assessment roll of said county.

SECTION 5: This ordinance shall exclude from Section 4 annexations of assessable, real and personal property to the City of Garden Grove after July 1, 1978, indicated by the listing on the attached document designated Exhibit "A".

SECTION 6: Severability If any section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, word, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, word, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, sentences, clauses, phrases, words, or portions thereof be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 7: The Mayor shall sign and the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Ordinance and shall cause the same, or the summary thereof. to be published and posted pursuant to the provisions of law and this Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after adoption.

The foregoing Ordinance was passed by the City Council of the City of Garden Grove on the 27th day of June 2017.

ATTEST: /s/ STEVEN R. JONES MAYOR	9.			
/s/ TERESA POMEROY. CMC CITY CLERK				
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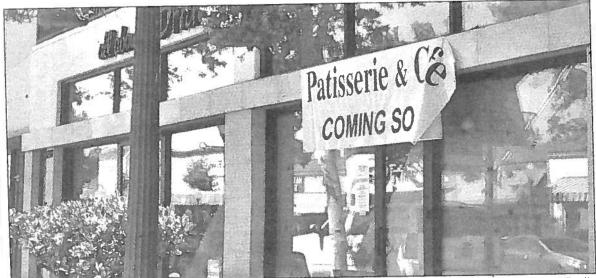


Photo by Loreen Berlin

A new eatery will open soon on Historic Main Street.

Summer concerts

The community is invited to attend the free Summer Concert Series, starting July 6 through Aug. 10, at Eastgate Park, 12001 St. Mark St. A total of six concerts will be held Thursday nights, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Kicking-off the series is Stone Soul, playing classic Motown hits.

The first concert also celebrates July as Parks Make Life Better Month. Concert-goers are encouraged to arrive at 5:30 p.m. to participate in free activities, hosted by the city's Community Services Department. The activities include carnival games, air brush tattoos, bouncers, blow-up obstacle courses, and giveaways. Attendees can also get a sneak peek at some of the fun recreational classes offered this summer through the Garden Grove Parks and Recreation Guide.

Various vendors will be selling food, beverages, and dessert. Food trucks will also be on site, including OC Burger Monster and 3 In 1, which specializes in popcorn chicken, ice cream, churros, and other delicacy foods.

For the safety and enjoyment of all, no canopies or golf carts permitted in the park.

The 2017 free Summer Concert Series is sponsored by the Garden Grove Community Foundation, City of Garden Grove, AT&T, GKN Aerospace, and Republic Services.

For more information about the free Summer Concert Series, call 714-741-5200.

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

June 30, 2017

City of Garden Grove Community and Economic Development Department 11222 Acacia Parkway Garden Grove, CA 92840 (714) 741-5206

On or about July 10, 2017, the City of Garden Grove will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the release of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93–383), to undertake a multiyear project in the City's Five Year Consolidated Plan (Fiscal 2017 – Fiscal 2019) known as the Small Business Assistance Loan Program.

The Small Business Assistance Loan Program provides, on a citywide basis, a loan of up to \$25,000 to eligible Garden Grove businesses. Loans have a maximum term of 5 years and an interest rate equal to the current US Prime Rate, plus up to an additional 5%. Loan funds may be used for minor interior/exterior rehabilitation, purchase of equipment, or working capital. The City has budgeted \$100,000 in Fiscal 2017-18 in CDBG funds to assist 4 businesses. Over a three-year period from Fiscal 2017-18 through Fiscal 2019-20, the City estimates the use of \$300,000 in CDBG monies for the Program that will assist approximately 15 businesses. In exchange for the loaned funds, each participating business must create at least 1 full-time employee job for a low-moderate income Garden Grove resident.

The activity proposed is categorically excluded under HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58 from National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requirements and was published on June 30, 2017. In accordance with Section 58.15, a tiered review process has been structured, whereby some environmental laws and authorities have been reviewed and studied for the intended program listed above. Other applicable environmental laws and authorities will be complied with, when individual projects are ripe for review. Specifically, the Small Business Assistance Loan Program has been studied and found to be in compliance with the following laws and authorities that have been established in this Tier 1 review: Airport Hazards, Clean Air Act, Sole Source Aquifers, Coastal Barriers Resource Act, and Coastal Zone Management Act, Farmlands Protection, Wetlands Protection, Endangered Species, Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 and Environmental Justice. In the Tiered 2 review, compliance with the following environmental laws and authorities will take place for proposed projects funded under the programs listed above: Historic Preservation, Floodplain Management, Flood Insurance, Contamination and Toxic Substances. Should individual aggregate projects exceed the threshold for categorical exclusion detailed at Section 58.35(a), an Environmental Assessment will be completed and a separate Finding of No Significant Impact and Request for Release of Funds published. An Environmental Review Record (ERR) that documents the environmental determinations for this project is on file at the City of Garden Grove Community and Economic Development Department, Neighborhood Improvement Division at City Hall, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, CA 92840 and the Garden Grove Regional Library, 11200 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92840 and may be examined or copied weekdays 8:00 a.rn. to 5:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the City of Garden Grove Community and Economic Development Department. All comments received by July 7, 2017, will be considered by the City of Garden Grove prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFIC.4TION

The City of Garden Grove certifies to HUD that Allison Wilson, in her capacity as Certifying Officer consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. HUD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of Garden Grove to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of funds and the City of Garden Grove's certification for a period of 15 days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of Garden Grove; (b) the City of Garden Grove has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by HUD; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Section 58.76) and shall be addressed to HUD Office of Community Planning and Development, 300 N. Los Angeles Street, Suite 4054, Los Angeles, California 90012. Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Scott C. Stiles City Manager

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Firefighters raise \$\$\$ to fight Muscular Dystrophy

"Fill the Boot" fundraiser raises thousands for cause

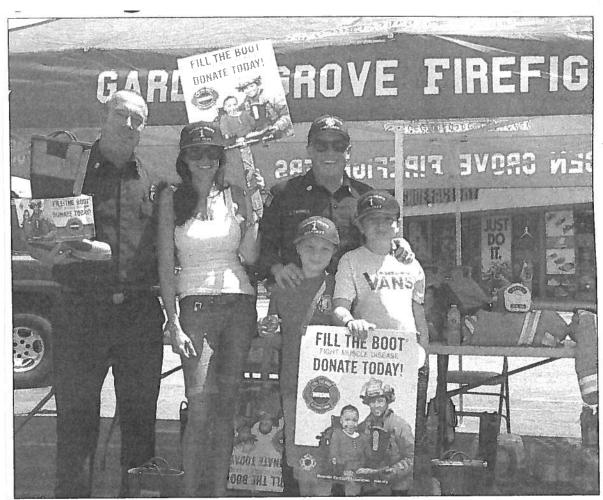


Photo by Loreen Berlin

Garden Grove firefighters participate in the annual "Fill the Boot" project Saturday that helps fund a Summer Camp in the City of Orange for children with Muscular Dystrophy. From left, in the back, are Capt. Steve Fellner, Battalion Chief Justin Truhill and Truhill's wife, Tami. In front, from left, are the Truhills' sons, Cooper and Gavin.

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By Loreen Berlin

About 25 Garden Grove firefighters from Local No. 2005 walked in the crosswalks and worked the crowds of drivers at Harbor Boulevard and Chapman Avenue Saturday to "Fill the Boot" with money, an annual fundraiser for the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

After four hours, they donated nearly \$7,000 to MDA Area

Director Liz Denny.

Battalion Chief Tustin Truhill's son Gavin, 10, has been affected by MD and has been helped by the Association. He was on site Saturday to help hand out junior firefighter stickers to children whose parents donated to the cause, along with carrying a donation sign on the sidewalk with his brother, Cooper, 9.

People walking on the sidewalks stopped to ask what the money would be used for and then dug into their pockets and donated money. One man didn't speak English but managed to convey he wanted to donate money, which he did. Another family with small children walking toward the firefighters' pop-up tent also asked questions and then put money in the firefighters'

boot.

Truhill and his family were out to help with the fundraiser and recently Truhill and his sons each shaved their heads for the St. Baldrick Foundation. Shaving their heads was a way to raise money for childhood cancer research and shows solidarity with children who are fighting cancer and have lost their hair.

"I've been doing the MD fundraiser for as long as I've been employed by the Garden Grove Fire Department, 18-years, and my sons, Gavin and Cooper, have helped for about five years, along with my wife Tami," said Truhill. "I like to teach my sons the gift of community service and helping non-profits."

Capt. Steve Fellner said he's been helping for the 17 years he's been with the Garden Grove Fire Department. The department started the project in 1954.

"It's through the generosity of drivers that we can do this," said Fellner. "One person donated two, \$100 bills and some donate the change from their ashtray and we get tons of \$5 bills."

"This fundraiser is a humbling experience," said Denny.

"People give who don't have a lot of money and from my position, I'm proud to walk for MDA because they're committed to finding a cure and helping

individuals live unlimited lives to the fullest at the camp."

Denny said the International Association of Fire Fighters is MDA's largest sponsor.

"They have raised hundreds

of millions of dollars over the past 60 years in addition to daily protecting the community," said Denny. "And then they go above and beyond to support kids and adults with MD."

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The King is alive and well, on Main Street



From left, former Azteca Restaurant J.J. Jauregia, an Elvis statue, current Azteca owner Jennifer Stewart an Elvis impersonator gather on Main Street before last year's Elvis Festival. This year's festival takes place on Aug. 27.

Garden Grove

The City Council this week presented a Community Spotlight to 7 Leaves Café known locally as the Vietnamese Starbucks — for winning the 2017 Family-Owned Business of the Year Award from the Santa Ana office of the U.S. Small Business Administration.

Chris Haire 714-796-6979 chaire@scng.com

> Register June 30, 2017

Garden Grove

Miss Garden Grove Teen Hannah Archer won a preliminary talent round Tuesday at the Miss California and Miss California Teen competition. She receives a \$150 scholarship. The finals were to be held Friday.

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> Register July 1, 2017

Garden Grove

The City Council recently declared July as "Parks Make Life Better!" month to encourage its residents to enjoy Westminster's parks and recreation programs. Nationally, July is known as Parks and Recreation Month.

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> Register July 3, 2017

Garden Grove

The Police Department will have extra officers patrolling areas of the city that frequently have motorists driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol from 4 p.m. today to 2 a.m. Wednesday.

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> Register July 4, 2017

Garden Grove

The City Council recently declared July as "Parks Make Life Better" Month to encourage its residents to enjoy Garden Grove's various parks and recreation programs. Nationally, July is known as Parks and Recreation Month.

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> Register July 5, 2017

Garden Grove

Officer Brian Hatfield and the Police Department's Homeless Task Force will give a presentation on the city's homeless population at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday at the Courtyard Center, 12732 Main St. The Garden Grove Neighborhood Association is hosting the presentation.

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Register July 6, 2017



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Public Affairs Coordinator

Orange County Mosquito and Vector Control District

Maria Stipe (714) 741-5106 Garden Grove Deputy City Manager

Wednesday, July 12, 2017

MOSQUITO INFECTED WITH WEST NILE VIRUS FOUND IN GARDEN GROVE

The Orange County Mosquito and Vector Control District (OCMVCD) has confirmed and informed Garden Grove City officials of the first mosquito sample infected with the West Nile virus (WNV) in Garden Grove. The mosquitoes were collected in mosquito traps at the West Street Basin, in the vicinity of West Street and Chapman Avenue.

OCMVCD inspectors will be closely monitoring the area for any additional findings. District teams will be posting public health advisories in the area and alerting residents to the detection of WNV, and offering information on preventative measures against mosquitoes and WNV.

The City of Garden Grove encourages the community to take extra steps to protect themselves from mosquitoes, especially from dawn to dusk when mosquitoes are most active.

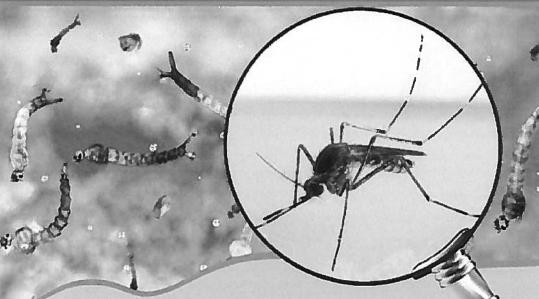
According to the OCMVCD, the first mosquito sample to test positive for WNV in Orange County this year, was on June 15, in the city of La Habra.

More information on WNV, safeguards, and links to the OCMVCD and other health agencies, can be found on the City's website at www.garden-grove.org.

PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY







Follow these recommendations to protect yourself and your community:

- · Dump or drain any standing water
- · Repair window and door screens
- · Apply repellent when outdoors
- Avoid spending time outdoors at dawn or dusk
- Report mosquitoes, dead birds, neglected swimming pools, ponds, and fountains



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AVISO BAN TƯ VẤN Y TẾ CÔNG CỘNG



El virus del Nilo Occidental ha sido detectado en esta área.



Vi-rút West Nile đã thu thập được ở khu vực này.



Sigue estas recomendaciones para protegerse a si y a su comunidad:

Hãy làm theo các khuyến nghị này để bảo vệ bạn và gia

- Vacíe o drene cualquier agua estancada
 Loại bỏ và để ráo bất cứ chỗ nước đọng nào
- Repare las pantallas de la ventana y de la puerta Sửa lưới cửa ra vào và cửa sổ
- Use repelente cuando esté al aire libre
 Thoa thuốc chống muỗi khi ra ngoài trời
- Evite pasar tiempo al aire libre al amanecer o al atardecer
 Tránh dành thời gian ra ngoài trời vào buổi bình minh hoặc
- Reporte piscinas abandonadas, estanques y fuentes
 Báo cáo muỗi, chim chết, hồ bơi, ao,
 và đài phun nước bị bỏ hoang



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Tuesday, July 11, 2017

HEAVIER TRAFFIC AND ROAD CLOSURES DURING MUSIC FESTIVAL

Beginning Saturday, August 5, through Sunday, August 6, the High and Mighty Music Festival will take place at Village Green Park, at 12732 Main Street in Garden Grove. During the two-day festival, heavier traffic is anticipated in the immediate area. Motorists are asked to plan accordingly to avoid delays.

The following streets will be closed on Saturday, August 5, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m., and Sunday, August 6, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.:

- Main Street, northbound lane, between Acacia Parkway to Euclid Street
- Acacia Parkway, between Euclid Street and Grove Street
- Grove Street, northbound traffic

No parking will be enforced on the following streets, from Saturday, August 5, at 8:00 a.m., to Sunday, August 6, at 12:00 a.m.:

- Acacia Parkway, from Euclid Street to Nelson Street
- Main Street, from Acacia Parkway to Stanford Avenue
- Grove Street

Areas affected by the no parking restrictions will be posted with "NO PARKING" signs. Residents and businesses will be notified in advance. Access will be made available to area residents.

Heavier Traffic and Road Closures During Music Festival 2-2-2

The producers of the High and Mighty Music Festival are hosting a community meeting next Tuesday, July 18, at 7:00 p.m., at the Garden Grove Courtyard Center, located at 12732 Main Street. The community is invited to attend the Q & A session.

For detailed information on event road closures, no parking zones, and concert parking, visit www.garden-grove.org/high-mighty. The webpage will be constantly updated with new information as plans are finalized.

For more information about the High and Mighty Music Festival, visit www.highandmightyfest.com or email hello@LFA.io.

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Tuesday, July 11, 2017

L.A. VATION PERFORMS IN GARDEN GROVE

This Thursday, July 13, Garden Grove welcomes L.A.vation to the free Summer Concert Series. L.A.vation, known for their talent to replicate U2's music and look, takes the stage from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., at Eastgate Park, located at 12001 St. Mark Street.

Arrive early, at 6:00 p.m., to watch the 6th annual The Voice of Garden Grove, a singing competition for local high school students. Performers from the Garden Grove Unified School District will compete for a spot in the finals, on Thursday, August 10, for a chance to win \$500 and the title "The Voice of Garden Grove 2017." Another \$500 will be donated to the winner's high school's choir department. Performing this week are students from Garden Grove, Pacifica, La Quinta, and Santiago High Schools.

Concert goers are encouraged to download the City's free mobile app to receive a unique giveaway during the concert at the Garden Grove Community Foundation booth, while supplies last. The free app is available on iOS and Android devices. Look for "Garden Grove" in the phone's app store.

Various vendors will be selling food, beverages, and dessert. Food trucks at this week's concert include 3 In 1 and Fun-O-Cakes.

For the safety and enjoyment of all, no canopies or golf carts.

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Services.

L.A.vation Performs in Garden Grove 2-2-2

A complete listing of the 2017 Summer Concert Series follows:

July 13, L.A.vation (Tribute to U2)
July 20, Jeri Curl (80's Funk with tributes to Michael Jackson and Prince)
July 27, The Suffragettes (Today's Top 40's Hits)
August 3, The Kellye Huff Band (Modern Country)
August 10, The Answer (Classic Rock)

For more information about the free Summer Concert Series, visit www.ggcf.com or call (714) 741-5200.

For photos and live footage of the series, visit the Garden Grove Community

Foundation on Facebook at www.facebook.com/GGCF.1998 or search for

#ggsummerconcerts or #voiceofgg.



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Kim Huy (714) 741-5200

Community Services Director

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

CITY'S GARDEN GROVE TV3 WINS FIRST EMMY

The City's Garden Grove TV3 (GGTV3) cable division was recently honored with its first Emmy Award, and other top state and national awards for various video productions.

GGTV3 took home the Emmy Award in the Informational/Instructional category for its video production, "District Elections in Garden Grove," at the 43rd Annual Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards in San Diego, on June 24, 2017.

GGTV3 has received five Emmy nominations from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Pacific Southwest Chapter over the past four years.

Pacific Southwest Emmy Awards recognize excellence in the television industry in the San Diego, Las Vegas, Palm Springs, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Santa Maria, and Bakersfield television markets, including Orange County.

GGTV3 also received first place in Overall Excellence at the 21st Annual STAR Awards at Disney's Grand Californian Hotel & Spa in Anaheim, on May 11, 2017.

The team also won First Place for its video productions, "Garden Grove Animal Care Services" and "Garden Grove is Placemaking."

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The STAR Awards were presented by the National Association of Telecommunications Officers and Advisors (NATOA), a non-profit organization that recognizes local government agencies for excellence in broadcast, cable, multimedia, and electronic programming.

GGTV3, part of the City's Office of Community Relations, plays an important role in supporting City departments, and in the City's efforts to inform and entertain Garden Grove viewers and regional audiences. Full-time senior staff, Jeff Davis and Marie Moran produce a number of videos, news stories, and Public Service Announcements, as well as live broadcasts of all City Council meetings through YouTube, Spectrum Cable on Channel 3, and on AT&T and Verizon Fios systems.

Earlier this month, GGTV3's YouTube Channel hit a milestone 3 million views.

To view GGTV3's award-winning videos, visit www.youtube.com/GardenGroveTV3.

For more information, please visit www.garden-grove.org/commserv/ggtv3.

Marie Moran, Jeff Davis "GG TV3 Wins First Emmy"





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CalHOME Program Administrator

Matt Callahan (562) 391-6453

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Thursday, July 6, 2017

CITY OFFERING FIRST-TIME HOME BUYER AND HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS

The City of Garden Grove is offering First-Time Homebuyer and Home

Improvement programs for manufactured housing in Garden Grove until October 1,

2017. The program is funded by CalHOME through the California Department of

Housing and Community Development.

The First Time Homebuyer program assists low-income applicants purchasing their first home. In order to qualify for the program, the applicant cannot have owned a home in the past three years and must: purchase a manufactured home in Garden Grove; occupy the manufactured home throughout the life of the loan; attend a Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) approved Homebuyer Education Program; occupy the manufactured home throughout the life of the loan; and meet the program income requirements. The home purchase price cannot exceed \$120,000.

The City is also offering six, free, 8-hour, HUD approved, homebuyer workshops for anyone interested in the First Time Homebuyer program.

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City Offering First-Time Home Buyer and Home Improvement Programs 2-2-2

Workshops will be held at the City's Courtyard Center, 12732 Main Street, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on the following dates in 2017: July 29 and September 9. You can register for the workshops at http://www.homeingardengrove.org.

The Home Improvement program assists low-income applicants to rehabilitate their manufactured home. In order to qualify for the program, the home must be a manufactured home in Garden Grove. The applicant must occupy the manufactured home throughout the life of the loan and meet current income requirements. All repair/rehabilitation work must meet Garden Grove Municipal Code and Uniform Building Code standards. At a minimum, imminent health and safety hazards must be eliminated, as determined by the sole discretion of the City.

For more information, please call (714) 741-5144 or visit http://www.homeingardengrove.org/.



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Thursday, July 6, 2017

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS CANCELLED ON JULY 11 AND AUGUST 8

On Tuesday, July 11, 2017, and Tuesday, August 8, 2017 the Garden Grove City Council and Successor Agency meetings are going dark and will meet as regularly scheduled on July 25, 2017, and August 22, 2017, along with the regularly scheduled meetings for the Housing Authority and the Sanitary District Board, for more information, please contact the City Clerk's office at (714) 741-5040 or visit the City's website at www.ci.garden-grove.ca.us

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CONTACT: Dana Saucedo (714) 741-5253

H. Louis Lake Senior Center

Thursday, July 6, 2017

SENIOR CENTER OFFERS PUBLIC COOLING PLACE DURING SUMMER

Soaring temperatures can be especially dangerous to seniors and children, especially if homes have no air conditioning. To offer some relief from the high temperatures, the H. Louis Lake Senior Center will serve as a public cooling center this Saturday, July 8, when temperatures are forecasted to reach 95 degrees Fahrenheit and above. The Center is located at 11300 Stanford Avenue.

During the months of July and August, on forecasted high-heat days, the cooling center will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., including weekends.

All ages are welcome to enjoy the Center's air-conditioned accommodations during extremely hot weather. Food will not be available at the Center, but visitors may bring their own meals and dine inside the Center.

For more information, please call the H. Louis Lake Senior Center at (714) 741-5253 during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Thursday, July 6, 2017

CITY CELEBRATES PARKS MAKE LIFE BETTER! MONTH WITH FREE OPEN HOUSES

The National Recreation and Park Association, California Park and Recreation Society, and the City of Garden Grove proclaim July as Parks Make Life Better!

Month. In celebration, several Garden Grove recreation facilities will have free admission on Friday, July 28, 2017.

The Garden Grove Sports and Recreation Center, 13641 Deodara Drive, will host an open gym from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Atlantis Play Center, 13630 Atlantis Way, offers free admission from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Atlantis Play Center is a children's themed park, with iconic play pieces like the 30-feet dragon slide and the Splash Pad water play area. Swim for free from 1:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.m., at Gary Hall Pool (Eastgate Park), 12001 St. Mark Street; Magnolia Park Pool, 11402 Magnolia Street; and Woodbury Park Pool, 13800 Rosita Place.

All of the free open houses do not require registration. For more information, contact the City's Recreation Division at (714) 741-5200 or visit the City's website at www.garden-grove.org.

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English to Vietnamese Press Releases Từ Thành Phố Garden Grove

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<u>Liên lac</u>: Dana Saucedo, (714) 741-5253

H. Louis Lake Senior Center

Thứ Ba, 11/7/2017

TRUNG TÂM H. LOUIS LAKE SENIOR CENTER MỞ CỬA ĐỂ CỘNG ĐỒNG TRÁNH NẮNG VÀO NHỮNG NGÀY TRỜI NÓNG TRÊN 95 ĐỘ

Vào mùa hè, khi nhiệt độ tăng cao có thể nguy hiểm đối với người cao niên và trẻ em, đặc biệt là nếu nhà không có máy điều hòa không khí. Để giúp giảm nhẹ nhiệt độ cao, Trung tâm cao niên H. Louis Lake senior center sẽ phục vụ như một trung tâm công cộng để cộng đồng trú nắng vào những lúc nhiệt độ được dự báo 95 độ Fahrenheit hoặc cao hơn. Trung tâm này tọa lạc tại 11300 Stanford Avenue.

Trong những tháng 7 và tháng 8, vào những ngày có dự báo nhiệt độ cao, trung tâm sẽ mở cửa từ 11:00 giờ trưa đến 5:00 giờ chiều, kể cả các ngày cuối tuần.

Mọi người ở mỗi lứa tuổi đều có thể đến trung tâm khi thời tiết quá nóng.

Trung tâm không phục vụ thức ăn, nhưng mọi người có thể mang thức ăn nhẹ vào.

Để biết thêm thông tin, vui lòng gọi cho Trung tâm H. Louis Lake ở số (714) 741-5253 trong giờ làm việc, 8:00 giờ sáng đến 3:30 chiều, Thứ Hai đến Thứ Sáu.

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Article Resulting from City News Releases in the Vietnamese Media

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Trời nóng.

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Garden Grove Community Foundation (GGCF) phối hợp cùng Thành phố Garden Grove để mang đến cộng đồng những buổi nghe nhạc miễn phí ngoài trời vào mùa hè 2017.

Năm nay sẽ có tổng cộng 6 buổi concert, sẽ được trình diễn vào mỗi tối Thứ Năm tại Eastgate Park, địa chỉ là 12001 St. Mark Street, góc đường Valley View & Chapman.



Ban nhạc.

Những người yêu âm nhạc có thể đem ghế ngỗi, hoặc thức ăn nhẹ tới để tham dự (vì lý do an toàn, xin đứng đem ống dòm, xe golf, hoặc rượu bia theo.) Ở đây sẽ có những gian hàng bán thức ăn như là burgers, sandwiches và popcom để mọi người thưởng thức âm nhạc và tận hưởng không khí ấm áp của mùa hè. Những buổi trinh diễn concert sẽ tiếp diễn vào mỗi Thứ Năm, cho tới ngày 10 tháng 8, 2017.

Ngày 6 tháng 7, Stone Soul (nhạc Classic Soul và Motown)

Ngày 13 tháng 7, L.A. Vation (nhạc U2)

Ngày 20 tháng 7, Jeri Curl (nhạc thập niên 80, Michael Jackson và Prince)

Ngày 27 tháng 7, The Suffragettes (Top 40 Hits))

Ngày 3 tháng 8, The Kellye Huff Band (Modern Country)

Ngày 10 tháng 8, The Answer (Classic Rock).

Bắt đầu từ ngày 13 tháng 7, trước những buổi concert sẽ có phần thi của các em học sinh từ Khu Học Chánh Garden Grove tham gia chương trình "The Voice of Garden Grove 2017," cuộc thi ca hát cho học sinh trung học địa phương. Em học sinh may mắn sẽ nhận được giải thưởng tiền mặt \$500, và \$500 nữa dành cho dàn hợp xướng ở trường học của mình.

Những buổi nghe nhạc trong mùa hè 2017 đều miễn phí và được bảo trợ bởi Garden Grove Community Foundation, Thành phố Garden Grove, GKN Aerospace, và AT&T. Để biết thêm chi tiết, liên lạc về số điện thoại (714) 741-5200, hoặc tại trang mạng www.ggcf.com.

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Published by Brad Spell [?] - June 29 at 3:44am - 🚱

SMOKE ADVISORY

Issued Thursday, June 29, 2017

This advisory is in effect through Friday morning. SCAQMD will issue an update if additional information becomes available.

A brush fire, named the Christianitos Fire, is burning in San Diego County, at Camp Pendleton. The burn area was estimated this morning to be 700 acres with 10 percent containment. Winds are southerly this morning, bringing smoke mainly into Orange County and portions of Los Angeles, Riverside and San Bernardino Counties at times. Smoke impacts in the South Coast Air Basin are expected to improve as the sea-breeze increases from the west by late morning. Air quality may reach Unhealthy levels in areas directly impacted by smoke.

In any area impacted by smoke: Everyone should avoid any vigorous outdoor or indoor exertion; people with respiratory or heart disease, older adults, and children should remain indoors. Keep windows and doors closed or seek alternate shelter. Run your air conditioner if you have one and keep the fresh air intake closed and the filter clean to prevent bringing additional smoke inside. Avoid using a swamp cooler or whole-house fan to prevent bringing additional smoke inside. To avoid worsening the health effects of smoke, don't use indoor or outdoor wood-burning appliances, including fireplaces.

SCAQMD Advisory updates can be found at the following link: ftp://ftp.aqmd.gov/pub/globalist/Advisory.pdf

To subscribe to air quality alerts, advisories and forecasts by email, go to http://AirAlerts.org

To view current air quality conditions by region in an interactive map, see http://www3.aqmd.gov/webappl/gisaqi2/home.aspx

For more tips on avoiding health impacts from smoke, see SCAQMD Fire Safety Alert Factsheets at http://www.aqmd.gov/.../libr.../publicinformation/publications...

For a map of SCAQMD Forecast Areas, see http://www.agmd.gov/.../default-d.../map-of-monitoring-areas.pdf

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Garden Grove City Hall shared Orange County Mosquito and Vector Control District's event

June 29 at 3:32pm - 🐶

We're teaming up with Orange County Mosquito and Vector Control District to help raise awareness and educate the community about the spread of West Nile Virus. Learn about how you can protect yourself and your loved ones from mosquitoes by visiting the new webpage -

West Nile Virus Prevention - on the City's website: http://www.ci.gardengrove.ca.us/pw/west-nile-virus.

In addition, OCMVCD will introduce a giant black-and-white inflatable mosquito, depicting the two recent... See More



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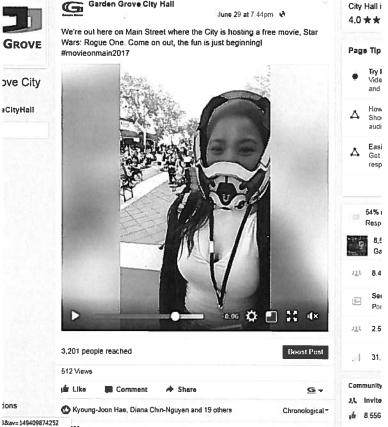
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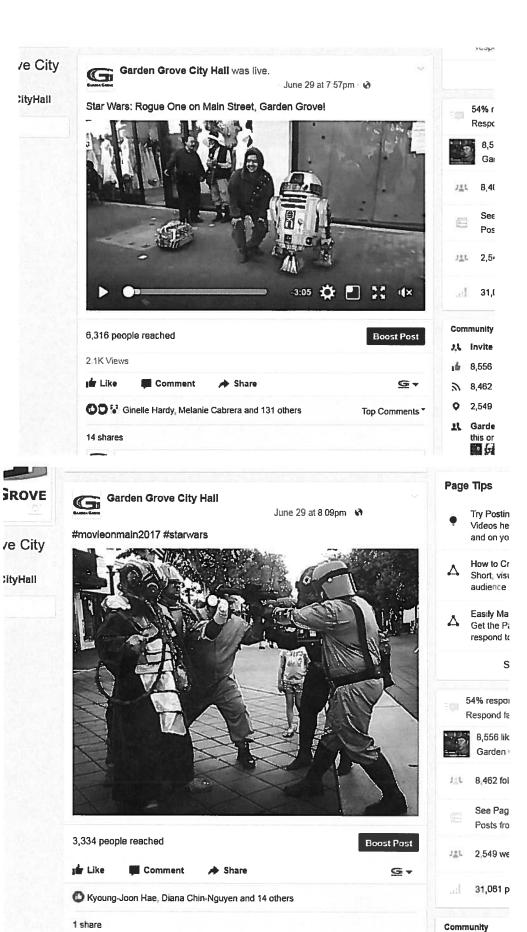
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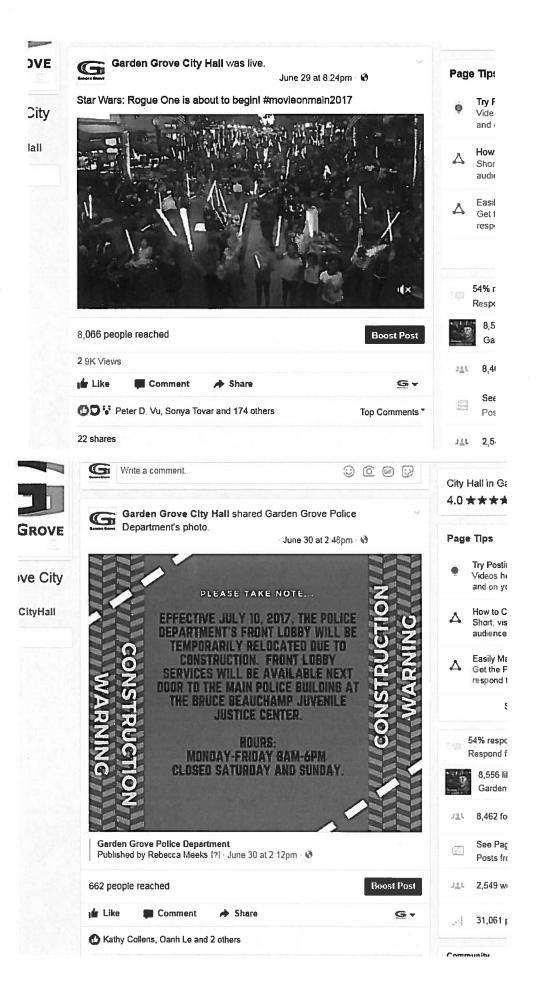
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#KeepingUpWithKathy this July 4th

The Garden Grove Police Department would like to remind everyone to drive safe and sober this 4th of July holiday. DUI Saturation Patrols will take place on Tuesday, July 4, between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m., in areas with high frequencies of DUI collisions and/or arrests. More info.: https://www.ci.garden-grove.ca.us/ggpd-on-high-alert-july-4....

#SafeandSane4thofJuly #DontDrinkandDrive #StayAlert #SafeStreetsGG #DriveSoberorGetPulledOver



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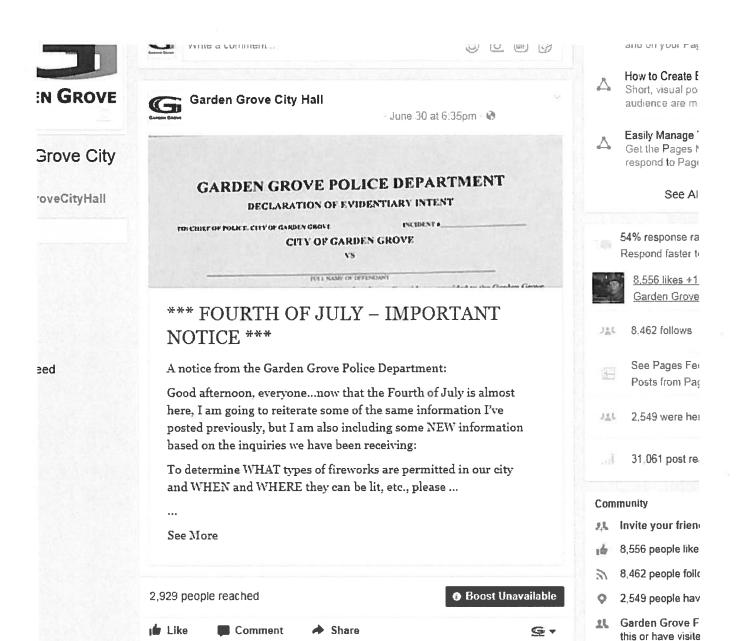
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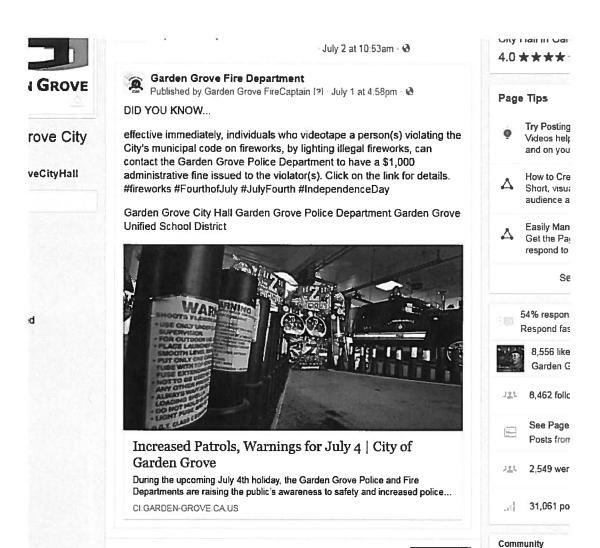
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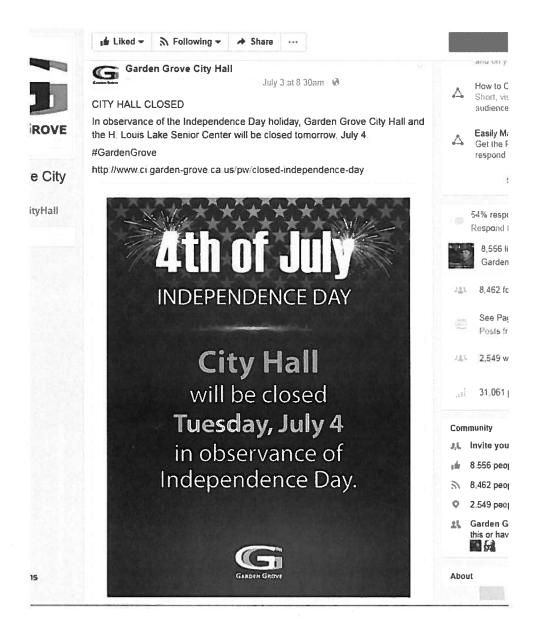
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Garden Grove City Hall added 3 new photos.

July 3 at 11:45am - 👀

Firefighters Raised Thousands for MDA Charity Event

We'd like to thank everyone who participated in the recent Fill the Boot charity event. With the help of your contributions the Garden Grove Fire Department was able to raise approximately \$7,500 for the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Thank you!

#GardenGrove #firefighters #MDA #musculardystrophy



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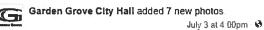
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Last week, members of the City's Accident Reduction Team (ART) made a special visit to the Palma Vista area to educate the young members of the community about traffic safety. Officer Anderson and Officer Elhami gave the kids a first-hand presentation about how following the rules of the road can save lives.

#KeepingUpWithKathy Garden Grove Police Department #RulesoftheRoad #StayAlert #SafeStreetsGG



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Please remember that only safe and sane fireworks is permissible on private property only. Using or possessing illegal fireworks, including misusing or tampering with legal ones, carries a \$1,000 administrative fine.

Police patrols will be looking out for illegal fireworks activities. Anyone caught with or using illegal fireworks will be cited.

To report illegal fireworks sightings, call the #GardenGrove Fireworks Hotline at (714) 741-5270. Help make this a safe and sane 4th of July holiday. More details at https://www.ci.garden-grove.ca.us/increased-patrols-warning...

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July 5 at 5.28pm - 🔞

Don't forget, our first summer concert starts tomorrow, featuring your favorite Motown hits from STONE SOUL! The concert runs from 6:30pm - 8:30pm but join us at 5:30pm to celebrate "Parks Make Life Better" Month with free activities, including carnival games, jumpers, and airbrush tattoos. There will also be a special performance by The Voice of Garden Grove 2016 winner Kayla Renee Wandelt, be sure to stop by and check out all the fun! #GardenGrove #GGCF #GGSummerConcerts #VoiceofGG



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STAY COOL DURING THE HOT HEAT

The public cooling center at H. Louis Lake Senior Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, will open on Saturday, July 8 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. All ages are welcome to enjoy their air-conditioned accommodations.

#GardenGrove Garden Grove Fire Department



Senior Center Offers Public Cooling Place During Summer | City of Garden Grove

Soaring temperatures can be especially dangerous to seniors and children, especially if homes have no air...

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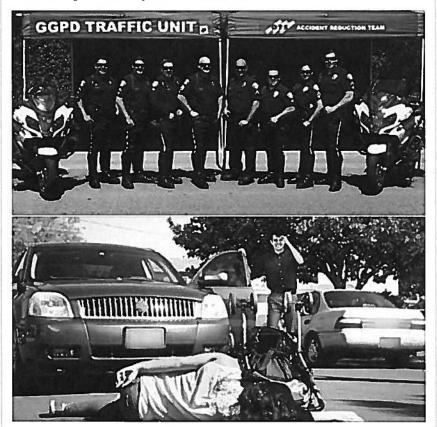


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ART OPERATION

Funded by the California Office of Traffic Safety, the City's Accident Reduction Team will be conducting two 10-hour bicyclist and pedestrian operations--Friday, July 7 and July 28.

The Accident Reduction Team will be looking for bicyclists and pedestrians not following traffic safety rules. ... See More



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July 10 at 1:41pm - 🚷

HOT WEATHER BRINGS WATER HAZARDS - BE PREPARED

Garden Grove Fire Department is urging people to avoid dangerous accidents by following some simple measures. Visit the link below on the #GardenGrove website to learn more!

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Published by Garden Grove FireCaptain [?] - July 8 at 9:00am - 🚱

We're expecting the temperature to go up the next few days. If you're going in the water, please follow these tips. Garden Grove City Hall Garden Grove Public Works Department Garden Grove Police Department #watersafety



Hot Weather Brings Water Hazards | City of Garden Grove

July 6, 2017 Summer is here, and it brings warm to hot weather prompting people to get in the water. The fire department is urging people to avoid dangerous accidents by following these...

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July 11 at 7:53am - 🚯

WHO WILL BE THE NEXT THE VOICE OF GARDEN GROVE?!

Don't miss the first preliminary night, this Thursday, July 13, at 6:00 p.m. The Voice of Garden Grove is a pre-show to the free Summer Concert Series, hosted by the Garden Grove Community Foundation, at Eastgate Park, 12001 St. Mark Street. More info: www.ggcf.com.

#voiceofgg #ggsummerconcerts #thevoice Garden Grove Unified School District



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Published by Amanda Cross [2] - July 10 at 4:30pm - ❖

Check out some of our contestants for The Voice of Garden Grove 2017! The competition kicks off this Thursday, July 13th, with our first five contestants auditi...

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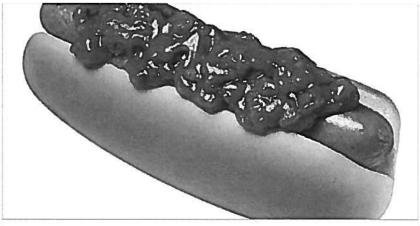
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GET A 56-CENT HOT DOG TODAY

Stop by the Wienerschnitzel at 10192 Garden Grove Boulevard for a 56-cent hot dog, in celebration of their 56th Anniversary!

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Wienerschnitzel to sell 56-cent hot dogs Tuesday, July 11

Irvine fast food chain discounting its signature hot dogs.

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The Orange County Mosquito and Vector Control District has confirmed and informed Garden Grove City officials of the first mosquito sample infected with the West Nile virus in #GardenGrove. The mosquitoes were collected in mosquito traps at the West Street Basin, in the vicinity of West Street and Chapman Avenue. Continue reading for full details.



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Dump or drain any standing water

Mosquito Infected with West Nile Virus Found in Garden Grove | City of Garden Grove

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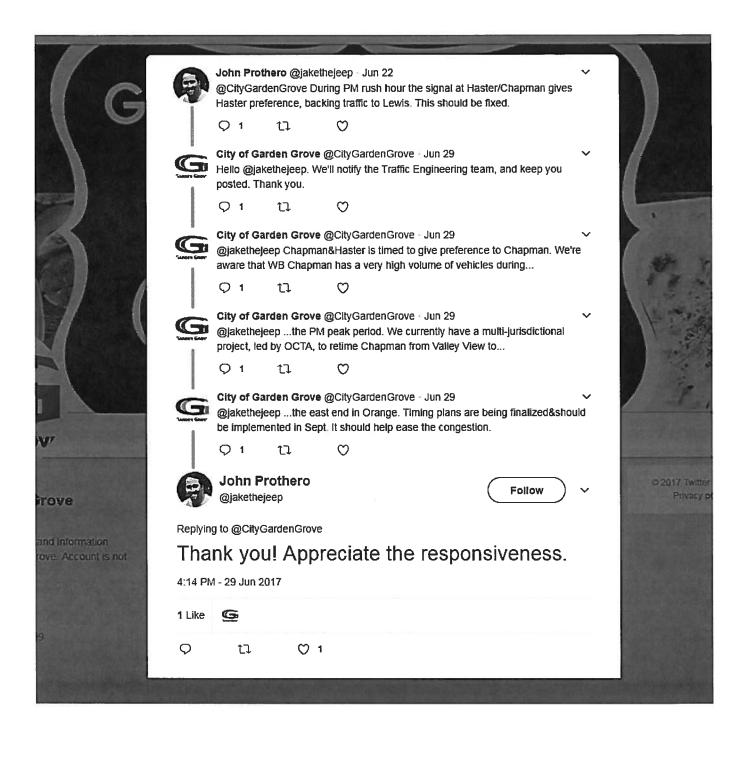
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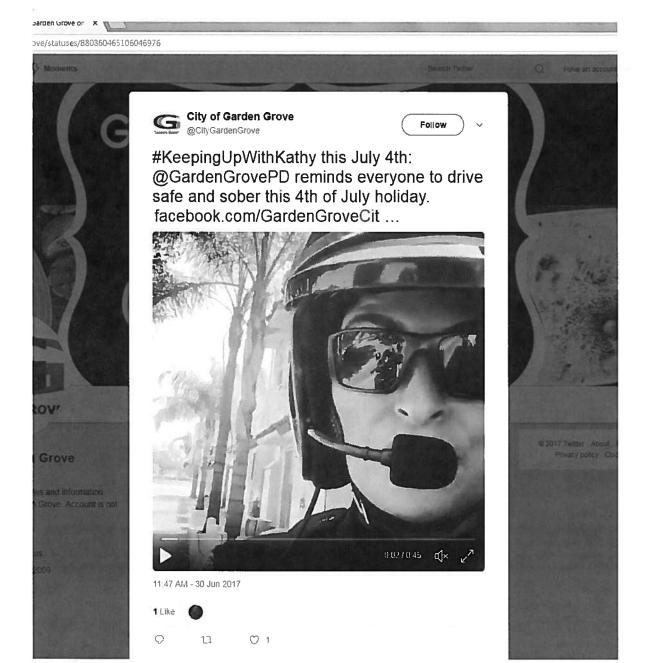
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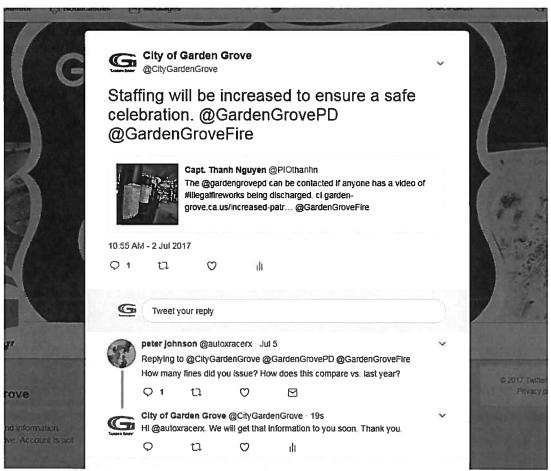
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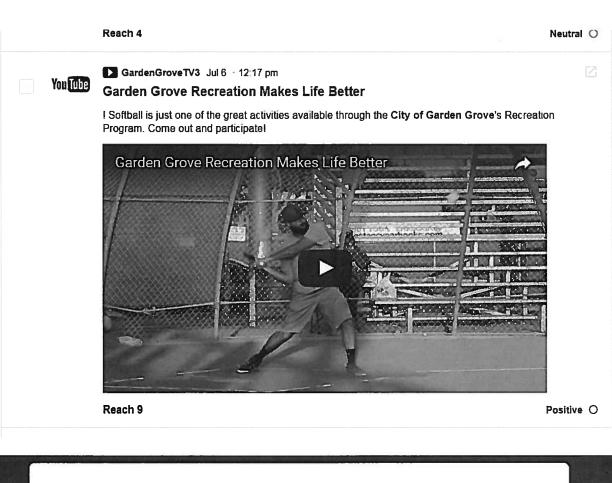


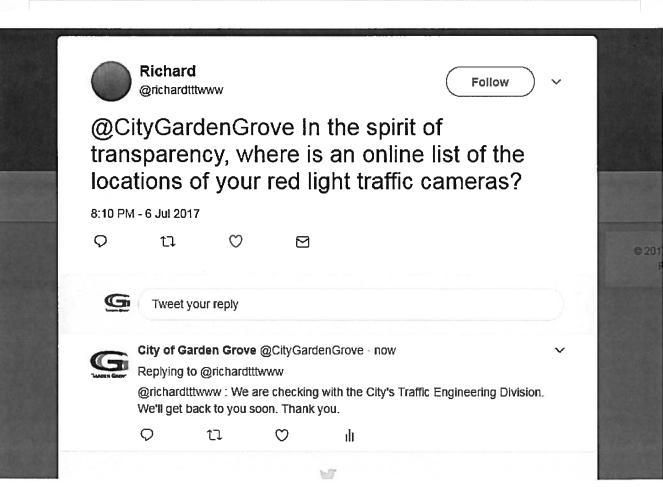






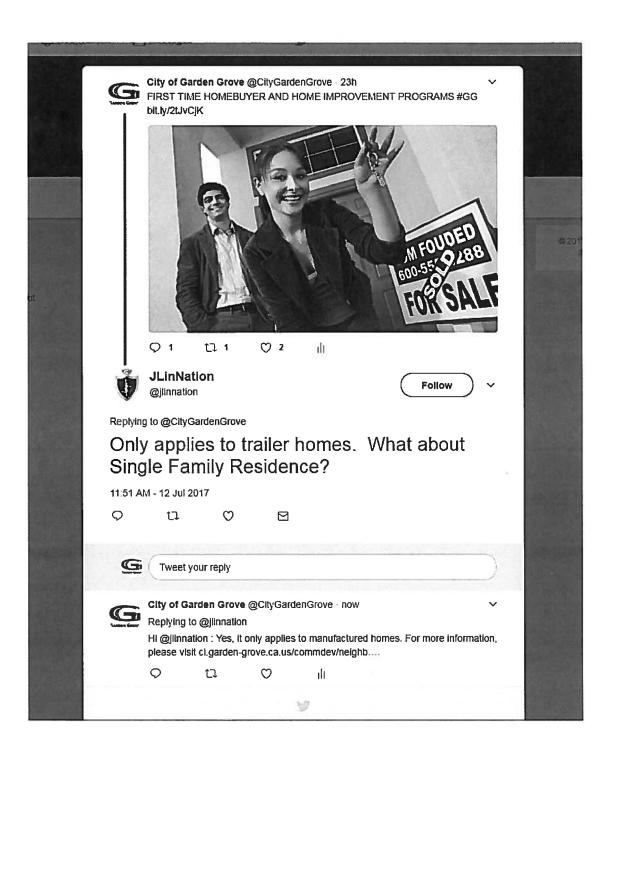












MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

July 13, 2017

- 1. Calendar of Events
- 2. Notice of Cancellation of the July 20, 2017 Planning Commission meeting, and minutes from the June 15, 2017 Planning Commission meeting.
- 3. Notice of Cancellation of the July 13, 2017 Zoning Administrator meeting.
- 4. League of California Cities, "CA Cities Advocates" dated June 30, July 3, July 7, and July 11, 2017.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 13, 2017 - July 23, 2017

Thursday	July 13		Casual Day
		9:00 a.m.	Main Street Commission Meeting CMC Constitution Room
		9:00 a.m.	Zoning Administrator Meeting City Hall, 3 rd Floor Training Room <i>CANCELLED</i>
		5:30 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Orangefield Child Development Center & Learning Studio Ribbon Cutting Ceremony 9822 Russell Ave.
		6:00 p.m.	Parks, Recreation and Arts Commission Meeting Teen "Wreck"reation Hall, Eastgate Park
		6:30 p.m 8:30 p.m.	Summer Concert Series – "L.A.Vation" U2 Tribute, Eastgate Park
Thursday- Saturday	July 13-15	8:00 p.m.	Shakespeare Orange County presents "The Tempest", Festival Amphitheater
Thursday- Sunday	July 13-16		One More Productions presents "The Wedding Singer", Gem Theater
Friday- Saturday	July 14-15	5:00 p.m 9:00 a.m.	Atlantis Family Campout, Atlantis Play Center
Thursday	July 20	6:30 p.m 8:30 p.m.	Summer Concert Series – "Jeri Curl" 80's Funk with tributes to Michael Jackson and Prince Eastgate Park
		7:00 p.m.	Planning Commission Meeting, Council Chamber CANCELLED
Thursday- Saturday	July 20-22	8:00 p.m.	Shakespeare Orange County presents "The Tempest", Festival Amphitheater
Thursday- Sunday	July 20-23		One More Productions presents "The Wedding Singer", Gem Theater
Friday	July 21		City Hall Closed



NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF THE

GARDEN GROVE PLANNING COMMISSION

JULY 20, 2017

REGULAR MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Regular Meeting of the Garden Grove Planning Commission scheduled for Thursday, July 20, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove, is hereby cancelled pursuant to the attached Cancellation Notice.

DATED:

July 13, 2017

ANDREW KANZLER CHAIR



NOTICE OF CANCELLATION

The Regular Meeting of the

Garden Grove Planning Commission

Scheduled for July 20, 2017

has been cancelled.

JUDITH MOORE SECRETARY

GARDEN GROVE PLANNING COMMISSION Council Chamber, Community Meeting Center 11300 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92840

Meeting Minutes Thursday, June 15, 2017

CALL TO ORDER: 7:01 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Chair Kanzler
Vice Chair Brietigam
Commissioner Lazenbyhn
Commissioner Lehman
Commissioner Nguyen
Commissioner Salazar
Commissioner Truong

Absent: Kanzler, Lehman

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Commissioner Nguyen.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLIC – On behalf of west Garden Grove residents, Mr. Tony Flores noted that an Olson Company housing plan was proposed at a neighborhood meeting the night before. He said that additional housing was not needed due to overcrowding, to a strained infrastructure, to a lack of public safety personnel, and to traffic concerns. He added that neighbors off of Buaro Street and Hampton Avenue now lack privacy due to the hotels. He then distributed his 2016 Study in regard to the Fleet Management Fund (FMF), which appeared to increase every year and gave the appearance of potential misappropriation of public funds. He then suggested that a portion of the funds could be used to secure more police officers. Lastly, he commented that people were being overcharged for water.

June 1, 2017 MINUTES:

Action: Received and filed.

Motion: Lazenby Second: Truong

Ayes: (5) Brietigam, Lazenby, Nguyen, Salazar, Truong

Noes: (0) None

Absent: (2) Kanzler, Lehman

<u>PUBLIC HEARING - SITE PLAN NO. SP-035-2017. FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 8882 LAMPSON AVENUE, SOUTH SIDE OF LAMPSON AVENUE, WEST OF THE INTERSECTION OF MAGNOLIA STREET AND LAMPSON AVENUE.</u>

Applicant:

TONY LAM AND JENNIE DO

Date:

June 15, 2017

Request:

Site Plan approval to construct nine (9) two-story residential rental units divided into (2) buildings on an approximately 24,600 square foot site. Building 'A' will be a total of 5,150 square feet and Building 'B' will be a total of 4,112 square feet. The site is in the R-3 (Multiple Family Residential) zone. The project is exempt pursuant to CEQA Section No.

15332 - Infill Development Projects and Common Sense.

Action:

Public Hearing held. Speaker(s): Joe Dovinh

Action:

Resolution No. 5884-17 was approved.

Motion:

Lazenby

Second:

Salazar

Ayes:

(5) Brietigam, Lazenby, Nguyen, Salazar, Truong

Noes:

(0) None

Absent:

(2) Kanzler, Lehman

ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION - ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE 2016 ANNUAL REPORT ON THE STATUS OF THE GENERAL PLAN:

Action: Rece

Received and filed. Discussion explained the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) state law formula for determining the required number of 747 housing units for the seven year period. Criteria included population growth, income level, and current housing.

Motion:

Lazenby

Second:

Truong

Ayes:

(5) Brietigam, Lazenby, Nguyen, Salazar, Truong

Noes:

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MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS: Vice Chair Brietigam stated that the Garden Grove Police and Fire Departments were short staffed. He noted that the traditional need was 1 officer per 1000 people, however now, the current range was 1 officer per 700. He challenged the City to increase the police force to 200 sworn and to add five firefighters by the year 2020. He then disclosed that he attended the Olson Company meeting the night before.

Commissioner Lazenby asked staff to explain the Fleet Management Fund. Staff responded that the FMF was a budget account for the purpose of replacing the City's fleet vehicles as they age out, and that any questions should be directed to the City Council, City Manager, or Finance Director as the matter was not under the Planning Commission's jurisdiction.

MATTERS FROM STAFF: Staff gave a brief description of the items for the July 6th meeting and noted that the July 20th meeting would be cancelled.

<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> At 7:45 p.m. to the next Regular Meeting of the Garden Grove Planning Commission on Thursday, July 6, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove.

Motion:

Lazenby

Second:

Truong

Ayes:

(5) Brietigam, Lazenby, Nguyen, Salazar, Truong

Noes:

(0) None

Absent:

(2) Kanzler, Lehman

Judith Moore Recording Secretary



NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF THE GARDEN GROVE

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

REGULAR MEETING

JULY 13, 2017

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Regular Meeting of the Garden Grove Zoning Administrator scheduled for Thursday, July 13, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. at City Hall, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Third Floor Training Room, Garden Grove, is hereby cancelled pursuant to the attached Cancellation Notice.

DATED:

July 6, 2017

LISA L. KIM

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR



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JUDITH MOORE SECRETARY

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Monterey

Assembly Local Government Committee Passes Bill that Limits Local Discretion, Revenues and Public Benefits

Cities Urged to Oppose Legislation

San José Mayor Sam Liccardo led a delegation of mayors and council members who joined local government advocates and others in the Assembly Local Government Committee hearing room on Wednesday afternoon to oppose <u>SB 649 (Hueso)</u>. The committee passed SB 649 on a 6-1 vote. *For more, see Page 2.*

League-Sponsored Housing Bill Passes First Assembly Committee SB 540 Now Moves to Assembly Natural Resources Committee

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The Assembly Local Government Committee on June 28 unanimously passed League-sponsored <u>SB 540 (Roth)</u>. This bill would provide a way to streamline the housing approval process and leads to more housing production, particularly in areas near jobs and transit. Importantly, SB 540 protects public input and environmental review while providing certainty to the development community. *For more*, see *Page 2*.

Legislature Considers Short-Term Changes to Bottle Bill Program

While the Legislature passed the FY 2017-18 budget several weeks ago, a number of budget-related issues remain under consideration by the Legislature and Gov. Jerry Brown. One of these issues is the California Beverage Container Recycling Program or "Bottle Bill" program. SB 102 (Budget and Fiscal Review Committee) contains a trailer bill proposal to offer short-term stabilization to this program, while a longer term solution can be negotiated. For more, see Page 3.

'SB 649' Continued from Page 1...

This measure would give wireless providers unfettered ability to install bulky cellular equipment on any street light or traffic light and even many public libraries, schools and other public buildings without permission from local governments, input from the public or fair compensation for city and county residents. The industry already has broad ability to use readily available public and private utility poles to attach their equipment.

This bill silences local voices and will cost taxpayers around the state tens of millions of dollars. SB 649 is a giveaway from Sacramento to the industry without requiring that the industry deliver any meaningful public benefits such as free Wi-Fi in public parks or network access for public safety first responders.

Mayor Liccardo testified on behalf of the city of San José and the over 175 cities opposed to SB 649 Wednesday afternoon. He began his testimony by reminding the committee of the letter sent by the mayors of six of California's largest cities who all oppose the measure. He focused his remarks on how SB 649 would have tax payers subsidize the wireless industry.

Also joining Mayor Liccardo were city officials from a number of other cities including:

- American Canyon Community Development Director Brent Cooper;
- Concord Mayor Laura Hoffmeister;
- · Culver City Council Member Meghan Sahli-Wells;
- San Marcos Council Member Kristal Jabara;
- · Vallejo Assistant City Manager Teri Kilgore; and
- West Hollywood Council Member Lindsey Horvath.

Representatives from dozens of other cities also testified in opposition to SB 649, along with the California State Association of Counties, the Rural Counties Representatives of California and the Urban Counties of California and representatives of dozens of counties.

Next Steps

SB 649 now moves to the Assembly Communications and Conveyance Committee.

The League urges all cities to officially oppose SB 649. A sample letter as well as the League's opposition letter and bill language can be found at www.cacities.org/billsearch by plugging SB 649 into the search function.

'SB 540' Continued from Page 1...

Local officials are taking seriously their role in solving the housing crisis. SB 540 would give local governments new tools to plan for housing and create a more streamlined path that eliminates some of the delays and uncertainty that currently impede housing construction.

During his testimony, Sen. Richard Roth (D-Riverside) remarked that, "Access to housing is a basic human need, and ensuring Californians have access to an affordable place to live is critical to every Californian's quality of life. That's why I am proud to have authored Senate Bill 540, which will incentivize and streamline housing construction to meet our state's dire housing shortage. I thank the committee for recognizing the critical need for this measure, and look forward to sending this measure to the Governor for his signature."

Specifically, under SB 540 cities and counties would identify priority housing areas — called Workforce Housing Zones — within their boundaries. The local government would conduct enhanced planning, important environmental reviews and public engagement at the front end with specific details as to what type of housing would be built within the zone. Because the local government has fully conducted the extensive environmental reviews at the front-end, no project-specific additional environmental reviews would be necessary.

Sen. Roth continued that "SB 540 is a commonsense measure that will remove the barriers to housing construction in the areas most in need, helping ensure this crisis does not continue to grow and families do not continue to struggle."

By some estimates, SB 540 would shave one to two years off the development timeline without compromising environmental protection, public health, local control or the rights of citizens to participate in local land use decisions.

Next Steps

The Assembly Natural Resources Committee will be the next stop for SB 540.

The League urges cities to support this important legislation. A sample support letter, along with the League's support letter, can be found at www.cacities.org/billsearch by plugging SB 540 into the search function.

'Bottle Bill' Continued from Page 1...

As noted by a recent analysis by the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee, over the past 18 months, 560 recycling centers in California have closed due to the lower commodities prices worldwide and an 11 percent reduction in state payments. This has resulted in a recycling rate of below 80 percent for the first time since 2008. During the last six months of 2016, 1.6 million more containers per day were taken to landfills compared to the same period in 2015.

The Legislature, the Administration, and other stakeholders continue to negotiate the proposed short-term solution. Details of the current proposal are as follows:

- · Redefine "convenience zone" to 1 mile radius of supermarket;
- Narrow grocer obligation: limit in-store take-back to 24 containers, only applies to dealers with sales of \$2 million or more;
- Adjust processing payments & handling fees to reflect 2015 cost of recycling with COLA;
- Freeze calculations of recycling costs until Jan. 1, 2019 and redirects these funds for these calculations to unserved zones;
- Makes an entity eligible for handling fees that establishes a recycling in an unserved area that operates at least 30 hours per week;
- Up to \$3 million in supplemental handling fees for underserved/rural areas until July 1, 2020; and
- Extend sunset date on plastic market development program to Jan. 1, 2019.

Bills in Committee and Legislative Hearings of Interest July 5 – 12

Legislative policy committee hearings are in full swing with many bills affecting cities set to be heard in the coming weeks. Next week hearings resume after the July 4 holiday.

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Here are a number of upcoming hearings and measures of interest to cities:

July 5

Senate Environmental Quality, 9:30 a.m., Room 3191

• AB 1158 (Chu) Carpet recycling. League position: Support.

Senate Governance and Finance, 9:30 a.m., State Capitol, Room 112

- AB 525 (Aguiar-Curry) State Board of Equalization: offer in compromise: extension. League position: Support.
- AB 943 (Santiago) Land use regulations: local initiatives: voter approval. League position: Oppose unless amended.
- AB 1414 (Friedman) Solar energy systems: permits. League position: Oppose.

July 10

Senate Appropriations, 10 a.m., State Capitol, Room 4203

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July 12

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July 18

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 HOT SB 182 (Bradford) Transportation network company: participating drivers: single business license. League position: Oppose.

League-Sponsored Bond Agency Issues \$96.1 Million in Tax-Exempt Bonds for Community Hospital in Monterey

Some of the most significant benefits of League membership for cities since 1988 have flowed from the League's co-sponsorship of the <u>California Statewide Communities Development Authority</u> (CSCDA).

This program provides a variety of public agencies and developers access to low-cost, tax-exempt financing and economic development tools. CSCDA recently issued a total of \$96,100,000 in tax-exempt bonds for Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, in Monterey.

About Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula (CHOMP)

CHOMP, a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, owns and operates a 258 licensed-bed acute care hospital located in the Carmel Hill area of the Monterey Peninsula. CHOMP also owns and operates Westland House, a 28-bed skilled nursing and hospice facility, and an outpatient hospice facility located in Monterey and provides outpatient healthcare services at various outpatient facilities throughout Monterey County. CHOMP is the market leader for acute care services in its Primary Service Area, identified as the Monterey Peninsula, which includes the communities of Seaside, Monterey, Carmel Valley, Pacific Grove, Marina, Pebble Beach, Sand City, Del Rey Oaks, Big Sur, and unincorporated areas of Monterey County located on the peninsula.

CSCDA partnered with Piper Jaffray to place the \$96,100,000 in tax-exempt bonds for CHOMP. The bonds will be used to finance the cost of implementing an electronic medical records system as well as refinance CSCDA's previously issued Series 2011B Bonds.

Background

CSCDA is a joint powers authority created in 1988 and is sponsored by the League of California Cities® and the California State Association of Counties. It was created by cities and counties for cities and counties. More than 500 cities, counties and special districts are program participants in CSCDA, which serves as their conduit issuer and provides access to efficiently finance locally-approved projects. CSCDA has issued more than \$50 billion in tax exempt bonds for projects that provide a public benefit by creating jobs, affordable housing, healthcare, infrastructure, schools and other fundamental services. Visit CSCDA's website for additional information on the ways in which CSCDA can help your city.

July 3, 2017 Issue #52

California Transportation Commission Releases Draft SB 1 Implementation Guidelines

Project Lists Due to CTC Sept. 15

The California Transportation Committee (CTC) released its Draft Local Streets and Roads Program Reporting Guidelines last Friday for the implementation of SB 1 (Beall), the landmark transportation funding package that was signed into law in April 28. Cities have an opportunity to submit public comments and attend a workshop on the guidelines. For more, see Page 2.

League Board Votes to Support SB 231

The League of California Cities'® board of directors voted over the weekend to support SB 231 by Sen. Bob Hertzberg (D-Van Nuys), which would add storm water to the definition of "sewer" in the Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act. The League undertook an extensive deliberative process to consider weighing in on SB 231, including multiple discussions over several months. Between March and June, two of the League's policy committees considered this bill: the Environmental Quality and Transportation, Communications & Public Works policy committees. This process culminated in recommendations to support by substantial majorities of both policy committees and a vote by the League's board of directors to support the bill last week. For more, see Page 2.

'SB 1 Guidelines' Continued from Page 1...

SB 1 provides new Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA) formula funds for cities and counties to address road maintenance, rehabilitation, and critical safety needs on local streets and roads. In order to be eligible to receive RMRA funds, cities and counties must report projects they are funding with RMRA to CTC by Sept. 15.

The League of California Cities® and California State Association of Counties have been working with the CTC to draft these guidelines. The purpose of the guidelines is to describe RMRA reporting requirements and procedures for cities and counties. The guidelines also address the roles and responsibilities of the CTC and the State Controller in carrying out the statutory objectives of SB 1 related to RMRA formula funding for local streets and roads.

Cities are encouraged to review the guidelines and submit public comments by Friday, July 14. Please email comments to Laura Pennebaker.

Public Workshop

CTC will also hold a public workshop to discuss the draft guidelines. The CTC will email an agenda and call-in information prior to the workshop. The workshop will be held:

Tuesday, July 18, 9 a.m. to noon Caltrans Headquarters, Room 2116 1120 N Street Sacramento, CA 95814

'SB 231' Continued from Page 1...

As storm water washes down city roads, parking lots, lawns and buildings it picks up major pollutants including sediment, oil and grease, metals and other toxins. State and federal clean water laws combine to require cities, counties, and other local governments that own storm water systems to reduce the level of pollutants discharged. This is established under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) and California's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s) permitting program.

Compliance with the state and federal requirements is costly, with local governments facing annual funding shortfalls. In 2015, the Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC) estimated the funding gap at approximately \$500-800 million annually. Failure to comply with state and federal requirements can result in fines of up to \$10,000 per contaminant per day. However, options available for cities to pay for such clean-up efforts are limited. SB 231 provides a needed tool to assist cities in complying with federal and state storm water requirements.

There is a recognized potential for litigation on the meaning of "sewer" and the League recognizes that an important function of the court is to interpret law. Should this issue come before a court, this bill offers the Legislature the opportunity to further clarify the meaning of the term "sewer".

SB 231 will next be heard on the Assembly floor.

July 7, 2017 Issue #53

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FPPC Offices to Move Later this Month

Department Now Taking Applications to Serve on Executive Committee

Bills in Committee July 10 - 18

This upcoming week will be very busy in the Capitol with dozens of bills the League is tracking scheduled in committee. Things will slow down though with the upcoming summer legislative break when both houses adjourn on July 21. The final weeks of this session begin Aug. 21 and then the Legislature will have a few weeks to conclude its work before it adjourns the session on Sept. 15. For more, see Page 2.

Summer Recess/End of Session Legislative Briefing Scheduled for July 20

Join the League's Legislative team for a briefing on major bills that cities need to advocate for and against when the Legislature returns from its summer recess (July 21 – Aug. 21). The webinar is scheduled for July 20 from 1:30 – 3 p.m. For more, see Page 4.

New Playground Solutions Contract Available to Cities Through League-Sponsored U.S. Communities Program Informational Webinars Scheduled July 17 and 18

U.S. Communities, the League-sponsored government purchasing alliance, is excited to announce that the new U.S. Communities contract for playground equipment, outdoor fitness equipment, site accessories, surfacing and related products and services was awarded to GameTime and KOMPAN. For more, see Page 4.

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July 12

Assembly Housing and Community Development, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 126

- HOT SB 3 (Beall) Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2018. League position: Support.
- HOT SB 35 (Weiner) Planning and zoning: affordable housing: streamlined approval process. *League position: Oppose*.

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Assembly Local Government, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 447

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- SB 252 (Dodd) Water wells. League position: Oppose unless amended.

Assembly Communications and Conveyance, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 437

HOT SB 649 (Hueso) Wireless telecommunications facilities. League position: Oppose.

Senate Health, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 4203

 AB 175 (Chau) Adult-use marijuana: marketing: packaging and labeling. League position: Support.

Senate Elections and Constitutional Amendments, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 4203

 AB 943 (Santiago) Land use regulations: local initiatives: voter approval. League position: Oppose unless amended.

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This briefing is intended to help city officials focus their effort to protect local authority and voice their support and opposition on key bills and regulatory activity. Many issues important to cities remain pending, so city officials should be ready for action.

Staff will provide a briefing on priority bills and issues, including Cap-and-Trade, marijuana regulation, housing and land use, small cell siting, environmental quality, and public safety. This webinar will provide information useful to successfully advocate on behalf of your city.

This webinar is free for League members and League Partners. Non-member cities will be charged \$100.

Register online at www.cacities.org/events by noon on Wednesday, July 19. Most League webinars allow for only one connection per city, however due to the capacity for this webinar, the League is allowing two connections per city to provide easier access for members.

The log-in information will be sent by the end of the day on Wednesday, July 19.

For questions about how to register for the webinar, please contact <u>Megan Dunn</u>. For all other questions, please contact <u>Meg Desmond</u>.

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This contract was awarded through a competitive solicitation process conducted by lead public agency, city of Charlotte, North Carolina. The contract term is for five years with a start date of July 1, 2017, with the option to extend the contract for two additional periods of two years each.

Suppliers

<u>GameTime</u> combines a passion for play with contemporary design, world-class manufacturing, and research-based programs and curriculum. GameTime designs innovative products that provide developmental benefits, promote inclusive play and entertain children and families. GameTime provides turnkey, personal service throughout all phases of your project to ensure your playground, fitness park, Challenge Course[®], or one-of-a-kind, custom play space is a community centerpiece.

KOMPAN's products are designed to significantly improve health, learning and social inclusion. KOMPAN playgrounds are built from the highest-quality materials available to ensure the best achievable warranty and exceptional ease of maintenance. Whether you are looking for organic nature play structures, net and rope, urban play, classic jungle gyms or sport and fitness areas, KOMPAN provides a solution to help make communities happier and healthier through play.

Webinar Details

To learn more about this new contract, <u>register for one of the 45-minute complimentary webinars</u>. If you are unable to attend the webinars below, click the supplier partner links to learn more or contact them directly.

Monday, July 17, 10 a.m. Register here

Tuesday, July 18, 8 a.m. Register here

About U.S. Communities

The U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance, a strategic partner of the League of California Cities, is a government purchasing cooperative that reduces the cost of goods and services by aggregating the purchasing power of public agencies nationwide. U.S. Communities provides world class procurement resources and solutions to local and state government agencies, school districts (K-12), higher education, and nonprofits. State and local governments have access to a broad line of competitively solicited contracts with best in class national suppliers.

For additional information on the U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance visit www.uscommunities.org/lcc or contact Amanda Cadelago with the League at (916) 658-8226.

League Board Will Consider Endorsements for NLC Board and NLC Second Vice President Positions

Each year the League of California Cities® board of directors invites membership interested in running for National League of Cities (NLC) board of directors or for second vice president of the NLC board of directors, to apply for endorsement from our League board of directors. Only city officials in direct member cities of NLC may apply for its board or board officer position (second vice president). The League board will endorse all membership interested in applying for NLC board, but only one member interested in applying for NLC second vice president.

Please note that this is not an application to NLC board, nor is it an application for NLC second vice president. This is only an *endorsement* from the League of California Cities board.

Endorsement Application Process

Submitted endorsement applications will be distributed to members of the League's 2017 Board Nominating Committee. If more than one person is interested in seeking endorsement for NLC second vice president, the committee will interview all candidates to select one prior to the League's Annual Conference, which is scheduled for Sept. 13-15.

The recommendations will then be submitted to the League board for approval when it meets on Thursday, Sept. 14, during annual conference. Candidates receiving the board's endorsement will be announced on Sept. 15 during the closing session of the annual conference.

Endorsement applications are due to the League of California Cities by 5 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 1.

Application Forms

- Board of Directors Endorsement Application for NLC Board
- Second Vice President Endorsement Application for NLC Board

Please submit endorsement applications via <u>email</u>, fax (916) 658-8240 or mail to: Attn: Mimi Sharpe 1400 K Street, 4th Floor

Sacramento, CA 95814

Individuals who are elected to the NLC board of directors automatically obtain a seat on the League board of directors for the period of the NLC board term.

NLC Board Application Deadlines

Applications for the NLC board and second vice president will be available in late August or early September and will be due sometime in October. Please contact <u>Carla Smith</u>, NLC senior coordinator to obtain an application for NLC board of directors or NLC 2nd Vice President and obtain pertinent deadlines.

ILG Launches Governments Engaging Youth Toolkit

The Institute for Local Government (ILG) recently released a new <u>online toolkit</u> to support and enhance youth civic engagement and work-based learning efforts. The toolkit provides resources and materials for municipalities and schools to collaborate to implement dynamic programming that offers youth opportunities to become civically engaged and interested in public sector careers through job shadows or internships. It includes examples of different program models, sample curriculum plans and work-based learning guides.

Please contact Randi Kay Stephens with questions.

FPPC Offices to Move Later this Month

The Fair Practices Political Practices Commission (FPPC) will be moving on July 21 with the office reopening for business on Monday, July 24.

The new address will be: 1102 Q Street, Suite 300 Sacramento, CA 95811

Agency emails and phone numbers will remain the same.

Please contact FPPC Communications Director <u>Jay Wierenga</u> with any questions at (916) 322-7761.

Department Now Taking Applications to Serve on Executive Committee Apply by Monday, Aug. 8

The Mayors and Council Members Department of the League of California Cities[®] is now seeking applicants for the department <u>Executive Committee</u>.

The Executive Committee positions are a one-year terms with the intention of succeeding to the president position within the department. This year, the department has two vacancies to fill and these positions rotate between the North and South. The department is accepting applicants for the first vice president position (North) and the second vice president position (South).

Qualifications

The Nominating Committee will use the following information as a basis for selection:

- The individual's professional reputation;
- The individual's perspective on city service;
- Whether the individual has demonstrated a commitment to serving and strengthening the department;
- The individual's depth of knowledge of and experience with city government; and
- The individual's involvement in intergovernmental activities.

Application and Selection Process

Applications will be reviewed by the Nominating Committee (appointed by the current Executive Committee). The proposed 2017-18 Executive Committee slate will be presented for vote at the Annual Conference in Sacramento. Nominations for the vacancies will also be open from the floor at the department business meeting during the annual conference.

Application for the Executive Committee

All applications must be received by Aug. 7. Please direct applications by email to <u>Sara Rounds</u> fax to (916) 658-8240. Please call Sara at (916) 658-8243 with questions or to confirm receipt of your application.

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SB 540, Legislation by Senator Roth to Increase Housing Production, Passes Assembly Natural Resources Committee

Bill part of League of California Cities Supported "Blueprint for Housing" Legislative Package

Monday afternoon, SB 540 by Sen. Richard D. Roth (D-Riverside) passed the Assembly Natural Resources Committee on a bipartisan vote. Sponsored by the League of California Cities®, SB 540 would streamline the housing approval process and lead to more housing production, particularly in areas near jobs and transit. SB 540 previously passed the Senate with overwhelming bipartisan support. It now will be heard in the Assembly Committee on Appropriations. For more, see Page 2.

New Cap-and-Trade Extension Plan Introduced

Vote Expected as Early as Thursday

Gov. Jerry Brown, Senate President Pro Tem Kevin de Leon (D-Los Angeles) and Assembly Speaker Anthony Rendon (D-Lakewood) on July 10 announced a new Cap-and-Trade extension plan and accompanying air quality program. The proposal was introduced in bill form late Monday. The two-bill package compares AB 398 by Assembly Member Eduardo Garcia (D-Coachella), which sets forth the extension plan, and AB 617 by Assembly Members Cristina Garcia (D-Bell Gardens), Eduardo Garcia (D-Coachella) and Miguel Santiago (D-Los Angeles), which would create the new air quality monitoring program. A vote could be taken as early as Thursday. For more, see Page 2.

Call for Sessions Open for the 2018 Planning Commissioners Academy Deadline to submit is Aug. 14

Do you want to help build the 2018 Panning Commissioners Academy program? Do you have an idea for a new, cutting edge session that will inspire and motivate attendees? Maybe you know of a colleague that would be an excellent speaker? The League of California Cities is searching for speakers and session topics for the 2018 conference to be held April 4–6 in Monterey. For more, see Page 2.

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Sen. Roth commented, "Access to housing is a basic human need, and ensuring Californians have access to an affordable place to live is critical to every Californian's quality of life. That's why I am proud to have authored Senate Bill 540. SB 540 is a commonsense measure that will remove the barriers to housing construction in the areas most in need, helping ensure this crisis does not continue to grow and families do not continue to struggle."

Under SB 540 cities and counties would identify priority housing areas — called Workforce Housing Zones — within their boundaries. The local government would conduct enhanced planning, important environmental reviews and public engagement at the front end with specific details as to what type of housing would be built within the zone. Because the local government has fully conducted the extensive environmental reviews at the front-end, no project-specific additional environmental reviews would be necessary.

By some estimates, SB 540 would shave one to two years off the development timeline without compromising environmental protection, public health, local control or the rights of citizens to participate in local land use decisions.

Carolyn Coleman, executive director of the League of California Cities said, "SB 540 would give local governments new tools to plan for housing and create a more streamlined path that eliminates some of the delays and uncertainty that currently impede housing construction. Cities recognize our role in crafting solutions to our housing crisis. We're pleased to partner with Senator Roth on this important legislation."

The League also supports SB 2 (Atkins), the Building Homes and Jobs Act, and SB 3 (Beall), the Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2018. Both bills would increase funding for affordable housing to boost housing supply.

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This announcement comes following weeks of discussion between the Administration, legislative leaders, and stakeholders from industry, business, environmental, agricultural labor, faith, economists, and local government. Lawmakers and stakeholders continue to weigh in with the language in print.

In addition to extending the Cap-and-Trade program through 2030, AB 398 would establish funding priorities for how the state would spend auction revenues over the next decade from the 40 percent share of proceeds that have been previously subject to annual allocations.

Details of both measures are outlined below.

The Cap-and-Trade extension plan in AB 398 would:

- Extend the cap and trade system through Dec. 31, 2030 with declining emissions limits;
- Require State Air Resources Board (ARB) to set cost containment measures, including a
 price ceiling, "speed bumps" to limit excessive price spike, offset credit limits, and
 industry assistance factors for allowance allocation;
- Establish a Compliance Offsets Protocol Task Force to advise the ARB on establishing new offset projects that have direct environmental benefits, while prioritizing disadvantaged communities, Native American or tribal lands, and rural and agricultural regions;
- Establish an Independent Emissions Market Advisory Committee to report to the ARB and the Legislature on the environmental and economic performance of Cap-and-Trade;
- Require the California Workforce Development Board to report on the need for increased education and job training to help transition labor-market changes;
- Require the ARB to update the Scoping Plan by Jan. 1, 2018;
- Establish funding priorities until Jan. 1, 2031 as follows:
 - o air toxic and criteria pollutants from stationary and mobile sources;
 - low and zero-carbon transportation;

- sustainable agricultural practices that promote the transitions to clean technology, water efficiency, and improved air quality; healthy forests and urban greening;
- short-lived climate pollutants (such as methane); and
- o climate adaptation and resiliency; climate and clean energy research.
- Prohibit local air districts from adopting additional emissions reduction rules from stationary sources that are subject to Cap-and-Trade;
- Suspend the existing fire prevention fees that apply to rural landowners until Jan. 1, 2031; and
- Extend an exemption from the state portions of sales and use taxes for certain purchases
 of property used for generation of electric power until July 1, 2030, but does not affect the
 collection of local shares of city and county sales and use taxes

The new air quality program as proposed in AB 617 would:

- Require stationary sources to report annually emissions of criteria air pollutants and toxic
 air contaminants; require the ARB to develop a new air monitoring plan and determine
 high priority locations to deploy community level air monitoring systems; authorize the
 local air district in selected locations to require stationary sources to deploy fence-line
 monitoring systems;
- Require the ARB to prepare a statewide strategy to reduce air emissions in communities with a high cumulative exposure burden and update the strategy every five years;
- Requires local air districts that have not attained air pollutant goals under the federal Clean Air Act to expedite retrofits of industrial sources; and
- Increases the penalty for air pollution violations from \$1,000 per day to \$5,000 per day and increases the maximum penalty annually based on the Consumer Price Index

Next Steps

Given the 72-hour print rule, the expected date for a vote for this package is Thursday. Many of the affected groups and organizations continue to review the language. It remains unclear if this proposal, absent changes, will garner the bi-partisan, two-thirds vote support desired by the Governor. Also unclear is if other legislative issues are part of the overall agreement. For instance, several legislators requested the passage of a major housing package, including funding and process streamlining measures, in conjunction with the cap and trade extension. Whether these of other conditions are attached to the package remains to be seen.

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This two-and-a-half day conference is for new and experienced planning commissioners, planning directors, staff and other interested officials including elected officials and focuses on current issues and timely topics that will assist planners in their daily roles and operations within their city.

Submit complete proposals through the online <u>proposal form</u> by the deadline of Aug. 14 to be considered by the committee. There is a limit to the amount of words allowed within the title and description of each proposal. It is recommended that proposals are written in a word-processing program first, and then paste the final version into the online form.

Submissions from any individual, group, business or organization on any topic are welcome. The Program Planning Advisory Committee will consider the educational value of each proposal and the extent to which it presents new and/or significant information.

Additional information is available on the League website.

If you have any question about this event, please contact <u>Caitlin Cole</u>, conference program manager at (916) 658-8248.